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MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire.

AN ADVERTISEMENT

Simply tells the public what you have got. If you never tell the people don't expect them to ask you. That's all there is to it.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Dean academy reopens tomorrow.

Mrs. Peter Costello has removed to Lowell.

Report of temperance meeting in Friday's issue.

St. Mary's school will reopen tomorrow morning.

Wages went up yesterday, whereat everyone rejoices.

Capt. Rudolph Sommers is confined to the house by illness.

John R. Clark of Louisville, Ky., is the guest of W. F. Ray.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred. A. Bright on Saturday.

The pupils of the High school resumed their studies yesterday.

The band held a concert and ball in the Opera House, last evening.

The Farmers' club will meet with L. W. Daniels, Pond street, this evening.

The Franklin National bank will hold its annual meeting next week Tuesday.

W. A. Pond has sold the Ellen Murphy place on Chestnut street to Paul Keshishian.

Mrs. Milton M. Whiting is with relatives in Atlantic City and Philadelphia this winter.

Miss Celia Ford and Richard Flynn of Brockton were married here by Rev. Fr. Lee yesterday.

Miss Emma Bradley of Somerville has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Patrick Lennon, of West street.

The Universalist Ladies' Social Circle meets to-morrow at 3 o'clock with Mrs. J. O. Chilson, Dean avenue.

Don't forget Manager Paartridge's benefit, "Under the Dome," in the Opera House on Thursday evening, Jan., 8.

Miss Josie Byrnes is recovering from a severe attack of indigestion which has confined her to home for a week past.

Plumbers from the Mulvey establishment at Woonsocket are working at the factory of the Colonial Rubber company.

The new foundry building being erected by the Clark Machine and Foundry company on Union street is nearly completed.

Miss Minnie Perriman, a nurse in the Carney hospital, Boston, was a guest of Miss Catherine Curran of Fisher street on Sunday.

The long delayed iron for the power and car house at Unionville is arriving, and it is expected that the work will now be hurried to completion.

Miss Rachel Thayer's condition is considered quite serious, as this week will bring the turning point in the fever. Everyone is hoping for the best.

Rev. C. J. White of Woonsocket, exchanged with Rev. Dr. Hodge at the Universalist church on Sunday, preaching a forceful and interesting sermon.

It will be impossible to forget that this is 1900 when we glance at the large calendar thoughtfully given us by George C. Daniels, New England passenger agent for the Southern railway.

Al. Bacon of Central street pleasantly entertained friends on Christmas night by music on a mouth organ and guitar, both instruments being manipulated by him simultaneously.

Prof. E. D. Daniels will speak before the Mothers' section on Friday, Jan. 5, at 3 o'clock, at the parlors of Mrs. Fiske on Crescent street. All members are requested to be present with guests.

Mrs. Theodore Fulton and son of Denver, Col., who have been spending several weeks at Jacob Quilter's, went to Summit, N. J., last Thursday, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Miss Nellie Razee's dancing class at Arnold's Mills gave an invitation social last Friday evening, which was well attended. Special music, dancing and refreshments were the attractions of the evening.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Co-operative bank will be held at the office of Secretary O. T. Doe in Postoffice block this evening. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected and a board of directors chosen.

The electric cars carried a large number of Franklinites to Hoag's pond on Sunday, where the skating was in fine condition. Many Woonsocketers were also there, and altogether there were 500 skaters on the pond at 3 o'clock.

The handsome woodwork in the Ray building stairway is done, and now the painters are putting the color work upon the walls, these being extended throughout the entire hallway. When finished it will be a remarkably fine entrance.

The recently elected officers of Griffin court, M. C. O. F., will be publicly installed tomorrow evening. A number of non-members have been invited to witness the installation ceremonies, which will be followed by an entertainment, collation and dance.

A citizen who came to town in 1845 says that the weather was such that plowing could be done any month in the year. The remark was brought out by the statement of another citizen that weather like this season was never known in New England before.

Did you ever stop to think that you, and nearly everyone else who has occasion to write at all, have been writing 1800 year after year? You will have to stop that, and stop it at once. Better sit down and practice 1900 a little while. It will seem odd at first, but you have got to get used to it.

One of the large items of expense in the highway department last year was the care of the snow, the early storm of November giving the board of selectmen quite a problem to grapple with, as well as using up funds which it was hoped might be employed elsewhere. Thus far they have escaped.

The semi annual meeting of the Benjamin Franklin Savings bank was held yesterday afternoon, with a good membership present. The report of Treasurer Stewart was read and accepted, and a semi annual dividend of 1 3-4 per cent. was voted. The affairs were found to be in a very satisfactory condition.

The splendid heating apparatus which Rev. Fr. Lee is putting into his new building will be used to heat the convent building and church as well, an underground tunnel having been dug for that purpose. When the whole affair is completed no town of this size will have any such fine looking building for anywhere near the money this energetic pastor has built this one for.

The Hyde Park Gazette recently issued a handsome souvenir supplement, the typographical work being remarkably good, a credit to the office and its energetic management. It showed many of the prominent people of the town, the buildings, etc., accompanied by an excellent sketch of the place. It entailed a vast amount of work, we know, as we've been there.

The story is going the rounds of the press that a lady presented her husband with a lamp, accompanying it with the remark, "Like you, dear, it has a good deal of brass about it, it is handsome to look at, it is not remarkably brilliant, requires a good deal of attention, is something unsteady on its legs, liable to explode when half full, flares up occasionally and is bound to smoke."

Invitations are out for the fourth annual Masonic reception at the opera house on Wednesday evening, Jan. 17. The committee of arrangements includes Joseph P. Bassett, Fred P. Chapman, Charles F. Nye, Walter C. Sherman, L. W. Stott, A. B. Palmer, Charles B Bussey, George R. Winsor, A. M. Thayer, H. A. Talbot, William H. Sweatt, H. T. Hayward, P. A. Woodward, E. D. Daniels and Marston Sanborn.

As this is the first issue of the new year we trust that it may be a happy one to you. Among other good resolutions worthy to be made and kept, is one, that if you are in arrears to this paper you will promptly pay up and start the new year with a consciousness that you have done the right thing, and also enabled the publisher to square his own little accounts. Try it and see how much better you will feel.

John Kingsley, the Franklin young man who was arrested at Worcester recently on the charge of desertion from the marine service at Charlestown, is now serving a sentence of six months' imprisonment in the barracks at the navy yard, having been tried by court-martial on Dec. 18 and found guilty of desertion. He will be allowed two months out of the six for good behavior, and if he is not refractory he will be released next April.

January started out in good winter fashion, a snow storm arriving promptly with the new year. Together with the extreme cold which has continued for the past four or five days, ranging all the way from 7 to 20 above, we are getting our winter all right. But who would have prophesied so mild a winter up to the first of January? Not even the "oldest inhabitant," who calls all winters mild except the ones he used to experience.

John E. Booth, who has been sick at the Franklin house for some weeks, died there on Saturday, and the remains will be taken to Peterboro, Can., for interment, by his wife, who has been here caring for him. An autopsy was held shortly after his death by the Drs. Gallison and Crowley, and it was found, as anticipated, that his death was due to cancer of the bowels. He was about 50 years of age and was the boss carder for the Franklin Yarn Manufacturing Co.

There are less unpaid taxes this year than for several previous years, as Collector Sherman has been looking after delinquents pretty closely. Some tax payers seem to take it as an offense if the tax collector insists upon the taxes being paid. They look upon it as a personal matter between the tax collector and themselves. That is wrong. The tax collector is a servant of the town, so that it is a matter between the town and the taxpayer, and not between him and the collector.

We congratulate the Methodist people on the speedy prospect of their having a newly refurnished house of worship, as the painters have treated the walls and ceiling to a handsome combination of colorings, a new carpet has been purchased, the woodwork has been painted, and when completed they ought to doubly enjoy the pleasure of worshipping there. The money was largely raised by subscription, some donations coming from outside the denomination, for which they are truly thankful.

The company has received the bill of rails for its entire order, 108 carload, and the whole consignment is either delivered or on the way. Ten car loads are already at the Bellingham station. Owing to the probability of continued cold weather the company will not attempt to complete any more of its lines this season, but as soon as the frost leaves the ground in the spring Contractor Tylee will put hundreds of men to work laying tracks in Attleboro, Wrentham, Milford, Hopkinton and Westboro. It is hoped that the entire road will be in operation by Aug. 1, 1900.

Revival services at the Methodist church are attracting a great deal of interest. This is the second week and promises to be much better than the first. The spirit of the Lord is present, quickening the life of the church and calling sinners to repentance. A plain, practical and powerful presentation of the saving truths of the gospel of Jesus Christ is a leading characteristic of every service. Service every night this week at 7 30. Rev. F. B. Sleeper of the Baptist church will preach tonight. The pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook, will preach each remaining evening of the week.

E. Lovell Metcalf is the juror drawn from here for the Norfolk County Superior court, January civil session, which came in at Dedham Monday morning at 10 o'clock. The trial list is not as long as usual, there being but ninety-three cases on the same. Among the other jurors from this section are Charles E. Messinger, Foxboro, carpenter; Edson J. Moore, Norfolk, clergyman; Granville Morse, Wrentham, expressman; Thomas Mullen, Medway, laborer; Ruel A. Rockwood, Bellingham, farmer; A. Ronnde, Walpole, farmer, and Herbert W. Wight, Medfield, farmer.

Miss May Whitaker, daughter of Edw S. Whitaker of McCarthy street, was united in marriage to Christian Schelde of Bridgewater last evening, the ceremony being performed in the Universalist church at Norwood at 7.30 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. Mr Eddy. Following the ceremony a reception was held in the chapel from 8 to 9, a large number of friends of the happy couple tendering congratulations and remembering them with handsome gifts. The bride and groom left later for a wedding trip, and upon their return will reside in Bridgewater, where Mr. Schelde is engaged in the gentlemen's furnishing business. Miss Whitaker has been a resident of Norwood for a number of years.

We are glad to note that "the Norfolk Woolen Co., of Franklin, Mass., is very busy in all departments. The machinery is being operated nights until 10 o'clock. Two pickers and four carders have just been added to the plant in addition to a conveyer system to blow the stock to the different departments. The concern makes wool substitutes. The company also operates the Ray Fabric mills which are likewise in full blast at present on horse blankets and linings. At the end of the season the company intends to enlarge and rebuild the plant so as to be better equipped for the production of blankets and other articles."—Textile Manufacturers' Journal.

At the M. E. church the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook, is preaching to good audiences nightly, powerful, spirit filled and convincing sermons. Believers are being revived, sinners are inquiring the way of salvation and great good must certainly result from this series of meetings. Mr. Cook is a young man who stands for an unmutilated Bible; who preaches an unquestionable scriptural gospel; a gospel which, likened to a good cathedral, has for architect, builder and bishop the Holy Trinity, the triune God, with a grand central arch which needs no supporting pillar, never has and never will, an arch which spans from Bethlehem's manger to the marriage supper of the Lamb, even He who said "I am alpha and omega, the beginning and the end;" a gospel which holds out to the vilest sinner the same salvation as to the hide-bound moralist, who thanks God that he is not as other men are. If you believe in religion founded on Christianity, don't fail to hear him. The services will continue every evening this week.

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Death of Dr. Charles Kingsley.

A wave of genuine sorrow greeted the announcement here of the death of Dr. Charles Kingsley, in his 31st year, at Marlboro, on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, of Bright's disease. Although it was known that he was seriously ill, yet all hoped that his life would be spared for further years of usefulness. He had been ill about fifteen weeks, though when he left here he was not in robust health, that fact being one of the causes of his going elsewhere.

He came here July 4, 1891, purchasing the business of Dr. F. B. Jenckes, now of Woonsocket, having just graduated from the Jefferson Medical school at Philadelphia, Pa. The following year he was married to Mary B. Elliott, of East Machias, Me, Sept. 16, 1892.

He remained here till February, '96, when he disposed of his practice to Dr. D. P. A. Jacoby. He then went south, his wife accompanying him, with the view of locating, but not finding a desirable place he went to Providence, remaining there about a year. An excellent opening offering itself at Marlboro, he went there where he had built up a lucrative and constantly increasing practice.

Dr. Kingsley enjoyed the highest respect of his professional brethren here, being a close student, a careful and conscientious practitioner. He was a member of the Mass. Medical and the Thurber Medical societies, where his opinions always received appreciative consideration.

While here he became a member of the Masonic fraternity, and served upon the school board from '93 to '96, being its chairman the last year of his encumbency. Both he and his wife made many friends during their stay here, and frequently returned to enjoy social and other functions held in town.

He was born in East Machias, Me., March 6, 1869, his parents being Austin F. and Mary C. (Cosseboom) Kingsley, his grandmother now being a resident here, Mrs. Cosseboom, mother of George D. Cosseboom of Crescent street, the latter being his uncle.

His funeral was held in Marlboro on Sunday, the body being taken to East Machias for interment. Many expressions of sympathy are heard for the sorrowing widow in this hour of her bereavement.

Alden Club Meeting.

After the holiday recess, the Alden club will resume its regular meetings on Monday evening next with a lecture on "Ainne Land," by Mrs. Mabel Loomis Todd. Mrs. Todd is the wife of Prof. David Todd of Amherst college, and has accompanied her husband in his many trips through strange lands in search of knowledge for his chosen line of work. She is accorded to be one of the best and most fluent speakers of the present day. This meeting is open to the public. Franklin has no lecture courses and only occasionally good speakers from outside the town. Will not the friends of the club, both gentlemen and ladies, show their appreciation of the few good things the club offers them?

Have you tried the famous "Hyomei" remedy for colds, coughs, catarrh, etc? A demonstrator is here this week at Mason's drug store, where free samples will be given away, and treatment given without cost. If you try this remedy once you will never be without it. Don't neglect a cold, when this will cure you so readily.

Mrs. Charles Rand will shortly canvass for a life of Moody.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

A Pleasing Reunion.

Members of the Congregational church to the number of more than 150 met at the church yesterday afternoon to celebrate the annual "church day." The business session was held in the afternoon, hearing reports, electing officers, appointing committees, etc.

After the routine work was accomplished the supper committee, consisting of Mrs. Sneath, Mrs. Abbott, Mrs Bachelor, Mrs. Gage, Mrs. Hills, Mrs. Hancock, Mrs. Walter Daniels, Miss Mabel Ray, Miss Carrie Rockwood, N. C. Nye, Walter Daniels and Dr. E. C. Abbott, announced that supper was ready.

This feature of the affair was decidedly pleasing, and full justice was done to the appetising repast. Remarks were made by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Sneath, and his wife, Dea. T. B. Allen, Supt. W. S. Richardson, Clerk J. H. Baker and B. M. Rockwood. The roll call was very generally responded to, fully three-quarters of the membership responding either personally or by letter, proving both helpful and interesting.

The reports from the various organizations were especially inspiring, showing a healthy balance in the treasuries and a vast amount of work accomplished. The following are the officers and committees:

Clerk and treas., J. Herbert Baker; deacon for four years, Robert A. Stewart; supt., W. S. Richardson; lady member church com., Mrs. Charles Johnson; reception com., Mrs. H. F. Gage, Mrs. A. Farrington, Mrs. F. M. Richardson, Mrs. W. M. Fisher, Mrs. W. S. Richardson; floral com., Caroline F. Rockwood, Mabel Ray, Mrs. George Emerson, Alice M. Brock; temperance com., Rev. I. W. Sneath, J. H. Baker, T. B. Allen, E. F. Richardson, Mrs. E. F. Richardson.

Asst. supt. Sunday school, Carl B. Johnson; sec. and treas, Nathan C. Nye; directors, Ida M. Brown, Mrs. T. B. Allen, Ernest D. Daniels; librarian, Olive M. Lovering; asst. librarian, Geo. W. Blake; supt. home dept., Hattie A. Daniels; supt. primary dept., Grace C. Whiting; asst. supt. primary dept., Frances E. King.

NANTUCKET AND BENJ. FRANKLIN.

BY M. FOLGER COLEMAN.

(Continued from last Friday.)

A few generations after the first settlement they adopted the Friends' religion almost unanimously, in a liberal way of their own. But, although conforming essentially to the Friends' discipline, they rarely, if ever, showed intolerance or narrow-minded severity. And while there was instilled into the minds of the young a strong sense of responsibility to act from pure motives and live worthy, useful lives, they were not inordinately checked in the innocent fun and natural gayety of youth. This gentle reasonableness, shown in the training of the children, was distinctly seen in what might be called the government of the island. Their discussions being tempered with a respect for differing ideas, and the desire to so modify their individual predilections as to learn from each other, gave to their deliberations a quiet simplicity joined to intellectual power, with clear and logical conclusions. This caused their dealings with the natives to be entirely peaceable and satisfactory, and their own lives, although comparatively uneventful, to be varied not only by visits to and from the outside world, but by enjoyable social intercourse, and an interest in scientific investigation. It was a common occurrence for men and women who had been busily engaged all day in mechanical work, so called, to meet together and converse in a natural and animated manner upon most abstruse subjects. So much so, that Nantucket was said rather laughingly to "live scientifically." This peculiar mental atmosphere was most attractive and pleasing to off islanders," who came often to visit and confer with them. Even the every day duties were frequently made occasions of delightful excursions and gatherings, such as the annual sheep shearing and the spring and fall fishing, when they left their town homes for a sort of camping out nearer the shore.

Their manner of expressing themselves in conversation was, as a rule, simple and correct, without unnecessary emphasis. And although a few colloquialisms crept in and in time came into popular use, they were simply old fashions and not to be called corruptions exactly. Thus, when one retailed a foolish or unlikely story it was dismissed as a "lockram," and there were some other singular expressions from the old English. Sometimes in their discussions one had a habit when being almost convinced yet not entirely so, of saying "I feel quite sure?" with a rising inflection. This habit was unconsciously imitated by others until in Nantucket quite came to mean not entirely, but nearly, so. Another common expression, which showed how carefully they considered before entertaining a decided opinion was "So far as I know." Such a thing as [illegible]gged persistence was unknown, whether or not it may have have developed later.

Thus, being of a studious turn of mind, that is, thinkers, in asking Peter Folger to join them they added no inferior or alien element. He had an active, versatile mind and, unlike some of varied accomplishments, he was good in each. Nearly all his children married in Nantucket, but his youngest child, Abiah, born on Nantucket in 1667, married Josiah Franklin of Boston in 1690.

(To be continued.)

The New Legislature.

Prof. L. L. Burrington has been putting in effective work for Mr. Bennett for the speaker of the legislature, and feels quite confidant that he will win. The Republicans caucus today, instead of leaving it till the legislature convenes. The Myers men are making great claims, but as his Republicanism is questioned it is difficult to see how he can receive enthusiastic support. If he is elected by Democratic votes his position will be still more uncertain. The legislature convenes tomorrow, when it is hoped that all will be amicably settled. Ex-Speaker Bates has been sick, but is expected to be on hand in time to take the oath of office. Crane and Bates will make a good working force, and with a Republican mayor in Boston affairs in this commonwealth are looking up.

Want to Cross.

Last week Tuesday the railroad commissioners gave a hearing to the Medway Medfield Electric railroad company for a grade crossing over the New Haven track in Medfield. Some fifty persons in the towns interested appeared to testify. A petition signed by 200 from Medfield, 200 from Millis, 304 from Medway and 110 from Bellingham was presented in favor of a grade crossing. While no decision was reached the probabilites of granting the petition are most favorable

The selectmen of Medfield postively refuse to allow a trestle bridge and so state in the franchise. The track of the electric road is laid on both sides of the steam road with sixty foot girder rails, with paving. The track is laid westerly nearly to the Holbrook organ factory in Millis, a distance of four miles. The contractor will work up to the time when the frost stops him.

"My Mother-in-Law."

Miss Ullie Akerstrom will present her new laugh-provoking comedy, "My Mother-in-Law," on Thursday evening, in which she will appear as a German servant girl. This is a radical departure from the style of work she has portrayed heretofore. Miss Akerstrom is a comedienne of no mean ability, and in this line she has a part that enables her to give full vent to her peculiar style. A German servant in a play suggests fun. In "My Mother in Law" the opportunity presents itself, and in conjunction with other clever people they make you laugh irresistibly. The plot of the play is simply the interference of a mother-in law in an otherwise quiet family of a doctor.

The entanglements and disturbances are numerous. Many pleasing specialties are interspersed in the comedy and an evening of enjoyment is guaranteed. The worry caused by all kinds of worriment, that worry the worried brains of the worrying worriers, will cease their worrisome worriment when you you see the worry dispelling farce, "My Mother-in law." Please practice repeating the above rapidly, in order to limber up your jaws that you may be prepared to laugh long and loud without danger of dislocation.

Free "Hyomei" for colds at Mason's drug store all this week.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Wanted—Girl to do light housework. Apply at Fisher's confectionery store.

All sorts of stove wood, from trash to heavy oak, at the School street wood yard. 12tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

Wanted—A girl capable of doing general housework, to whom liberal wages will be paid. SENTINEL office. 15-tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Potted plants and cut flowers; all kinds of funeral work made up; special rates for all societies in town. Slade's Greenhouse, Central street, Franklin, Mass. P. O. Box 179. 2T

We will pay $18 per week to Christian man or woman to qualify for permanent position of manager and correspondent in their home county. Enclose self-addressed envelope to R. A. Sherman, Secretary, 17 West 42d St., New York. 27

Hotel Briggs.

This house has been newly refurnished. Especial attention is given to the rooms and the table, chicken dinners are served every Wednesday and Saturday, and turkey dinners every Sunday. Everything connected with the table first class.

MARY AND HELEN MODJESKA,
Props.

After Christmas

A lull, but a fine opportunity to sit for the photo's needed to return for those received as Christmas gifts. A special trade on large photos for a few weeks, at CALKIN'S STUDIO, Depot St.

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

Get a sample bottle of "Hyomei" at Mason's drug store and cure your cough

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Reading Notices, 1[illegible] a line. Business Announcements, 1c a word, no notice less than 15c.

Business and Professional Cards, to occupy one-half inch space, once a week, $5.00 per year; twice a week, $7.50 per year.

Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

TUESDAY, JAN. 2, 1900

The governor of Texas has a name with which some people are fond of taking liberties. It is Hogg, and some of his enemies once started the story that he had two girls, one of whom he named Ura Hogg, the other Ima Hogg! But, in a recent interview, Gov. Hogg has this to say: "The truth of the matter is that my girl's name is Ima Hogg. She was named by her mother. Her mother was reading a book somewhere, in which one of the characters which interested her exceptionally was named Ima. About that time the little girl came along, and she was named Ima. We never noticed the play on the name until it was called to our attention. The boys all have rational names. They are Tom, Mike and Will." So the governor cannot be accused of intentionally making the little girl say she is a small, porkish animal every time she speaks her name!

The San Francisco Wave reports that a young woman who patronizes the free library at San Jose was anxious to read Hopkinson Smith's "Tom Grogan," whenever she called for it the book invariably "out." She begged then the librarian notify her by telephone as soon as the book came in. The book was returned next day, and the librarian telephoned. It was the girl's father who answered. "Tom Grogan," he shouted, indignantly. "So Tom Grogan wants my daughter to come up after him. Look here, you tell that young man from me, if he wants to see my daughter he had better come here and do it."

A New York restaurant recently undertook to cater exclusively for obese people. Nothing of a fattening character was served. The establishment was hailed with delight by a large crowd of heavy weights. Its history was about as follows: The first day 100 ate there, the second, 90; the third, 80, and so on down until the proprietor found himself without a single patron, when the sheriff came and took everything in sight.

A pitiful story, with a very evident moral, comes from Toledo, O. Five restless boys left good homes to "see the world." They got as far as Akron, O., where an accident befell them as they were endeavoring to board a train, and now one of the five is dead, two are badly injured and in the hospital, and the other two are in jail. It hardly seems necessary to comment upon this over-true story from real life. Anyone can easily draw the most evident moral from it.

Spain will not be surprised to learn that under the management of the United States government the receipts of the island of Cuba from January 1, 1899, to June 30 exceed the expenditures by $1,480,121. The surprising thing to Spain will be that the American officials didn't pocket the surplus hastily and say nothing.

Chicago papers are printing advertisements of this kind: "Wanted—An able man to cook and wash for a private family." The demand seems likely to be met, for one who is willing to work his way up advertises: "Wanted—A position as second girl by an honest and capable young man."

Highway robbery has taken on a characteristic lately that reminds one of being choked to death on honey. It is for a woman to seize a man about the neck and give him an affectionate hug, while a companion empties his pockets. There have been several such cases in New York city of late.

According to late figures Kansas has two head of cattle, one hog, one-third of a horse, and one-fifth of a sheep for every man, woman and child in the state.

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"What kind of a dog is that, papa?" asked small Johnny, as he observed the big animal chasing his own tail. "That's a watch dog," replied the father. "And will he go as soon as he winds himself up?" asked Johnny.

Teacher (to Tommy, whose father is a milkman)—"How many quarts make a gallon?" Tommy—"A gallon of what?" Teacher—"Anything—milk for instance." Tommy—"Four quarts: three of milk and one of water."

It was the first time little four-year old Willie had ever seen a snake, and as it writhed and squirmed along he ran into the house to tell of his discovery. "Oh, mamma!" he exclaimed, "come here, quick; here's a tail wagging without any dog."

The other evening at dinner the face of four-year-old Edith was lighted up with unusual beauty, and her dark eye had a dreamy, far-away look that prompted her mother to ask: "What are you thinking about, darling?" "Oh," replied the little miss, "I was just wondering whether you chewed your puddin' or swallowed it whole."—Chicago Daily News.

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But a stormy sky, if you are by, is shelter enough for me.
Is shelter enough for me, my dear, in the weary world and wide,
So Love be with me the rosy year—so you are at my side.

It's gold that glitters an' gold that gives joys that we hold supreme;
But gold is cold when the years grow old and joy is a dream—a dream!
It's just we twain, in peace or pain, and the wealth o' the world dented,
A desert drear were a garden fair, so you are at my side.

Your hand in mine across the world—in darkness and in dawn,
And grief and gloom, or vales of bloom, so Love shall lead us on:
So Love shall lead us on, my dear, across the world so wide,
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Contidgious, I sh'd say.

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Dat when he cracks a joke
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Man, though, for his convenience or pleasure, or profit, establishes times and seasons. Thus he says the first day of January shall be termed the beginning of a New Year. The Romans, with an acute poetic sense that pervaded all their work, elected to have the dawn of the year show in March—the first spring month, when nature kisses new life into everything and robes the earth in garments of many colors.

Man must have his pauses and starting points. It is not so much a question of sentiment as of necessity that dates and seasons be fixed. The success of business life depends upon it, and a nation without a chronology is a people without a history. Each year must hold its own events, nor may one trench upon the other.

Leaving this line of suggestion, one is led to the thought that these year posts of man's time offer opportunity for reflection upon what has been and what may be. Each New Year day tells not only of the new birth, but also of the year that is sepultured. Here are presented in brave contrast life and death. As the old passes out, the new comes in. So with man and all other animate things. "The king is dead; live the king."

So one lesson after another may be learned, if one be but a willing pupil. What the memories of the just dead year? What the sins, the errors, the follies? What the good one did, and what progress in the knowledge that is lasting? Ah! the year is gone, gone to one and all of us; but the impression remains. These years one by one are character builders, each adding to the other until the mortal changes to the immortal!

Looking backward, what is the reckoning? Whatever most of good, or of ill, the New Year is at hand. Let the accounting be just, that one may be abler to meet justly and righteously the things that are before. One should recall the errors of the past, not that he may mourn over them, but that he may gain strength for future struggles.

One need not give the whole of New Year's day to the forming of good resolutions. Alas! there be many who do vow overmuch at such times. The hallway of the New Year, like that of hell, is paved with good intentions. One may resolve and resolve again, and swear lustily in confirmation of such purpose; yet all unavailingly, because of the frailty of his being. He acts the better part who reflects, and is not rash in promises.

Not the same to all is the history of the past year; and not two shall find the New Year the same in experience. But each year is for all, and has in abundance riches of good for every one. The year just closed was lavish in gifts; the new offers plenty as great. It is but to look for it fearlessly and the searcher will be rewarded.

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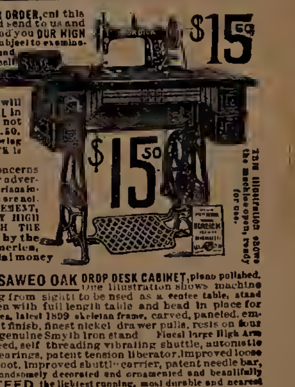

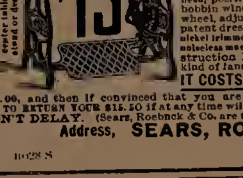

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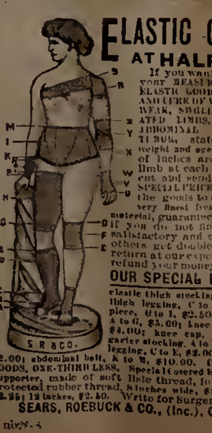

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NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 58, f5 21, 6 19, f7 25, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

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Life.

Dear God, I thank Thee for this resting-place,
This fleshly temple where my soul may dwell
And like an anchorite within his cell
Learn Thy deep love and grow to perfect grace.
The stars sweep on in their eternal race,
Thy soaring suns the stricken gloom dispel,
Yet what have these of mystery to tell
That in a blossom is not mine to trace?
Thy guest, not captive, to my visioned goal
I soar beyond all memory of strife,
Upborne and shielded by Thy power benign;
Thou art the strength of my unfaltering soul,
And from the vantage of this mortal life
The freedom of the infinite is mine.

—Peter McArthur, in Ainslee's Magazine.

When a man is tortured with backache or lame back he doesn't want to experiment with new and untried remedies.

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OLD-AGE PENSIONS IN EUROPE.

Miners are also the subject of similar special pension laws in France, Austria, Russia, Belgium and Roumania.

In France miners and seamen are obliged to contribute part of their wages to an old age fund, and the state subsidizes this fund, as well as approved friendly societies.

In Germany all workmen, sailors, servants and clerks earning less than $500 a year are obliged to contribute a portion of their wages for insurance against old age and infirmity and the government adds something to the pension insured. In 1891 the amount paid in pensions was $3,825,000, of which the government supplied $1,510,000. In 1897 the total had increased to $13,750,000, to which the state contributed over $5,000,000.

In Denmark relief is given to respectable persons over 60 years of age who have not contributed to any fund. It is not fixed in amount, but sufficient for the support of the person relieved and his family. It may be given in money or in kind, or consist of free admission to an asylum. The commune awards the relief and pays half of it, the other half being borne by the state. In 1896 the state and the communes together paid nearly $4,500,000 in this way.

The originator of the idea of old age pensions for Englishmen, paid out of the public purse, can certainly claim to have furnished a problem that will severely test the keenest intellects, if, indeed, keen intellects apply themselves to such a fantastic scheme. If everyone is to receive a pension at the age of 65 the larger share of the necessary funds will be provided by the vast majority of persons who do not reach that age and to whom the long livers will have rendered no service.

ODD ENDS OF INFORMATION.

Bella M. Hughes, of Atchison, Kan., recently celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of her second marriage.

Two babies were in a child's carriage, near a railroad track in Rockford, Ill. A fierce wind arose and whirled the carriage onto the track before a passing train, and the babies were killed.

The most northern newspaper in the world is published, not in Hammerstein, Russia, as recently reported, but in Hammerstein, Norway. There is no place in Russia named "Hammerstein," and no part of Russia is situated so far north as where the remarkable weekly is issued.

A cake of ice dropped from a wagon upon the foot of a three-year-old girl in Boston and the foot had to be amputated. Carelessness by an employe of the Boston Ice company, it is said, caused the accident. The parents of the child brought suit and recovered a verdict of $10,000.

The years write their records on our hearts as they do on trees; inner circles of growth which no eye can see.—Saxe Holm.

He is happy whose circumstances suit his temper; but he is more excellent who can suit his temper to any circumstances.—Hume.

Every human being has a work to carry on within, duties to perform abroad, influences to exert, which are peculiarly his, and which no conscience but his own can teach.—Channing.

It is doing some service to humanity to amuse innocently. They know but little of society who think we can bear to be always employed, either in duties or meditation, without relaxation.—H. More.

It was the saying of an ancient sage that humor was the only test of gravity, and gravity of humor; for a subject that would not bear raillery was suspicious, and a jest that would not bear a serious examination was certainly false wit.—Shaftesbury.

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WRENTHAM.

The report that Ebenezer Green is dead is without foundation.——The last meeting of the sewing circle was held with Mrs. James E. Carpenter and the following officers were chosen: President, Mrs. W. K. Gilmore; vice pres., Carrie Thompson; sec., Miss S. M. [illegible]uld; tress., Mrs. James E. Carpen[illegible]——The Holly club met Tuesday af[illegible] on with Mrs. Charles W. Pond. Subject, "The Winter's Tale."——W. E. Enegren has built a large cistern near his ice house and will use it to supply water in the park next summer.——Joseph E. Chamberlain has joined the authors' club recently formed in Boston.——The I. O. O F. have another entertainment on the list, to come about the end of January. "The glass blowers" are also desirous of booking dates with them early in the year.——Thomas A. George had one of the handsomest presents this year in the shape of a check for $100 from an old friend.——Roderick McClennan has bought the Nye house of Charles Wilkinson.——Leon Strople of North Derby, Vt., is visiting his uncle, B. J. Pierson.——Dr. Herbert A. Besse, who has opened a dental office in Franklin, is very well known in this town.——The Home Missionary society have chosen the following officers: Pres., Miss Ella F. Fales; vice pres., Mrs. M. A. Russell; sec., Miss N J. Fisher; treas. Home missions, Mrs. N. H. Fales; treas. foreign missions, Miss Susan M. Gerould.——Miss Blanche I. Cox assistant High school teacher, has resigned and accepted a position at her home in Portland.

In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently overcome habitual constipation, well informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system. Buy the genuine, made by the California Fig Syrup Co.

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STATEMENT DEC. 30, 1899.
LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors	$549,663 81
Guarantee Fund	27,752 79
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[illegible]	12,960 49
[illegible]ne Account	543 71
	$604,830 35

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$22,673 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		29,182 62
Railroad Bonds		109,860 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		30,300 00
" " Mortgages		172,385 00
" " Personal Securities		186,195 75
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Tax Account		1,474 [illegible]
Expense Account		960 63
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits		
Franklin National Bank	$9,0[illegible]7 14	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	5,602 09	
Mercantile Trust Co	11,[illegible]18 55	
		[illegible]6,008 38
Cash on hand		2,2[illegible]3 [illegible]5
		$604 830 35

I, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

ADELBERT D THAYER.
CHAS STEWART.
Committee of Examination.

Jan 1, 1900.

SHOT AND SHELL.

The joyless man robs others of joy.

Not all new books have new thoughts

A man is what his life is to him.

Genuineness is greater than genius.

Epicurean meals do not make athletic men.

To bear misfortune calmly is to have a fortune.

Every deserter will get what Jonah had, a whaling.

We laugh at vanity, but mourn over its harvest of vice.

A man may be born in the mud and yet he may die in marble.

The secret and success of love is its sincerity and simplicity.

Into wisdom's web wise men their waiting moment's weave.

One thinker is worth more than many collections of thoughts.

Large problems are many-sided, and take many master minds.

The man who never makes a mistake never makes anything else.

There is a great difference between working for a man's good and for his goods.

The milk of human kindness is a singular commodity; when you give it away it keeps itself, but when you keep it, it sours.—Ram's Horn.

WHAT SCIENCE IS DOING.

Seven scientific expeditions are exploring Central America.

A novelty is the cold storage of hops This is done in several places in England.

The opinion that malaria is conveyed to human beings by mosquitoes has long been held by the Somali of East Africa, according to information given in Wickenburg's "Wanderungen in Ostafrika."

The party of scientists who have been investigating the Wyoming fossil beds are having remarkable success, and a large number of boxes containing fossil remains have been sent to the state university, and the work of restoration will soon be begun under the direction of Prof. Wilbur C. Knight.

Many cities in Europe are solving the problem of the destruction of iron gas and water pipes by electrolysis by substituting for them pipes made of glass. As glass is almost a perfect nonconductor of electricity, there is, of course, no electrolysis. Further advantages are the saving of electricity and the absence of danger of shock from wandering currents.

Superior Service to Pinehurst, N. C.

Commencing January 1st, 1900, Southern Railway will inaugurate through service to Pinehurst, N. C. The Colonial Express, leaving Boston at 9 A. M., connects at Washington with "Southwestern Vestibuled Limited," leaving New York at 4 25 P. M., arriving at Pinehurst at 11 o'clock the following morning. Dinner car service. For tickets, reservations and full information, apply at Boston office, 228 Washington street.

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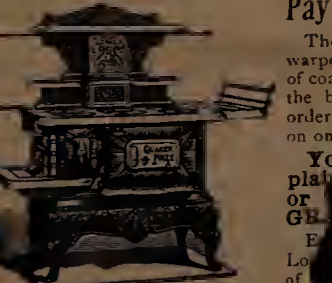

Pay $5 down and $1 per week

There's no economy in using an old warped range that burns out two hods of coal every day, when you can have the best o[illegible]arth for the trouble of orderin[illegible] your work on one [illegible]

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Ever hear about the retailer of ready-ma[illegible] tailor for his own clothes, instead of selectin[illegible]

Here's the point: Out of seven marri[illegible] warm their cozy kitchens with the Quaker [illegible] edge we use the make with most merit in it.

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Trusting.

Were it not for rest in darkness.
We should weary of the glare
Of the brilliant, burning sunshine,
Permeating everywhere
God, in mercy, sends the shadows,
In their turn to east and west,
With this promise to His children:
"They who trust in Me are blest."

"Light will always shine from darkness."
And the shadows flee away
But for night we might not trust Him—
Faith grows not in brightest day.
So, when all our joys seem fleeting,
May we learn at Jesus' feet
The dear lesson He would teach us:
Hope, to those who trust, is sweet.
—Katie Ives Hall, in N Y Observer

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[illegible]NWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
[illegible], SS.
PROBATE COURT.

[illegible]ons interested in the estate of Wins[illegible]k, late of Franklin, in said county, de[illegible]

[illegible] George W. Cook, the administrator [illegible]e of said deceased, has presented for [illegible]he first account of his administration [illegible]tate of said deceased.

[illegible] hereby cited to appear at a Probate [illegible] held at Dedham, in said county, on [illegible]teenth day of January, A. D. 1900, at [illegible]k in the forenoon, to show cause, if [illegible] have, why the same should not be [illegible]

[illegible]d administrator is ordered to serve [illegible]ion by delivering a copy thereof to all [illegible]terested in the estate fourteen days at [illegible]re said court, or by publishing the [illegible]e in each week, for three successive [illegible] the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper [illegible]d in Franklin, the last publication to be [illegible] at least before said court, and by mail[illegible]tpaid, a copy of this citation to all [illegible] persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this twentieth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of Nancy M Daniels, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, residence [illegible] deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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Jan 1, 1900.

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Pork Sausage	10c
Frankfurt Sausage	10c
Fresh Hams	10c
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The best 60c Tea, 50c.

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We carry the finest quality Butter cut from the tub, 1 lb. prints, 5 lb. boxes, 10, 20 and 50 lb. tubs, at the lowest prices, quality considered.

J. P. Squire's Pure Lard, 8c lb.

10 lb. pails Lard, full weight, 75c.

J. P. Squire's Pure Leaf Lard in 5 lb. pails, 50c.

Mixed Nuts. English Walnuts, Oranges and Lemons in stock at the lowest prices.

Come in and leave your order with us and get the best for the least money.

Gentlemanly Dealing and Prompt Delivery is Our Motto.

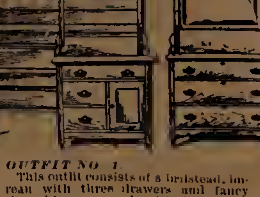
McKinnon's Grocery Store,

CENTRAL SQUARE.

H. E. RUGGLES, Assignee.

Chamber Outfits

Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted. Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.



OUTFIT NO. 1.
This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.
$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 2.
This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.
$33—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 3.
This outfit is made up with one of our most popular selling chamber suits, including the 2 chairs, rocker, table, mattress, woven wire spring bed and toilet set.
$35—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

The Weeks Furniture Co.,

48 NORTH MAIN ST.,
Near Opera House.
WOONSOCKET, R. I.

☞ Store open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

Franklin and Wrentham
STAGE LINE.

Leave Wrentham P.O. for Franklin at 8.15 a.m. 3.30 p. m. Leave Franklin depot for Wrentham at 9.30 a. m., 4.30 p. m.; connecting with trains for Boston and Providence via N. Y. & N. E. railroad; trains leaving Boston at 7.40, 8.30 a. m. and 3.30 p. m.; leaving Providence at 8.35 a.m.

☞ Orders may be left at Railroad Station.
N. B. WEBBER, Prop.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of John McGinnis, late of Norfolk, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administrat[illegible] estate of said deceased to Austin E. [illegible] Norfolk or to some other suitable per[illegible]

You are hereby cited to appear at [illegible] Court to be held at Dedham, in said co[illegible], Norfolk, on the seventeenth day of January, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this 20th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

de26,ja2,9 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.
PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of James Woodman, late of Medway, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Daniel S. Woodman, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the third day of January, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this thirteenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Collector's Notice

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate, situated in the town of Millis, in the county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified, according to the lists committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said Millis by the assessors of taxes of said Millis, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction at the town office, Millis, on

WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of JANUARY, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the payment of said taxes, with costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged,

The sums set against the descriptions of the several estates show the amounts due thereon respectively for the tax and assessments, for the nonpayment of which each of said estates is to be sold, not including costs and interest thereon and costs and charges incident to this sale.

The taxes were assessed to

Mrs. W. F. Collins—A lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on both sides of Orchard street, and bounded as follows: Northerly by mill pond and land of F. H. Williams, easterly by land of F. H. Williams, southerly by Boggastow brook and Orchard street and westerly by land of Israel F. Clifford; or however otherwise bounded and described.
Tax assessed for 1899 on this lot amounts to $126.33.

Also a lot of land known as Joe Brick pasture and bounded as follows: Northerly by land of Daniel Denneen and Henry Bullard, easterly by land of Daniel Denneen, southerly by mill pond, westerly by land of Daniel Denneen and John M. Crane; or however otherwise bounded and described.
Tax assessed for 1899 on this lot amounts to $5.80.

Steel Edge Plant, Salmon P. Hibbard, Trustee—A lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the northerly side of the tracks of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., and bounded as follows: Northerly and easterly by the land of the town of Millis, known as the Town Park; westerly by land of Mary B. Thorn, southerly by the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., containing about 9 acres, more or less, and known as the Steel Edge Plant.
Tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $829.50.

Also a lot of land, with the buildings thereon, containing about 1 1-2 acres, known as the Wooden Ware, situated on the southerly side of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., and bounded as follows: Southerly by Lavender street, westerly by land of Mary B. Thorn, northerly by the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. and easterly by the land of the Cliquot Club Bottling and Extract Company.
Tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $85.00.

Or however otherwise either of said parcels of land may be bounded or described.

J. CLARENCE THORNE,
Collector of Taxes for the Town of Millis.
January 2, 1900. ja2,9,16

Business Announcements in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL are invariably read.

Herman M Fisher 1 Jan00

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
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Providence	9.05 "
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West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
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MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

AN ADVERTISEMENT

Simply tells the public what you have got. If you never tell the people don't expect them to ask you. That's all there is to it.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Hoag's pond has been cleared for skating.

The cars on the electric road are now running on schedule time.

Mr. A. H. Morse will leave shortly for California to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McKenzie are spending a few days in Washington, D. C.

Rev. William Reardon, of Amesbury has been [illegible] St. Mary's rectory.

A large number of pupils began the winter term at Dean academy Wednesday.

The regular meeting of Division No. 8, A. O. H., will be held next Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Agnes Woolford was taken very ill last Saturday and is still confined to her bed.

John Murphy has left for Boston, where for the future he will make his home with a sister.

George H. Sullivan and family returned on Tuesday from a two weeks' visit at Sayre, N. Y.

Principal Daniels has secured a talented reader for an entertainment at the High school shortly.

The hand of fellowship will be given to new members at the Baptist church next Sunday forenoon.

Alex. Ewen, who has been visiting friends in town, has returned to his studies at Amherst college.

First Friday services were held at St. Mary's church today, masses being celebrated at 5 and 8 a. m.

Miss Nellie Razee is preparing for a masquerade in the Opera house on Thursday evening, Jan. 25.

Rev. Dr. Hodge received news this morning of the sudden death of his father at Adams Center, N. Y.

Mrs. Walter Crowninshield and son, Carl, are visiting her brother, R. A. Rounds, in Germantown, Pa.

An iron smokestack has been put up on the new foundry building of the Clark Machine and Foundry company.

It is rumored that the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad will not operate the Milford branch for passenger service after April 1.

Of course we are never satisfied. The recent cold weather dispels the fear of an ice famine, but uses up in coal what we shall save on ice.

St. Mary's school reopened Wednesday with a full attendance of pupils. The lower grades of the public schools will be reopened next Monday.

Mrs. Mary F. Fisher, widow of Minot Fisher, who formerly lived in Norfolk, died at Wrentham on Monday, aged 71 years, 6 months and 8 days.

Rev. John J. O'Donnell, curate of St. Bridget's church, Abington, has been a visitor at the home of his sister, Mrs. Uriah McWilliams, McCarthy street.

Thomas Kingsley has given up his position as brakeman on the Franklin and Boston freight and entered the employ of the Franklin Knitting company.

The Dean basketball team will open the season at the gymnasium on Saturday evening with players composed of the alumni. The game will commence at 8 o'clock.

There was presented to Alicte McDougall Meredith, from the sewers of Singleton's worsted mill, a gold ring set with two turquoise and one pearl, as a holiday gift.

The week of prayer will be observed at the Congregational church next week by services each evening at 7.30 o'clock. Afternoon services on Tuesday and Thursday at 2.30 p. m.

The Pawtucket Gazette says, "Will some subscribers please be so kind as to hand us certain sums of money that belong to us?" We ask the same question and will you reply at once.

Mrs. Mabel Loomis Todd, wife of Prof. David Todd of Amherst college, will lecture before the Alden club next Monday evening on "Ainue Land." The meeting will be open to the public.

The many friends of Hon. Clarke P. Harding will be pleased to know that he will probably be appointed postmaster of Medway. He will make a capable, obliging and acceptable official.

Prof. and Mrs. L. L. Burrington will be pleasantly quartered at the Hotel Bellevue in Boston for the next two months, his legislative and other duties requiring his presence in the city.

Two cases of scarlet fever are reported in town, Floyd Hosie, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hosie of Dean avenue, and Sadie Hart, the six year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hart of East street, being the victims.

The excellent music rendered at the Christmas concert in the Congregational church by the chorus choir will be repeated on Sunday evening, and the pastor will preach upon the subject, "Some Lessons from the Life of Mr. Moody."

A friend who is greatly interested in the welfare of the Congregational church has presented a handsome announcement board. It is a genuine work of art. The name of the donor is withheld at his request. The gift is highly appreciated.

William Keefe, an aged and respected citizen, passed away at his late home on Cottage street at 5 o'clock this morning. He was 81 years of age and has been in feeble health for some time past. He leaves a widow and family of grown children.

Dr. J. C. Gallison is attempting to get a complete file of the annual town reports for binding and has accomplished the task except for two or three years. Perhaps some of the citizens can supply the doctor's need and make him a friend forever after.

The revival meetings at the Methodist will be continued this week and all of next. The interest is steadily increasing, the attendance gratifying and the outlook is decidedly encouraging to the pastor, Rev. Mr. Cook, who is holding the meetings.

Mrs. Augusta A. Wales of Dorchester, past department president, W. R. C., will install the officers-elect of Franklin Relief corps, No. 89, next Monday evening. Supper will be served at 6 30 sharp. Ladies will please bring refreshments All members are requested to be present.

Capt. Pendleton has been notified that the depot privilege has been leased to Liveryman Leonard to commence Feb. 1. The captain is circulating a petition asking that the lease be not transferred, as it is understood that a twenty five cent rate will be charged by the new incumbent.

The 6 o'clock meeting Sunday evening under the charge of the Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church will be a praise service, and it is hoped all members will be there and bring some one with them. "New Year's Resolves" will be the topic. Come and help this to be one of the best meetings of the year.

On Jan. 1, at 2 p.m., by the Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, at the home of the bride's parents, Arthur O. Miller and Miss Flossie May Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Johnson, were united in marriage. After a wedding dinner the couple went to their newly furnished home, No. 8 Dean avenue.

The King's Daughters will meet with Miss Amy Briggs on Tuesday evening at 7.30. It may not be generally known that there is also a Double Ten Circle of King's Sons, who have organized to assist the Daughters in their charitable work, and they are expected to be present. Both organizations deserve the aid of all our charitably inclined people.

People are paying higher prices now than for years in almost all kinds of food and fuel. The price of everything seems to tend upward, and, following the usual course, the advance in wages comes also, and has already reached certain lines. The western farmer is in high clover, and general conditions at the opening of the year 1900 are most favorable for a year of prosperity along all lines.

The sentiment expressed by Rev. Dr. Sneath at the temperance meeting at the Methodist church last Sunday evening will find a ready response in the hearts of all friends of temperance in town. He prayed that the Lord would open the eyes of certain transgressors who were defying the better sentiment of the community to the enormity of their offence against decency, and if no other way was possible that the hand of the law might rest upon them until their works were mete for repentance.

There's an old saying current among the farmers that Christmas day and the eleven succeeding days indicate the weather for the coming twelve months. According to the proverb, then, January is to be on the whole balmy and mild, February clear and cool, March clear and cooler. The goose bone prophecy has predicted the coldest weather of the season for March.

Everyone in town is interested in the published fact of Gen. Draper's candidacy for the vice presidency, and it is not denied that if New England will pull together he can be assured of the nomination, and, of course, this year, the election. The only possible objection to giving the office to a New England man is that the politicians will say that New England is "solid" for the party anyway. However, Gen. Draper would be an ideal candidate.

In St. Mary's parish at midnight Sunday night a high mass was celebrated, a large congregation assisting at the services. Rev. Father Lee was celebrant, and the full choir, under the direction of Miss Griffin, rendered Mozart's twelfth mass. After mass there was benediction of the blessed sacrament Every seat in the church was occupied and many had to stand during the services. Monday being the feast of the circumcision, a second mass was celebrated at 8 a. m.

Representative William J. Bullock of New Bedford, son of H. M. Bullock of this place, was quite a factor in the recent speakership contest, he being the one who practically induced Aspirant Reed to withdraw. Mr. Bullock is well remembered here. He has served two years as Republican representative from New Bedford, and at the last election was induced to run as an independent candidate and was elected. He is one of the leading druggists of that city and quite a power in politics.

The following are the newly elected officers of the Dean Co operative bank, elected on Tuesday: President, Joseph G. Ray; vice pres., James W. Deemond; sec. and treas., Orestes T. Doe; directors for three years, Lester L. Burrington, Albert C. Mason, Elisha P. Chapman, Joseph T. Hutchinson; director for one year, Nathan C. Nye; director for two years, Austin B. Chilson; auditors, Bradley M. Rockwood, William A. Wyckoff, George R. Winsor. A 5 per cent. dividend was declared, and the affairs are in a very prosperous condition.

For the year ending Dec. 31, 1899, the town clerk has recorded 43 intentions of marriage, nearly double the number recorded in 1898. The oldest groom acknowledged 80 years on the earth and the oldest bride was recorded as 69. The youngest bride was 16 years of age, taking for a husband a man a few years more than double that age. All of the 86 contracting parties, with the exception of about 15, are native born, the exceptions being from Nova Scotia, Ireland, England and Canada. October, November and December lead in the number of licenses, each having six.

There will be very interesting revival services next week, the Week of Prayer at the Baptist church, every evening except Saturday. Fine solos or duets will be sung at each service and short evangelistic sermons will be given. The following preachers will be present and speak: Monday evening, Rev. A. H. Davis of Woonsocket; Tuesday, Rev. G. H. Horton of Blackstone; Wednesday, Rev. E. C. Ramette of Woonsocket; Thursday, Rev. A. B. Lorimer, pastor of the First Baptist church, Woonsocket; Friday, Rev. B. M. Briggs. Each service will begin at 7 30 with a service of song and will not be long or tedious. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Fern chapter, Eastern Star, installed its officers Wednesday evening, Mrs. E. J S. Chapman, past matron, being the installing officer. They were as follows: W. M., Mrs. Mabel M. Mason; W. P. D., Solon Abbott; Asso. M., Mrs. Nellie C. Batchelor; secretary, Elisha P. Chapman; treasurer, Mrs. Sarah F. Talbot; con., Mrs. Clara M. Chapman; asso. con., Miss Carrie C. Mason; chaplain, Mrs. Harriet E. Turner; marshal, Mrs. Rachel A. Martin; Adah, Mrs. Lulu M. Schuster; Ruth, Mrs. Addie S. Johnson; Esther, Miss Bertha A. Hood; Martha, Miss A. D. Britton; elector, Mrs. Nellie C. P. Sanborn; warden, Mrs. Elizabeth J. S. Chapman; sentinel, Thomas Spence; organist, Mrs. Mabel Tracy.

The annual installation of Griffin court's new officers occurred last evening in their hall in Opera house block. Deputy High Chief Ranger Patrick F. Grady of North Attleboro was the installing officer, assisted by George Smith, marshal, and P. Ryan and Thomas McGeough, conductors. A large number of members and invited guests witnessed the ceremonies and thoroughly enjoyed the entertainment, collation and dancing which followed. After the installation Deputy Grady delivered a brief address, after which Misses Agnes Sullivan and Elizabeth Pendergast entertained the guests with vocal and instrumental solos. A collation was then followed by dancing, which was continued until 2 o'clock this morning.

continued case of the commonwealth against James McParland and E. Knowlton, charged with the of a horse and buggy at Medway three weeks ago, came up before Doe in the district court yesterday resulted in the conviction of both ants, who were fined $25 each. ton paid the fine and McParland ed. Attorney Thomas Grover of represented the defendants. The and buggy in question was the ty of a Mr. Thomas of Milford, is in charge of his son, who with panion drove to Medway on the night it is alleged the team was taken. Evidence showed that both defendants were under the influence of liquor and had a team of their own stabled in Medway at the time. The horse and buggy were later returned to the owner, and the accused claimed that the taking of the team was a mistake made possible by their condition.

Of Practical Worth.

The annual meeting of the Farmers' club was held with L. W. Daniels on Monday evening, the treasurer's report showing a balance of $70. The new officers are: Munroe Morse, president; Charles Badger, C. M. Allen, John L. Fisher, H. H. Gates, Irving Trentham, vice presidents; L. W. Daniels, secretary; N. E. Newell, treasurer and librarian.

Mr. Daniels said in part: The best corn crop I ever grew was in 1875. I had a little over 1,000 bushel baskets of ears as my crop from six and one half acres of land. Corn needs good strong, warm land and a plenty of feed. I would put on, between December and March, from twenty to twenty-five two horse loads per acre of the best manure, spreading it direct from the cart onto the grass land, and let it lay until about the first of May. Anywhere from the first of May until the tenth plough the land five or six inches deep and immediately after plowing put on the wheel harrow and keep it going until you have a good, fine seed bed. Then I would either bush or roll the land and make it as level as possible. Then take your horse planter and put in your corn, planting it about twenty-two or twenty four inches apart in the drills, the rows three feet apart. When the corn is just breaking through the ground go over the piece with a weeder or smoothing harrow, going lengthways of the corn, or the same way that you run the planter. When the corn is two inches high I would then sow in the drill about 600 pounds of some good standard fertilizer, and then go over the piece again with the weeder or harrow, and I would go over three or four times until the corn was big enough to cultivate and hoe. One good hoeing will do if you keep the cultivator at work as it should be, but two will not hurt the corn.

A silo is the most profitable way to use the corn crop, where you can cut in all the ears with the stalks. I think the corn crop has the most money value of any. There are twenty different uses to be made of corn.

N. B. Stone said he would use the sulky plow and put the manure on top of the ground after it was ploughed. Would put corn in the silo and feed it to the cows all together. Various gentlemen said that the silo was the best way to preserve corn and fodder. C. M. Allen gave his cost of growing corn in Franklin at twenty eight cents per bushel. He gave a history of corn from Central America to Europe. He plants sweet corn, cuts stalks with ears on in the fall, leaves in the field and takes to the barn as wanted to feed the cattle. Corn should be grown thick and it does not pay to hoe it. Mr. Campbell tried raising corn one season and he found it expensive. The next meeting will be at T. L. Martin's.

You must have heard of the famous remedy for colds, "Hyomei," an inhaler. Quiets a cough at once, and cures your cold like magic. Free samples are given away this week at Mason's drug store. Wonderful for children who have colds or cough, pleasant to inhale and nothing to disturb the stomach.

Richardson's Market.

This week we have some fine poultry. Turkeys and chickens from 15 to 18 cents, fowls from 12 1-2 to 15, home made pork and sausage 12 cents. Budlong's famous pickles, horse radish for 10 to 15 cents, sweet pickles 20, mixed and plain pickles 10. We have something never before handled here, the famous Franco-American canned soups, all kinds; you have seen them advertised, but never tried them. They have no equal, just the thing when you have guests. All the vegetables and choice cuts of meats.

There has been a large demand for "Hyomei" for colds, which is being given away at Mason's drug store this week.

A Strong Presentation.

The monthly union temperance meeting was held at the Methodist church on Sunday evening, all of the pastors participating. The vestry was used owing to the repairs in the church, and this was filled to overflowing, over 200 being present. The music was furnished by Mrs C. L. Stewart, the choir and the congregation.

The address of the evening was by the pastor of the church, Rev. S. A. Cook, and he presented a number of new points in a telling manner. He said in part:

My text is "Thy will be done in earth as it is in heaven." The Christian beholds the perfection of all things in the exercise of the Father's will. This petition from our Lord's prayer is, first of all, personal and requires that we individually assume the position of loving, perfect obedience to God. But man's life is also social; as such it bears upon the church, the state, the community, in fact, upon all organized and unorganized good and evil. As Christians we pray that God's will may be done by us in these varied relations. Thus, as lovers of truth and as Christians, interested in the bringing in of the kingdom of righteousness, we are brought face to face with the great liquor problem, and our consequent relations and responsibilities. The nation's great evil is the licensed saloon. The drink habit is the great enemy of labor and has still more disastrous results upon the moral and spiritual life. Thousands of drunkards are asking the question "Cannot something be done?" Anxious mothers and waiting wives repeat the question "Cannot something be done?"

The latent strength of the church has never yet been marshaled in this direction. The work of agitation is a great and necessary one, and was recently illustrated in the Roberts case. That to which we silently give consent marks our moral plane and level. Education in temperance hygiene is a means for helping to bring in the better day. We should not stop short of the practical duty which meets us at the polls. The best way to secure better laws is to use the laws we have. The closing exhortation urged to look well after certain things known to be going on in Franklin.

A Free Ride to Woonsocket.

Take the electrics to Woonsocket, visit the big Longley clothing house, purchase your clothing, hats, caps, gents' furnishings, etc., and save enough money to pay for your ride, your dinner, and get the best values you ever purchased. Read:

Owing to the recent death of C. E. Longley every dollar's worth of goods will be positively closed out at some price to settle the estate. As we have only six weeks given us in which to sell this stock you will readily understand our necessity for cutting the prices far deeper than prices were ever cut before. It is not a question of making money now. We must sell these goods, and no sacrifice is great enough to stand in our way. The stock is all new and in first-class condition, and is worth at wholesale today nearly a third more than the prices named at this sale. Whatever you want from this great stock you can get it now at the lowest prices ever named in America. Here are some prices that will close these goods out in the few weeks at our disposal. The sale started this Friday morning.

Men's Suits Marked Down—Men's Suits in fine black worsteds, fancy cheviots, grey mixtures, fancy tweeds, fine cassimeres, etc., former prices ranging from $5 to $20, now sold at about one-half the old figures.

Men's Overcoats Marked Down—Black and dark mixed overcoats, black kerseys, fancy coverts, fancy lined brown and blue kerseys, light and dark mixed freizes, high grade kerseys, cheviots, etc. Former prices were from $5 to $20. These prices now almost cut in two.

Men's Trousers Marked Down—The lowest price now 68c and the highest only $3 45.

Boys' Clothing Marked Down—Boys' middy suits, boys' two-piece suits, boys' reefers, boys' long pants suits, boys' overcoats, boys' knee pants, all to be sold at a big reduction from former prices.

Furnishing Goods Marked Down—Too many lines and kinds to describe, but all former prices will be cut about half.

Men's Hats and Caps Marked Down—All at big reductions.

Great bargains in sheepskin coats, beach jackets and canvas coats.

Smoking jackets at about half price.

Come at once, as goods will sell fast.

C. E. LONGLEY & CO.,
Depot square, Woonsocket.

Dr. J. C. Gallison, to complete his file of [illegible] from 1859, desires to obtain [illegible] good [illegible] them [illegible]

Look out for a cold this warm, damp spell. "Hyomei" will cure you. Samples given away at Mason's drug store this week only.

After Christmas

A lull, but a fine opportunity to sit for the photo's needed to return for those received as Christmas gifts. A special trade on large photos for a few weeks, at CALKIN'S STUDIO, Depot St.

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

Mrs. Charles Rand will shortly canvass for a life of Moody.

Go to Ochee's barber shop and get a "winter" hair cut.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

NANTUCKET AND BENJ. FRANKLIN.

By M. FOLGER COLEMAN.

(Continued from last Tuesday.)

Of this marriage was born in 1706 Benj. Franklin, one of our nation's chief architects, and a man of science recognized the world over. Benjamin Franklin's character indicated unmistakably his Nantucket origin. It is quite possible that his father's character was similar in many respects to his mother's. Otherwise he took largely, as sons often do, from the mother. Although he would scarcely be classed as a Friend, there was that in his habit of mind which demonstrated clearly that he was born of a mother reared in the atmosphere of quiet self-respect and intellectual strength, which were distinctive features of early Nantucket. Even his humorous qualities were characteristic of Nantucket, although the latter was governed by the Quaker simplicity.

Abiah Folger was a distinct child of early Nantucket. The minds of children are often moulded by their environment, and when the inborn qualities agree substantially with the environment as in her case, the development is most harmonious and mentally strong. Much as is said of Benj. Franklin's humble birth, his inheritance of true superiority was royal. His active inquiring mind, while being open to knowledge and scientific observation, also rendered him in his younger years, passed as they were away from the sustaining and developing influence of the feminine or mother mind, more easily susceptible to the temptations and promptings of physical growth, and the unfolding of the latent powers of nature.

But his wonderfully versatile intellect, causing him to feel a deep interest in a variety of subjects, had no effect weakening to his proficiency. Rather, each subject being thoroughly sifted and worked at gave strength and clearness to all the others. The differing traits of his many-sided character were pitted against each other in a most astonishing manner, now blending harmoniously, again challenging each other to their best expression and advancement. And, although sometimes overcome by the many and subtle material influences of this earth life, his better and stronger nature always remonstrated with a persistence which caused even those errors and hindrances to be finally brought into subjection and used to strengthen the higher influences.

That he after earning success in one study or calling dropped it for something else was not, as sometimes appears, that he lacked industry and perseverence. His mind was a living and progressive one, which kept at work upon one thing fully as long as there was progress in doing so. But never, after success in any particular pursuit, did he relax his effort and live upon his reputation. Having the relentless Nantucket energy, he must start something else and work that all out. And his clear and comprehensive insight caused all these ventures to be worked to the end and, at the same time to bring out the latent possibilities of his remarkable mind. So on and on, until his scientific proclivities were thoroughly aroused, and he astonished the world. Then, strong as his desire and inclination were to pursue these intensely interesting scientific experiments, he calmly dropped them when needed by his suffering and struggling country. If he had lived another eighty years the world would probably be possessed of much knowledge which no one but himself could fathom and bring to the surface.

Again was his Nantucket origin shown in the desire to help strengthen the lives of people and the nation, regardless of any lasting fame to himself. Many and

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FRIDAY, JAN. 5, 1900.

As a general proposition it is distinctly untrue that a married couple can live on less, or on the same amount, or or nearly the same as the young man alone, very truly observes a writer in the Chicago Tribune. There is a large personal element in the problem, and it is true that many young men with good salaries never save a dollar until after they marry, but that is neither a proof of their wisdom nor a confirmation of the fallacious aphorism above quoted. It is true that if the young wife is a skillful housekeeper she can make the daily expenses for food and lodging somewhat less than they would be at a boarding-house of the same grade. But in order to do this she must have furniture, utensils, and all the paraphernalia of a housekeeping plant. This requires capital, and if the parlor and kitchen furniture is bought on the installment plan the happy couple are likely to find themselves minus those articles some chilly morning. As for rent, a married couple almost always starts out with more than double the amount of room required for a single man, so that the rent is more than doubled. If both man and the woman are earning salaries or doing a full share of the joint labor at the outset, it must not be forgotten that this state of affairs may not continue indefinitely. If the family of two becomes one of three, the fallacy of marrying on a salary sufficient only for one will be still more painfully apparent. The test of whether a man can marry on a certain salary or not is this: Can he save money on it? If he cannot save a few hundred dollars before marrying he had better remain single. If his salary is large enough to keep a family on, but still he cannot save, then his wife may help him get a bank account, but the chances are that she will simply be a wretched drudge. Many men learn to cut off their wasteful habits after marriage, and this is the basis of the popular sophism about two living on less than one, but the fallacy remains a fallacy nevertheless. Many men find it impossible to live as economically after marriage as before, and for these the cost of living is more than doubled. It all depends upon the man and woman, but it is always safe to say that a salary too small to save the cost of a household outfit upon is too small to marry upon.

Uncle Fabian, an old gentleman of color who daily visits South Water street, Chicago, says the judging of a watermelon without use of the "plugging" process is an art practically unknown north of Mason and Dixon's line. The use of the knife in ascertaining the quality of a melon, he declares, is regarded in Georgia almost as a crime. "Ah believe dat in a gen'ral way," said the old colored man as quoted by the Record, "de no'th'n folks ah fu'theh advanced 'n' de south'nehs, but Ah don' hesitate a secon' in saying dat dey don' know it all. Dey plug a watermelon an' rob it of mo' 'n' half its flavoh. De strictly propah way to tell whetheh o' not a millon is good is to thump it on de end. If it sounds laik it was full of cotton o' excelsior—kaind o' hollow-laik—why, it wants to be given de graud go-by; but if it is solid an' don't have no ring, den it is wuth yo' money. Pluggin' spiles a millon t'll it ain't wuth shucks."

Queer matrimonial records have been discovered in Indiana. One of the most remarkable of these is the fourteenth marriage of Aunt Polly Owens, of White river township, Hamilton county. She probably holds the Mississippi valley multi-marriage belt. She is only 60 years of age and looks as though she might outlive a dozen more husbands. Aunt Polly was married the first time when she was 15 years old, and was left a widow two years later. Since then she has averaged a new husband every two years. She has procured eight or nine divorces. The rest of her husbands have died. She has only six children as the result of her multi-marriage career, but those six have as many different names.

Nantucket and Benj. Franklin.

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many of his political essays were written for this purpose and easily fulfilled it, although useless and forgotten in this age of the world. And back of much of his witty nonsense is the purest unselfishness and thought for the general good. In that way only could some be reached, and either disposed of as incorrigible hindrances or aroused to better and helpful thoughts and convictions. His comprehension of the most diverse and opposite characters, and how best to plead with each and bring all together in comparative harmony, was unexcelled in his day or ours.

So it was that his underlying conscientiousness is seen in everything he undertook, and his sincere, even dignified, regret over what he called the "errata" of his life give evidence of intrinsic strength and purity of thought. And this priceless inheritance, not the least of which was the strong common sense and philosophical endurance engendered by the pioneer life of both parents became, in our country's great need, a bulwark which no power could shatter, and a steady guide and support which never failed.

And just here let us fully realize that he really disliked undue adulation, such as he felt obliged to endure from some during his sojourn in France. The sincere respect and affection of the French people he appreciated and enjoyed, but everything beyond that was thoroughly distasteful to him. He was old and infirm in health and would rather have remained in his own home. But, as usual, he was ready to help his young nation by representing it in Paris, because no one else could so easily preserve the kind feeling between the two countries.

There is much said, and it is needed, about children having a right to be well born. This right was not denied to Benj. Franklin in any degree. And his appreciation of this is seen in his lasting respect and affection for his parents. As he says on the stone which he placed over their graves: "He was a pious and prudent man, she a discreet and virtuous woman." The whole inscription, which is the expression of his matured and chastened mind, gives unmistakable evidence of his thorough realization of that foundation upon which alone can be enduringly built true mental power, the pure germ from which alone can be developed a clear and spiritual perception of universal truth.

True scientific investigation must lead up to the spiritual. The one indubitable fact is life. And matter is not life, but only animated with that life principle which pervades the universe, and exists in far greater perfection after leaving the body and its limitations.

VACATION EXPERIENCES.

If a man tries mountain climbing he is apt to break his neck over a precipice. If he stays in the valley there may be a landslide. If he travels there are uncomfortable hotels where he pays three times the price of all things and then is in luck if he gets them.

A sea trip is considered the grandest pick-me-up invented. Yet the space for one's daily promenades is limited, one's dearest enemy may be on board and not to be avoided or seasickness may step in and prevent life being a grand sweet song. No man likes to come home from a trip looking like a lemon or as though he had been through the jaundice.

Some people find their ideal of a holiday in a farmhouse or cottage by the sea. There the lover of nature is in his glory. It is heaven on earth to think about, but in reality it may rain all the time and the cottage contain nothing more interesting than a case of mineral specimens or butterflies for amusement.

Another way of tiring oneself thoroughly is to go on a bicycle trip across country. One can scorch along hot and dusty roads, push his wheel up hills till his face looks like the kitchen fire on an ironing day. Stop one night at a hotel and then push on to the next place marked on the map. People say they enjoy this sort of thing, but one has the lurking fear they are pretending. Imagine the discomfort and then be happy that home is near.

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Too Powerful.

Jagway—It's awfully tiresome climbing these stairs. Hold on a minute. Let me catch my breath.

Highburst—What's the use? You couldn't hold it.—Chicago Tribune.

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Mastered that science and started geography,
All in the course of a year.
She presently took up a course of theology,
Followed that up with a touch of mythology,
Got a degree in the line of zoology,
(Still her great mind remained clear),
So she took in a course on the theory of writing,
Some lessons and points on the subject of fighting,
A long course of house-building, heating and lighting,
Far over her classmates she'd soar.
So she entered the subject of steam navigation,
Took also instruction in church education,
And mastered the study of impersonation,
And still she was longing for more.
Next she tackled the latest great fad—electricity,
"Dress reform" institutes taught her simplicity,
Sought the best way to encourage felicity,
Oh, she's as smart as a book!
She at last ended up with a course of phonetics,
Gave a little attention and time to athletics,
The rest of her time she gave to magnetics,
And now she is learning to cook!
—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

The Donkey and the Thoroughbred.

A blooded steed that cropped the grass
Once saw a laden donkey pass.

The thoroughbred was of famous stock,
But he limped with a badly damaged hock

His hoofs were split and his knees were sprung,
And it was long since he'd been young.

He couldn't work, and he couldn't race,
He was of no use around the place.

But he stopped the donkey in the road
And pitied him for his heavy load.

And he boasted of his pedigree
And put on airs for the ass to see.

"I sigh for you," said the blooded steed,
"From my heart of hearts I do indeed!"

"I work all day," the donkey said,
"And I know I'm not a thoroughbred;

"My beauty is not a thing to praise,
And I've known few joys in my busy days;

"But better a donkey that toils away
Than a thoroughbred that has had his day!"
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald

Preferred the Jail.

Magistrate—Your wife is on the way to bail you out.

Prisoner (imploringly)—F'r heaven's sake, judge, send me to jail!—Tit-Bits.

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Chaplain R. E. Steele, of the Hartford is organizing a Young Men's Christian association on board that vessel.

There are 50 sects of Buddhism in Japan alone which differ widely both in theological doctrines and in ethics.

D. H. Baldwin, the piano manufacturer of Cincinnati who recently died, bequeathed $450,000, to be equally divided between the home and foreign boards of the Presbyterian church.

The pope has donated 20,000 francs to the fund for establishing Roman Catholic schools in the Sudan. It is stated that the pope is hopeful that the Sudan under British rule will prove a fruitful missionary field.

An order of the "Sisterhood of the Perpetual Adoration" is to be established in this country. Mrs. Thomas F. Ryan, of New York, has purchased a site in Washington and will build and endow the convent. The sisters who will form the nucleus of the order in this country will come from Brussels.

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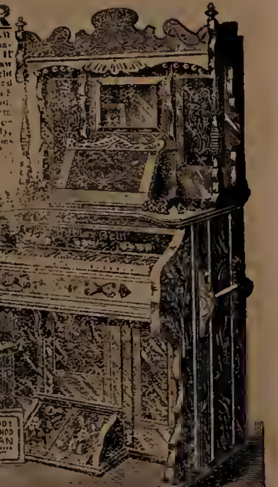

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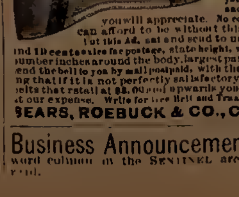

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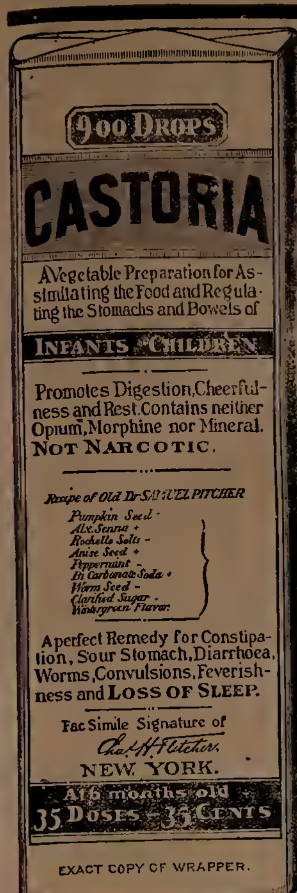

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"DAD'S" HOME COMING

EVERY volunteer regiment when ordered to return to its native state, there to be mustered out of the volunteer service feels that when it reaches home it must make the best appearance possible so as to show the friends who will be congregated to welcome it back to its native town that it is a regiment of soldiers. To start with the colonel calls a meeting of the officers and impresses them with the importance of making a good appearance. Who ever saw a colonel, and especially a volunteer colonel, who was not proud of his command and all breaches of discipline, all faults of whatever kind would be forgiven if only his men would make one last effort to produce a good effect when they reached home by making a good appearance on the street.

[illegible] that has been favored [illegible] unty has made a street pa[illegible] [illegible] hen it returned home, and it is dur[illegible] [illegible] feature of the regiment's existence [illegible] nent is expected [illegible] greater than this [illegible] istory. That was the inspection by government officers which was to determine whether or not the regiment was to be [illegible] foreign soil to engage in battle. Then no efforts were ever spared to make everything of the best. And it can be said to the glory of the volunteer soldier that many [illegible] regiments that did not secure the opportunity of displaying their valor on the battle line passed an inspection that was worthy of the best of old campaigners. So true was this that the government officers found it hard to select the best, and many that remained at home were pronounced the equals of those that went.

When the Seventh Illinois volunteer infantry were ordered to return to Chicago, there to be mustered out of the government service, it passed through the same experience that every other volunteer regiment has before or since. The colonel made the customary speech to his officers and they in turn lectured their men on the necessity of making the best possible appearance. But one battalion of that regiment secured an extra speech on this all-important subject.

Maj. Lawrence M. Ennis, commanding a battalion of this regiment, is a lawyer by profession, when he is not soldiering, and, like all lawyers, likes to make a speech when he has an audience, and such an opportunity as this was not to be lost. He had his battalion formed in close order and then proceeded to give the men his ideas of a proper return home, and what their deportment should be on the occasion of the inevitable street parade.

"Officers and men of my battalion," he began, "we have served the government that called for us faithfully for six months. We have not been so fortunate as some of our comrades, in that we were not allowed to show the valor of our command on the field of battle; but we have proved ourselves soldiers and have elicited words of praise from our superiors. Now we are to return home to be mustered out. We are to go back to Chicago to wives, mothers and sweethearts, to our various places of business. We will receive the same glorious reception that our comrades from every city in the land are receiving as they return home; but this reception must not cause us to forget that we are soldiers. We must show to our friends at home that we have not spent six months in the service of the government without learning how to be soldiers.

"There is not a man among you who has more friends in Chicago than I have; there is not one of you who will be called to more than I will from friends along the line of march in our home city. There will be a wife and babies standing on the street to wave to me, to call to me, to seek for at least one glance. There will be the same for many of you; but it is the soldier's duty to keep his eyes to the front. Under no consideration must you 'rubber.' I only ask this, that you follow the example of your major. If your major 'rubbers' you may 'rubber,' but I want every eye straight to the front while mine is there. We owe this much to our regiment. There will be many days to follow the hours of that street parade in which to look at wife and babies."

The battalion was dismissed; the men boarded the waiting trains and the trip to Chicago was made. At the depot a happy, howling crowd of friends and fellow townsmen were met, but the men were soldiers; they had not forgotten the colonel's orders or the major's speech, and every man stood at attention, with a glance of recognition for none but their officers.

Then the march through the streets began, and everywhere were encountered the same hilarious crowds of people eager to welcome the returning soldier, but in the last battalion at least not an eye was turned to the right or left; every man looked straight at the back of his major's neck, and all went well until Fifth avenue was reached. The major heard only the steady tramp, tramp, tramp, of his men behind him when his eye was attracted by a woman far ahead of him waving a handkerchief in one hand while in the other arm she held a mite of a baby, and as she waved her handkershief she called loudly: :

"Daddy! Oh, Daddy!"

And then she saw "Daddy." He was in the front rank of the first company of the major's battalion, and her joy knew no bounds.

"Daddy, Daddy, Daddy," she cried, as he came nearer.

"Oh, Daddy, won't you look?" But "Daddy" wouldn't.

"Daddy, Daddy, won't you look? Won't you look at Momsey and the baby, the pretty little baby what you never saw?"

But while a tear stole down the rugged cheeks of the big, broad-shouldered "Daddy" he looked only at the back of the major's neck. But of the major. That cry for "Daddy" had gone clear to his soldier's heart. As he expressed it, "it was enough to tear the rails from the street car tracks," and something must be done for that mother.

As his leading company reached the spot opposite which the mother was standing he turned quickly in his saddle and commanded:

"Halt! Rest!" And the other two battalions marched on. But in one bound "Daddy" had reached the sidewalk and had Momsey and the baby in his big strong arms. Quick as a flash he had bestowed half a dozen kisses on the expectant lips of Momsey and the baby and was back in place in ranks.

"Forward, double time, march," cried the major, and his battalion made rapid strides to catch the two battalions of the regiment ahead of him.

"None had seen 'Daddy's' heinous breach of discipline," explained the major. "The eyes of his comrades, his company officers and my own were so full of sympathetic tears that it was impossible to see, and the incident was never reported."

But again what of the major. The colonel learned of his halting his battalion without orders, and a reprimand was the result But the major made no defense. He felt that he needed none.

WRIGHT A. PATTERSON

Chili is to have a floating exposition.

German newspapers praise the American consular service.

Sugar is so heavily taxed in Italy that its price is 12 cents a pound.

Russian explorers are at work in all of the lesser known parts of Siberia.

A boat 2,000 years old has been discovered in excavating near Brussels.

Men employed on municipal works in Dublin are to be paid four dollars a week.

In Scotland there are 46 parishes without paupers, poor rates or public houses.

In British East Africa free labor is almost unknown. Most of the work is done by slaves.

Starving peasants in Russia have been driven to eating the straw thatches of their huts.

About 70 per cent. of the world's production of coal tar colors is manufactured in Germany.

While European Russia is suffering from famine, the crops in Siberia have been unusually good.

Samoa has a beautiful Amazon in the person of a native girl, named Tulla, who is conspicuous in every revolution.

At Balta, Shetland isles, a baby has just been born, the first event of the kind to occur there for at least 200 years.

It is said that the study of German is increasing in France, while the study of English is on the decline. In the Ecole des Sciences Politiques, in Paris where diplomats are trained, many more study German than English.

RELIGIOUS MATTERS

THE BEAUTY OF THE LORD.

Go, study Nature's picture book,
In flowery field and mossy nook,
And find the wealth of beauty's dower
Is of the Lord in grass and flower.

Go, watch the waters brightly gleam
In meadow brook or mountain stream:
The watery sheen in beauty shown
Has source beneath the Great White
Throne.

Go, search the dome of heaven's height,
Where beauty's dress is tinted light:
Both clouds and stars with one accord
Proclaim their beauty of the Lord.

Go, stand afar on holy ground
Where righteousness and truth are found
Let beauty fill thy soul with awe,
His beauty who gave Sinai's law.

Or, rather, sit at His dear feet
Whose love and mercy justice meet;
Thine eyes shall see all beauty then
As Son of God and King of men
—Rev. W. J. Gray, in Chicago Advance.

THE FRIENDSHIP OF NATURE.

God's World Out of Doors Is Responsive—Teaches Strength and Cheer and Patience.

The friendship of nature is a phrase whose meaning can only be determined in the case of any individual by his capacity for making friends. God's world out of doors is responsive. It renders gift for gift and thought for thought. Yet it is never obtrusive. As with the dearest inner circle of loving and understanding friends one may dispense with words and share the quiet of a happy hour, so in the mood of silence as in the joy of active thought the sky broods over us, the trees give us their motion and their shade, the sea lifts and retreats upon the sands or leaps to meet the prow of our on-moving boat. If we have hearts to feel the joy of a companionship that never flatters and never denies its ministry we shall be lovers of nature and admitted to be sharers of her life.

In this responsive power nature comes closer to us than most of our human friends. We must allow for the play of our dearest companion's mood whatever our own may be, for his right of self-expression, for his need of sympathy which costs us some forgetting of our own first impulse. Though we meet upon equal terms, there is this necessary element of self-suppression in the relation which, indeed, contributes to its joy but makes it something different from communion with nature, which makes no such demands. She will go with us on our chosen path of feeling, making our joy more joyful, our grief more real, but gradually winning to purity the thought that was confused and purging the sorrow of all morbid elements. As the stream cleanses itself in flowing, the thought in its companionship with the pure life of nature grows more innocent and clear.

Her friendship, therefore, is a thing apart. A great, calm spirit breathes in her familiar scenes. It is not hurried, as men hurry. It is not caught by the eddying flattery or doubt of the moment, but its life flows on with clear prevision of the stream's purpose and the stream's final goal. Her gray skies are as healing as her blue if we will only wait with her. She seems to echo our own mood, while in reality she repays our confidence by helping us to wise and clear decisions. For the headstrong and the hasty her voice of counsel and of comfort is too low to be heard or heeded, but to the patient she speaks of strength and to the sorrowful of cheer.

She loves to lend herself to man's delight, yet often seems to withdraw cooperation that she may draw out hardihood. At first she only promises to wing man's boat in the one direction in which her breezes blow, but at last she teaches him that he may sail athwart the wind if he will only learn and trust its ways. He who fears her tempests never grasps the secret of her power. He who overcomes her hindrances learns what treasures of delight and strength are open to the strong. We make the limitations of our claim, not sh., and step by step her care will teach us lessons of God's will and work and of our possibilities of growth if we will live with her.—Boston Congregationalist.

Strive to Improve.

Wherever you are in life, no matter how low your place is, it is a good place to sprout in, though it may not be a good place to grow or dwell in. Leave your root where God planted it, but mount up out of poverty, mount up out of bad companionship, mount up out of secular ways of life, and lift yourselves toward the light. Let outward nature teach you. Oh, how a root will engineer and find the sustenance that it needs! How it will spread over the rock, and plunge down into the precipice, and go in search of the stream that is running afar off! Even the blind root finds its way without reason, and by a mere instinct of appetite, under ground; and let it rebuke you.—N. W. Christian Advocate.

Why Christians Prosper.

As a rule God's people have a plenty; they have food for their tables and raiment for their backs. This is not brought about by ministering ravens, or multiplying loaves and fishes, or any other miraculous manifestation, but in accordance with the laws of his kingdom. The precepts of His Word enjoin industry, economy, honesty, temperance, perseverance and the other virtues which are rewarded with success. They may not be rich, as the world measures wealth, but they have contentment, which is far better, and to which the men of "much goods" and "many barns" are strangers.—United Presbyterian

COLLEGE FIGURES.

Dartmouth's new freshman class has 196 members.

Mount Holyoke college began its new year with 562 students.

Radcliffe now offers 130 courses for women, an increase of 15 over last year.

Harvard has 394 instructors; Yale 245; Pennsylvania, 245; Michigan, 167 and Chicago, 175.

During the last six years the value of the property of 19 leading colleges has increased 37 per cent.

In answer to an inquiry the authorities of Cornell university have just calculated that a good student could take all the courses which were offered when he was a freshman in just 110 years. This is a rather forcible suggestion that as universities are now conducted the student cannot hope to know it all.

The college graduates of the country make a pretty good part of the population, and Harvard takes the lead with a total of 22,287 graduates. Yale has sent out into the world 18,450 men and Columbia 15,981. Princeton has graduated 7,500 students; Dartmouth, 8,504; Brown, 4,900; Bowdoin, 4,619; Amherst 4,000, and Washington university, 3,436.

IN INDUSTRIAL CIRCLES.

A pound of phosphorus heads 1,000,000 matches.

England's coal fields still cover an area of 5,400 square miles.

About 50 kinds of bark are used in the manufacture of paper.

A Providence company has recently made an emery wheel 30 inches in diameter and 12 inches thick. It was built up on a special iron center 31 inches in diameter, which ran on a 3 5-16-inch shaft. According to the Iron Age, the whole affair weighed over 1,200 pounds. The machine was designed for grinding wooden balls.

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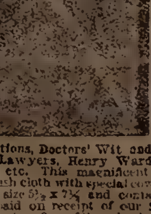

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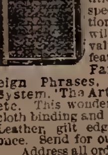

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WRENTHAM.

James A. Bartlett, Fern Wing and Mr. and Mrs. Granville, the latter by letter, will be taken into the Congregational church next Sunday.——Mrs. Mary Fisher died Monday morning. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon.——The engine house is finished and the engine has been thoroughly overhauled and new hand extinguishers purchased.——Miss Laura Brown, with her famous deaf, dumb and blind pupil, Tommy Stringer, is spending a few days at Rev. William Brown's.——Mrs. Elbridge J. Whitaker is visiting friends in Portland, Me.——D. D. G. M. S. W. Crook and suite of Aurora lodge, I. O. O. F., of North Attleboro, paid an official visit to Wampum lodge, No. 195, for the purpose of installing the officers of the lodge. After the installation an oyster supper was served in the banquet room.——The Odd Fellows have engaged the Mansfield Minstrel Co. to give them their next entertainment in the town hall Jan. 17. This entertainment has been given with great success in Taunton and Attleboro.

In Ceylon the inferior on meeting a superior throws himself upon the ground, repating the name and dignity of the latter, who appears to take little notice of the prostrate form as he passes it.

In the greater portion of Germany it is an act of politeness to kiss the hand of a lady, but this privilege is allowed in Italy only to near relatives, while in Russia it is extended to kissing the forehead.

He Swiped Them.

Admirer—Isn't it awfully difficult to find melodies for your songs?

Song Writer—No, the hardest part is to disguise the melodies I find.—N. Y. Journal.

Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remidies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her, and she writes this marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason's drug store.

It Keeps the Feet Warm and Dry.

Ask for Allen's Foot Ease, a powder. It cures chilblains, swollen, sweating, sore, aching, damp feet; at all druggists and shoe stores, 25c.; sample free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

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Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

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A man's love is apt to be regulated by his digestion.

A critic is usually a man who couldn't have done it himself.

Sooner or later pride is sure to step on a stick of dynamite.

Sometimes a man has to pay dearly for success after fairly earning it.

Somehow the father-in-law never gets much of a comic-paper reputation.

The man who marries for money is a fool—unless he gets it in advance.

Man is a peculiar animal. When he gets what he wants he doesn't want it.

The only way you can beat another man's game is to keep your money in your pocket.

A truly good wife is one who loves her husband and her country, but doesn't want to run either.

Ages ago music was considered the food of love, but now the menu consists mostly of bonbons and ice cream.

The individual who undertakes to reform himself has about all the missionary work he is capable of attending to.

It is said the smallest hair throws a shadow. Yes, of course it does; it throws a shadow across your appetite if you discover it in the butter.—Chicago Daily News.

WHAT WOMEN ARE DOING.

Women are now employed as sign painters in Berlin.

Mrs. Bertie Smith, postmistress at Circle City, Alaska, is the only woman occupying such a position in the territory.

It costs a girl $400 to go to Vassar, $400 to go to Smith, $420 for a year at Wellesley, and between $450 and $750 to spend a year at Radcliffe.

While in Washington women are in disfavor as government employes, they are increasing in number in the British civil service.

Miss Marie M. Thixton, of the Louisville Press club, has accepted the coeditorship of the Louisville Free Press. A series of historical sketches of local interest, prepared by Miss Thixton for the Louisville Evening Times attracted widespread attention.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh.

Send for testimonials free.

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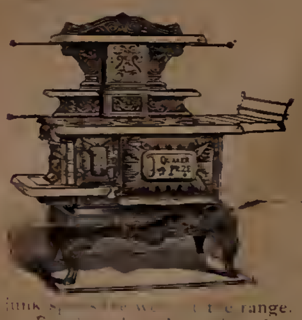

Pay $5 down and $1 per week

There's no economy in using an old warped range that burns out two hods of coal every day, when you can have the best on earth for the trouble of ordering it, which will do your work on one hod each day.

You can pay $27.00 for the plainer Quakers, or pay $35.00 or $40.00 or $45.00 for the GRAND.

Ever hear of scrap iron or old junk? Lots of ranges are cast from a mixture of that stuff with new iron, and the junk [illegible] the range. Be careful.

Ever hear about the retailer of ready-made clothing who always went to a good tailor for his own clothes instead of selecting from his own stock? Be careful.

Here's the point. Out of seven married workers for this firm five of them warm their cozy kitchens with the Quaker Range. With complete inside knowledge we use the make with most merit in it.

Austin S. Cook and Co
67 and 69 Main St.
WOONSOCKET, R. I.

GARMENTS.

We wish to announce to the people who are waiting for our Garment Sale, that it began Saturday morning, Dec., 30th.

This Sale will be remarkable, not only for the prices but also because the Goods are this Fall's most Fashionable Makes, and Strictly First-Class.

Marston Sanborn,
POST OFFICE BLOCK.

Agent for New Idea Patterns, 10c.
Agent for New Home Sewing Machine.
BUTTONS MADE FROM YOUR OWN CLOTH.

Syrup of Figs

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Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3 Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector; Rev. M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Universalist church.—Rev. Henry Bernard Smith of Troy, N. Y., will preach at 10.30. Communion following morning service. Vesper service at 5; Rev. Mr. Smith will speak. Y. P. C. U. at 6.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper. Theme, "The Divine Criterion for 1900." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45. Preaching at 7. Short after service in vestry.

Congregational church—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath at 10.30 Theme, "Repentance a Fitting Act for the New Year." Communion and reception of new members. Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. Consecration service at 6. Evening worship at 7; preaching by pastor on "Lessons from the Life of Mr. Moody."

Methodist church — At 10.30 preaching by Rev. S. Arthur Cook, pastor. Second in series of fifteen sermons on general subject "Lessons from Some Characteristic Incidents in the Life of Christ." Special subject, "The Man at the Jordan." Sunday school at 12. Junior league at 3. Epworth league at 6. Evening service at 7. Subject, "Theoretical versus Experimental Religion."

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending Jan. 3, 1900:

Ladies—Lucy Cottor, Mrs. Sarah Fitzpatrick, Mrs. A. A. Hastings, Mrs. Edgar Perry, Mrs. Odeat Thibadeau.

Gentlemen — W. P. Leroux, James Ryan, Alfonse Stone, Franklin Woolen Mills, Giuseppe Bragna, Maurice Fitzpatrick.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK of Franklin, Mass., for the choice of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of any other legal business, will be held at their banking rooms on

TUESDAY, JAN. 9, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m.

F. H. BARTHOLOMEW, Cashier.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, ss.

FRANKLIN, December 6, A. D. 1899.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

TUESDAY, the THIRTIETH day of JANUARY, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse Block, in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Mary H. Wilder of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the seventeenth day of April, 1899, at thirty minutes past six o'clock in the afternoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process), in and to the following described real estate, to wit

A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon, to wit: Two cottage houses, situated on Broad street, in that part of Medway called Medway Village, in said county of Norfolk, bounded as follows, to wit: Westerly by Broad street, northerly by land of William B. Hodges, easterly by land of Sarah Woodward, southerly by land now or formerly of Lothrop S. Wilder.

Being the same premises conveyed to Clark Partridge by Mason C. Richardson by deed dated November 6, 1885, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, [illegible] 337, fol. [illegible].

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK
Deputy Sheriff.

ja5,12,19

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Hang on, when MASON'S Compound Syrup White Pine and Tar

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All Colds, Coughs, Hoarseness and loss of Voice.

25c per Bottle.

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By her smile is the girl with a row of white and pearly teeth. Use our Fragrant Saponaceous Tooth Powder as a dentifrice and you will find that your teeth will keep white and perfect longer than by the use of any other manufactured. We have at all times superior Tooth Brushes, Soap, Face Powders and Toilet Goods of all kinds, Cosmetics, Perfumes and Confectionery.

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An extra line of fine Cut Glass.

Also a full line of Optical Goods and a dark room in which we are able to test the eye with perfect satisfaction. No charge for testing the eyes.

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REPAIRING AND ENGRAVING.

Having capable men in our service all work attended to promptly. Nothing too difficult in the line of Repairing.

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The main feature of a good meal is...

Good Groceries.

...You can buy all grades of goods, but when you want GOOD GOODS in the Grocery line go to

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CHILSON,

TELEPHONE 11-4. POST OFFICE BLOCK.

Fancy Turkeys	15 to 18c
Fancy Chickens	15 to 18c
Fancy Fowls	16c
Rump and Sirloin Steak	20c
2 lbs. Round Steak	25c
Legs of Lamb	14c
Fresh Pork	10c
Pork Sausage	10c
Frankfurt Sausage	10c
Fresh Hams	10c
Fresh Shoulders	08c
Salt Pork 8c lb., 14 lbs. for	$1.00
Pigs' Heads, lb	03c

3 lb Pail Lard 30c, 5 lb Pail Lard 45c, 10 lb Pail Lard 80c.
3c for 3 lb, 5c for 5 lb, 8c for 10 lb Lard Pails (my brand) returned.
Spinach, Lettuce, Celery, Radishes, Sweet Potatoes. Best brand of Canned Goods to be had.

The Best Butter in Town.

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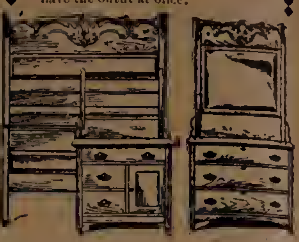
Chamber Outfits

Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted. Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.



OUTFIT NO. 1.
This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.
$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 2.
This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs, rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.
$32—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 3.
This outfit is made up with one of our most popular selling chamber suits, including the 2 chairs, rocker, table, mattress, woven wire spring bed and toilet set.
$35—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

The Weeks Furniture Co.,
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Near Opera House.
WOONSOCKET, R. I.

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Collector's Notice.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate, situated in the town of Millis, in the county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified, according to the lists committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said Millis by the assessors of taxes of said Millis, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction at the town office, Millis, on

WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of JANUARY, 1900,

at 2 o'clock p. m., for the payment of said taxes, with costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

The sums set against the descriptions of the several estates show the amounts due thereon respectively for the tax and assessments, for the nonpayment of which each of said estates is to be sold, not including costs and interest thereon and costs and charges incident to this sale.

The taxes were assessed to

Michael O'Riley—A lot of land situated on the southerly side of Village street, bounded as follows: Northerly by Village street, easterly by land of Elvira Bullard, southerly by land of Moses C. Adams, westerly by land of Horatio Jones.
The tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $21.24.

Walter J. Welch—A lot of land situated on the Holliston road, and bounded northerly by land of J. W. Daniels, easterly by land of J. H. Leland and others, southerly by Boggastow brook and westerly by Holliston road; or however otherwise bounded and described, being the same lot assessed to Walter J. Welch.
The tax assessed in 1899 amounts to $3.86.

James T. Dunson—Two lots of land, each containing about 2500 feet and being lots 183 and 184 on a plan of land of Sherman Park recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds and being "Plan 676."
Tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $1.55.

Arthur B. Dunson—Eight lots of land, each containing about 2,500 feet, and being lots 294, 295, 807, 808, 202, 203, 204, 205, on a plan of land of Sherman Park, recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds, and being "Plan 676."
Tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $6.20.

Michael Haggerty—A lot of land situated on the northerly side of [illegible] road, and bounded [illegible] easterly by other land of Mich[illegible]erly by land of James H. Leland [illegible] Holliston road, westerly by land of Henry [illegible].
The tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $1.94.

Michael J. McLaughlin—A lot of land, with buildings thereon, situated on the southerly side of Village street, containing 58 acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: Northerly by Village street, easterly by land now or formerly of Moses Ellis and road leading from Millis to Norfolk, southerly by land of Lewis Richardson and westerly by land of Michael Maguire.
The tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $31.00.

Oliver L. Tebo—A lot of land, with buildings thereon, situated on the southerly side of Farm street, containing 1 acre, more or less, and bounded as follows: Northerly by Farm street, easterly by land of John Shea, southerly and westerly by land of E. F. Richardson.
The tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $12.40.

Or however otherwise either of said parcels of land may be bounded or described.

J. CLARENCE THORNE.
Collector of Taxes for the Town of Millis.

December 29, 1899. de29,ja5,12

SHERIFF'S SALE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, ss.

QUINCY, December 15, 1899.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

SATURDAY, the TWENTIETH day of JANUARY, A. D. 1900,

at nine o'clock a. m., at my residence, No. 53 Franklin street, in Quincy, said county of Norfolk, all the right, title and interest the within named William Metcalf of Quincy had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the eighteenth day of November, A. D. 1899, at nine o'clock a. m. (being the time the same was attached on mesne process) in and to the following described real estate, to wit

A certain tract or parcel of land situated in the village of Sheldonville, in said Wrentham, south of the "Old School House Lot," so called, and bounded as follows: Beginning at easterly corner of "Old School House Lot," southerly 6 rods 8 feet to centre of ditch; then southwesterly along center of said ditch 1 rod 7 1-2 feet to land of Wilson Darling; then along said Darling's land in a northwesterly course 6 rods 15 feet to southerly corner of said school house lot; then along southerly boundary of said school house lot in a northeasterly course 2 rods 9 feet to first mentioned corner.

A certain tract of land situated in the village of Sheldonville, in said Wrentham, bounded beginning at the northeast corner of the lot as the fence now stands; then S. 24 degrees E. as the fence now stands 4 rods and 6 links far as the southeast corner; then S. 66 degrees W., 2 1-2 rods to the southwest corner; then N. 24 degrees W. as the fence now stands 4 rods and 6 links to the road; then easterly by the main road through Sheldonville 2 1-2 rods to the first corner.

GEORGE H. FIELD,
Deputy Sheriff.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next-of-kin and all others interested in the estate of John Buckley, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Ruel F. Thayer, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court for allowance the first account of his administration on said estate, and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the widow and next-of-kin of said deceased,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventeenth day of January, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 28th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Herman M Fisher

The Franklin Sentinel.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" " "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachnsett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

AN ADVERTISEMENT

Simply tells the public what you have got. If you never tell the people don't expect them to ask you. That's all there is to it.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Alden Abbott is down with the mumps.

John Shumsky has accepted a position in a grocery store in Boston.

Miss Catherine Heaton of Pittsfield is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Colgan.

The Boston and Providence Clothing store in Metcalf's block has reopened.

Mrs. Orrin Fiske was the guest over Sunday of her son, Walter Darling, in Providence.

Rev. W. W. Haslam supplied the pulpit of the Baptist church at Bellingham centre on Sunday.

Baker Fairfield is "up to date" in having a lunch wagon at Hoag pond to refresh the hungry skater.

L. W. Daniels left this morning for Philadelphia, owing to the critical illness of his brother, Wheaton Daniels.

Miss Rachel Thayer continues very weak, but is holding her own, and the crisis is looked for within a day or two.

The newly elected officers of Franklin grange will be installed Thursday evening by a past master of the state grange.

Officer Connor has thus far sheltered 266 people at his popular "hotel" in the Opera house block during the past eleven months.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Crossman, Mrs. Daniel McKenzie and Alden Abbott united with the Congregational church last Sabbath.

The Pilgrim Fathers have just paid to Frank Schaefer, formerly of this place, but now of Ellis, $1,000 for the death of his wife, Alvine Schaefer.

The friends of Mrs. H. H. Gallison here will be pleased to learn that she has been selected as instructor in vocal music at Radcliffe college.

Do not forget the N. E. O. P. meeting and social tomorrow evening. All members holding rituals are requested to return them to the hall at this time.

Dr. C. Gallison is preparing some reminiscences of the late Sylvanus Cobb of Hyde Park, the doctor being intimate with him years ago in Norway, Me.

Local Democrats are interested in the announcement that Mayor Greene expects to have William Jennings Bryan in Woonsocket sometime this month.

The ice men have been holding off for a little thicker ice, the present being about eight inches, but this weather will cause them to hasten or put off this cutting altogether.

The American Band orchestra are engaged for Manager Partridge's benefit, and will be a feature of itself, as they have some new selections up to date. Tickets at Dana's Wednesday morning.

The operatives for the American Woolen company were given a ten per cent. raise last week, and now the company cuts a melon for itself in the shape of a dividend equal to seven per cent. annually.

Miss Alice M. Morrill has given up her millinery parlors here and gone to her home in Portland, Me., where she will remain. She has many friends here who trust that she will be pleasantly and profitably situated.

D. D. G. M. E. J. Whitaker and suite will install the officers elect of King David lodge, I. O. O. F., at the regular meeting Wednesday evening, followed by a collation. A full attendance is desired as business of importance is to be acted upon.

George W. Wiggin, Esq., has been re-elected one of the executive committee of the Norfolk County Bar association. During the past year some $1800 worth of law books have been added to the library in the court house in Dedham.

The Loyal Rebekah lodge, I. O. O. F., of Woonsocket, have arranged for the visit to Lady Franklin Rebekah lodge here this evening. A special car will be chartered for the trip by rail. Minerva Rebekah lodge has partially decided to come with Loyal lodge.

It will be of interest to many here, especially at Dean, to know that Miss L. Erline C. Hardy of Hyde Park and G. Warren Choate of Boston were married recently and will be at home to friends on and after Jan. 24, at their home, 405 Newbury street, Boston.

At monthly meeting of Thurber medical association Thursday afternoon in Milford the secretary reported the death of Dr. Charles Kingsley of Marlboro, Dec. 30, and a committee, consisting of Drs. French, Johnson and Gallison, was appointed to report resolutions at next meeting.

The entertainment to have been given at the High school this evening by Charles Williams has been postponed until next week Tuesday. Mr. Williams comes here with the highest praise from press and pulpit, and it will surely be a treat to hear him. He will read from Kipling and "David Harum."

On Friday of last week Prof. Daniels gave an instructive talk before the Mothers' class upon "Child Study," his especial theme being "The Development of the Mind." Mr. Daniels' thorough knowledge of his subject was apparent and the class received the benefit of the most modern theories connected with the intellectual growth of children.

A meeting of the Greenhalge Literary society was held last Friday afternoon. Three new members were admitted into the society. After a short business meeting the following program was rendered: Reading, Miss Darling; piano solo, Miss Grace Bly; "Early Life of Cooper," Harry Geb; "Later Life of Cooper," Maisie Whiting; readings from Cooper, Miss Ferrer.

Hoag lake, South Bellingham, is becoming a winter pleasure resort, with a skating house heated by electricity and lake lighted by electric lights. E. K Ray is directing these improvements and a land deal is being negotiated to increase the grounds. The trolley car traffic from Woonsocket and Franklin during the recent skating days reached 500 tickets daily to the rink.

The funeral of William Keefe, Sr., who died on Friday, took place yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, a requiem high mass being celebrated at St. Mary's church by Rev. M. J. Sullivan. The edifice was well filled with mourning friends and relatives. After the mass and services for the dead the remains were borne to St. Mary's cemetery, followed by one of the largest processions of mourners ever seen here.

Rev. D. M. Hodge officiated on Wednesday at a marriage in South Bellingham, when Miss Hattie May Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Osman A. Cook, was united in matrimony to Emerson J. Bartlett, also of South Bellingham. The wedding presents were numerous, including many costly ones. About fifty relatives and friends were present from Bellingham, South Bellingham, Franklin, Milford, Newton, Boston and Woonsocket.

The time is rapidly approaching for the Masonic ball, Wednesday evening, Jan. 17, and the various committees report enthusiastically. Provided the evening be a favorable one the attendance will surely exceed that of any previous year. The price last year was $1.50, but owing to the unusual excellence of the attractions this year it has been found necessary to make a slight addition of fifty cents.

The extreme care which the New Haven road takes of its passengers is borne out by the fact that although it carried 50,269,468 passengers last year, only eight were injured and none killed. The injuries to train hands, however, were greater; the road had 28,211 employes, of whom 185 were injured, 29 being killed. The earnings of this vast railway system show an increase of $1,169,987 over the preceding year.

Great Sachem William A. Jordan of Wollaston installed officers of Wonowok tribe, No. 89, I. O. R. M., last evening, as follows: Prophet, E. P. Blackmar; sachem, E. S. Barr; sen. sag., J. N. Blanchard; jun. sag., John Bassett; C. of R., Charles E. Campbell; C. of W., E. F. Hartmann; K. of W., E. A. Hawkins; 1st san., F. T. Ahrens; 2d san., George S. Woodman; 2d W., William Foster; 3d W., G. W. Cook; 1st B., Henry Thomas; 2d B., Cyril Le Clair; G. of W., J. T. Dandunee; G. of F., H. A. Ahrens.

Mrs. A. H. Morse left on Monday for Boston, where she will spend a day or two with Prof. and Mrs. L. L. Burrington at the Bellevue. On Thursday she will leave with a Raymond party for California, taking the "Sunset" route, through New Orleans. She will stay for a time at a hotel at Coronado Beach, going later to San Diego, where she will remain for the season. Incidentally, she will take a number of side trips through California, returning here some time in June. She can hardly fail to enjoy herself in the "sunny land."

The farm house owned by Alexander Poor, at South Franklin, was burned to the ground at 3.30 Sunday morning, after all the furniture, excepting a piano, had been removed. The fire started at 3 o'clock and a messenger came to town for the purpose of ringing in an alarm, and as water facilities were lacking the firemen did not put a stream on the fire. The barn, which was some distance from the house, was not burned. The fire is stated to have been caused by an overheated stove in the kitchen. The loss on the house and piano will reach $2,500, both being partially covered by insurance.

The various boards of officials determined at the beginning of the fiscal year to keep the expenditures entirely within the appropriations if that were a possibility. To a large degree they have succeeded. The town report will show that the school committee have closed the fiscal town year with expenses inside the appropriation and the credits which are by law given to the school fund. The poor department slightly overrun, although the amount of credits not paid in if added would perhaps balance the account. The fire department about even, with perhaps some bills for a small amount unpaid. With no special expenses, like a big snow, the road department will come out about even, with possibly a small sum to its credit.

"Under the Dome," Lincoln J. Carter's sensational comedy drama, will be the attraction at the Opera house Thursday, Jan. 18. It is a naval play, the main incidents of which were suggested by the attempted seizure of the Samoan Islands by the German government in 1888 and 1889. One scene showing the passage at night of a ferry boat from Jersey City to New York is absolutely perfect in detail. When the boat first leaves the slip in Jersey City the hugh black outlines of the buildings on the opposite shore and their thousands of dimly glowing lights can just barely be seen. As the boat pushes out into the stream and comes closer to the landing the outlines of the buildings assume more and more definite shape and the lights of the city grow brighter and larger until the clanking of the iron gates and the lock wheel announce the arrival. The effect is as if the audience had been carried in the boat. Another pretentious scenic effect is the representation of that awful calamity in the harbor of Apia, Samoa, which cost the lives of 144 brave seamen and which wrecked the vessels. As this is Manager Partridge's annual benefit, it will be well to secure your seats in advance. Tickets on sale Wednesday, Jan. 10. Prices 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents.

Showers of Blessing.

The initial "week of prayer" meeting at the Congregational church last evening was well attended, and the interest all that could be desired. Pastor and people are especially hopeful for a genuine outpouring of the spirit.

At the Baptist church the attendance was very gratifying, the sermon by Rev. A. H. Davis was interesting and profitable. The preaching for this evening will be done by Rev. G. H. Horton of Blackstone and what he says will be well worth hearing. Come and aid in the work.

Revival services at the Methodist church still continue, with ever increasing interest. Last night was indeed a Pentecostal service. The meeting closed with shouts of triumph and the hallelujahs of the redeemed. There will be services every night this week, including Saturday. A program of special interest is prepared for these services. This is to be the best week thus far. There will be solos, duets, etc., and the plain, simple gospel of Jesus, which is "the power of God unto salvation to all who believe." Be sure and come to the meeting tonight. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook, from the parable of the prodigal son. Singing by quartet. Come to the banquet of the Lord.

After Christmas

A lull, but a fine opportunity to sit for the photo's needed to return for those received as Christmas gifts. A special trade on large photos for a few weeks, at CALKIN'S STUDIO, Depot St.

Mrs. Charles Rand will shortly canvass for a life of Moody.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

A Pleasing Affair.

The following officers of Post 60, G. A. R., were installed by Col. George W. Nason last evening, that gentleman having the honor of officiating here for the sixteenth time: Com., Joseph H. Bird; S. V. C., William H. Jackson; J. V. C., Henry Y. Towne; adj., Alfred C. Dana; chap., Silas E. Fales; sur., George King, M. D.; Q. M., Edwin A. Mason; O. of D., David W. Corson; O. of G., Almon Sanborn; S. M., Walter M. Fisher; Q. M. S., William H. Lowell.

The following officers of Franklin W. C. were installed by Past Dept. President Mrs. Augusta A. Wales as follows: Pres., Mrs. Hattie Turner; S. V. P., Mrs. Lena Holbrook; J. V. P., Mrs. Miriam A. Sleeper; sec., Mrs. Narcissa W. Lincoln; treas., Mrs. Hannah Corson; chap., Mrs. Rosella Newcomb; cond., Mrs. Ella Thomas; guard, Mrs. Alice Fisher; asst. cond., Mrs. Clara Crafts; asst. guard, Mrs. Ellen Sanborn; color bearers—No. 1, Mrs. Annabelle Woodward; No. 2, Mrs. Minnie Corson; No. 3, Miss Alice Brock; No. 4, Mrs. Margaret Geb.

After installation a social time was enjoyed, remarks being made by Comrades Thomas Sherman of Walpole, Capt. James H Griggs and Col. George Nason of Boston. In behalf of the W. R. C. Mrs. Augusta Wales also spoke very fittingly. Col. Nason speaking in a reminiscent mood said in part: Sixty years ago, (in 1840) in this town, I joined a military company known as the Harrison Guards, composed of boys from five to ten years of age. It was during the exciting times of "Tippecanoe and Tyler, too," the memorable first Harrison campaign. Horace S. DeWitt was captain, Charles H. Bemis, William E. Nason and Lewis Whittaker were drummers, George W. Nason, Jr., color bearer, and all the other members carried flags as well as little wooden guns. The Whig party had their log cabin erected near the store of our late comrade, Turner, or where the steps lead down to the railroad station.

There was then only one church in Franklin and only thirteen houses in a mile circle now occupied by this prosperous town. It was from the teachings of my good mother and the patriotic lesson at the log cabin which kindled the fire of patriotism in my heart and prompted me to be the first volunteer from this, my native, town, on the fifteenth of April, 1861, for the defence of our glorious flag and country. Since my first military experience our country, as well as Franklin, has made great strides. We have extended our possessions west to the Pacific, acquired Alaska, that immense territory between the Pacific and Artic oceans, and during the last year have extended our possessions to the other side of the world, which I hope will prove for the best interests of all concerned.

Dean 20, Alumni 5.

There was a good sized audience present at the opening of the basketball season at Dean gymnasium on Saturday evening, when Dean played a team composed of members of the alumni. There was brilliant playing on both sides, but it must be said that the Dean boys showed their superiority at the start and maintained it throughout, their skillful work being duly recognized and receiving hearty applause from the auditors at various stages. The teams were made up as follows:

Dean—Forwards, Marshall and Thompson; center, Gallison and Towels; guards, Bucknam and Jenness.

Alumni—Forwards, Wyckoff and S. Fiske; centers, Foster and Cosseboom; guards, Moors and Mason.

The Dean players were up and doing every minute while the game was on and after the twenty-minute halves the score stood: Dean 20, alumni 5. Goals from field—Jenness 3, Marshall 4, Thompson 2, Wyckoff 1, Moors 1. Goals from fouls—Marshall 1, Thompson 1, Fiske 1. For Dean, the goal throwing of Marshall and Jenness was remarkably fine, while for the alumni Wyckoff, Moors and Fiske showed up well.

Woonsocket Opera House.

"Way Down East," the great metropolitan success, will be presented on Thursday and Friday evenings, Jan. 11 and 12. It will be given with a great cast, magnificent scenery, all of the marvelous effects, including the great snow scene, will introduce a great quartet of singers and depict a vivid story of true New England life. Its success is largely due to two great lessons it teaches, to the pure and wholesome atmosphere that pervades it, to the rollicking, homely humor with which it bubbles, and in fact to a grand ensemble that makes it one beautiful, refreshing mirror of nature. "Way Down East" is repeating its metropolitan success throughout the country and will positively have only this engagement in Woonsocket during the present season. Seats now on sale.

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

Read the business announcements

Pushing the Work.

Work on the power house and car barn which is in process of construction at Unionville, began again Thursday morning, when the girders for the roof arrived. Up to this time there has been no work on the building since about Thanksgiving time, owing to the delay in the arrival of the material for the barn. These girders, which came Thursday, were the principal things delayed.

The girders are nineteen in number, and are fifty feet in length. They weigh two tons each and are thus quite formidable things to handle. The workmen put two of them in position Thursday and carted some of the rest to the place of building. It is the intention to continue the building by putting the roof on over these girders and then to push the work as fast as possible, so that the cars may be stored in it and the power be used.

It is intended that the new power house will not only supply the motive power for the cars on the Franklin and Milford lines, but also on all the lines of Woonsocket. This will do away with the power station now used in No. 2 electric light station and save quite an item of expense for the company. The electricity will be carried over the different lines by feed wires to any reasonable distance.

In addition to the power house, there will be a car barn, and the cars of that line will be stored in that barn nights and other times when they are not in use. There are six new vestibuled cars coming the middle of this month, and these will probably be taken to this new barn as soon as it is ready for their reception.

At present the Walworth company, plumbers, of Boston, is piping the building for steam heat, and Monday the carpenters went back to work on it after some little time. There is no knowing when the building will be finished, but there are no expected delays at present, and prospects are good for an early completion of the building.

Ready for the Wrestle.

The Ruggles rotary plow which the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket street railway has been expecting for some time, has come. The plow was made by the Peckham Motor Truck and Wheel Co. of New York, and is something entirely novel in this town. Instead of having a nose in front to divide the snow and throw it to one side, there are fans, constituting a sort of auger, which bores its way into the snow, picks it up and throws it through a funnel, which may be pointed in any direction wished. These fans or blades come round and just miss the rails, and as they are ahead of the wheels, and as they do not have to be pushed through the snow, it is almost impossible to stall the plow, unless the motors blow out.

The plow cannot be used to any advantage in the streets of the town, as the snow would be thrown all over the sidewalks, buildings and the passersby, but in the open parts of the line it is one of the greatest improvements ever introduced here. It is provided with four motors and eight wheels, so that it is a very powerful and effective annihilator of snow drifts. The rotary snow plow was first used on the Rocky Mountain steam roads and proved a great investment for the companies owning them. For steam roads these plows cost $12,000 to $15,000, and for street railways about half that price, it is said.

Are You a Member?

There is so little question as to the value of fraternal organizations in these days that their existence and increase are taken as a matter of course. As will be noticed by reference to the opinions of leaders in fraternal work, social and beneficiary features are most frequently referred to as, indicating the peculiar lines along which these orders are most helpful. It is not our intention at this time to enter into the financial detail as shown by the records of the different financial departments of the organizations, although that would be most interesting as a subject of comment. We do wish, however, to express our belief in the general principle that it is the duty of every man with relatives dependent upon him to protect them so far as able by some form of life insurance. Well regulated and carefully managed fraternal orders furnish a low priced and safe protection for those who can afford to appropriate only moderate amount for such a purpose.—Somerville (Mass.) Citizen.

Here is a simple explanation of the "new century" matter from an exchange: Suppose a man owes another $20 and pays it a penny at a time. He has paid 100 cents, and then he has, plainly enough, $1 paid up. But he does not begin paying his second dollar until he has deposited his 101st cent, and he has not begun paying his 20th dollar until he has given his creditor the 1901st cent. In the same way consider the centuries, for not until the close of day, Dec. 31st, 1900, have the 1900 years been fulfilled. Therefore the 20th century must begin Jan. 1st, 1901.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

Jonah.

Some people think the book of Jonah ought not to have been put into the Bible, being subject to ridicule. But I can draw something from John which I think is profitable for correction. Jonah was told to go to Nineveh and preach to that wicked city. He went to the shore, strolled up and down and found a ship bound for Tarsus. He went aboard and paid his fare, being not disposed to steal a ride or cheat the ship out of its due, and hard fare he found, too. In this he was worthy of imitating.

A tempestuous sea arose, his sailors became alarmed, and when that happens you may look out for breakers. They searched for the cause and found the trouble to be with Jonah. He became convinced he was the guilty one and was willing to make all the restitution possible, even to being thrown overboard. As there is a miracle in this book, we may suppose that there was a big fish near this boat, with his head, we may say, two feet under water.

Over he went, and the fish took him down to the bottom of the sea. With the weeds about his head his mind must have been severely exercised. He prayed to God as a backslider would, in penitence. We may suppose one petition in his prayer may have been like this: "Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation and uphold me with Thy free spirit, then will I teach transgressors thy ways and sinners shall be converted unto Thee." Some people think they cannot always find a place to pray. Jonah found a place inside of a fish. Three days and three nights—by this time he must have thought decomposition would set in.

His prayer was heard, he found himself on dry ground. He arose and went to Ninevah, obeying his Master's call. What may we suppose the style of his preaching was, for he brought wicked Ninevah on its knees. Now, if some of our modern preachers would put more dynamite into their ministrations of the gospel and let King James' version alone they might see better results of their preaching, even to those similar to Jonah, and when they visit a dying parishioner they will not find a door shut against them.

WILLIAM MANN.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Wanted—Girl to do light housework. Apply at Fisher's confectionery store.

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Wanted—A girl capable of doing general housework, to whom liberal wages will be paid. SENTINEL office. 15-tf

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To Let—Cottage, on Winter street, near corner of Summer. Apply to Rob't Souther, 30 Fifield avenue, Providence, R. I. 9,12*

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We will pay $18 per week to Christian man or woman to qualify for permanent position of manager and correspondent in their home county. Enclose self-addressed envelope to R. A. Sherman, Secretary, 17 West 42d St., New York. 27

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

TUESDAY, JAN. 9, 1900

"There is only one thing I'm sorry for," said Fred Holtzhauser, one of Dewey's returned gunners, "and that is that I ever shipped under an assumed name. I was out five years on the San Francisco and the Olympia, and after I get my Manila bay medal, I'm going to have my right name substituted on the records of the navy department." "What made you ship under a false name?" he was asked. "I was quite a boy when I shipped," he replied. "Whenever anyone asked me my name after I got away from home, it was so long and unusual that people made me spell it out for them three or four times, and it annoyed me and them. Then I made up my mind to take another, a short and American name, which I did. I hear that quite a lot of fellows are having their proper names substituted on the record of the navy department."

A European scientist announces that if he applies an electric battery to the brain of a man in the proper fashion that man will become twice as smart as before. The scientist claims to have used the idea upon small schoolboys. The report says he took ten pupils and sat five of them in a species of electrocution chair. The other five he sat on ordinary wooden benches. Electrified youngsters, he said, learned the multiplication table twice as fast as those who were not insulated. He does not explain exactly why this happened, but the reader is left to infer that the electric current jabbed the ideas into the young brains; in other words, made the brain conductors of ideas instead of misconductors. We may yet see every school in the land provided with the new idea injector. Then the right idea may be implanted.

The rapid exhaustion of the timber supplies of this country has induced a large number of land owners to plant trees for profit, just as they would any other crop. The disappearance of good oak since that wood became so fashionable for finishings, furniture and other purposes suggests the planting of acorns wherever the land is adapted to the purpose and is not wanted for a more immediate crop. Oak trees, where the land is not too valuable, promise to yield a good return on the investment.

A financial authority states that there are 979 savings banks in the United States, having depositors to the number of 5,385,000 and total deposits amounting to $2,065,000,000. Great Britain's savings banks have on deposit $780,000,000; France's, $652,000,000; Russia's, $198,000,000; Italy's, $89,000,000. Thus it is seen that the savings banks of the United States exceed the combined deposits of Great Britain, France, Russia and Italy by $366,000,000.

Some months ago D. D. Lore, a Kansas man who is a bookkeeper in one of the departments at Washington, met with an accident which necessitated the amputation of his right hand. During the period of his convalescence he practiced writing with his left hand by way of passing time, and attained such proficiency that upon his recovery he was reinstated in his position.

An American woman and her daughter in the Klondike prepare on typewriters a monthly paper called the Rampart City Whirlpool, and are making money fast. It sells for $1 a copy, and is well filled with live advertising. Nothing slow about the American woman.

The efficacy of the automobile in mountain climbing has been proved by Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Stanley, of Newton, Mass., whose automobile made the ascent of Mount Washington, 6,300 feet above sea level.

Fifty thousand men will be wanted next year to take the United States census. The scarcity of farm hands is likely to continue.

A Famous Chef

—the man who is responsible for the cuisine of perhaps the greatest gathering of epicures in America—the Knickerbocker Club of New York—says of

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Crimsonbeak—Yes; he couldn't borrow a dollar to save his life!—Yonkers Statesman.

"A young man came into our store yesterday suffering from a severe attack of cramp colic," writes B. F. Hess, miller and general merchant, Dickey's Mountain, Pa. "He had tried various home remedies without relief. As I had used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy I gave him a dose and it soon brought him out all right. I never saw a fellow so rejoiced." Sold by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

PERSONAL AND PERTINENT.

Andrew Dekarz, who is 103 years old and lives at St. Anthony's Polish hospital, is the oldest known Pole in this country.

Gov. John Lind, of Minnesota, has a pet kingfisher at his country place. The bird has been trained to capture fish and lay them at his master's feet.

A famous man was the late James Bradt, of Mendon, Mich. He gloried in the title of champion pie eater of the state. He once ate ten pies in one hour.

William M. Chase, the artist, says the greatest difficulty which the portrait painter has to encounter is to keep his sitter in a natural pose. No man, he says, will ever, when being painted, assume one of his own accord.

The present Lord Byron is a man of far more simple manners than his famous ancestor. He is extremely democratic in his tastes, and there is a tradition that he smokes his after-dinner cigar in his shirt sleeves.

The terrible scar on the cheek of Gen Guy V. Henry was received in the Sioux uprising of 1873. "When I was fighting the Indians," he explains, "I was wounded and fell from my horse. The savages didn't seem to think much of my scalp and so they took my cheek."

Desiring, at the age of 103, to leave the Methodist denomination for the Baptist, Mrs. Pendergrass, of Oxanva, Ala., was baptized recently. As she has been bedridden for some years, she was carried to and from church, and was immersed sitting in a chair.

The only son of a prize fighter who ever amounted to anything, says Victor Smith, is Rt. Hon. William Court Gully, speaker of the British house of commons. His father, John Gully, a butcher, and afterward a prize fighter, grew rich and was a member of parliament for Pontefract in 1835. Speaker Gully incidentally receives a salary of $25,000 a year.

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FACTS IN FIGURES.

There are 55 dogs in the United Kingdom to every 1,000 inhabitants.

As many as 4,000 dates have been gathered from a single palm.

Last year 367 persons in the United States lost their lives by lightning. During the same period lightning destroyed property valued at $1,440,880.

Two hundred and forty-eight people have been killed by trolley cars within the limits of the old city of Brooklyn since the introduction of the electric cars.

Stockholm, Sweden, has probably the largest number of telephones for its population of any city in Europe. There are 23,000 telephones to less than 300,000 inhabitants.

In the three years that the London institution for lost and starving cats has been established 13,994 animals have been received and cared for, or, if absolutely homeless and unhealthy, painlessly destroyed in lethal boxes.

A German firm undertook to salve the Paris on the "no cure, no pay" principle. If floated the salvors were to have half the value of the vessel. The operations of the firm on the Manacles cost £4,000, and half the value of the Paris is estimated at £75,000.

The largest state building in the United States is the capitol of Texas. It is constructed of red granite, is in the form of a Greek cross, with a central dome 311 feet high. It cost about $3,500,000, and 3,000,000 acres of public land paid for it. This the contractors accepted instead of cash.

The largest tree in the world is to be seen at Mascali, near the foot of Mount Etna, and is called "The Chestnut Tree of a Hundred Horses." Its name rose from the report that Queen Jane of Aragon, with her principal nobility, took refuge from a violent storm under its branches. The trunk is 204 feet in circumference. The largest tree in the United States, it is said, stands near Bear creek, on the north fork of the Tule river, in California. It measures 140 feet in circumference. The giant redwood tree in Nevada is 119 feet in circumference.

AMERICAN WHEELS ABROAD.

Two-thirds of our bicycles are sent to countries which make a specialty of manufacturing.

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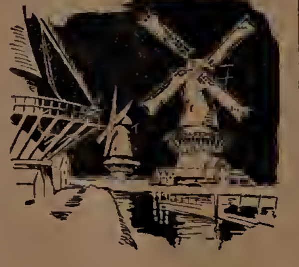

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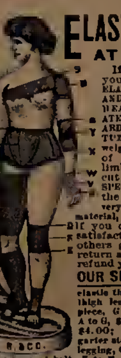

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Profit and Loss Account	13,909 55
Interest Account	12,960 49
Real Estate Income Account	543 71
	$604,830 35

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$22,073 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		29,182 62
Railroad Bonds		101,800 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		30,300 00
" " Mortgages		172,385 00
" " Personal Securities		185,195 75
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Tax Account		1,474 87
Expense Account		960 63
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$9,087 74	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	5,602 09	
Mercantile Trust Co.	11,318 55	
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Cash on hand		2,223 85
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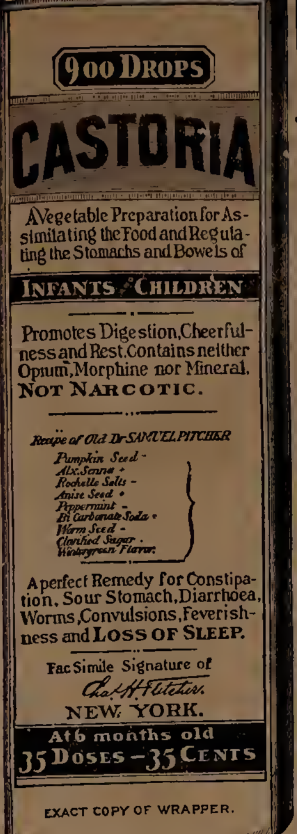

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"WELL, boys, I guess this is worth coming to see!"

Joe Elton's two cousins, Bob and Harry Barlow, quite agreed with him; and, indeed, the part of the "Western Ghauts" in which their party had settled for a week was as fine a piece of mountain scenery as could be found anywhere on the west coast of India, and that is saying quite as much for them as it is possible to say, for nowhere is there finer scenery than there.

It was true that in December they could hardly expect to see the Ghauts at their best. The parching heat of the "dry season" had already destroyed all the good effects of the summer rains. The torrent beds that cleft the mighty hills in every direction were dry and dusty. The spreading trees had lost their rich August green and the tall grass that clothed the higher slopes was as yellow as a canary.

But, despite all this, great, steep ridges that seemed to go up into the very sky, the stately palms, the deep, shadowy gorges, the tangled thickets and tremendous precipices, the rocky gullies through which a few tiny streams still trickled, with the glorious tropical sunshine and mountain breeze over all, made as fine a playground as three active American boys could desire.

"Here's a first-rate place for lunch," said Joe, sitting down in the shade of a big moss-grown rock, covered with ferns for which any collector would have paid high.

"Guess I shan't be sorry to put down this lunch bag. It's almost as heavy as a flour sack," observed Bob Barlow, as he stretched himself on the soft grass with a sigh of satisfaction.

"You'd sooner carry the lunch inside than out, wouldn't you, Bob?" suggested his brother Harry, with a broad grin.

"He wouldn't be far wrong if he did," cried Joe Elton, settling his back snugly against a palm tree and getting out his jackknife. "They may talk about sea air as much as they like, but a tramp over the hills is the best thing to give one a big appetite. I'm as hungry as ever I can be, I know that!"

In fact, such a morning's work as they had had might well have made anyone feel hungry. Ever since eight o'clock they had been scrambling up and down the hills, leaping water courses, tearing through thickets, sliding down slippery inclines, swinging themselves from bough to bough of the giant trees as nimbly as the monkeys who grimaced and chattered at them overhead; and in every way doing their best to make themselves as hot and tired and ragged as possible, but still just as eager and excited as ever, and firmly convinced that they were enjoying themselves enormously.

"I think those fellows would be mighty glad to join us," remarked Bob, with a chuckle, as he washed down a huge mouthful of cold chicken with a brimming glass of lemonade.

"Those fellows" were a gang of tall, gaunt, half-clad, wild-looking Mahrattas, who were picking and shoveling away with might and main on the railway track that ran along the very edge of a tremendous precipice on the other side of the valley.

"Not much, I reckon," answered Joe, with an air of superior information. "I've heard father say that if you were to go past where one of these Hindu fellows was cooking his dinner and your shadow was to fall on the food he'd chuck it all away, even if it was the only food he'd got."

"First time I ever knew that a shadow could do anything on its own account," grinned Harry. "It's like the story of the man with the fast-trotting horse who drove into New York at such a pace that his shadow came up five minutes after to ask which way he'd gone."

The meal was nearly over and the boys were just beginning to think what they should do next, when the question was settled for them in a very unexpected way.

Joe Elton, after sniffing the air doubtfully three or four times, called out suddenly:

"Say, boys, don't you smell something burning?"

There was no need of any answer, for at that very moment a gust of wind whirled right up into their faces a hot blast of thick, stifling smoke.

All three sprang to their feet at once, and, looking downward, beheld a sight which literally paralyzed them for a moment.

Through the forest of tall, yellow grass that clothed the whole hillside below them a long line of flame was running like summer lightning. Far to the right and far to the left, as if spreading itself to hem them in, that deadly line extended.

Higher and higher every moment rose the sea of fire straight up toward the spot where they stood, and the roar of the flames, the cracking and snapping of the lighted twigs, the hiss and crackle of burning leaves, the screams of the frightened birds as they fled before the fiery tempest, made a maddening din.

Upward ran the three boys as fast as their feet could carry them; but closer and closer behind them came the hot breath of the destroyer and the hideous uproar that accompanied his march. Still, however, they struggled on, with gasping lungs and quivering lips and limbs strained to the utmost; for they knew that the grass on the higher slopes was smaller and thinner, and, moreover, there was a chance of finding shelter in one of the rocky clefts that seamed the upper face of the mountain upon which the fire could have no power.

Suddenly Joe Elton—who was a little in advance of the other two and doing his best to guide them straight—stopped short, with a cry of horror.

The grass above them was on fire, too!

Under the shadow of the rolling smoke the imperiled trio looked at each other in silent dismay. But before anyone could speak Bob Barlow stumbled, dislodging an enormous stone, which went bounding down the slope and vanished into the flame-tinged cloud below.

"Hurrah!" cried Joe. "There's a chance for us yet. Come, boys; there are plenty of stones around. Roll 'em down on to the fire, and mind you roll them all dead straight in the same line."

Down went a second rock as he spoke, crushing the still unkindled grass flat to the earth and tearing its way through the burning mass beyond like a plowshare through light soil. Another and another followed, each widening a little more the narrow gap in the blazing circle that hemmed them in.

"Now, boys," shouted Joe, as the fire neared them, "let's make a break through that gap. Come along!"

All that followed was like an ugly dream. They were dimly conscious of plunging through lapping flames and flying sparks, their pulses throbbing, their eyes aching, a rushing, roaring sound in their ears and the whole earth and sky seeming red-hot all around them.

Then suddenly the fiery sea vanished, and they were standing, spent and gasping, with scorched feet and blistered faces, upon the clear ground beyond, while from the opposite slope came echoing the hearty cheer of their friends from the hotel, who, alarmed at the sight of the fire, had sallied forth in search of them.—Golden Days.

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Circumstances Alter Cases.

"I notice," says Uncle Gabe, "dat de man dat sings 'I would not live alway' de loudes' on Sunday am gin'ally de one dat gits to de platform fust when de train runs off de track."—N. Y. World

WORDS OF WISDOM.

Strong reasons make strong actions.—Shakespeare.

That life is long which answers life's great end.—Young.

Good nature is the beauty of the mind.—Hanway.

Malice and hatred are very fretting, and apt to make our minds sore and uneasy.—Tillottson.

A word unspoken is like the sword in the scabbard, thine; if vented, thy sword is in another's hand.—Quarles.

Agriculture for an honorable and high-minded man is the best of all occupations or arts by which men procure the means of living.—Xenophon.

Mohammed, hearing one of his soldiers say: "I'll turn my camel loose and trust him to God," said to him: "Tie your camel, and then trust him to God."

Poverty is hard, but debt is horrible. A man might as well have a smoky house and a scolding wife, which are said to be the two worst evils of our life.—Spurgeon.

"The last word" is the most dangerous of infernal machines, and the husband and wife should no more fight to get it than they would struggle for the possession of a lighted bombshell.—Douglas Jerrold.

He that marries is like the doge who was married to the Adriatic. He knows not what there is in that which he marries; mayhap treasures and pearls, mayhap monsters and tempests await him.—H. Heine.

Proper self-estimation is needful for due regulation of our efforts in relation to their ends. Underestimation of self involves the letting slip of advantages that might have been gained. Overestimation of self prompts attempts which fail from want of due capacity. In either case there is an average of evil experienced—benefit missed or effort thrown away.—Herbert Spencer.

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If there were to be a new beatitude, it might well read: "Blessed are the cheerful;" for to them is given the gift of diffusing hope and courage and joy. It is not too much to say that they are not only light but life bringers; for courage and joy prolong life, as discouragement and despair shorten it. Plants dwindle and die without the sun, and men grow old and perish without the warmth and cheer of hope and courage. If these qualities were purely temperamental, those who lacked them could not hope to possess them; but cheerfulness is not only inheritable, it may be cultivated. A cheerful face is the outward and visible sign of an inward condition, and that condition may be secured by anyone who is willing to pay the price of effort and steady purpose which the acquisition of any virtue exacts. It is as easy to cultivate cheerfulness as to cultivate patience or good temper or courtesy. These qualities society demands of every man, and if nature has not bestowed them upon him, society insists that he shall cultivate them. The bad-tempered and discourteous person finds himself living in an ever-widening zone of silence and solitude; people do not care for his society, and are eager to give him exclusive enjoyment of it. In like manner, society ought to demand cheerfulness of all its members; the man who spreads depression and breeds discouragement ought to be ostracized, because he strikes at the very heart of the social life. Depression and despair are preeminently unsocial vices; and in so far as they are diffused they sap social courage and drain the fountains of social happiness.

The depressed man, whose spirit kills joy and makes gloom contagious, owes it to his fellows to keep his despair to himself, as a man suffering from a contagious disease owes it to society to keep his fellows free from danger. This often involves inconveniences and hardship, but inconveniences and hardship must be borne when the good of society is at stake. Sorrow longs for companionship, and ought never to be denied it; but sorrow and the pessimistic temper have nothing in common. Some of the most beautiful examples of cheerfulness which society has known have been furnished by those whose sorrows were more than their joys. Men need hope and courage for the power of growth and the peace of spirit which these noble qualities bring with them; and cheerfulness is, therefore, a duty which every man owes to his fellows. For cheerfulness and despondency are alike contagious. A discouraged leader can chill the bravest army ever put in the field; a serene, buoyant leader can put resolution into cowards. The roots of cheerfulness are in faith; the hope which shines on the faces of some men and women is the reflection of the light which shines in the face of God.—N. Y. Outlook.

GOLDEN THOUGHTS.

The brave only know how to forgive.—Sterne.

The cause of freedom is the cause of God.—Bowles.

Sweet mercy is nobility's true badge.—Shakespeare.

That evil is half cured whose cause we know.—Churchill.

Poverty may be necessary to starve our passions.—Ram's Horn.

The beginning of compunction is the beginning of a new life.—George Eliot.

To bring up a child in the way he should go, travel that way yourself.—Mrs. Booth.

Give the right of way to faith and obedience and they will bring you home.—Boston Congregationalist.

Definite purpose and steadfast pursuit win. Vague imagining, faint desire, weak effort, are ruinous.—S. S. Times.

There is no finer chemistry than that by which the element of suffering is so compounded with spiritual forces that it issues to the world as gentleness and strength.—George S. Merriam.

The true moment at which to call upon one's self to take any new step in virtue is at the fainting point, when it would seem so easy to drop all and give all up; when, if you do not, you make of yourself a power.—J. F. W. Ware.

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Niagara falls is to be illuminated by electricity during the coming Buffalo exposition. The idea is to erect a series of tall poles on both the American and Canadian sides of the river. On top of them will be placed search lights, and the colors of the lights which are thrown on the falls will be constantly changed. Arc lights will also be placed in the Cave of the Winds, which will give to the water which falls in front of it a weird phosphorescent color. The current is to be obtained from the falls itself.

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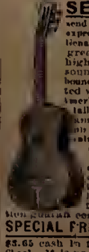

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BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return, 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

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FRANKLIN—6 49, 8 41, 11 28 a m; 4 03, 6 19 p m. S 8 15 a m.

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The Woman's Missionary society will meet Friday, at 3 p. m., in Hawes chapel, and Mrs. Caswell, a missionary who has spent many years in Dakota, will speak.——The Christian Endeavor society will hold a Mother Goose party in Hawes' chapel on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.——Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brown gave a whist party Saturday night in honor of their guests, Mr and Mrs. O. S. Hyde, of Roxbury. Whist was enjoyed during the evening, Miss Mary S. Stone and D. S. Farrington winning the first prize and Mrs. F. A. Shepard and O. S. Hyde the boobies.——Mr and Mrs Warren K. Gilmore are visiting friends in Melrose.——James A. Bartlett left Monday to enter a preparatory school in Braintree. His father, D. H. Bartlett, will reside with him while he is there

COLLEGE NOTES.

Carel Hendrick Kruger, a nephew of the president of the Transvaal republic, is a recent graduate of Edinburgh university, where he won the Syme surgical scholarship.

The American Agriculturist has obtained returns from 178 universities and colleges, showing that of 52,000 students nearly 21,000 are from the agricultural classes, or a percentage of 40.2 from the farm.

The Ragged School union of London comprises 155 schools, manned by 5,000 devoted voluntary teachers, who, week by week, all the year round, give the children of these schools religious instruction.

The Belgians are an eminently commercial people. In Antwerp ten travelling commercial scholarships of three years' duration, with an annual income of $1,000, are given to students who most deserve such opportunities.

Princeton university continues to be the envy of most other institutions of learning. She received about $500,000 in gifts during the last collegiate year, including $100,000 for a new dormitory, $100,000 for a new professorship in English, $100,000 for a new chair in politics and $85,000 toward a chair in history.

In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action: but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently overcome habitual constipation, well informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system. Buy the genuine, made by the California Fig Syrup Co.

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FROM OTHER COUNTRIES.

Nearly 60 per cent. of all Russians are unable to read or write.

Mexican ladies are fond of chocolate. Even in church they have it brought to them, and drink it during the service.

One million five hundred and thirty-eight thousand seven hundred and thirty-eight is the precise number of birds estimated by the British consul at Venezuela to have been killed last year to provide aigrettes for ladies' hats.

Under the Belgian law unmarried men over 25 have one vote, married men and widowers with families have two votes, and priests and other persons of position and education have three votes. Severe penalties are imposed on those who fail to vote.

Brussels, which is fond of being called "Little Paris," is almost two towns in one, for side by side with the medieval portion of the city are the splendid modern streets, which recall nothing so much as those of the French capital. The law courts, on the eminence in the center of the city, are exceptionally beautiful, and are built of white and dazzling stone.

A curious thing has happened on the western shores of Mull and Iona. Thousands of apple seeds have taken root along the highwater mark of the spring tides, where the apples from the wrecked Dominion liner Labrador were strewn in much profusion. The stems are already from two to five inches high, and the plants are healthy and vigorous. The crofters are transplanting the strongest roots to their gardens.

Journalism in Greenland is represented by a single paper, conducted by a certain Mr. Moeller. This energetic gentleman performs single-handed the functions of editor, printer and distributor, and the entire paper is the product of his own pen. He has set up a primitive printing establishment at Godthaab, and twice a month he performs a long journey on skates through the country to dispose of his journal. Originally nothing more than a collection of crude illustrations, Mr. Moeller gradually introduced into the pages of his paper first words, then sentences, and finally regular articles on the affairs of the day. In fact, he may be said to have actually taught his subjects to read.

Love of One's Neighbor.

Miss Gaylord—I hear there are to be several novelties at Miss Calchem's wedding.

Miss Altair—One very pretty and practical one would be to take up a contribution for the bridegroom.—N. Y. World.

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Our floor is covered with Rockers of golden oak, mahogany and maple, and Rockers that are upholstered, and Rockers that gems of beauty, etc. Then there are Odd Chairs, Corner Chairs, Hall Chairs and Easy Chairs.

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Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours, a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. If it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble, too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

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There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in 50c. and $1. sizes.

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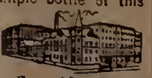

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HAVE BECOME WILD PESTS.

Pigs. Pigs were put ashore on many islands—such as Bermuda, the Galapagos and islands along the southern coast—as food for shipwrecked sailors. In every case they have multiplied and become wild. Capt. Cook put some ashore on New Zealand, where they are now shot as game.

Goats.—St. Helena, a mountainous island of small extent, 2,700 feet high, was heavily wooded at its discovery. To-day it is a rocky desert, owing to the introduction of goats by the Portuguese in 1513. When the goats ate off the underbrush rain washed away the soil and the big trees tumbled.

Horses.—In 1897 Nevada passed a law permitting the killing of wild horses as nuisances. In Washington they are cut up to bait traps. Most of the wild horses on the continent are descended from a few loosed by Cortez in Mexico. In Australia hunters shoot wild horses, which eat grass needed by sheep and cattle.

Cats.—Cats have made a home on Cat island, one of the Kergueleus, where they are so wild that it is impossible to tame them. Their progenitors escaped from whaling vessels. They were put ashore on Sable island, off Nova Scotia, to kill the rabbits that had become a pest. Now the rabbits are gone and the cats are worse.

Rabbits. Rabbits are the worst of all animal scourges in Australia and New Zealand. They are poisoned, killed for their skins, for their meat; but still they multiply. Rabbit-proof fences have been devised to thwart them, but they seem to do pretty well. Cats alone can kill them off; but then cats become a pest also. Since 1873 New Zealand has shipped more than 200,000,000 rabbit skins.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

It is better to have loved and loved in vain than never to have been fooled at all.

A woman's idea of ideal love is the way she would love the man she loves if she did not love him in the way she loves him.

People who are in love can make themselves miserable when they are together bemoaning a time when they were miserable because they were not together.—N. Y. Press.

No Home Remedies for Her.

Nell—Nothing in this country seems good enough for Mame. She goes to Europe for gloves, gowns, hat and everything she wears.

Belle—Yes, she even goes abroad for her health.—Philadelphia Record.

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Slimson—Willie, where did you get that black eye?

"It's all right, pop. I've only been civilizing the boy next door."—Tit-Bits.

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TUESDAY, JAN. 30, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the cost and charge thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

Patrick Conly—About twenty-five acres of land, with the buildings thereon situated on the east and west side of Holliston street, in the northerly part of Medway, bounded on the north by land of heirs of Oliver Clifford and heirs of Louisa Thayer, east by land of Arthur F. Leonard, south by land of Myron Smith and heirs of John McLoughlin and west by land of Frank Case and George F. Newell.

Tax assessed, $23.75.

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GEO. F. MADDEN,
Collector of Taxes for 1898.

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Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.
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The best 50c, Tea 40c.
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Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.
Fancy Chocolates, 15c lb.
Lowney's 40c goods now 35c.
We carry the finest quality Butter cut from the tub, 1 lb. prints, 5 lb. boxes, 10, 20 and 50 lb. tubs, at the lowest prices, quality considered.
J. P. Squire's Pure Lard, 8c lb.
10 lb. pails Lard, full weight, 75c.
J. P. Squire's Pure Leaf Lard in 5 lb. pails, 50c.
Mixed Nuts, English Walnuts, Oranges and Lemons in stock at the lowest prices.

Come in and leave your order with us and get the best for the least money.

Gentlemanly Dealing and Prompt Delivery is Our Motto.

McKinnon's Grocery Store,

CENTRAL SQUARE.

H. E. RUGGLES, Assignee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

At a Probate Court holden at Dedham, in and for said county of Norfolk, on the third day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

On the petition of Minnie Gale Osgood of Norfolk, in said county, praying that her name may be changed to that of Marion Gale Osgood, public notice having been given, according to the order of court, that all persons might appear and show cause, if any they had, why the same should not be granted, and it appearing that the reasons given therefor are sufficient and consistent with the public interest, and being satisfactory to the court, and no objection being made,

It is decreed that her name be changed, as prayed for, to that of Marion Gale Osgood, which name she shall hereafter bear, and which shall be her legal name, and that she give public notice of said change by publishing this decree once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, and make return to this court under oath that such notice has been given.

JAMES H. FLINT,
Judge of Probate Court.

ja9,16,23

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate not already administered of Winslow Cook, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

GEORGE W. COOKE,
Administrator.

Appointed Sept. 12, 1883. Notice ordered Jan. 3, 1900.

ja9,16,23

Business Announcements in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL are invariably read

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of John McGinnis, late of Norfolk, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Austin E. Greene of Norfolk or to some other suitable person,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventeenth day of January, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this 20th day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

de26,ja2,9 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Emery Thayer, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and appointing Orestes T. Doe of Franklin aforesaid his agent, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber

WILLIAM J. WHITING,
Executor.

Address: William J. Whiting, Franklin, Mass.
Nov. 15, 1899. ja9,16,23

Chamber Outfits

Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted! Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.

OUTFIT NO. 1.

This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.

$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 2.

This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs, rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.

$32—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 3.

This outfit is made up with one of our most popular selling chamber suits, including the 2 chairs, rocker, table, mattress, woven wire spring bed and toilet set.

$35—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

The Weeks Furniture Co.,

48 NORTH MAIN ST.,
Near Opera House.
WOONSOCKET, R. I.

☞ Store open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

Collector's Notice

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate, situated in the town of Millis, in the county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified, according to the lists committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said Millis by the assessors of taxes of said Millis, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction at the town office, Millis, on

WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of JANUARY, 1900,

at 2 o'clock p. m., for the payment of said taxes, with costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

The sums set against the descriptions of the several estates show the amounts due thereon respectively for the tax and assessments, for the nonpayment of which each of said estates is to be sold, not including costs and interest thereon and costs and charges incident to this sale.

The taxes were assessed to

Mrs. W. F. Collins—A lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on both sides of Orchard street, and bounded as follows: Northerly by mill pond and land of F. H. Williams, easterly by land of F. H. Williams, southerly by Boggastow brook and Orchard street and westerly by land of Israel F. Clifford; or however otherwise bounded and described.

Tax assessed for 1899 on this lot amounts to $126.33.

Also a lot of land known as Joe Brick pasture and bounded as follows: Northerly by land of Daniel Denneen and Henry Bullard, easterly by land of Daniel Denneen, southerly by mill pond, westerly by land of Daniel Denneen and John M. Crane; or however otherwise bounded and described.

Tax assessed for 1899 on this lot amounts to $3.89.

Steel Edge Plant, Salmon P. Hibbard, Trustee—A lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the northerly side of the tracks of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., and bounded as follows: Northerly and easterly by the land of the town of Millis, known as the Town Park; westerly by land of Mary B. Thorn, southerly by the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., containing about 9 acres, more or less, and known as the Steel Edge Plant.

Tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $829.50.

Also a lot of land, with the buildings thereon, containing about 1 1-2 acres, known as the Wooden Ware, situated on the southerly side of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., and bounded as follows: Southerly by Lavender street, westerly by land of Mary B. Thorn, northerly by the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. and easterly by the land of the Cliquot Club Bottling and Extract Company.

Tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $85.00.

Or however otherwise either of said parcels of land may be bounded or described.

J. CLARENCE THORNE,
Collector of Taxes for the Town of Millis.

January 2, 1900. ja2,9,16

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of James Woodman, late of Medway, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Daniel S. Woodman, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the third day of January, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executor is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this thirteenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

de19,26,ja2

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Winslow Cook, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, George W. Cook, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county, on the seventeenth day of January, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this twentieth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

de26,ja2,9

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of Mancy M. Daniels, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, residence of deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MRS. MARY E. DANIELS, Executrix

Address Box 790, Franklin, Mass.
Jan. 1, 1900. ja2,9,16

Herman M Fisher

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

AN ADVERTISEMENT

Simply tells the public what you have got. If you never tell the people don't expect them to ask you. That's all there is to it.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

S. H. Barrett has returned from the West.

Joseph P. Bassett is confined to the house by illness.

Ladies' Auxiliary, No. 12, A. O. H., will meet this evening.

The N. E. O. P. enjoyed a social dance on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. L. K. Dearborn has returned from a visit to New York.

Capt. Rudolph Sommers is out after an enforced stay in the house since Christmas.

Wesley Fiske is confined to the house by illness and is threatened with pneumonia.

The Deans and Milford will play at basket ball on Saturday evening at the gymnasium here.

Miss Rachel Thayer passed a more comfortable night last night, but is still in a very critical condition.

Ralph Tracy severely injured the forefinger of his right hand while pounding ice with a stone on Tuesday.

E. F. Harttmann and suite raised up the chiefs of the Red Men's lodge in Norwood on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Stewart and Rev. F. B. Sleeper enjoyed the Moody memorial meeting in Boston on Monday.

A number of young ladies in town are planning to hold a "summer dress party" in Red Men's hall on Thursday evening, Jan. 25.

Don't forget the reading at the High School hall next Tuesday evening, as Mr. Williams is a most capital entertainer.

Alphonso Briggs has removed his family to West Stoughton. His friends here trust that they may be pleasantly situated.

Robert Carlson, seven years old, of the M. E. Sunday school, was present fifty-two Sundays, and was presented with a book by the teacher.

Great preparations are been made for the masquerade ball, which Miss Razee's dance class will give Jan. 25 in Morse Opera house. Are you going?

The annual Roll Call of the Baptist church will be observed next Tuesday evening. A fine program has been prepared, and both church and congregation are cordially invited to be present.

The last car from Woonsocket was stalled by the ice last evening this side of Unionville, and about twenty "camped" in the car till six o'clock this morning—a rather unpleasant experience.

In spite of Prof. Burrington's opposition to Speaker Myers the latter made him chairman of the committee on education and also continued him on the committee on parishes and religious societies.

The Congregational Sabbath school has added seventy-five volumes to its library. One hundred and ten persons received roll of honor badges last Sunday for regularity of attendance during the past quarter.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs Charles A. Robinson, at the home of her mother, Mrs. L. A. Harris, on Sunday. Mr. Harris was unfortunately confined to the house with an attack of scarlet fever at the same time. All are doing well

F A. Hartshorne received a fine present from his son, Fred, recently in the shape of a handsome meerschaum pipe, taken from the Maria Theresa, one of the Spanish vessels destroyed at Santiago. It must have belonged to an officer of high rank, as it is a valuable relic.

Look out for poor punctuation. A newspaper said: "Two young men from Leoti went with their girls to Tribune to attend the Teachers' institute, and as soon as they left, the girls got drunk." The comma belonged after the word girls.

Interest in the meetings at the Congregational church continues with increasing force, new faces being seen each evening. The pastor, Rev. Dr. Sneath, prepares himself very carefully for each service, and a spiritual uplift is manifest. The afternoon meetings have also proven very helpful.

To the suggestion of an editor that apples may be kept through the winter by wrapping each one in a piece of newspaper, a contemporary suggest that the newspaper must be those on which the subscription has been paid, otherwise dampness resulting from what is "dew" may cause the fruit to spoil.

Rev. Dr. Hodge proposes a series of discourses on the question, "Is Death the End?" He will speak of "The Answer of Nature," "The Answer of Man," "Identity in the Life Beyond," "Progress in the Immortal Life." These topics will be discussed at the vesper services at the Universalist church.

Investigation shows that the fire at Henry Poor's house, at South Franklin, was probably caused by mice. The loss was about $2,000 on the house, and nearly the same upon the furniture. The neighbors did noble service in assisting. Mr. Poor, who has been in feeble health for a number of years, died on Wednesday, the funeral occurring today. He was sixty-one years of age, a veteran, and received a pension.

A friend who is watching the Boer war very closely says that Gen. Joubert has said: "England is mighty, but God is almighty. If it be His will that we be annihilated, so be it." It doesn't look much like annihilation thus far. Again, the Boers have done one thing which shows good common sense in the eyes of prohibitionists. During the war the sale of intoxicating liquors is forbidden in the Transvaal.

Members from the two Rebekah lodges at Woonsocket and the West Medway lodge were present at the installation ceremonies held by Lady Franklin lodge Tuesday evening in Odd Fellows' hall. The occasion was a most enjoyable one and the visitors were entertained handsomely by the local members with a banquet, dancing, etc. The following officers were installed: N. G., Lizzie S. Cook; V. G., Bessie Clements; secretary, Harriet E Turner; treasurer, Sarah T. Razee; financial secretary, Addie W. Jewett, chaplain, Emma J. Clegg.

Franklin has paid its county tax of $2,738 to County Treasurer Smith. The total amount for the entire county is $160,000, divided thus: Canton, $3,857; Cohassett, $4938; Dedham, $7071; Dover, $880; Foxboro, $1714; Holbrook, $1338; Hyde Park, $8142; Medfield, $1261; Medway, $1201; Millis, $619; Milton, $17,285; Needham, $2833; Norfolk, $452; Norwood, $3238; Quincy, $15 880; Randolph, $2000; Westwood, $904; Weymouth, $6214; Wrentham, $1333; Brookline; $57,714; Braintree, $4142; Bellingham, $660; Avon, $738; Sharon, $1495; Stoughton, $2714; Walpole, $2071; Wellesley, $0500.

In these days of big fortunes there is a good deal said of large gifts, and surely no man is to be blamed simply because he has amassed large wealth. The methods of obtaining it is often open to question. The following from an exchange hits the nail on the head: "Rockefeller and other multi-millionaires every little while throw out a few hundred thousand dollars for some public and already wealthy institution and their names are published to the world as great benefactors. If they would stop grinding the poor by demanding monopolistic prices for their goods in order to pile up more millions, they would be benefactors indeed. It is base hypocrisy to needlessly raise the prices of the necessities of life at the expense of the struggling masses, and then give liberal instalments to public institutions."

Now is the time to get a good, ripe cold. Put all the heavy clothing you own right on. Do up your neck in swaddles of all kinds; heat up the house to eighty—and have a good cold the rest of the winter. It is ten to one that the mamma or papa, who sees with horror the family joy running off with his skates coatless and without his neckcloth, will have more cold and throat troubles than the careless boys. The fact that you feel cold is no sign that you will have a cold, for you may often take cold while you are quite warm. It is the body which is cold and which is most exposed to the weather that can best stand the sudden chills and draughts which bestow colds right and left among careful, well protected ones. Don't be reckless, but remember that colds are more often taken from too much clothing than from the lack of warmth.—Exchange.

The practice, which is altogether too common, of leaving lighted kerosene lamp burning in stores, especially under which families reside, is a very dangerous one. It puts human life and property in peril. It is not an uncommon thing for kerosene lamps to explode, or the blaze to shoot up out of the lamp chimney in such a way as to set fire to the woodwork or something else near by and cause serious results. Although there is no town bylaw against the practice, yet the law of reason should be in effect. If a light is to be left over night in places of business it should be an electric light, and not a kerosene lamp, or sooner or later sad results are likely to follow.

A Terrible Bereavement

Word was received here Wednesday morning that Alfred Whiting had just been killed while at work at the Broadway bridge in Roxbury. He was working upon the bridge with a number of men, and as he was in the act of driving a nail, and with his head down, he was struck by a train of empty cars which was backed down upon him. His skull was fractured, and he was taken to the emergency hospital in Boston, where he died in about a half an hour, never having regained consciousness. The funeral will be held on Saturday, at two o'clock, at the house; his pastor, Rev. Dr. Sneath officiating. Deceased was fifty years of age, and had been a member of the Congregational church for about thirty years. The widow is nearly prostrated with grief, and there are six children dependent upon her for support. Indeed, the stricken family have the deepest sympathy of everyone in their affliction.

Farmers' Club.

Tl [illegible] :lin Farmers' club met Monday [illegible], Jan. 8, with Dr. T. L. Martin [illegible] ct, "The Diseases of Cattle [illegible]." Dr. Martin said, in part, [illegible] een one of the worst diseases [illegible] yman to contend with, milk f[illegible] hich there had never been a [illegible] medy. It attacks the best c[illegible] most useful age and condition (just after calving), and has nearly always proved fatal. At first she is excited and restless, and soon after her steps are unsteady, and she lays down and cannot rise, growing weaker and weaker, then is unconscious till death.

Within the last two years a remedy has been discovered. The first cow to which he gave this remedy was perfectly unconscious when he was called, and in two days she was eating and practically well. Since that time he had given this remedy many times, and in all but one case it had been a success. In horses spinal meningitis is practically the same disease, and the same remedy is nearly a sure cure. Remarks and questions by many of the club made it very instructive.

After adjournment another hour was spent in social chat, lunch and hot coffee, making it a very enjoyable evening.

Revival Services.

Revival services at the Methodist church still continue with great interest. Several have been converted, and the Spirit of the Lord is working mightily among the people. The service tonight will be of social interest. There will be a short sermon by the pastor, S. A Cook. Subject, "The Almost Christian" Mrs. Chas. Stewart will sing. Come and help us by your attendance! There will also be service Saturday night.

Next week the services will be held in the new and beautifully furnished auditorium.

"O come, let us worship and bow down! let us kneel before the Lord our Maker." "Whosoever will, let him come and take of the water of life freely."

The modern redowa, which some one has aptly named the hobo dance, will be danced at the Masquerade.

Richardson's Market.

This week we have some fine poultry. Turkeys and chickens from 15 to 18 cents, fowls from 12 1 2 to 15, home made pork and sausage 12 cents. Budlong's famous pickles, horse radish for 10 to 15 cents, sweet pickles 20, mixed and plain pickles 10. We have something never before handled here, the famous Franco-American canned soups, all kinds; you have seen them advertised, but never tried them. They have no equal, just the thing when you have guests. All the vegetables and choice cuts of meats.

After Christmas

A lull, but a fine opportunity to sit for the photo's needed to return for those received as Christmas gifts. A special trade on large photos for a few weeks, at

CALKIN'S STUDIO, Depot St.

Private dancing lessons, preparatory for the Masquerade, Jan. 25, by appointment. N. T. Razee.

A Rich Treat.

A most enjoyable open meeting was held by the Alden club on Jan. 8. Owing to the illness of Mrs E. K. Ray Mrs. Wiggin presided There was a most interesting lecture on "Ainne Land and the Eclipse Expedition of 1896," by Mrs. Mabel Loomis Todd, wife of Prof. Todd of Amherst. Her charm as a speaker had preceded her, but none realized what a rare treat was in store for them, as scene after scene of this wonderful trip was brought vividly before them. The expedition was organized by Prof. Todd to observe the astronomical phenomena of the eclipse of 1896 in Northern Japan, and was made possible by the generous assistance of Arthur James and his father, Willis D. James, of New York, who put their beautiful yacht, "Coronet," at the service of science and sent it from New York to San Francisco, laden with the heavy and valuable instruments of research. Here the party of scientists and travelers embarked for their trip across the Pacific to Tokio, where the Japanese government, with warm cordiality, took possession of them and sent the expedition by special steamer to the northern part of the island of Yezo, to Isashi, the spot chosen from which to make their observations.

In the meantime the sight-seers of the party left at Tokio traveled through different parts of Japan, seeing many strange and beautiful sights. Finally, when Mrs. Todd found herself ready to rejoin the expedition, she found herself hundreds of miles away, with no direct way of communication. With a young Japanese companion she started on the long trip, her soul thrilled with longing for adventure and discovery, and with a great desire to learn all about the strange aborigines of Japan, called the Ainu, among whom no foreign woman had ever before traveled. Instead of the difficult trip she had pictured, fraught with exciting surprises and strange adventures, the Japanese government, hearing that one of the astronomical party had been left behind, immediately provided her with a special steamer to take her straightway to her destination, a favor not to be refused. Fortunately an Ainu was taken aboard by her permission, who, though he almost fell prostrate at first sight of the strange white woman, exclaiming again and again, "What is it? What is it?" was finally induced to tell many of the strange and interesting tales of his people. Mrs. Todd before her return was able to make a very valuable collection of Ainu things which she afterward presented to the Peabody institute at Salem.

All were thrilled with excitement as Mrs. Todd described the last few days of waiting for the eclipse, the preparations made, the enthusiastic interest of the Japanese officials, many having come hundreds of miles to this remote spot to see the strangers—and finally the weather. Alas! the weather; how it can fill the soul with despair! Beautiful days were succeeded by two of rain, then the final day came, calm and bright, and all were glad. It darkened suddenly, then cleared, darkened and cleared till within a few minutes of the exciting moment that all had looked forward to so long. Finally it cleared enough for one of the strangest, most awful, and most magnificent sights ever viewed by man, but not enough for a single perfectly clear picture to be taken by the patient, enthusiastic astronomer who had himself invented an electrical instrument by which his different telescopes could have taken 400 fine photographs in the two and one-half minutes while the eclipse lasted—if only the clouds had lifted. Such is the life of the astronomer, and for that $30,000 had been spent and 45,000 miles traversed.

The next meeting of the Alden club will be held on Jan. 22, and the lecturer will be Mrs. May Alden Ward, who will speak of the "Moral Problems of George Eliot's Novels." R

Among the Attractions.

No dance was ever given here with so fine a list of "accompaniments" as will be the Masonic ball next Wednesday evening. The music and banquet will be a treat.

CONCERT PROGRAMME.
Poole's Orchestra of Boston, 15 pieces.
Louis S. Poole, Leader.
March—"Under the Double Eagle" ...... Wagner
Song for Cornet.
E. C. Carr.
Selection—"Frolic of the Brownies" ..... Vogler
Duet—(Flute and French Horn).
C. Holmes and F. Emery.
Medley—"Merry Go-Round" .... Beyer
Solo for Trombone.
A. P. Ripley.
Finale—"Impecunious Davis" .... Mills

MENU.
Creamed Oysters
Lobster Salad Bouchesse of Chicken
Olives Salad Rolls Salted Nuts
Assorted, Plain and Fancy Cake
Large Fancy Ornamental Ices
Small Mixed Fruit Ices
Spun Sugar
Sultana Roll, Claret Sauce
Frozen Pudding Bombe Glace
Brown Bread Parfait Tom Tom with Jelly
Neapolitan Harlequin
Orange and Raspberry Sherbet
Coffee

For Better Music.

Mrs. Lizzie Treen Hosmer, instructor, of music in our schools, has, during the past few months, been actively engaged in stirring up an interest in the appointment of a state director of music in the public schools of Massachusetts, and has secured many influential signers to her petition to this end. For twenty-seven years there has been in the state a supervisor of drawing, who has carried on a similar work concerning drawing that is now proposed for music, and the signers of the petition have realized the benefit to be derived and the need of something in this line. The petition is as follows:

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in General Court assembled:—The undersigned petitioners of Massachusetts respectfully represent that music is taught in all the public schools of all the cities, and in more than 80 per cent. of the towns in the Commonwealth; that said cities and towns are giving such instruction entirely independent of one another, and with varying and imperfect results. Wherefore, your petitioners pray for the enactment of such legislation as may be expedient to provide state supervision of the instruction of music in the public schools, either by the appointment of a state agent or director, as provided in the accompanying bill, or by any other method.

To this she has received the signatures of some of the most influential people of the state. The bill will be introduced by Prof. L. L. Burrington as follows:

Section 1, The Governor, with the advice and consent of the council, shall appoint a director of music, whose term of office shall commence the first day of October, 1900, and who shall hold office for the term of three years or until a successor is appointed, and thereafter every three years a director shall be appointed to hold office for the term of three years. The Governor may remove such director at pleasure and may appoint a director to serve for the unexpired term.

Section 2. Said director shall visit the several cities and towns for the purpose of inquiring into the manner of the instruction of music, of conferring with teachers and committees, of lecturing upon the subject of music, and in general of giving and receiving information, suggesting improvements and rendering aid in such instruction.

Section 3. Said director shall receive such compensation as the Governor and council may determine.

Manager Partridge's Benefit.

The Bridgeport Evening Post of Jan. 5 says, "A good-sized audience saw one of the best melo-dramas last evening that has been presented at Smith's theatre this season. The storm in Apia bay, Samoa, was applauded to the echo by the audience, causing the curtain to be lifted five times before the people were satisfied. The ferryboat scene, leaving the pier and arriving at Jersey City, was so real that some of the audience fancied they would have to get off the boat. There were numerous changes of costume and the scenery was entirely the company's."

Manager Partridge has secured this great company for his annual benefit, which takes place Jan. 18. This same play was seen here two years ago and was said to be the best ever seen in Morse Opera house. As many are inquiring when tickets can be secured it is certainly wise to get them early. Went on sale at Dana's Jan. 10. Prices 25, 35, 50 cents, and 75 for balcony.

A Free Ride to Woonsocket.

Take the electrics to Woonsocket, visit the big Longley clothing house, purchase your clothing, hats, caps, gents' furnishings, etc., and save enough money to pay for your ride, your dinner, and get the best values you ever purchased.

We must sell all these goods, and no sacrifice is great enough to stand in our way. The stock is all new and in first-class condition, and is worth at wholesale today nearly a third more than the prices named at this sale.

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Emerson's Market.

Turkeys, chickens, fowls; legs of lamb, 15 cents; rump and sirloin steak from 20 to 25c; round steak 15c; pork and sausage 10 cents, spinach 20c, lettuce, radishes Boston Market celery and the best selected Cape Cod cranberries, Heinz saur krout 10c. Try Heinz India relish. All the vegetables. Finest butter in town. Canned goods of all kinds

Instruction at Home.

P. DeW. Hodges will be at the Briggs hotel next week from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m., to give information in regard to the Home Correspondence School of Business, of Springfield, Mass. The teaching is done by mail, on thorough business principles. A person can study evenings and continue his work by day. Come and hear the details of the work, its practicability and profit.

Do you dance the four-step schottische? A new round, easy and extremely fascinating. Learn it before Jan. 25.

Go to Ochee's barber shop and get a "winter" hair cut.

Mrs. Charles Rand will shortly canvass for a life of Moody.

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Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Found Dead.

Joseph Sumner, of Foxboro, about sixty-five years of age, was found dead in Frank Woolford's barn this morning. He had been about there a couple of days, and last evening had been down toward Woonsocket with George Woolford, arriving home about 10.30. Both were intoxicated, and Woolford went to bed, leaving Sumner in the buggy, where he was found this morning. There are a few bruises about his head, but possibly not sufficient to cause death, alcoholism being most likely the cause. He was fairly well dressed, and had $12 in his pockets.

Grand Reopening.

Next Sunday will be a great day at the Methodist church. The extensive repairs, which have been going on for the last months, are now complete. The renovation has been so thorough that the building is now practically new on the inside. The work has been well done, and the church is now both comfortable and beautiful.

The services next Sunday will be evangelistic in character, and of special interest. The program is being carefully arranged, and a great day is expected. Special music will be furnished, at both morning and evening services, by the talented and inspiring soloist. Mrs. Charles Stewart.

Baptist Church Week of Prayer.

The meetings of the Week of Prayer at the Baptist church have been exceedingly interesting, and gaining in numbers and spirituality. The large vestry was not sufficient to hold the people, and they have overflowed into the small vestry.

The sermons by the different preachers have been of a marked evangelistic character, appealing directly to the heart and conscience.

Rev. A. H. Davis spoke Monday evening on "Troublesome Thoughts;" Rev. G. H. Horton Tuesday evening on "The Blind Man;" Rev E. C. Ramette Wednesday evening on "Unbelief." Rev. A. B. Loremer was unable to be present Thursday evening, but sent an excellent substitute, who spoke on "Sons of God." There was fine solo singing Monday evening by Miss Lillian Coleman; Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stewart rendered three duets, spiritual and divine in their tendencies; Wednesday Rev. E. C. Ramette sang "Tell Me the Old, Old Story" in French, and offered the Lord's Prayer in French; Thursday evening Mr. J. R. Hosford, choister of the choir, and Miss Fanny Darling, alto, sang two duets, finely blending in harmony and melody.

This evening Rev. R. M. Briggs, of Woonsocket, will preach. The meetings have proven a great success. The large audiences that have gathered have been delighted with the short, earnest spiritual services, full of the Holy Spirit and prayer. Some conversions have taken place, and more seemed promised very soon. The Sunday congregations are very large. Four are awaiting baptism. The church is in a spiritual and revival state, and has a grand corp of workers.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

To Let—Two pleasant rooms, steam heat. Inquire at Dean avenue. 12, 16, 19

All sorts of stove wood, from trash to heavy oak, at the School street wood yard. 12tf

For Rent.—House for one or two families. Inquire of Michael Boyle, Dale street. 12,16,19*

Wanted—A girl for general housework. Apply to MRS. CHAS. F. NYE, Central street. 9

All orders for flowers for the Masonic ball will receive prompt attention at Slade's greenhouse. 12*

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To Let—Cottage, on Winter street near corner of Summer. Apply to Rob't Souther, 30 Fifield avenue, Providence, R. I. 9,12*

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To Let.—Tenement on Central street, with stable room if desired; electrics every thirty minutes. Also for sale, express wagon, pung and harness. Sabin Hubbard. 29,5,12

Potted plants and cut flowers; all kinds of funeral work made up; special rates for all societies in town. Slade's Greenhouse, Central street, Franklin, Mass. P. O. Box 179. 2T

Round-trip Boston tickets can be had at $1.05, (less than the five-trip rate), of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office. Also round-trip Providence and Milford tickets at a saving of 12c from regular fare. Mileage books to let at 2½c per mile.

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Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

FRIDAY, JAN. 12, 1900.

All the states in the Louisiana purchase show the most cordial interest in the coming international exposition in St. Louis four years hence. Each will be represented by a distinct state building and exhibit, says the Globe-Democrat, and they will be a revelation to the world of what a few years ago was dimly known as the far west. While this region is peculiarly rich in minerals, it is also developing fast in agriculture. The territories will be on hand to surprise spectators by the extent and variety of their natural wealth. In products of the soil, in grain, cotton, cattle and fruit, Oklahoma, the juvenile in the list, expects to make it interesting for the older states. An Alaska building would be a good idea, and, at its present rate of advancement, the territory will be able to get up a striking exhibit in 1903. Our new tropical possessions will be there. The basis for an American world's fair has widened greatly and the opportunity will be improved to the utmost in St. Louis.

For the last three years Miss Sarah Cunningham, of Vancouver, B. C., has blindfolded her eyes whenever she stepped outside the door of the little cottage in which she lives all alone. Miss Cunningham is a woman about 40 years old. For years her conscience was troubled by the sights of sin and immorality everywhere visible as she walked the streets of Vancouver. Finally she decided that she could stand it no longer. If she could not put a stop to the wickedness which oppressed her she could at least shut her eyes to the outside world. Consequently she bandaged her eyes. Since that day, in 1896, her eyes have never looked upon the earth. As a result Miss Cunningham reports that she is becoming cheerful. The bright side of life now occupies her mind, and, though she is aware of the fact that there is still sin in the world, it does not trouble her as it formerly did.

The female swindler who knows her business doesn't put chemicals on her hair, says the Cleveland Leader. She doesn't wear many diamonds. "This," she will say, "was my poor, dear mother's marriage ring," and she will show a quaint little stone which she picked up in Buffalo. The chap who is with her, possibly he is a very shrewd lawyer or perhaps a business man who is strictly up to snuff, will gulp down the story, hook, line, sinker and all, and then climb up on the bank after the bait can. His vanity is now so inflamed and he is so infatuated with himself and with the tremendously clever game that he is playing that he has become a helpless imbecile. Women weak? Bah! Go to the fox, thou son of a goose.

There is nothing at all incompatible, feelingly observes the Philadelphia Times, with wishing surgeons and doctors well and entertaining at the same time a violent loathing for the uncivilized boor who, while eating a banana on the street, thoughtlessly lets the treacherous peel drop just where, with the reckless depravity natural to inanimate things, it can best trip up the pedestrian. Fruit is good, eating is not a crime, surgeons must live, and people will go afoot, but there is no necessity for any dangerous combination of this quartette that may be avoidable by a little thought.

Several years ago $[illegible] was bequeathed to the city of Boston by George L. Randidge to be expended "for the sole purpose of affording to the children of the poor of the city, of all religious denominations, the pleasure of one or more excursions during the months of July and August." The income of this perpetual fund amounts to over [illegible] authori[illegible]

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SOME LATE INVENTIONS.

Leaks in metallic pipes can be easily stopped by a new patching device, a U-shaped yoke being passed around the pipe, with the ends of the yoke carrying a detachable head, with a screw in the center, which presses a cushioned patch over the leak.

A combined mop head and wringer has been placed on the market, comprising a pair of fluted rollers held in proximity in the mop head, with a folding crank attached to one roller by which it is made to revolve and wring the cloth.

A Maryland woman has patented a cover for ironing-boards which is always smooth and retains its place securely on the board, the fabric having a series of lacing holes around the edge, in which a lacing strip is inserted, with cords at each end to prevent the cover sliding in either direction.

In an improved fifth wheel for wagons a double row of links is formed into circles, one outside the other, with a series of rollers carried by the circles and adapted to revolve on a circular track, supporting the weight of the front end of the wagon and allowing the truck to turn easily.

GUARDING AGAINST FROST.

In the orange-growing districts of the south irrigation affords the most effective protection against frost, while in sections where this process cannot be employed damp smudge fires, properly handled, are best adapted to general use.

The danger of damage from frost can be materially lessened by placing early and tender plants on high grounds and crests, and hardier plants in low grounds and hollows. When ground can be selected in the lee, or to the south and east of considerable bodies of water, the danger will be further lessened.

In the dry climate of the citrus fruit region of California and in promising fruit districts of Arizona small and numerous fires, preferably of coal burned in iron baskets, have been found the most effective device used for protection against frost; second in point of utility may be placed irrigation, and the practicable process which affords the least protection in that respect appears to be smudge fires.

SOMETHING NEW.

Horses' tails are protected from mud and rain in wet weather by a newly-designed cover, consisting of a tubular sack of rubber or other waterproof material, to be slipped over the tail, a strap being provided at the upper end to attach it to the tail.

Dishes can be secured in a handy position for scalding and draining by the use of a newly designed sink board, which is formed of a series of wooden strips set on edge on a base board, with slots cut in the strips for the insertion of the dishes in a slanting position.

In a new device for hanging or removing pictures from high walls a long pole is provided at one end with a U-shaped bracket, having slots in the ends for the reception of the picture cord, with a central hinged finger which supports the hook by which the cord is attached to the molding.

IF YOU WOULD BE POPULAR

Don't find fault.

Don't contradict people, even though you're sure you are right.

Don't be inquisitive about the affairs of even your most intimate friend.

Don't underrate anything because you don't possess it.

Don't believe that everybody else in the world is happier than you.

Don't conclude that you have never had any opportunities in your life.

Don't repeat gossip, even if it does interest a crowd.

Don't be rude to your inferiors in social position.

Don't express a positive opinion unless you perfectly understand what you are talking about.

Don't jeer at anybody's religious belief.

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"Very well, Johnny. What are they?"

"Breakfast, dinner and supper," was the unconsciously logical reply.—Tit-Bits.

Comparison.

McSwatters—Why are you always borrowing knives and dishes of your neighbors? Haven't you got everything you need in the house?

Mrs. McSwatters Yes, but I want to know if theirs is as good as ours.—Syracuse Herald.

Settled Out of Court.

Mrs. Casey—If iver I catch your goat atin' me washin' agin, Mrs. Mulligan, I'll sue ye fer damages.

Mrs. Mulligan There's no nade of suin', Mrs. Casey. Come over here an' I'll give ye all the damages ye want an' more too.—N. Y. Journal.

Those Loving Girls.

Maude—Do you know that people are actually beginning to call me an old maid?

Clara—Oh, they've been doing that for years, but I suppose you are just beginning to hear them."—Chicago Daily News.

Upside Down.

When he was of the poorer class
He had to pay his fare;
But now he travels on a pass,
For he's a millionaire.
—N. Y. World.

A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she could not live till morning" writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night. "All thought she must soon die from pneumonia, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, saying it had more than once saved her life, and had cured her of consumption. After three small doses she slept easily all night, and its further use completely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all throat, chest and lung diseases. Only 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason's drug store.

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Unbleached Sheeting, yard wide, all standard brands, half cut of 20 yds. 100
Honeycomb Towels, yd. long, travel at 2½
Long Curtains, muslin, with ruffle, pair 39
Extension Rods for Sash Curtains... 5
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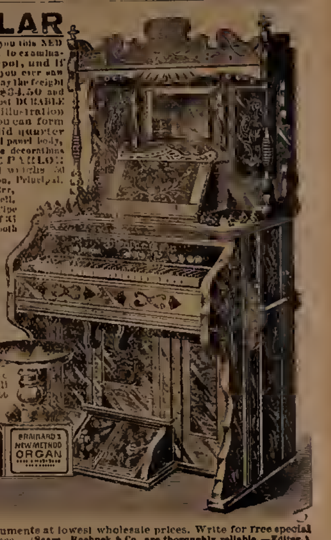

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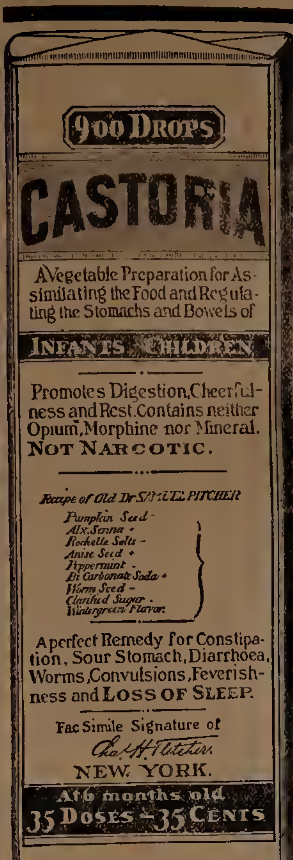
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THEIR EASTER GOWNS

(Written for this Paper.)

"MRS. MARTIN was over to-day, John, and she was telling me of the wonderful new gowns both herself and her daughters are to have for Easter Sunday," and Mrs. Powers gave forth a sigh that meant volumes to her husband.

The Powers family were hard up. The ledger of the Powers manufacturing concern showed a steady loss instead of the expected gain, and everything in the way of needless expenditures had been stopped in the Powers' home. The wardrobe at the Powers' home was full of gowns of all descriptions, all of them in good condition, but a season or more out of style.

"I am sorry to say, my dear," replied Mr. Powers, "that Martin is making money, while I am losing it. He told me a few days ago that he had made $200 more during the past month than he had ever made in any one month before since he had been in business. The Martins can afford new clothes while we cannot."

"Well, there is just this much about it, John, if we are to be compelled to wear our last season's clothes, I, for one, am not going to display our poverty by attending the Easter services, and I had counted on doing so very much." And again Mrs. Powers sighed for the benefit of her husband.

"I am sorry to deprive you of the pleasure of attending church Easter, my dear, but, as I explained before, it is necessary to economize. Why, if my creditors were to push the collection of their accounts at the present time they would force me to the wall. Were it not for the sake of appearances I would suggest that we give up our pew at the church entirely. To a certain extent, however, appearances must be kept up to prevent my creditors from guessing my financial condition at the present time."

Mrs. Powers studied carefully over the word "appearances," and its connection with the business affairs of her husband.

"Your father says he must keep up appearances, and yet can't afford to allow us the money to get the spring clothing we need," Mrs. Powers explained to her two daughters. "I really would like to help him if I only knew how."

"It seems to me," said Ethel, "that he would like to have us get the dresses with which to make a good showing if we can do so without the cost being too great."

"I have an idea, girls," said the mother. "I believe I know of a lady tailor who has just opened an establishment, and who would be willing to make at least one gown, if we furnish the material, in exchange for our influence. In that case, the main question is which one shall have the gown?"

"You, by all means," said both daughters.

And it was so decided. By practicing a little household economy they could get the needed goods, and they would exchange their influence for the services of the tailor. The tailor was seen and signified his willingness to accept such a proposition if based on what he considered business principles. He would charge them a fixed price for the gown—the fact that this fixed price was twice his usual charge mattered neither to the tailor nor to Mrs. Powers, and he would credit them with a certain commission on all work they sent him before Easter. The work on which the commission was to be allowed was to be determined by the ladies presenting one of his cards signed by either Mrs. or the Misses Powers.

"I must tell you what a jewel of a tailor I have found," said Mrs. Powers to Mrs. Smith-Jones, a few days later. "He makes perfectly exquisite gowns, and at a price that is quite reasonable, considering the quality of the work, and quanty is always more of a figure than price, especially at this season of the year, when we wish to look our very best for Easter."

"Do tell me where to find him. I have become so disgusted with all the tailors that I have tried that I had almost decided to do without a new tailor gown for this spring."

"I believe I have his card in the library. Wait a moment and I will see if I cannot find it for you."

When Mrs. Smith-Jones called at the tailor's the Powers gown had been just begun, but was laid aside for more profitable customers who were paying cash.

Mrs. Powers repeated her conversation to Mrs. Pratt the day after Mrs. Smith-Jones had called, and another card was found. Other callers followed and to each of them was told the same story of the wonderful tailor, and to each was given a card. Each caller found it convenient to order her spring gown of the new tailor because the Powers had been leaders in their set, and it would be quite the proper thing to have their gowns made by the Powers' tailor.

When Mrs. Powers called at the tailor's to have her gown fitted it was not yet ready, but there was still an abundance of time. She inquired if her various friends had been there and found they had, at which she was so elated at the success of her scheme that she ordered gowns for her two daughters, expecting that her commissions would more than pay for all three of them. But the existence of all the dresses was to be a surprise to Mr. Powers on Easter Sunday, when she would explain how they had been secured. She was really sorry that the tailor could not make men's clothing, for in that case she would have ordered a suit for her husband as well.

As each order was booked it represented a cash customer and took precedence over the Powers' gowns which did not. But while each new customer brought with her a card none of them had the name of Mrs. Powers on them with the exception of the one presented by Mrs. Smith-Jones, and to the tailor the commission business looked dubious.

As Easter drew near Mrs. Powers and her daughters became excited over the completion of their gowns, and when but a week remained, and they were still not fitted, it seemed as though only a miracle could save them.

Easter Sunday came and the gowns were not completed, and Mrs. Powers and her daughters feigned illness as an excuse for missing the Easter services. A week later the gowns were finished, and with them came the following bill to Mr. Powers:

"To three tailor-made gowns, at $50 each, $150, less commission allowed on Mrs. Smith-Jones' gown, $10; balance due, $140."

Mrs. Powers was astounded. She raved at the tailor and explained to her husband, but all to no effect. The tailor demanded a settlement, and insisted that Mrs. Smith-Jones was the only customer who had brought him a card signed by Mrs. Powers.

When the bill was not paid promptly he sued for a judgment and secured it. That judgment broke the camel's back; the Powers manufacturing concern went to the wall, and all because of Mrs. Powers' attempt at combining appearances and economy.

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MEN IN THE PUBLIC EYE.

A bust of ex-Speaker Reed is being executed in bronze for the Maine legislature.

Prof. Hadley, the new president of Yale, rides a bicycle, plays whist and is an enthusiast over golf.

Since shaving his mustache Senator Deboe closely resembles President McKinley in appearance.

When asked how old he was, Booker Washington told an interviewer that he did not know.

Senator Hansbrough, of North Dakota, was galley boy in the composing-room of the San Francisco Chronicle in 1870.

Chaplain Reaney, of the Olympia, was born on the English steamer Ironsides of which his father was commander.

G. W. Watts, the artist although 83 years of age, is always at work by four a. m., and says that is the secret of his good health.

Attorney General Griggs is a crack rifle shot and may be a member of the New Jersey team that is to test its skill against the District of Columbia sharpshooters.

Sir Alfred Milner is one of the most charitable-minded of men and hates scandal mongers. Cape Town gossips declare that he "would make excuses for a horse stealer."

Among the ministers' sons who have amounted to something" are Senator Hawley, Richard Watson Gilder, Henry James, George Bancroft, Oliver Wendell Holmes, Presidents Cleveland and Arthur, Vice President Morton, half a dozen senators and 40 representatives.

RAILWAY NOTES.

The Italian statistician Luigi Bodio reports in the Giornale degli Economisti that the Italian railways carried in 1897 nearly 12,500,000 foreign passengers, of whom 6,219,813 traveled first-class, 5,668,444 second and only 389,000 third.

The somewhat sharp curves at Lineberg on the second division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad are being removed and replaced with a tangent, thus eliminating about 24 degrees of curvature. About 14,000 cubic yards of material will be excavated.

Railway traveling in Algeria certainly leaves very much to be desired. From Algiers to Biskra is 400 miles, and it requires 36 hours to perform the journey. The trip from Oran to Algiers is 263 miles, and this requires 12 hours. Sleeping cars are required on all night trains and restaurant cars on all through trains.

The new clock on the Great Eastern railway terminus will, when completed, be one of the sights of London, for it will be one of the very largest clocks in the world. It is designed to show the correct time to all the 18 platforms in the station. The case is so large that it would comfortably hold a dining party of four or five persons.

The Central railroad of New Jersey has instituted examinations for its baggagemen. All of the men employed in the baggage department will be compelled to undergo an examination in order to retain their positions. The examination will be in the nature of questions concerning the route of a piece of baggage from one station to another, and methods of tracing lost pieces of baggage, etc.

To Her Dressmaker.

No woman is a heroine to her dressmaker.—Chicago Daily News.

ASK YOUR DOCTOR!
Ask your physician this question, "What is the one great remedy for consumption?" He will answer, "Cod-liver oil." Nine out of ten will answer the same way.
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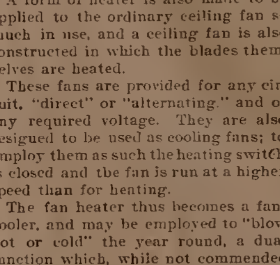
HEATER AND COOLER.

An Electric Fan That Blows Warm in the Winter and Cold During the Dog Days.

The ventilating fan for use in the torrid periods of the summer is familiar to almost everybody, and its service is greatly appreciated by everyone who has felt its cooling currents of atmosphere. There has recently been invented a new device which closely resembles the ventilating fan. It is like the ventilator placed in the wall of a room, but instead of cooling it heats a room. By this process of heating the atmosphere in a room is kept throughout the dimensions of the chamber more evenly heated than by any other known process. It is an electric arrangement and a very clever one.

This heater consists of a wire resistance, in which the heat is generated. It is put into or out of use by simply closing or opening the special switch provided for this purpose, and located in the heating-web.

Another form of fan-heater is arranged so that the blades of the fan are heated by having a heat developing wire mounted on them in a coating of enamel. This enamel becomes hot upon connecting the wire with the circuit which is led to the blades thorugh collector rings on the shaft of the fan.



BOTH HEATER AND COOLER.

A form of heater is also made to be applied to the ordinary ceiling fan so much in use, and a ceiling fan is also constructed in which the blades themselves are heated.

These fans are provided for any circuit, "direct" or "alternating," and of any required voltage. They are also designed to be used as cooling fans; to employ them as such the heating switch is closed and the fan is run at a higher speed than for heating.

The fan heater thus becomes a fan-cooler, and may be employed to "blow hot or cold" the year round, a dual function which, while not commended in individuals, may fairly be claimed to be of the most meritorious character in this inanimate form, and one likely to win for this invention great popularity.

ELECTRIC HAIRCUT.

Paris Has a Shop in Which Tonsorial Operations Are Performed in a Unique Way.

An electrical barber's shop is one of the latest attractions of Paris. This does not mean simply that motors are used for driving fans and the establishment lighted by an electrical current, but that hair is curled, cut and dried by electricity, and many other things done through its agency. Haircutting in this Parisian establishment is done with an electric cutting comb, which, because of its simplicity and the dexterity with which it may be used, must soon become widely employed. This comb looks like any ordinary one, except that a thin wire is stretched above the upper portion of the teeth along the handle. The wire is connected electrically with a storage battery. When the battery is connected the wire becomes red-hot. Therefore when this comb is passed through the hair the latter is burned off by the red-hot wire. The whole operation is so rapid that a heavy head of hair may be clipped in a few minutes. Not only this, but the ends of the hair cannot bleed, so that the benefit of singeing is part of the operation. Hair which has been shampooed is dried very quickly by means of electric fans, facial imperfections are removed with electric needles, and it is understood that the owner of the shop is patenting an electric motor-like device which will be used in place of the hands for shampooing.

How Long We Have to Live.

There is a very simple rule for finding the average number of years which persons of any age may expect to live. If the present age be deducted from 80, two-thirds of the remainder is the answer required. This result is not absolutely accurate, but it is near enough. For instance, a man aged 20 might, by this rule, expect to live 40 years longer, which is just what the latest actuarial tables give. At 40 the expectation of life works out at nearly 27 years, while the tables give it as more than 25 years. At 60 the above rule allows just over 13 years, and the table shows a little less.

Corns and the Weather.

People feel their corns ache and their bones rheumatic when rainy weather is at hand because of the dampness of the atmosphere upon the body, which causes a temporary disturbance of the system. All general disturbances of the body manifest themselves in those parts which are in a morbid state—as in a corn, a rheumatic bone or a decayed tooth.

American Bicycles Abroad.

American bicycles are gaining favor in distant parts of the world. The exports to Argentina have increased from $48,352 in the eight months of the fiscal year 1898 to $117,452 in the first eight months of the present fiscal year. In the same period the exports to Japan have increased from $60,997 to $95,640, and those to the British East Indies from $21,091 to $116,638.

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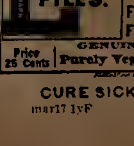
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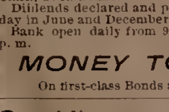
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Shop Work and Cases.

WRENTHAM.

Charles H. Bishop, who injured his hand while driving a well, is at the Homeopathic hospital, Boston, undergoing treatment ——The Advent Christian church has reorganized with Elder J. C. Harris as pastor, Samuel A. Cobb, Jr., deacon, and Thomas Berryman as secretary and treasurer. Services are to be held in the large house near the Buttonhook factory at South Wrentham.—— Miss Shepard, the new assistant High school teacher, is a resident of Northampton.——D. D. G. M. Elbridge J. Whitaker and suite paid an official visit King David lodge, I. O. O. F., Wednesday evening and installed the officers of that lodge. Thursday evening an official visit will be made to Walpole for a similar purpose.——Wampum lodge, No. 195, I O. O F., has voted to purchase a new set of officers' regalia ——The Y. P. S. C. E. will hold a Mother Goose party in Hawes chapel Friday evening.—— William E. C. Leonard, principal of the Plainville High school, has been awarded the Jacob Sleeper two years abroad prize, in connection with Boston university, one of the highest honors the university bestows.

What He Was Looking For.

"I tell you, sir," he said, "the girls of to-day are not properly educated. Before I marry I want to find a girl who is able to cook."

"Yes?" returned the other, disinterestedly.

"Don't you?"

"Can't say that I care particularly about that."

"What kind of a girl do you want, then?"

"What kind do I want? Oh, I want a girl who is able to hire a cook, and incidentally a butler and a coachman and a footman, and all the rest that go to make life comfortable."—Chicago Post.

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Will often cause a horrible Burn, Scald Cut or Bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures Old Sores, Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns, all skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. On 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co. Druggists.

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To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector; Rev. M. J Sullivan, curate.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., will preach at 10.30. "Why Men Chose Barabbas Instead of Christ" Vesper service at 5. Subject, "Is Death the End? The Answer of Nature.". Y. P. C. U. at 6

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper. Theme, "The Boy Christ Fashioning His Future." Sunday school at 12 Young People's meeting at 5 45. Preaching at 7. Theme, "The Conversion of Children." A short after service in the vestry.

Congregational church—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. I W. Sneath at 10.30. Theme, "Unconscious Influence." Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E at 6. Evening worship at 7. Subject, "What Are You Living For?"

Methodist church—Preaching at 10 30 a. m. and 7 p. m.—S. A. Cook, pastor. Services will be held in the newly repaired auditorium. The morning sermon will be the fourth of a series on the general subject: "Lessons from some characteristic Incidents in the Life of Christ." Special subject: "'The Tempted Lord." Evening subject: "Life from the Dead."

Mrs. Charles Stewart will sing at both services.

One Way to Do It.

"How shall I make him prove his love?" she inquired, thoughtfully.

"I thought he had already done it," answered her dearest friend. "You certainly told me it was your custom to sing to him, and he still calls regularly."—Chicago Post.

What He Didn't Like.

Gilback—I am surprised, colonel, at your time of life, that you should have any trouble in managing your wife. All you have to do is to let her think she is having her own way.

Col. Quailer—Yes, but the only trouble is that everybody else thinks so, too.—Brooklyn Life.

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Our floor is covered with Rockers of golden oak, mahogany and maple, and Rockers that are upholstered, and Rockers that gems of beauty, etc. Then there are Odd Chairs, Corner Chairs, Hall Chairs and Easy Chairs.

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and we will sell them at 25 per cent. discount, or one-quarter off.

You pay only **$1.50** for a $2.00 Chair.

You pay only **$3.00** for a $4 00 Chair.

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And there's no deceit in this. Many of you got prices on these goods Christmas week and can verify the truth of our claim.

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Great reduction in prices in our **MILLINERY** and **GARMENT** departments. A few convincing Garment figures:

LADIES' GOLF CAPES. were $6. now	$3.75
LADIES' GOLF CAPES. were $11, now	7.50
LADIES' GOLF CAPES. were $12, now	7.50
LADIES' COATS. were $4 50. now	2.49
LADIES' COATS. were $5, now	2.98
LADIES' COATS. Merceline lining. were $7.50 now	4.50
LADIES' COATS, Taffeta lined, were $11. now	7.50
LADIES' COATS. Taffeta lined. were $12, now	7.50
One lot LADIES' COATS. silk lined. were $12, now	6.50
LADIES' FUR SCARFS, were $4.50, now	3 25
MISSES' GOLF CAPES, were $5. now	3.75
MISSES' GOLF CAPES. were $5. now	2.25
MISSES' GOLF CAPES. were $4.50. now	2.25
MISSES' and CHILDREN'S COATS. were $2 25, now	1.25
MISSES' and CHILDREN'S COATS. were $2 98, now	1.75
MISSES and CHILDREN'S COATS, were $5.98. now	3.75

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Railroad President—That was a bad accident, but it might have been a thousand times worse. Suppose those cars had taken fire! Phew! Why didn't they?

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President—Raise his salary.—N. Y. Weekly.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

SUPERIOR COURT.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court, holden at Dedham within and for the county of Norfolk:

Respectfully represents Abbie M. Darling of Franklin, in said county, that on the first day of January, A. D. 1868, at said Franklin, she was lawfully married to Nathan E. Darling, now of Providence, in the state of Rhode Island; that thereafterward your libellant and said Nathan E. Darling lived together as husband and wife in this commonwealth, to wit: At said Franklin and at Wrentham, in said county, and in said Providence; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Nathan E. Darling being wholly regardless of the same on or about the twenty seventh day of September, A D. 1896, at said Franklin, wilfully and utterly deserted your libellant and has continued such desertion for more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

And your libellant further says that the said Nathan E. Darling, being of sufficient ability, has grossly, wantonly and cruelly refused and neglected to provide a suitable maintenance for her.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Nathan E. Darling, and that such further orders and decrees may be made in the premises as to your Honors may seem just and reasonable.

Dated at said Franklin the thirtieth day of December, A. D 1899.

ABBIE M. DARLING.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, ss.

SUPERIOR COURT.

On the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant give notice to the said Nathan E. Darling, the libellee, to appear before the justices of this court, to be holden at Dedham, within and for said county, on the first Monday of March next, by causing an attested copy of said libel, and of this order thereon, to be published once in a week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first Monday of March next; and further, by sending through the mail, as soon as may be, by a registered letter addressed to the last known residence of the said Nathan E. Darling an attested copy of said libel and of this order thereon, that the said Nathan E. Darling may then and there show cause why the prayer of said libel should not be granted.

By the court.

LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.

January 4, 1900.

A true copy of said libel and of the order thereon.

Attest, R. B. WORTHINGTON, Assistant Clerk.

ja12,19,26

SHERIFF'S SALE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, ss

FRANKLIN, December 6, A. D. 1899

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

TUESDAY, the THIRTIETH day of JANUARY, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse Block, in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Mary H. Wilder of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the seventeenth day of April, 1899, at thirty minutes past six o'clock in the afternoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process), in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon, to wit: Two cottage houses, situated on Broad street, in that part of Medway called Medway Village, in said county of Norfolk, bounded as follows, to wit: Westerly by Broad street, northerly by land of William B. Hodges, easterly by land of Sarah Woodward, southerly by land now or formerly of Lothrop S. Wilder.

Being the same premises conveyed to Clark Partridge by Mason C. Richardson by deed dated November 6, 1865, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 337, fol. 26.

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK, Deputy Sheriff.

ja5,12,19

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It stimulates the growth of tiny, new hairs and gives a refreshing glow to the scalp. We do not claim for it the absurdity that it will make hair appear where no roots are, but it will do just what we say it will—tone up the scalp.

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Are troublesome if they are not serious. The kind that comes upon one after having taken cold, producing a cough that is troublesome and annoying may grow worse. Why not cure it?

OUR TOLU, TAR AND WILD CHERRY

is a reliable and sure cure for these troubles; has been tested the past 20 years in Franklin; always satisfactory.

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Assignee's Sale.

Now is the time to buy your Winter stock of Groceries of the finest quality and at the lowest prices in town.

Sugar, 19 lbs. for $1.

Light Brown Sugar, 21 lbs. for $1.

Fancy Ponce Porto Rico Molasses, never sold before less than 50c gallon, now 40c gallon.

Fancy New Orleans Molasses, always sold at 60c gallon, now 50c gallon.

Good dark Molasses, 30c gallon.

Pure Maple Syrup, 25c quart.

Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.

Boiled cider, quart bottles, 20c.

5 lb. can Java and Mocha Coffee, 90c.

The best 50c, Tea 40c.

The best 60c Tea, 50c.

Fancy Table London Layer Raisins, 20c lb.

Four Crown loose Raisins, 12c lb.

Gilt Edge Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c lb.

Fancy Ribbon Candy. 10c lb.

Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Chocolates, 15c lb.

Lowney's 40c goods now 35c.

We carry the finest quality Butter cut from the tub, 1 lb. prints, 5 lb. boxes, 10, 20 and 50 lb. tubs, at the lowest prices, quality considered.

J. P. Squire's Pure Lard, 8c lb.

10 lb. pails Lard, full weight, 75c.

J. P. Squire's Pure Leaf Lard in 5 lb. pails, 50c.

Mixed Nuts, English Walnuts, Oranges and Lemons in stock at the lowest prices.

Come in and leave your order with us and get the best for the least money.

Gentlemanly Dealing and Prompt Delivery is Our Motto.

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Fancy Turkeys	15 to 18c
Fancy Chickens	15 to 18c
Fancy Fowls	16c
Rump and Sirloin Steak	20c
2 lbs. Round Steak	25c
Legs of Lamb	14c
Fresh Pork	10c
Pork Sausage	10c
Frankfurt Sausage	10c
Fresh Hams	10c
Fresh Shoulders	08c
Salt Pork 8c lb., 14 lbs. for	$1.00
Pigs' Heads, lb	03c

3 lb Pail Lard 30c, 5 lb Pail Lard 45c, 10 lb Pail Lard 80c.
3c for 3 lb, 5c for 5 lb, 8c for 10 lb Lard Pails (my brand) returned.
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OUTFIT NO 1.
This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.

$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 2.
This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs, rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.

$32—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 3.
This outfit is made up with one of our most popular selling chamber suits, including the 2 chairs, rocker, table, mattress, woven wire spring bed and toilet set.

$35—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

The Weeks Furniture Co.,

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Near Opera House.
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Collector's Notice.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate, situated in the town of Millis, in the county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified, according to the lists committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said Millis by the assessors of taxes of said Millis, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction at the town office, Millis, on

WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of JANUARY, 1900,

at 2 o'clock p. m., for the payment of said taxes, with costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

The sums set against the descriptions of the several estates show the amounts due thereon respectively for the tax and assessments, for the nonpayment of which each of said estates is to be sold, not including costs and interest thereon and costs and charges incident to this sale.

The taxes were assessed to

Michael O'Riley—A lot of land situated on the southerly side of Village street, bounded as follows: Northerly by Village street, easterly by land of Elvira Bullard, southerly by land of Moses C. Adams, westerly by land of Horatio Jones.

The tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $21.24.

Walter J. Welch—A lot of land situated on the Holliston road, and bounded northerly by land of J. W. Daniels, easterly by land of J. H. Leland and others, southerly by Boggastow brook and westerly by Holliston road; or however otherwise bounded and described, being the same lot assessed to Walter J. Welch.

The tax assessed in 1899 amounts to $3.88.

James T. Dunson—Two lots of land, each containing about 2500 feet and being lots 183 and 183 on a plan of land of Sherman Park recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds and being "Plan 676."

Tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $1.55.

Arthur B. Dunson—Eight lots of land, each containing about 2,500 feet, and being lots 291, 295, 807, 808, 202, 203, 204, 205, on a plan of land of Sherman Park, recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds, and being "Plan 676."

Tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $6.20.

Michael Haggerty—A lot of land situated on the northerly side of the Holliston road, and bounded as follows: Northerly by other land of Michael Haggerty, easterly by land of James H. Leland, southerly by land of James H. Leland and Holliston road, westerly by land of Henry Bullard.

The tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $1.94.

Michael J. McLaughlin—A lot of land, with buildings thereon, situated on the southerly side of Village street, containing 58 acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: Northerly by Village street, easterly by land now or formerly of Moses Ellis and road leading from Millis to Norfolk, southerly by land of Lewis Richardson and westerly by land of Michael Maguire.

The tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $31.00.

Oliver L. Tebo—A lot of land, with buildings thereon, situated on the southerly side of Farm street, containing 1 acre, more or less, and bounded as follows: Northerly by Farm street, easterly by land of John Shea, southerly and westerly by land of E. F. Richardson.

The tax assessed for 1899 amounts to $12 40.

Or however otherwise either of said parcels of land may be bounded or described.

J. CLARENCE THORNE,
Collector of Taxes for the Town of Millis.

December 20, 1899. de29,ja5,12

SHERIFF'S SALE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, ss.

QUINCY, December 15, 1899.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

SATURDAY, the TWENTIETH day of JANUARY, A. D. 1900,

at nine o'clock a. m., at my residence, No. 53 Franklin street, in Quincy, said county of Norfolk, all the right, title and interest the within named William Metcalf of Quincy had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the eighteenth day of November, A. D. 1899, at nine o'clock a. m. (being the time the same was attached on mesne process) in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land situated in the village of Sheldonville, in said Wrentham, south of the "Old School House Lot," so called, and bounded as follows: Beginning at easterly corner of "Old School House Lot," southerly 6 rods 8 feet to centre of ditch; then southwesterly along center of said ditch 1 rod 7 1-2 feet to land of Wilson Darling; then along said Darling's land in a northwesterly course 6 rods 15 feet to southerly corner of said school house lot; then along southerly boundary of said school house lot to a northeasterly course 2 rods 9 feet to first mentioned corner. A certain tract of land situated in the village of Sheldonville, in said Wrentham, bounded beginning at the northeast corner of the lot as the fence now stands; then S. 24 degrees E. as the fence now stands 4 rods and 8 links far as the southeast corner; then S. 66 degrees W., 2 1-2 rods to the southwest corner; then N. 24 degrees W. as the fence now stands 4 rods and 6 links to the road; then easterly by the main road through Sheldonville 2 1-2 rods to the first corner.

GEORGE H. FIELD, Deputy Sheriff.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next-of-kin and all others interested in the estate of John Buckley, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Ruel F. Thayer, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court for allowance the first account of his administration on said estate, and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the widow and next-of-kin of said deceased,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventeenth day of January, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 28th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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The Franklin Sentinel.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 8.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.06 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

AN ADVERTISEMENT

Simply tells the public what you have got. If you never tell the people don't expect them to ask you. That's all there is to it.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Mr. Williams at High school tonight.

Wesley Fiske's illness has developed into pneumonia.

Charles Gay has gone on a business trip to New York.

Mrs. Charles H. Morse is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Invitations are out for Miss Razee's masquerade, Jan. 25.

Caterer Fairfield will furnish refreshments at the masquerade.

Andrew Nealey has removed his household goods to Putnam, Conn.

The J. G. Ray engine company held a special meeting this evening.

Miss Eliza Galvin is confined to her home in Unionville by illness.

William Coutu of Watertown spent Sunday here with his parents.

Miss Ellen C. Slade is visiting her uncle, Luther Slade, at Worcester.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Young of Milford have been the guests of Fred Young this week.

The Misses Nellie and Jennie Byrnes spent Sunday with their sister at South Framingham.

William Pendergast has returned from Perth, Ontario, where he has been setting up machinery.

Daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. John Morrill and Mr. and Mrs. George Lepine on Monday.

Wheaton Daniels is still very low and his recovery is hardly expected. He is suffering from a shock.

Mr and Mrs. Charles W. Billings of North Cambridge spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. T. J. Daniels.

Willie, the 4-years-old son of Mr. and Mrs John Collins, of Garfield street, is suffering with bronchitis.

Miss Harriet Skinner of Bristol, R. I., is the guest of a former classmate at Wheaton seminary, Mrs. C. B. Johnson.

Walter F. Fiorani, who has been engaged in the Bresnahan grocery store, has severed his connection with that firm.

At the masquerade those not in fancy costume, but wishing to dance the first of the program, will be expected to mask.

F. G. Saylor is now located in East Taunton, where he has a rubber reclaiming business, having been burned out at Norwood.

The Universalist Ladies' Social circle meets tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Fred L. Davis, Summer street.

The prospects are that the High school will be filled this evening to listen to Mr. Williams, the reciter, with an interesting program.

The ladies who attend Manager Partridge's benefit Thursday evening are requested to remove their hats during the performance.

Mr. and Mrs William C. Lyons of Cambridge spent the Sabbath with Rev. Mr. Sneath, also Mr. and Mrs. Karl H. Weinschenk of Dorchester.

The concert and ball of the Rambler base ball club, to have been held in Music hall tomorrow evening, has been indefinitely postponed.

Nathan B. Arnold has returned to his duties at the J. F. Ray office after a two weeks' confinement to his residence on account of a lame back.

All Franklin firemen are requested to meet in J. G. Ray engine house tomorrow evening to choose a president of the Franklin Firemen's club.

The Lawrence Guild will meet with Miss Eda Hough on Cottage street for its monthly literary evening tomorrow (Wednesday) evening at 7 o'clock.

The Austro Hungarian consul is making inquiry for Rosalie Szwice, supposed to be living in Franklin or vicinity, and for whom he has important papers.

There will be no meeting of Griffin court tomorrow evening, the regular meeting night, the court having kindly given up the meeting room to the Masonic fraternity.

The electric cars ran half hourly to Hoag's pond Sunday afternoon and were well filled with people bound for an afternoon's skate. The pond was crowded with skaters.

There will be a regular meeting of the Mothers' section on Friday, Jan. 19, with Mrs. Daniels on Dean avenue. Paper, "The Child in Relation to Others," by Mrs. Alice Rockwood.

The cellar under the store recently opened by Nathan Daniels on Union street for the sale of cider was broken into som time last night and a number of jugs of cider carried off.

Meetings are being held this week on Monday, Thursday and Friday evenings in the Congregational church. There have been several conversions and the outlook for others is very good.

The young ladies who had planned to hold a summer dress party at Red Men's hall on Thursday evening, Jan. 25, have decided to change the time and place for giving the party to next Monday evening, Jan. 22, at Foresters' hall.

The Annual Parish Meeting of St. John's Mission will be held at the Rectory on Crescent street tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock. All Parishioners and persons regularly contributing to the support of the Mission are entitled to be present and to vote.

George W. Cochrane left today for Bangor, South Dakota, where he will be associated in business with his half-brother, E. H. Cowell, a former resident here and a pupil at Dean. Mr. Cochrane's friends trust that his new venture may be both a pleasant and a profitable one.

The Masonic ball tomorrow evening promises to be all that its promoters have hoped for, and its success is assured, barring the accident of unfavorable weather. Many out of town guests are expected this year from Woonsocket, Milford and elsewhere, and the society event of the winter is anticipated.

Ice dealers have been harvesting their supply of ice for next year's consumption. It is the most solid ice they have been able to gather for many years, as it was the first freeze of the season and no surface water or rain or snow was frozen into it. Consumers will find that it will last in their refrigerators or ice water tanks much longer than the porous, snowy ice.

The funeral of the late Alfred Whiting was held on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the house, his pastor, Rev. Dr. Sneath, officiating. The attendance of mourning friends and relatives was of especial comfort to the sorrowing widow. It is understood that Mr. Whiting left an accident policy amounting to $1,000, which can hardly fail to be appreciated at this time.

Dean won its second victory at basket ball at the gymnasium on Saturday evening, when the Milford High school team were their opponents. A fair-sized audience look on with deep interest, for the game was lively and exciting, with the Dean boys having the best of the argument throughout, although the Milford players put up a good game. The score stood: Dean 15, Milford High 6.

A new rule in regard to calling out stations has been put in force by the management of N. Y., N. H & H. R. R. Instead of just thursting their heads inside the doors and shouting indistinct names, the brakeman are now required to advance toward the centre of the car and announce that "the next station will be Milford, Bellingham or Franklin," as the case may be, in a voice that is clear and distinct. Conductors have been ordered to strictly enforce the new rules.

Amos Ryder died at the residence of Mrs. Albert Newell, on Sunday, in his seventy-first year. He was a painter by trade, but has been unable to work for a number of years, having suffered from injuries by falling from a ladder. Some months ago he also broke his hip, still further incapacitating him. He had no relatives here, but had sisters living in Attleboro and Providence. The funeral will be held at the house on Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Hodge officiating.

On Thursday, Jan. 18, Deputy Supreme Governor Edward Lincoln of Boston will install the following officers of Gov. Winslow colony, No. 84, U. O. P. F.: Gov., Charles McDougall; lieut. gov., Mrs. McNamarra; sec., Laura Lee Whitney; col., E. F. Hurttmann; treas., E. O. Simonds; chap., Abbie G. Bassett; sergt-at-arms, Lena Holbrook; dept. sergt., Annie Jacobs; inside sentinel, John Bassett; outside sentinel, J. D. Hatch; permanent member, A. J. Gallison; rep., R. Sommers.

The following musical programme will be given by the American band orchestra, 10 pieces, at Manager Partridge's benefit on Thursday evening: Military march, "First Brigade;" overture, "La Dindeme;" rag-time march, "The Belles of Dixie;" medley march, "Where the Sweet Magnolias Bloom;" medley overture, "War Songs of the Boys in Blue;" march, "Our Naval Cadet;" "Pastimes on the Levee;" galop, "On the Campus." The orchestra will be accompanied by Mrs. Mabel Tracy, pianist.

In a letter received here recently from John Kingsley, who is serving a six-months' sentence in the prison at Charlestown navy yard, the writer states that he was not convicted on the charge of desertion, but, on the contrary, was acquitted on that allegation after a trial, in which he acted as his own counsel, although he was permitted to have regular counsel had he so desired. The offense for which he is now undergoing a term of imprisonment is for absence without leave, to which charge he plead-ed guilty. Had Kingsley been found guilty of desertion the sentence would undoubtedly have been at least two years' imprisonment and the taking away of his citizenship.

A rather significant thing in regard to the death of Alfred Whiting comes to our notice. Although a member of the Congregational church his work for the railroad, especially upon bridges, had not admitted of his being at home upon the Sabbath, since that was the time when his services would be most in need, on account of the light traffic upon that day. But upon the Sabbath preceding his death it came about that he spent the day here. He attended evening service and also went into the after meeting. While there he spoke briefly in regard to his faith in God. It is safe to say that nothing could have been further from his thoughts than that within a few short hours he would be called upon to put that faith to the test.

Christ Church Guild of Medway will give an attractive entertainment this evening, at 7.30 o'clock, in Sanford hall, which may be of interest to Franklin people. Stanton H. King, superintendent of the Sailors' Haven, Charlestown, Boston, an ex-Seaman of varied and extensive experience in the Merchant Marine and U. S. Navy, will deliver a lecture replete with anecdote, wit and adventure on "Reminiscences of Twelve Years Before the Mast." Mr. King will bring with him six sailors, who chance to be in port, who will sing "Shanties" or Sea Hauling songs and choruses, and will give the remarkable sailor dances which so delighted a Franklin audience recently. After the entertainment all who wish may dance on the fine new floor until 12 o'clock.

The officers of King David lodge, I. O. O. F., were installed Wednesday evening by D. D. G. M. Whitaker and suite, as follows: N. G., B. H. Cochrane; V. G., E. H. Ferrer; R. S., George W. Blake; F. S., Frank Bacon; treas., S. Arthur Perkins; W., E. F. Harttmann; con., E. J. Fitzgerald; O. G., J. D. Sanborn; I. G., J. D. Hatch; R. S. N. G., George H. Gatchell; L. S. N. G., Harry Norris; R. S. V. G., Pedro Nones; L. S. V. G., F. V. Osborne; R. S. S., W. J. Stewart: L. S. S., Joseph Snodgrass; chaplain, O. B. Blake. The district deputy grand master was accompanied by the following suite: G. W., E. Lewis; G. S., E. McGaw; G. F. S., A. Willard; G. T., James Carpenter; G. J. G., Louis Fisher; G. M., S. Cowell, all of Wampum lodge, No. 195, of Wrentham. A banquet followed the work.

The machinery was started in the new linen mill at Unionville last week, and operations may be said to have been commenced, although not as yet on a large scale. There are twenty new looms set up and in running order, and a quantity of toweling was turned out last week, the first ever manufactured in this section. Four looms are now kept running and the company intend to have the twenty new looms in operation as soon as weavers can be obtained. The Textile plant at Worcester, which is still running, will shortly be closed and the machinery removed to the Unionville plant, and it is expected that in the spring the mill will be operated to its full capacity and that between 150 and 200 hands will be at work. The alterations and additions to the building are now about completed and the company is losing no time in the effort to have the plant running to its full capacity at as early a day as possible.

Lincoln J. Carter's great naval drama, "Under the Dome," in Dresser Opera house Thursday night was undoubtedly the best play seen here for a long time. It was produced by a very strong cast of characters, fourteen people being represented. A very large lot of special scenery is carried and it was shown to very good advantage even on the small stage. Some of it was very realistic, especially the fore-deck of the ferry boat from Hoboken to New York, with the perfectly natural noise of the engines, swish of the water and rattle of chains as she entered her dock and was moored; also the firing of the admiral's salute from the assembled war vessels in the harbor; the storm scene, showing the Trenton going to her doom, was as realistic a piece of stage setting as was ever shown in town, and the curtain had to be rung up several times before the audience had seen sufficient of the thrilling scenes. A very large audience was present taking into consideration the severity of the weather. The play may be produced here again by special request later in the season.—Southbridge Herald.

Night Officer Connor is looking for William Mahoney, a Boston mason, who has been working in town lately, and whom the officer had in custody for a time on Friday night on the charge of breaking a window in an electric car while the latter was stopped on the bridge in Central square. Mahoney had been placed in the lockup about 11 p. m., the officer not locking him in a cell, but allowing him the freedom of the corridor. Officer Connor locked the outer door and then went to the store of Alfred Farrington, where he had in keeping the remains of Joseph Sumner. When he went to the lockup next morning he discovered that Mahoney had escaped. The officer says that he will have Mahoney returned here for trial It is stated that Mahoney went to Woonsocket Friday and returned on a late car, which was in charge of Conductor Ward. Trouble arose between the conductor and Mahoney on the trip, and when the car reached here Mahoney got off at the bridge and went into the lunch cart. The car went on to King street and soon returned to the bridge. Here Mahoney, it is stated, came out of the lunch cart with a coffee cup in one hand and threw it at Conductor Ward, but the cup went wide of the mark and went through a window glass instead. Mahoney is said to live in Cambridge.

"Home Again."

There was a happy reunion at the Sanger homestead on Pond street last Saturday. For the first time the entire family of Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Sanger were together. Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Chamberlain and Miss Grace B. Sanger of London, Eng.; Mr. and Mrs. Wales R. Stockbridge of New York and Mr. and Mrs. William H. Sanger and four children of Boston. With the latter came Miss Mina E. Wells, one of "Grandma" Sanger's California "girls." The children and grandchildren, coming from New York and Boston, met at the station at 9 o'clock. A light express wagon had been transformed into a picnic wagon, which carried the entire party to the farmhouse on Pond street. "Home Again" was sung with much earnestness as the team drove up to the door. After that fun reigned supreme until the children and grandchildren departed on the evening train for Boston.

The family was together at the silver wedding anniversary eighteen years ago. Mr. Sanger was then in business in California, whither he returned immediately after that interesting occasion. In the following year the oldest daughter was married, and shortly afterwards Mrs. Sanger and the two unmarried daughters joined Mr. Sanger in California. Since then the family circle has not been complete until last Saturday's reunion.

H. R. Chamberlain, the husband of Abbie Sanger, is the European correspondent of the New York Sun. He began his career as a newspaper man on the Boston Journal, and one of his first "assignments" brought him to Franklin to write up the opening of the railroad line between this town and Providence. He has written several books that have had widespread circulation, the best known being "The Farmers' Alliance" and "Six Thousand Tons of Gold."

W. R. Stockbridge, the husband of Harriet Phippa (Daisy) Sanger, is junior member of the export commission firm of Cumming & Stockbridge of New York and Hamburg.

W. H. Sanger, the son, is assistant clerk of the Massachusetts Senate. Formerly he was connected with the Boston Journal and covered Franklin news for that paper. His wife was Nellie S. Bridgman, daughter of Joseph C. Bridgman of Hyde Park. C.

After Chrismas

A lull, but a fine opportunity to sit for the photo's needed to return for those received as Christmas gifts. A special trade on large photos for a few weeks, at CALKIN'S STUDIO, Depot St.

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Mrs. Charles Rand will shortly canvass for a life of Moody.

Go to Ochee's barber shop and get a "winter" hair cut.

Don't fail to learn the three-step before the Masquerade.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

The Flower Fadeth.

> "Then fell upon the house a sudden gloom,
> A shadow on those features fair and thin;
> And softly, from that hushed and darkened room
> Two angels issued where but one went in."
> —Longfellow.

Sadly dissonant with the chimes of the Sabbath bells and the gladsome beauty of a perfect winter's morning came the unwelcome tidings of the death of Rachel M. Thayer, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Addison M. Thayer, after a month's wearying and exhausting battle with typhoid fever. Not a little of the time she had been delirious, her thought being mainly upon her studies at Dean and the necessity for her immediate presence again in her classes at that institution.

All that medical skill could do was hers; trained nurses watched every symptom, encouraging or otherwise, but for the past week or two there was nothing but to wait for the turning point of the fever and hope for the best. This came on Saturday night, but then the already enfeebled frame was unable to sustain the heavy demands made upon it, hemorrhages set in and the young life slowly ebbed away.

It is of infinite comfort to the grief stricken parents to remember that her last words were, "Don't cry, papa; I'm only going home." Her life had been a singularly bright and sunny one, and one of her joyous nature could find in it much of pleasure and happiness for herself and others. Indeed, she had often said that if people were as happy in heaven as she was upon earth it must be a veritable paradise.

It is not difficult to believe, and it is a pleasing thought withal, that her entrance into the other world was marked by a welcome from her grandfather, Rev. William M. Thayer, who died a year or two ago, and whom she loved dearly. One can imagine her saying to mourning loved ones:

> "I hear a voice you cannot hear,
> Which says I must not stay;
> I see a hand you cannot see,
> Which beckons me away."

She was gifted in many ways, an apt pupil, developing into an excellent scholar, a clever musician, and as a child possessed a certain grace of movement peculiarly her own. She was the idol of her parents, who lavished a wealth of affection upon her, and was exceedingly popular with her mates in school and out. Gifted with a lively, vivacious disposition, she made friends easily, winning them to her by very force of attraction.

In the newly remodeled house every effort had been made to provide for her comfort and convenience, consulting her taste and wishes to a marked degree, little thinking how brief would be the time afforded her in its enjoyment. Only a week before her death she was awarded, with others, the badge for constant attendance upon the Sabbath school, it being taken to her bedside by her dearest friend and schoolmate, Miss Marjorie Ray. Among the flowers that will tomorrow grace her casket will be one from the Sabbath school in loving remembrance of her.

The funeral will be held at the house on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Rand of Watertown officiating, assisted by Rev. Dr Sneath of this place. She was 16 years and 3 months old at the time of her death.

Words are indeed inadequate to express the grief of the parents as they face the future with the loved one out of sight, though so constantly in memory, and not unnaturally the question comes to them as it would to us, "Why should this thing be? Why this young life cut off in its first blossoming when the future appeared to hold for it so much of happiness and joy?" The only answer which comes to aching hearts is:

> "The death change comes.
> Death is another life. We bow our heads
> At going out, we think, and enter straight
> Another golden chamber of the King's,
> Larger than this we leave, and lovelier.
> And then in shadowy glimpses, disconnect,
> The story, flower-like, closes thus its leaves,
> The will of God is all in all. He makes,
> Destroys, remakes, for His own pleasure all."
> Bailey.

Revival Services.

Revival services at the Methodist church still continue with ever increasing interest. This week has started out better than any week thus far. A large number have already been converted, and many others are deeply interested. "Behold what God hath wrought!" This week will finish these special services. There will be a meeting every night including Saturday. Special singing at every service, solos, duets, quartet, etc. The gospel of Jesus preached in its simplicity is proving itself to be "the power of God unto salvation to every one who believes." Come as often as you can this week. This is a gracious season of refreshing from the presence of the Lord. You cannot afford to miss it. Come, and welcome. Come tonight. Bring your friends and neighbors.

Have you taken that trip to Woonsocket yet to get your clothing at Longley's? Don't delay till the bargains are gone.

Accident or Murder?

The cause of the death of Joseph Sumner is still unknown, though every effort is being made to ascertain it. Last week District Attorney Harris notified County Examiner J. C. Gallison to make an examination, and this was done by the Drs. Gallison and Dr. Crowley. They report a fracture of the skull and a bruise upon the head, the fracture not necessarily causing death, but that might be a possible result. The stomach was removed and is reserved for future examination. No smell of liquor was discernible about the person of Mr. Sumner when he was examined, though that does not imply that he had not been drinking. The body is still under the control of the district attorney, who has given permission for its removal to Foxboro and placed in a tomb.

The story had gained credence that in his pockets was found a bottle of laudanum. This was not so, but a small half-ounce vial of chloroform, none of which had been used, was found, and another still smaller bottle empty. Those who know him assert that he was accustomed to carry it with him to alleviate the distress of asthma. Various stories are current upon the street such as being met on the way to Woonsocket, when with Woolford, and having the appearance of being tied into the wagon, Woolford being out of the carriage at the time. If such be the fact, it would give all the more color to the theory that Sumner, in his intoxicated condition, fell from the buggy, and was replaced by his companion and brought to Franklin. Whether Woolford realized the condition of his companion may never be known, as only he can say, and it is doubtful if he could be drawn into anything incriminating, provided there be anything of that nature.

For forty years Joe Sumner has been noted in the vicinity as a sport and a man who wanted to get along without hard work. For many years he lived on a farm in the south part of Wrentham and occupied the attention of the officers who watched for illegal liquor selling. For the past few years the public has seen and heard little of Joe. It is said at times he was almost a total abstainer from alcoholic liquors and at other times a hard drinker. He was more or less associated with the Woolford boys, Frank and George, for many years the Woolfords, when young, living near the northern line of the town of Wrentham. Sumner has one or more sisters living, but no children.

Woolford says that Sumner said when leaving a friend whom they met while out driving: "I will never call on you again." Woolford also said that the dead man spoke to him something about death, but he could not remember what it was, because he was so drunk at the time. His was simply a recollection, he said, of some talk about the matter, but his memory of what it was failed him.

At all events the matter is at a standstill until there is further action by the district attorney, which will not be until all of the facts are placed before him, so that he can decide as to bringing the matter before the grand jury. Meanwhile public interest is at a very low ebb, and it is quite likely little further thought will be given the matter.

Private dancing lessons, preparatory for the Masquerade, Jan. 25, by appointment. N. T. Razee.

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Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

TUESDAY, JAN. 16, 1900

Unfair Discrimination.

An attorney of Kenosha, Wis., has presented to the city council a bicycle ordinance which prohibits women from riding unless they have passed an examination as to their fitness to guide a wheel. When the attorney announced his determination to draw the ordinance the matter was considered as a huge joke, but the affair now has gone so far that it seems certain that the city council will take some action on the question. The ordinance provides that it shall be unlawful for any female to ride in Kenosha without having first obtained from the city clerk a license. To obtain this license the applicant must be examined by three experts as to her ability to ride without endangering the safety and personal rights of others. If the experts put their "O. K." on her riding she must file a $100 bond "that all damages caused by the careless riding or other improper handling or manipulation of a bicycle will be paid by the said female if the accident is shown to be resultant from the carelessness of said licensee." The experts will conduct their riding academy in Market square. It is further provided that it shall be unlawful for any woman to ride within the corporation limits of Kenosha without having first obtained a license, and any violation of the ordinance is to be punished by arrest and a ten-dollar fine. The fines are to be the compensation of the experts. In no case is the ordinance to apply to any woman riding with a man escort on a tandem.

The Mad Rush for Riches.

There is a solemn warning to be read in the fate of a New York broker, who is reported to have collapsed mentally while endeavoring to execute an order in the stock exchange. The excitement proved too much for his overstrained brain, and he fell deliriously, calling out "37," the price he offered for the shares desired by his customer. This tragic occurrence does not stand alone to point the dangers that humanity encounters daily in the race for riches. Many men are in sanitariums and asylums as a result of straining their physical and mental powers to the breaking point while trying rapidly to acquire wealth. Others nerve themselves to a continuance of the conflict by the indulgence in stimulants, which in time causes either disease or a general weakening of the system. A few survive the battle apparently uninjured because they are by nature strong in body and mind beyond the average of their fellows. A man should endeavor to gauge his capacity with accuracy in order that he may not attempt accomplishments beyond the reach of his abilities. His success depends upon the judgment displayed in this particular. It would be better for him to achieve less than to seek too much and collapse in the effort to excel.

Miss Jane L. Buchanan, a young woman of Southern Pines, N. C., has discovered a new field of industry for women in grape-packing. As the grape season lasts only a few weeks, in order to make it pay she contracts with various vineyards, and has a corps of experienced girl workers, trained by herself.

Maine is not called upon for as much ice as in former days, but the thrifty people of that state are well qualified to discover new industries. In the past year 6,400 Angora cats raised in Maine have been disposed of in the large Atlantic cities. Some of the finest specimens sell for $50 each.

On Monday a Kansas girl waved her handkerchief at a stranger and on Tuesday they were married. On Wednesday she waved a rolling pin at her husband and on Thursday he applied for a divorce. That's what the wife waves are saying.

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BITS FROM ENGLAND.

English barbers charge three cents for a shave and are talking of raising the price.

Eight million letters were undelivered by the British post office last year.

London policemen have been forbidden to wear tan shoes on the ground that they are "too stylish."

An English chemist has discovered that the adulteration of beer is almost exclusively confined to London. Of 3,165 samples which he examined 421 were found to be adulterated.

According to a recent official return, England during the last ten years has paid off $355,000,000 of her national debt, and as a matter of rank in the debtor nations has sunk to third place, France and Russia occupying first and second respectively.

Mr. McDougall, of the London county council, is afraid that the Thames will run dry owing to the dams that are being built in the upper reaches of the river. Last year 843,000,000 gallons of water a day passed over Teddington Weir in May; the figures for this year are 550,000,000 gallons in May. It is feared that the result may be an epidemic of disease, arising from the undiluted sewage of the city.

A Martyr to Pleasure.

Farmer—Say, you won't catch any fish there! I ain't anyone ever caught any in that stream.

Fisherman—All right. It don't matter. I'm only fishing for the pleasure of it!—Puck.

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HE FEARED THE GATE.

Doctor Aptly Illustrates to His Patient His Belief Concerning Death and the Hereafter.

Late one stormy evening the old doctor was summoned to see a man who had been attacked with sudden illness on the cars and had stopped at a little inn near the railway station, about three miles from the village. The patient proved to be Squire Joyce, from the neighboring county, whom the doctor slightly knew. He examined him carefully, and gave him medicines taken from his saddle-bags. Then he rose to go, smiling cheerfully down at the anxious face of the sufferer.

"You will, I think, find yourself better in the morning; able, I hope, to go on your journey," he said.

"Yes. Stay a minute, doctor. I want you to be honest with me. I have had seizures like this before. Shall I have them again?"

"It is probable."

"I want the truth—all of it."

"Yes, they will return."

"I may die in one of them—to-morrow?"

"Yes. Or it may be, not for years. It is uncertain. Do not waste your life in anticipating them. We all must go through the same gate some day."

"The gate—yes! But beyond the gate—what is there?"

His eyes were on the doctor's face, full of doubt, almost of pain.

The two men were silent a moment. "What is there?" Joyce repeated, harshly. "You are a member of a church—a Christian. I have no religious belief. Tell me, for the love of God, what is there beyond? If I may go to-morrow, what shall I find?"

"I do not know."

Joyce did not speak for awhile, and then gave a forced laugh. "I need your help more for this than for my disease. I'd rather talk to you than to a clergyman. You are a shrewd man of the world, and a good man. Sometimes I am greatly depressed, thinking of this darkness into which I am going. For thousands of years men have gone out into it, leaving their loved ones behind, and not one has sent back a word to say how it fares with him—not one."

In the silence that followed the rain beat against the windows. There came a slight whimpering cry from without.

"You are an old man, doctor," said Joyce, turning quickly on him. "You are not far from the gate yourself. Are you not afraid of what may be beyond?"

"No," said the old man. "No, I am not afraid. May I ask you to look here." He rose and opened the door. Outside, in the dark hall, lay a little fox terrier, drenched with rain. He was crouched on the floor, his eyes fixed on the closed door.

"This is my dog, a bright, affectionate little fellow. He has followed me through the storm, and has been lying outside the door, knowing that I was in this closed chamber. He never was here before. He did not know what was in this room. He did not care to know. I was in it, his master, whom he loves, who has cared for him. He was not afraid."

Joyce looked at the doctor keenly a moment before he spoke.

"You mean—"

"I mean that I am like poor Punch. I am not afraid of the dark room to which I am going. I do not ask to know what is there. I believe that my Lord and Master is there. In all these later years of my life I have felt that He cared for me. My confidence has been such that I have been assured that in my hours of trial He has never failed me here. I sincerely believe He will not fail me yonder."

"But I—I do not know Him."

"He knows you. I think I am authorized by the declarations of the Bible to say that His hand is stretched out to you. You can accept Him as your Guide and Teacher if you will. That done in sincerity, you will not fear the gate nor all that lies beyond."—Youth's Companion.

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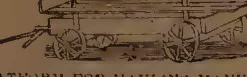

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$2 00 Comforters, double-faced sateen	119
Outing Flannels, 10c quality, at. ...	6¼
Blankets, double bed size, now......	41
Soiled $1.50 Blankets marked down to	98
White Bed Spreads, good one for ...	59
Unbleached Sheeting, yard wide, all standard brands, half cut of 20 yds	100
Honeycomb Towels, yd. long, travel at	2½
Long Curtains, muslin, with ruffle, pair	39
Extension Rods for Sash Curtains ..	5
How's this: French bristle tooth brush	2½
Unbreakable 25c Dressing Combs for	15
Featherstitch Finishing Braid, piece ..	2½
Tip-top Note Paper, lb. pk. 102 sheets.	12½
Linen Thread, 200 yd. spools, all colors	6
Black Cashmere Gloves, always 25c..	15
Kid Gloves, P. & P. dollar brand, for	69
Dress Prints, light or dark, sale price	3½
Dress Ginghams, 10c quality........	6¼
Fall Dress Goods slaughtered, original prices 25 to 62c, now in 3 lots at	39, 29, 19
54-inch all-wool dollar Homespuns at	69
Ladies' Jersey Vests and Pants, 60 per cent wool, worth $1, they go at....	59
Ladies' and Misses' Jersey Vests.....	19
Ladies' Night Gowns, large bodies, for	39
Ladies' Drawers, fruit cotton, go at..	25
Dress Skirts, black figured mohair..	1.39
Dress Skirts, choice English serges and nobby plaids, were $4 to $6, now	2 98
Wrappers, fleece lined, finest percales	98
Ladies' Kersey Jackets, were $5, now	1.98
Choice of any Jacket in the house for	5 00
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Tailor-made Corsets, sale price......	39
Globe dollar Corsets marked to.....	59
Umbrellas, steel rods, loop handles..	39
Umbrellas, Dresden handles, were 1.50	98
Irish Point 50c. Shams and Scarfs...	25
Taffeta Ribbon, all silk, 4 in. wide..	15
Beaded Elastic Belts, were $1........	50
Ladies' Black Fleece Hose, 3 pairs for	25
Ladies' Ribbed Wool Hose now	12½
Ladies' 25c import'd Fleece Hose, 3 prs	50
Children's heavy ribbed Fleece Hose	12½
Here's fun: good pair boys' Braces....	5
Men's quarter Suspenders half price	12½
Men's wool Half Hose, all colors....	12½
Cotton Half Hose, black or brown seamless, 6 pairs for...............	25
Men's Merino Shirts and Drawers....	17
Bangup fleece-lined Underwear for ..	39
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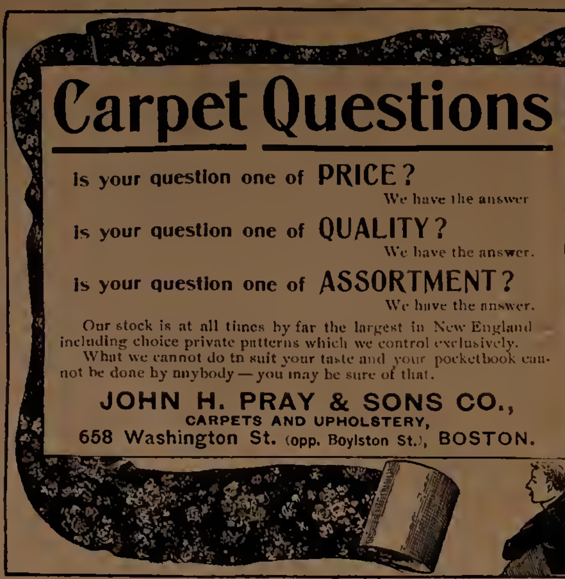

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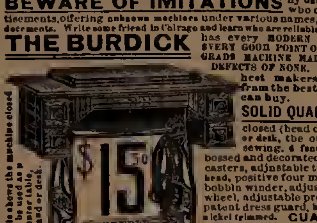

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LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$549,661 81
Guarantee Fund..........		27,152 79
Profit and Loss Account..........		13,909 55
Interest Account..........		12,960 49
Real Estate Income Account.........		543 71
		$604,830 35

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure..........		$27,073 00
Town and City Bonds..........		7,071 25
Bank Stock..........		29,182 62
Railroad Bonds..........		109,800 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		30,300 00
" " Mortgages..........		172,385 00
" " Personal Securities		18[illegible],95 75
" " Railroad Stock..........		11,000 00
Bank Books..........		75 00
Town Notes..........		5,000 00
Tax Account..........		1,471 8[illegible]
Expense Account..........		960 03
Bank Furniture..........		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank..	$9,037 74	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	5,402 09	
Mercantile Trust Co......	11,18 55	
		26,008 38
Cash on hand..........		2,[illegible]3 85
		$604,830 35

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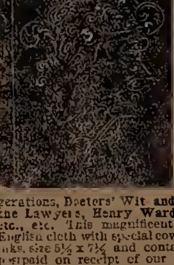

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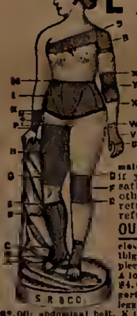

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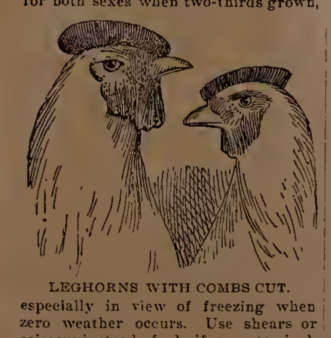
The drawbacks of large combs and wattles are freezing in our northern states and the discomforts and strain resulting from carrying so much weight on the head. It appears as though the circulation of blood in the head is somewhat affected by these excessive appendages, for it has been observed that a Leghorn having frequent spells of giddiness and staggering can sometimes be quickly and permanently cured by trimming the comb, and we would always recommend the trimming of both comb and wattles for both sexes when two-thirds grown, especially in view of freezing when zero weather occurs. Use shears or scissors instead of a knife so as to pinch the blood vessels and mitigate the flow of blood.



LEGHORNS WITH COMBS CUT.

The operation is not so painful as might appear, we will state for the benefit of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. Nature evidently provided that the comb and wattles should be comparatively destitute of feeling. As during the thousands and thousands of years the males fought for the possession of the females and the combs and wattles were the parts seized upon in the struggle a lack of sensitiveness in these appandages would be perpetuated and augmented on the principal of natural selection.

So indifferent is a fowl that after being dubbed it will unconcernedly fall to eating its own comb and wattles if allowed the privilege. This dullness or fewness of nerves of feeling in the comb, when understood, may alleviate the pangs felt by many persons at the mention of what has been wrongly called a cruel practice. It is easier for a fowl to stand dubbing than to endure a frozen comb.—H. H. Stoddard, in Farm and Home.

PRESERVING EGGS.

Directions for the Use of Water Glass Furnished by Prof. Ladd, of North Dakota College.

Prof. Ladd, of North Dakota College of Agriculture, in bulletin No. 35, gives the following directions for the use of water glass in keeping eggs. Water glass is silicate of soda or silicate of potash, the former being cheaper. It is not expensive.

If wooden kegs or barrels are to be used in which to pack the eggs, they should first be thoroughly scalded with boiling water to sweeten and purify them.

To each ten quarts of water, which should first be boiled and then cooled, add one quart of water glass. Pack the eggs in the vessel and pour solution over them, covering well.

Keep the eggs in a cool, dark place. A dry, cool cellar is a good place.

If the eggs are kept in too warm a place the silicate is deposited and the eggs are not properly protected. Do not wash the eggs before packing, for by so doing you injure their keeping quality.

For packing use only perfectly fresh eggs, for stale eggs will not be saved and may prove harmful to others.

All packed eggs contain a little gas, and in boiling such eggs they will crack. This may be prevented by making a pin hole in the blunt end of the egg. To do this hold the egg in the hand, place the point of a pin against the shell of the egg at the blunt end, and give the pin a quick, sharp blow, just enough to drive the pin through the shell without further injury to the egg.

How to Get Top Prices.

To get the advantage of full market prices for eggs nothing is more important than the style of the cases and packing. Of course size and cleanness are very important considerations, but the first thing that strikes the eye of a purchaser is the exterior quality. I notice many lots of eggs, especially from the south, which come into the stores in all sorts of cases—scarcely two alike, and none of them neat and trim. These goods are generally condemned before they are looked at and can only be sold at a concession, no matter how good the eggs may be. Shippers may accept it as a fact that while all eggs in first-class packages may not sell at top prices, no eggs in second or third class packages will do so.—N. Y. Produce Review.

Keep the Henhouse Dry.

Build the poultry house so it will be dry at all times. It is easy enough to have a poultry house that is dry in the middle of summer, but that is just the time when the fowls are in it least and are least affected by its condition. But in the winter, when they must remain indoors for days at a time, is when the fowls need to have a place that is not favorable to the increase of disease germs. Wet and dirty houses are often the beginning of epidemics of roup and other equally fatal diseases.—Farmer's Review.

Not the Right Sort.

Visitor—How do you like your new minister?

Mrs. Muggs—He won't last very long His wife is too worldly minded.

"Really?"

"Yes. It's perfectly scandalous. All her dresses fit her." N. Y. Weekly.

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WHAT THE LAW DECIDES.

The right of a non-resident to the statutory exemption of household furniture from execution is sustained in Bond vs. Martin (Ore.), 44 L. R. A. 430.

The creditors of a member of a fraternal beneficiary society are held, in Fisher vs. Donovan (Neb.) 44 L. R. A. 383, to have no right to or interest in his certificate either before or after the death of the member, and can have no share in the proceeds thereof.

A statute providing that a trial by jury shall be waived unless certain steps are taken before the trial is held, in Silberman vs. Hey (O.), 44 L. R. A. 264, to be on a subject matter of general legislation, and therefore invalid when limited in its operation to a single county.

The right of possession of property sold under foreclosure of a mortgage is held, in Danehower vs. Dawson (Ark.), 44 L. R. A. 193, to be in the purchaser during the year allowed by statute for redemption, where the statute transfers the title subject to redemption and is silent as to the possession.

The obligation of the lessee of a railroad to maintain and operate the railroad during the term of the lease is held, in Southern Railroad company vs. Franklin & P. R. company (Va.), 44 L. R. A. 297, to be a necessary implication of a lease in contemplation of which the road was built and which provides for the use of the receipts, so far as necessary, to repair the road.

A person employed to cut merchantable timber by a contract calling for a settlement each month and the retention of a certain per cent. as a forfeiture for the satisfactory completion of the job is held, in Clark vs. Renninger (Md.), 44 L. R. A. 413, to be a contractor and not an employe, within the meaning of a statute providing for a receiver of one who fails to pay employes.

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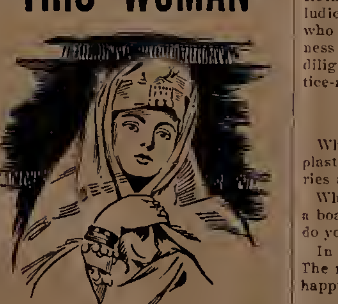
Sociological Discussion.

Weary Watkins—Of course, it ain't none of our business, but I don't think no man has got a right to stop no other man from workin' if he happens to have a mania that way.

Hungry Higgins—I dunno 'bout stoppin' him, but the injestice an' tyranny of makin' him begin is what riles my southern blood.—Indianapolis Journal

THIS WOMAN



Applied for a divorce and got it.

The reason for doing so would be thought strange by us, but the Turkish courts of her time considered her grounds ample and valid.

What were they?

Her husband refused to supply her with good coffee.

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GATHERED ABROAD.

A British medical paper gravely states that mosquitoes may be kept alive two years by tenderly feeding them with sherry and sugar.

Salted whale meat is considered a delicacy by the Japanese. The whales are caught off the coast of Corea, the flesh and blubber are cut up and salted, and sent to Japan for food.

Unique properties are possessed by the River Tinto, in Spain. It petrifies the sand of its bed; and if a stone falls in the stream and alights upon another, in a few months they unite and become one stone. Fish cannot live in its waters.

Over 1,000 houses in London are tenantless because they are supposed to be haunted. Seventy-one of them have been the scenes of murder, and from some of the remainder occupants have mysteriously disappeared.

A "geographic board" in the Dominion of Canada settles all questions as to the correct spelling of geographic names in the Dominion. When a man submits a question and the board agrees with him, he calls them learned; when the decision is against him, he says they are orthographical jackasses.

Beekeeping is an expensive enjoyment at Bath, England. Miss Kerley, an inhabitant of that beautiful city, sued her next-door neighbor for $250 damages, caused her by defendant's bees. She was badly stung twice and the bees frequented her garden to such an extent that she had to let it go practically out of cultivation. The jury awarded her $50, and the judge granted an injunction, with costs on the higher scale.

FILIPINOS' MAUSER BULLETS.

Of 1,100 Americans wounded in the Philippines, but three required an amputation of a limb, though 820 were wounded in those members. All cases of amputation resulted in death, strange to say.

The main artery in the leg of a Nebraska boy serving in the Philippine islands was severed by a mauser bullet and its usefulness destroyed, yet the man will have a good limb when he gets well, so perfect is the collateral circulation.

To the small caliber of the insurgents' mausers many lives are owed, for the bullets bore a clean little hole, rarely fracturing a limb, and it takes a center shot through the skull to kill. A half-dozen men shot through the brain with mausers have survived.

A Montana boy was struck an inch back of the outer angle of the left eye, the bullet passing through his skull and making its exit in the same locality on the other side. He lost the sight of one eye and though the other may follow be will recover his usual health.

A Nebraska man was shot directly over the left eye, the ball passing down and out underneath the edge of the jaw, reentering the shoulder and out near the elbow, again entering the wrist and going out of the back of the hand. He also got well.

INDIVIDUALITIES.

Rev. John Naille, of Trappe, Pa., is the oldest clergyman in the United States. He is in his ninety-ninth year.

Jason Brown, son of John Brown, of Harper's Ferry, lives a hermit's life in the Santa Cruz mountains in California.

Hiram Cronk, of New York, is the only surviving pensioned soldier of the war of 1812. He is 99 years old.

Edward Walsh, a St. Louis policeman who died lately, had been 33 years on the police force, and had never used a weapon in making an arrest.

Herbert Paul says Emperor William is the greatest journalist, because the emperor always expresses an opinion on all subjects, by telegraph or otherwise, and he generally expresses it exceedingly well.

Among recent requests which the Rothschilds have received none is more ludicrous than that of a young man who professes himself tired of his business of cooper, and, with promise of diligence, asks to be taken as "apprentice-millionaire."

CONUNDRUMS.

What is the difference between a plasterer and a fisherman? One carries a hod, the other harries a cod.

When your friend is being beaten in a boat race, the name of which nation do you call? Roman (row, man!)

In what way is a miner like a thief? The more pockets he finds to pick, the happier he is.—Youth's Companion.

Having a Great Run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Manager Martin, of the Pierson drug store, informs us that he is having a great run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He sells five bottles of that medicine to one of any other kind, and it gives great satisfaction. In these days of la grippe there is nothing like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to stop the cough, heal up the sore throat and lungs and give relief within a very short time. The sales are growing, and all who try it are pleased with its prompt action.—South Chicago Daily Calumet. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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"Are people wondering about it?"

"Of course they are."

"Well, that's what I want. I have noticed that nearly every politician who amounts to much in the country's affairs is at some time or other spoken of as a sphinx. I don't know as it does any particular good, but it seems customary."—Washington Star.

Sermons in Trees.

De Long Stayre (who has been prosing on in the same manner for three hours)—See the trees, Miss Bright; how like human beings they are. They know when it is time to doff their summer garb and don their autumn trappings. And in the spring—"

Miss Bright—In the spring, Mr. Stayre, they show their intelligence by leaving at the proper time.—N. Y. World.

A little light work should not make a woman's back ache—

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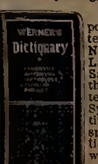

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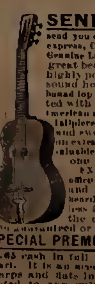

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Shop Work and Cases.

WRENTHAM.

Oliver Everett, aged 82, was married to his housekeeper, Mrs. Delia Kennedy, aged 38, Thursday evening, in the presence of Mrs. Mary Allen, a sister of the bride, her daughter, Miss Eva Kennedy, and Mrs. Frank Gay. Rev. William L. Brown, who is in his 85th year and is an old friend of the groom, performed the ceremony. Mr. Everett gave the town the handsome drinking fountain in the center of the village. For many months he has been in poor health owing to several slight shocks.——Wednesday evening the Mansfield Minstrel company will give an entertainment in the Town hall under the auspices of Wampum lodge, I. O. O. F. followed by a dance.——Mr. and Mrs. D A. Cook of Cambridge are at their residence.——Mr. and Mrs. Henry Messenger have been spending a portion of the month in Boston. During their absence Mrs. Owen Bearse and daughter, Misses Mary and Alice, have been occupying their house.——Tuesday evening Wampum lodge, I. O. O. F., will work the second degree on two candidates from Walpole.——Several from town will attend the Masonic hall in Franklin Wednesday night.——The Y. P. S. C. E. held a Mother Goose party in Hawes chapel Friday. Miss Mildred Proctor won the first prize and Miss Emmie V. Pettee the second.——W. L Enegren is making extensive improvement at Lake Pearl for the coming summer.

SHELDONVILLE.

Harry Scott has bought a horse.

Mrs. Henry Follet has gone to Boston four the winter

Charles E Newell has purchased a team of J. F. Dingman.

Mr. Mulvey of West Wrentham is out again after a short illness.

Mrs. Lucy Outhouse spent a few days recently with her daughter in Providence.

A. L. Crosby a former school teacher here, was in town last week calling on old friends.

Mrs. Mary Bearse has closed up her summer residence and gone to Boston for the winter.

Miss Lena Newell of Everett has returned home after spending three weeks vacation with her mother.

King of Belgium a Speculator.

The king of Belgium is a born speculator. From his parents he inherited three quarters of a million sterling. With this capital he began to speculate, and showed his masterly skill as a financier in his dealings in Panama canal stock. By judicious buying and selling he is estimated to have made four millions. Then he was seized with the Congo Free State hobby, which obtained such a mastery over him that his financial acumen was overpowered, and he sank his private fortune in it. Whether it will ever return good value for the money remains to be seen.—N. Y. World.

There are no persons more solicitous about the preservation of rank than those who have no rank at all.—Shenstone.

Pleasure is very seldom found where it is sought. Our brightest blazes of gladness are commonly kindled by unexpected sparks.—Johnson.

Since time is not a person we can overtake when he is gone, let us honor him with mirth and cheerfulness of heart while he is passing.—Goethe.

In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently overcome habitual constipation, well informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system. Buy the genuine, made by the California Fig Syrup Co.

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Necessary Precaution.

"What a fine-looking little boy!" exclaimed the good-natured woman to her traveling acquaintance. "How old is he?"

"You're not connected with the railroad, are you?" asked the suspicious mother.

"Certainly not."

"Not in any capacity whatever?"

"No."

"Well, just wait until the conductor gets out of bearing and I'll tell you."—Chicago Post.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending Jan. 10, 1900:

Ladies—Miss M. E. Burr, Nellie McDonald, Miss Nettie M. Taylor.

Gentlemen—Franklin Woolen Mills, Frank Getchell, Albert Knott, Misto Matteo.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list

RELIGIOUS BREVITIES.

D. L. Moody says he owes his conversion to the efforts of his Sunday school teacher.

The United Brethren church has recently opened a kindergarten and primary school at Ponce, Porto Rico.

There are 56 deaconess institutions in the world, comprising over 800 deaconesses and probationers.

There are now reported to be 100,000 proselytes from Judaism, and the Gospel is preached by Jewish lips in over 600 pulpits in America and Europe.

The total number of foreign missionaries, including their wives, who are doing Protestant Christian work in Japan is 692, an increase of 33 over last year.

Six hundred children, representing 15 nationalities and all creeds, attend the Five Points mission school, which occupies the site of the "Old Brewery," 63 Park street, New York city.

The average pastorate in the Presbyterian church is reported as eight years and eight months, the average service of ministers as stated supply is two years and five months, and the average of ministerial service, including both pastors and stated supplies, is five years and seven months.

Interest in the medical mission in foreign lands is constantly increasing. Natives in the north of Africa come long distances for treatment, and wild Bedouin characters, encouraged by the sultan and living in lawless independence, who tortured their own women as cattle, are singularly amenable to the women missionaries.

ALL SORTS OF USEFUL THINGS

Water is delivered gradually to the roots of plants by a new flower-pot collar, which is made of porous material, fitting around the edge of the pot and extending down inside nearly to the bottom, being filled with water to moisten the roots by percolation.

The screw covers of jars and cans can be easily removed by a new device, consisting of ears formed on opposite sides of the cover, with slots in the upper edge of the ears for the insertion of a bar or rod to twist the cover and loosen it.

A new method of attaching the ends of hat bands has been patented, consisting of stamping a piece of metal on each end of the ribbon, the metallic ends being provided with hooks to clasp them together around the crown, making a much quicker operation than sewing.

Sunken ships can be raised with little effort by the use of an Ohio man's apparatus, comprising air-tight bags of proper shape to fit the different compartments, the bags being inflated to accomplish the two-fold purpose of expelling the water and increasing the buoyancy of the ship.

Ice can be rapidly cut into cakes by an Iowa man's machine, which can be operated by either power or manual force, having a system of gears by which a circular saw is rapidly revolved, the latter being mounted at the end of a pivoted beam which can be adjusted to the proper depth.

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Kidney trouble causes quick or unsteady heart beats, and makes one feel as though they had heart trouble, because the heart is over-working in pumping thick, kidney-poisoned blood through veins and arteries.

It used to be considered that only urinary troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all constitutional diseases have their beginning in kidney trouble.

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root**, the great kidney remedy is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Home of Swamp-Root.

THE KANSAS PHILOSOPHER.

If anyone hates you, overcome his hatred by asking him for any kind of information.

Every man should have two wives—one to cook for him, and the other to amuse him after he has eaten.

Every engaged girl makes the mistake of imagining that she now has him too secure to be scared off by her appearance in curl papers.

When a watchman at a railroad crossing sees that the occupants of an approaching vehicle are lovers, he doubles his vigilance.

A terrible thing happened in town last night. A North Atchison man went home mad and couldn't find anything wrong to scold about when he got there.

The women all envy a certain Atchison woman who has bluffed her husband into the belief that she has heart disease, and is liable to drop dead if crossed in her wishes.—Atchison Globe.

To Do Better.

The greatest enemy of the best is the better. There are crises in life most fatal to man when he temporizes with self and promises to do better. To do better means a patching up, as it were, rather than doing the best. When a man is brought face to face with a crucified Saviour, to do better simply means to put Him away.—Dr. Cyrus Hamlin.

A Plan in Life.

There is a plan in every man's life, and, being a plan, it has a purpose. Nothing helps us more, nothing more certainly makes the mystery of life easier to bear, than to keep that truth firmly fixed in the mind.—Rev. W. T. Phillips.

Enterprise in Tennessee.

The county turnpike commission have decided to expend $18,000 on the roads leading out of Knoxville, Tenn., to the adjoining counties.

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You no doubt already know that iron and steel have advanced more than 60 per cent. within the last few months Wagons, Plows and Machine Bolts have advanced a very large percentage. The output of the manufacturers, of which I am acting as agent, will cost at least one-half million dollars more in 1900 than the present year. This is a conspicuous reason why farmers should buy machines this year and not put it off until next.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of Mancy M. Daniels, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, residence of deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MRS. MARY E. DANIELS, Executrix
Address Box 790, Franklin, Mass.
Jan. 1, 1900. ja2,9,16

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QUINONE HAIR TONIC

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It stimulates the growth of tiny, new hairs and gives a refreshing glow to the scalp. We do not claim for it the absurdity that it will make hair appear where no roots are, but it will do just what we say it will—tone up the scalp.

It is 35c. per bottle.

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ALBERT C. MASON, Druggist.

PUBLIC TELEPHONE STATION.

CHILSON,

TELEPHONE 11-4. POST OFFICE BLOCK.

Fancy Turkeys	15 to 18c
Fancy Chickens	15 to 18c
Fancy Fowls	16c
Rump and Sirloin Steak	20c
2 lbs. Round Steak	25c
Legs of Lamb	14c
Fresh Pork	10c
Pork Sausage	10c
Frankfurt Sausage	10c
Fresh Hams	10c
Fresh Shoulders	08c
Salt Pork 8c lb., 14 lbs. for	$1.00
Pigs' Heads, lb	03c

3 lb Pail Lard 30c, 5 lb Pail Lard 45c, 10 lb Pail Lard 80c.
3c for 3 lb, 5c for 5 lb, 8c for 10 lb Lard Pails (my brand) returned.
Spinach, Lettuce, Celery, Radishes, Sweet Potatoes. Best brand of Canned Goods to be had.

The Best Butter in Town.

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THROAT TROUBLES

Are troublesome if they are not serious. The kind that comes upon one after having taken cold, producing a cough that is troublesome and annoying may grow worse. Why not cure it?

OUR TOLU, TAR AND WILD CHERRY

is a reliable and sure cure for these troubles; has been tested the past 20 years in Franklin; always satisfactory.

A. C. DANA & SON. Pharmacy.

DANA BLOCK.

COAL is cheap at any price. Buy it while you can and keep warm. Why not buy NOW and avoid still higher prices, which are sure to come?

ORRIN W. BUGBEE,

"The Coal Dealer."

RAY OFFICE,
Depot Street.

Assignee's Sale.

Now is the time to buy your Winter stock of Groceries of the finest quality and at the lowest prices in town.

Sugar, 19 lbs. for $1.

Light Brown Sugar, 21 lbs. for $1.

Fancy Ponce Porto Rico Molasses, never sold before less than 50c gallon, now 40c gallon.

Fancy New Orleans Molasses, always sold at 60c gallon, now 50c gallon.

Good dark Molasses, 30c gallon.

Pure Maple Syrup, 25c quart.

Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.

Boiled cider, quart bottles, 20c.

5 lb. can Java and Mocha Coffee, 90c.

The best 50c, Tea 40c.

The best 60c Tea, 50c.

Fancy Table London Layer Raisins, 20c lb.

Four Crown loose Raisins, 12c lb.

Gilt Edge Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c lb.

Fancy Ribbon Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Chocolates, 15c lb.

Lowney's 40c goods now 35c.

We carry the finest quality Butter cut from the tub, 1 lb. prints, 5 lb. boxes, 10, 20 and 50 lb. tubs, at the lowest prices, quality considered.

J. P. Squire's Pure Lard, 8c lb.

10 lb. pails Lard, full weight, 75c.

J. P. Squire's Pure Leaf Lard in 5 lb. pails, 50c.

Mixed Nuts, English Walnuts, Oranges and Lemons in stock at the lowest prices.

Come in and leave your order with us and get the best for the least money.

Gentlemanly Dealing and Prompt Delivery Is Our Motto.

McKinnon's Grocery Store,

CENTRAL SQUARE.

H. E. RUGGLES, Assignee.

Chamber Outfits

Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted. Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.

OUTFIT NO 1.
This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.
$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 2.
This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs, rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.
$32—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 3.
This outfit is made up with one of our most popular selling chamber suits, including the 2 chairs, rocker, table, mattress, woven wire spring bed and toilet set.
$35—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

The Weeks Furniture Co.,

48 NORTH MAIN ST.,
Near Opera House.
WOONSOCKET, R. I.

☞ Store open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

Collector's Notice

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate, situated in the town of Millis, in the county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified, according to the lists committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said Millis by the assessors of taxes of said Millis, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction at the town office, Millis, on

WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of JANUARY, 1900,

at 2 o'clock p. m., for the payment of said taxes, with costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged,

The sums set against the descriptions of the several estates show the amounts due thereon respectively for the tax and assessments, for the nonpayment of which each of said estates is to be sold, not including costs and interest thereon and costs and charges incident to this sale.

The taxes were assessed to

Mrs. W. F. Collins—A lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on both sides of Orchard street, and bounded as follows: Northerly by mill pond and land of F. H. Williams, easterly by land of F. H. Williams, southerly by Boggastow brook and Orchard street and westerly by land of Israel F. Clifford; or however otherwise bounded and described.

Tax assessed for 1899 on this lot amounts to $126.33.

Also a lot of land known as Joe Brick pasture and bounded as follows: Northerly by land of Daniel Denneen and Henry Bullard, easterly by land of Daniel Denneen, southerly by mill pond, westerly by land of Daniel Denneen and John M. Crane; or however otherwise bounded and described.

Tax assessed for 1899 on this lot amounts to $5.89.

Or however otherwise either of said parcels of land may be bounded or described.

J. CLARENCE THORNE,
Collector of Taxes for the Town of Millis.
January 2, 1900. ja2,9,16

Collector's Notice.

The owner of the following described parcel of real estate, in the town of Medway, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes thereon assessed for the year within specified, according to the list committed to me by the Assessors of Taxes, remain unpaid, and that the said parcel of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the town clerk's office in said Medway, on

TUESDAY, JAN. 30, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the cost and charge thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged;

Patrick Conly—About twenty-five acres of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the east and west side of Holliston street, in the northerly part of Medway, bounded on the north by land of heirs of Oliver Clifford and heirs of Louisa Thayer, east by land of Arthur F. Leonard, south by land of Myron Smith and heirs of John McLoughlin and west by land of Frank Cass and George F. Newell.

Tax assessed, $23.76.

Or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.

GEO. F. MADDEN,
Collector of Taxes for 1898
ja9,16,23

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

At a Probate Court holden at Dedham, in and for said county of Norfolk, on the third day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred,

On the petition of Minnie Gale Osgood of Norfolk, in said county, praying that her name may be changed to that of Marion Gale Osgood, public notice having been given, according to the order of court, that all persons might appear and show cause, if any they had, why the same should not be granted, and it appearing that the reasons given therefor are sufficient and consistent with the public interest, and being satisfactory to the court, and no objection being made,

It is decreed that her name be changed, as prayed for, to that of Marion Gale Osgood, which name she shall hereafter bear, and which shall be her legal name, and that she give public notice of said change by publishing this decree once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, and make return to this court under oath that such notice has been given.

JAMES H. FLINT,
Judge of Probate Court.
ja1,16,23

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate not already administered of Winslow Cook, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

GEORGE W. COOKE,
Administrator.

Appointed Sept. 12, 1883. Notice ordered Jan. 3, 1900.
ja9,16,23

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Emery Thayer, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and appointing Orestes T. Doe of Franklin aforesaid his agent, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.

WILLIAM J. WHITING,
Executor.

Address: William J. Whiting, Franklin, Mass.
Nov. 15, 1899. ja9,16,23

If you want to buy or sell anything have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

Herman M Fisher 1Jan00

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 8.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	1.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
5—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
44—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

AN ADVERTISEMENT

Simply tells the public what you have got. If you never tell the people don't expect them to ask you. That's all there is to it.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Division 8, A. O. H., will hold a special meeting Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jenks have been visiting friends in Worcester this week.

The King's Daughters will meet with Miss Alice Nixon on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Farmers' club will meet with A. R. Willard on Monday evening. It will be "ladies' night."

All desiring to hire costumes for the masquerade are requested to notify Miss Razee before Monday.

C. E. Dearden, in Mason's drug store, is in Springfield attending the golden wedding of his parents.

Just as we go to press we learn of the death of Fred E. Aldrich at his home on Summer street this afternoon.

The receipts from dog license money this year for the benefit of the school fund is $23 more than last year.

A number of Mrs. Razee's pupils from Sheldonville, Arnold's Mills and Abbott's Run are expected at the masquerade.

John Snow was arrested in Woonsocket on Tuesday for drunkenness, and gave his captors quite a tussle to manage him.

Rev. Father Lee, rector of St. Mary's church, attended the funeral of the late Father L. Morris at Brookline Wednesday.

The household goods of Harry Sinclair were removed yesterday to Worcester, where he has been employed for some time past.

Mr. and Mrs. James Canning of South Framingham, formerly well known residents here, welcomed a little son into their home on Sunday.

Jefferey Connell died at his home on Alpine place this morning Mr. Connell worked at the tailoring business in this town for a number of years.

In response to the request that balcony seats for the masquerade be sold beforehand, tickets will be put on sale Saturday, at 10 o'clock, at Dana's drug store.

At the annual meeting of the Baptist church last Monday evening the same officers who served so faithfully in 1899 were re-elected and the new year begins without debt.

Miss Winnifred Gallagher, who fell on Sunday evening near the Bullock place, is recovering from the effects of her fall, which it was at first thought might be serious.

The New Orleans Daily Picayune on Monday announced the safe arrival of the Boston California Raymond party, of which Mrs. A. H. Morse is a member, in that city, quartered at the St. Charles hotel.

At the Sunday evening service at the Methodist church the pastor will have for his subject, "Obedience to the Heavenly Vision." There will be special singing. Several new members will be received.

The friends of Mrs. Millard H Nason will be interested to learn that she left Cleveland this week for southern Florida and the Bahamas, returning to Asheville, N. C., Feb. 15, where she will remain until about April 15.

"The dodger, nine times out of ten, stops at the front door, while the newspaper finds its way to the dining room, or parlor, and enters right into the bosom of the family.—Waterbury (Conn) Republican.

Members of the Franklin fire department are requested to meet on Saturday evening at J. G. Ray engine hall, to commence business concerning the Franklin Fireman's club. All members are requested to be present.

At the Baptist church Sunday morning Rev. F. B. Sleeper will preach on "A Mutilated Bible." In the evening the holy ordinance of baptism will be administered. The pastor's theme will be "The Four Sides of Christ's Atonement."

David T. O'Reilly of Millville, special deputy grand chief ranger of the Foresters of America, is about to put forth every possible effort to establish a court here. He will soon visit town and address the young men on the aims and object of Forestry.

At the annual meeting of the Franklin National bank, held recently, Joseph G. Ray was re elected president, and E. H. Rathbun vice president. The directors are J. G., E. K. and J. F. Ray, E. H. Rathbun, Davis Thayer, A. D. Thayer, H. T. Hayward, J. C. Gallison and W. A. Wyckoff.

There was a good attendance at the High school on Tuesday evening to enjoy the recitations of Charles Williams of Boston He gave general satisfaction, handling his characters with a clear conception. He read less of Kipling than he does usually, as that author has been read here so much.

The Masons worked the third degree on Monday evening with visiting brethren from Attleboro, Milford, Foxboro, Wrentham, Norwood and Walpole. The Eastern Star provided the banquet, and with speeches, dancing and general fraternizing the "sma' hours" came on before they were aware of it.

W. S. Johnson attended the annual meeting and banquet of the New York Mutual Life Insurance company of the General Agency of Eastern Massachusetts at Young's hotel in Boston yesterday. He was awarded the third prize for the amount of work done over the quota assigned him, which fact is very gratifying to him and his friends.

"Under the Dome," which appeared at Manager Partridge's benefit, was produced in the finest manner every detail being carried out to perfection. The storm scene was wonderful, and everything seemed real. The American Band orchestra furnished music and helped in a great measure by their fine music to make the entertainment one of the best of the season. The people showed their good will by giving the manager a good house, for which he is very grateful.

The revival spirit in the Baptist church still continues and three special meetings have been arranged for next week. There will be fine solos or duets each evening. The following preachers will be present and give short evangelistic sermons: Tuesday evening, Rev. A. H. Davis of Woonsocket; Wednesday, Rev. G. H. Horton of Blackstone; Thursday, Rev. A. B. Lorimer of Woonsocket. The meetings will not be long or tiresome, beginning with a service of song at 7 30 and closing at 8.45 A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

Charles C. Burnett, superintendent of the Worcester division of the New Haven road, died Wednesday morning of pneumonia, in Providence, aged 35. He was well known here, where his business called him frequently, and was a summer resident of Bellingham, having purchased a farm home there a year or two since. His death is sincerely mourned by all who had met him in a business or social way. A widow, who was the daughter of Earle P. Mason of Providence, and two children survive him. Mr. Burnett overtaxed himself with the duties of his position.

Closing Services.

Tomorrow night will close the special revival services at the Methodist church. Let everyone come to the closing service. You cannot afford to miss it. It will be a Pentecostal season. Miss Hattie Bly will sing.

The service tonight will also be of special interest. The pastor will preach a short sermon more especially for the benefit of those who have recently been converted. Mr and Mrs. Charles Stewart will sing. All are welcome to this service. There will be something in it for you. "Behold, now is the accepted time; behold, now is the day of salvation!" Be sure and come tonight.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending Jan. 17, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. Frank Bassett, Miss Marion Gray, Miss Fronie Greeley, Miss Lizzie H. Pherson, Miss R. Rogers

Gentlemen—Victor Bellao, Daniel Blondell, Guiseppe Bragoa, Addison M. Hayes, J. P. Morgan.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list

A TERPSICHOREAN SUCCESS.

The Masons Provide the Society Function of the Year.

MIRTH and music reigned supreme at the Opera house last Wednesday evening, when the fourth annual concert and ball of the Masonic fraternity was enjoyed by many dancers and a large number of spectators, who had come to enjoy the magnificent music, note the brilliant costume display, as well as to partake of the fine repast provided by Caterer Cook of Boston.

As each succeeding event has surpassed its predecessor so the ball of 1900 was all that could be wished in point of numbers, congeniality, music, banquet, etc. The hall had been handsomely decorated with the same good taste and lack of gaudy show as has characterized the decorative work of other years, the additional electric lights in symbolic arrangement flooding the place with a brilliancy of illumination at once pleasing and appropriate, thus aiding in the general effect obtained by the handsome gowns and tasteful costuming.

The presence of an unusual number of out-of-town guests, many of whom had been here before, added to the pleasure of the occasion, renewing former acquaintances and forming new ones. It is safe to say that next year, when Franklin is connected electrically with Milford, Wrentham and the Attleboroughs, the attendance of the society people from these places will be largely augmented.

Poole's orchestra, which has been heard here before with such gratification, surely outdid itself in the excellence of its work, the fifteen artists all vieing with each other in the effort to maintain the well deserved reputation of the aggregation as being one of the best concert and ball orchestras in New England.

Their music has such a "swing" to it and is characterized by such perfection as to tone, time and tune, that it carries one right along. Indeed, it often sounds as if made by one grand instrument rather than by fifteen. The players are so directly under the sway of Leader Poole that often the strains appear to be evoked by the motions of his baton. It is superfluous, therefore, to say that the concert was thoroughly enjoyed.

As the guests arrived they were escorted to the ante rooms by attentive ushers, who made all feel at once at home, thus ensuring a certain feeling of welcome, and in a measure dispelling the usual chilliness which is so often apparent in the room "before the ball opens" The reception committee were Joseph P. Bassett, Fred P. Chapman, Henry A. Talbot, George R. Winsor, Charles F. Nye, William H. Sweatt, Harry T. Hayward.

After the concert the dancers formed for the grand march and circle, the handsome costumes and the conventional dress suit, without exception, making a picture striking in the extreme The march was led by the worthy master of the lodge, George R. Winsor, and Mrs. Winsor To the strains of the march music the couples, about seventy in number, circled the hall and executed a number of movements in twos, fours and eights, the kaleidoscopic colors and changes being very attractive to the eye. Then the dancing commenced, continuing till about 11 30, when the banquet was announced.

As in previous years the tables were spread in Central square hall, thus admitting entrance to the room without leaving the building. Here the sight was remarkably beautiful. The tables were illuminated with handsome silver candelabra, and the fine china, toothsome viands, frozen delicacies and appetising dainties would tempt even the most confirmed dyspeptic to forswear his resolution not to partake. No finer banquet has been spread in town, and each guest affirmed that Caterer Cook and his efficient waiters had fairly outdone themselves.

Succeeding the banquet the dancers returned to the hall where music and mirth held sway till after 2 o'clock, and no one confessed weariness. Only the labors of the coming day compelled a cessation of the occasion's enjoyment.

Palmer A. Woodward, who officiated so acceptably last year, was again master of ceremonies, and his efficient aids proved most satisfactory officials. They were: Leroy W. Stott, A. Burt Palmer, Marston Sanborn, Ernest D. Daniels, Walter C. Sherman, Charles B. Hussey.

That our Masonic brethren provide a dance that is divested as far as possible of every objectional feature is attested by the attendants and the continually increasing number from out of town, many of whom assert that they should very much dislike to miss one of these most enjoyable occasions. This is emphasized by the fact that each year they return to enjoy these social functions. Among some of those from out of town this year were the following:

Woonsocket—Mr. and Mrs. Levi Lincoln, Miss Flossie Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marty, Harry Jillson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thayer, Eugene Hamlett, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prue, Mr and Mrs James Staples, Lattimer W. Ballou, Miss Louisa Ballou, Miss Florence Bullock, Eugene Getchell, Dr and Mrs. E D. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. John L Burden, Miss Edna Wartield, Arthur Ballou, Ariel Edwards, Charles Parker, Miss Grace Hamlett, L. B. Swratt, Miss Grace Pond, Miss Jennie Sayles, Charles Wheelock. Walpole—George Graves, James Miller, Miss Sarah Hartshorn, S. T. Moore, Miss Elizabeth Stone, E B. Schuyler, J. S. Leach, Charles Allen, Philip Allen, Mr. and Mrs Robert Hartshorn, Charles Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Merrick Medway—Dr and Mrs. Charles F. Hamlin, Mr and Mrs. W. L. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Parks, ex Senator and Mrs. Clarke P. Harding, Miss Snow. Attleboro — Miss Edith Smith, Miss Blanche Gowen. North Attleboro—Mr. and Mrs. Alton Riley, Fred Howlands. Providence—Charles Ray, Fred V. Hussey, Blakeley Smith. Wrentham—Fred Gilmore, Charles Gilmore. Miss Etta Razee of Southbridge, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sweatt of City Mills, J. E. Moran of Chelsea, Dr. T. H. Moran of Boston, Miss Bughee of Willimantic, Miss Wilson of New York state, Miss Atkins of Quincy, Miss Brownell of Ware.

The Baptist Roll Call.

There was a large attendance Tuesday evening as both church and congregation were invited. The exercises began by the audience standing and singing, "Blest be the Tie that Binds." Prayer was offered by Rev. G W. Nead of Norwood. After two persons had been voted in by letter the list of church members was called by the clerk, Thomas A. Clark. There were fine solos by Miss Lillian Coleman, Miss Fanny Darling, Miss Hattie Bly and an instrumental duet by Bert Briggs and Robert Culgin. Mrs. M A. Sleeper and Mrs. Ethel Carr gave interesting readings.

Rev. G. W. Nead was introduced and spoke words of hearty congratulation on the great progress of the past year and the bright prospects for the future, saying that Pastor Sleeper's name ought to be changed to Sleepless. He spoke of the 90,000 gain in membership in the Baptist denomination in the previous year. Rev. A. B. Lorimer of Woonsocket gave a fine address setting forth the urgent demand for loyalty to Christ and to the church of our own faith, and to the purest principles of the gospel.

Coffee and cake were served and a social time enjoyed. It was an ideal Roll Call, combining the elements of religious devotion with those of literary and social life, and inspiring greater interest in the congregation in the spiritual work of the church. Early in the evening the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper, read the following poem which he had written for this occasion:

THE YEAR 1900.

Our Roll Call summons us once more
Within this dedicated place,
Where the redeemed their Lord adore
And seek His constant, helpful grace.

The saints are gathered here tonight,
With songs of joy, and praise and love.
To dwell upon the vision bright
Revealed to us from heaven above.

Leading our band there is a person,
Who never fails us in our need;
Upright and true—Deacon McPherson,
Noble in thought, and word and deed.

God spare him for long years to come,
God keep him ever well and strong,
While larger victory here is won
Over all sin and earthly wrong.

Surely, our prospect is not dark,
With officers so true and kind;
Heaven bless our Deacon Thomas Clark,
A man of pure, exalted mind.

Two deacons, one in holy thought,
Two deacons, one in work divine;
Grandly together they have wrought,
That here the gospel light might shine.

Young Martin holds the helm all right,
Our finances kept well in charge;
An honest lawyer, able, bright,
With future prospects grand and large.

Two more with us have nobly stood
In constant service, pure and brave;
Father and son—their name Greenwood—
Anxious their fellowmen to save.

This house of God, again we share it
With one who toiled here hard and long;
We welcome back our Deacon Barrett,
Whose heart is warm, whose hands are strong.

We choose to be a working church,
We are not like dumb cattle driven,
Nor subject to a hapless lurch,
And not by wicked schism riven.

Not we ashamed of our own creed,
Based on the Holy Book divine,
That satisfies the soul's great need
With things eternal and sublime.

God grant this church shall ever be
A tower of His most wondrous grace,
Strong in His truth and majesty,
To fill her holy, ordained place.

Go to Ochee's barber shop and get a "winter" hair cut.

Read the Business Announcements.

The Last Sleep.

" When round my bier ye come to weep
Let me, most loving of you all,
Say, 'Not a tear must o'er her fall—
He giveth His beloved sleep.' "
E. B. Browning.

Into a house almost oppressive with the odor of flowers, so many were the floral remembrances, came the mourning relatives and friends of Miss Rachel M. Thayer on Wednesday afternoon to pay their last tribute of love to one whose memory was so dear. About the rooms everywhere were articles of hers or those reminding one of her, the banjo with the broken string expressing mutely its story of the one who had gone.

Her pastor, Rev. Dr. Sneath, referred to her in a most sympathetic and helpful manner, bringing out the thought that one's work must not be measured by the years; God knoweth best when the life work is accomplished. His prayer touched everyone deeply, bringing comfort to aching hearts and speaking consolation to those whose cherished hopes had been so suddenly blighted.

Rev Mr. Rand of Watertown was in his most sympathetic mood. He had known the deceased intimately and was thus able to pay a loving tribute to the many qualities which had endeared her to him and to others. He pictured her meeting with the loved ones gone before, and with tender words of sympathy and hope foreshadowed the time when hearts now broken with grief should be reunited in a union which should have no end.

The Harvard quartet of Boston rendered "Eternal Goodness," "Meet Me There," and "Sleep On, Beloved" in a most exquisite manner, bringing tears to the eyes of the listeners. So sweetly did they sing and with such pathos that their music will not soon be forgotten.

Schoolmates of hers at Dean, six young men, bore the casket to its resting place, the last service which it would be in their power to render their beloved associate. They were: C. L. Butnam, Arthur Marshall, R. G. Bicknell, M. H. Harris, W. H. Towles. Earle J. Jenness.

The funeral was in charge of William A. Wyckoff and of Mrs. S. H. Frost, the latter having entire charge of the floral decorations One touching incident was a request of Miss Angie Marion, whose relationship with "Little Rachel" dated back to babyhood. Coming to the house about an hour before service she asked the privilege of placing a bunch of sixteen pinks just where she wished. The privilege being granted, she placed them in the left hand of her loved one.

It is doubtful if at any funeral in town there were so many beautiful and expressive floral remembrances, testifying in a marked degree to the feelings of the donors to their young friend. Silently they spoke of the departed one, whose life had been so full of sunshine, and music, and flowers.

Those from the family were very beautiful, as also were the contributions from friends, some of which were as follows:

Bride roses, Miss Clara B. Woolford, Dean; American Beauty roses, the teachers at Dean; wreath of Jacquiminot roses, Miss Marjorie Ray; pink roses, Samuel M. Goodrich, Providence; wreath of white roses, Edward E. Howard, Boston; roses and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. McClure, Worcester; white roses and ferns, Miss Lena Cross, Dean: white roses, Miss Dorothy C. Marlowe, Boston; white roses, Miss Julia W Allen's Sunday-school class; pink and white roses, Edward G. Broenniman, New York; pink roses, Miss Florence H. Snow, Boston; pink roses, Charles and Will F. Ray; mound of white and red roses, the students at Dean; white roses, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Thayer, Greeley, Col.; pink roses, Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Rathbun; Daybreak pinks, Mrs. Mortimer L. Randall, Boston; Day break pinks, C. S. Adams, Brighton; carnations, Miss Marion H. Gould; pink carnations, Mr. and Mrs. James F. Ray.

Pinks, Mrs. Lizzie T Hosmer, Lynn; white pinks, Gladys B. A. Knight, Hopedale; pinks, Thayer Gallison; pinks, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Winsor; white pinks, Dr and Mrs Solon Abbott; wreaths of roses, pinks, smilax, etc, Miss Edna G. Smith, Dean; crescent on stand of white pinks and pink roses, H. W. and C. H. Gay; basket of light pink roses, freesia and maiden hair ferns, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Thayer; pink roses and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Burta, Boston; dark red roses and ferns, Davis Thayer.

Garland of roses, Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Fletcher, New York city; wreath of pink and white roses, lilies of valley and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. and C. E. Whiting; pink roses and mignionette, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McKenzie; white roses and ferns, Ernest P. Nowell, Dean; violets, Miss Irwin, Unionville; violets, Paul Chute, Dorchester; violets, Miss Carrie Hilliard, Arlington; mound of lilies of valley and violets, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar K Ray, Unionville; lilies of valley, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Frost; cross of marguerites, Congregational Sunday school; crescent of lilies of valley, Miss Eleanor and Jos. Ray; wreath of pink roses, lilies of valley and forget-me nots, Miss Lydia Paine Ray; roses, hyacinths and violets, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart; mound of violets and lilies of valley, H. W. Thayer, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Gallison.

Wreath, Mothers' section of Alden club; wreath white roses, hyacinths and carnations, Charles G. Whitcomb, Braintree; carnations and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Nye; garland of roses, carnations, lilies of valley and ferns, Misses Bessie and Julia Whiting; pinks and ferns, Miss Lena J. Ross, Newton; hyacinths and pinks, Misses Gertrude and Elizabeth Knapp; and many others unaccompanied by cards.

They Will Not Do It.

It will be remembered that Rev. W. W. Shenk, former pastor of the Methodist church here, was one of the nine students who left B. U. School of Theology on account of alleged heretical teachings of Prof. Mitchell

When these students withdrew, one of their number, W. E Verity, entered the Drew Theological seminary at Madison, N. J., thinking that he and his copartners were free to go where they pleased, as they withdrew of their own accord.

After a few days the Drew Theological School faculty received a statement from the Boston University faculty, saying that none of the men who had withdrawn from the Boston school would receive an honorable dismissal, nor would they be credited with the work they had already accomplished on the course.

Upon receiving this the faculty immediately terminated Mr Verity's connection with the school, and passed a vote that no more students from Boston University could enter Drew seminary without a proper paper honorably dismissing them from Boston University.

It will be impossible for them to enter any theological school in the United States without first withdrawing their names from a series of specific charges drawn up and sent to the faculty of B. U. on the day of their withdrawal. This they will not do

Nearing Boston.

Arrangements have been pending for some time between the Milford, Holliston & Framingham company, the Norfolk Western, the Medfield & Medway, and other companies interested, with a view to running through cars from Milford to Forest Hills, where they will connect with the service of the Boston Elevated street railway company It is understood that arrangements to this end have been so far completed that an agreement has been reached in the matter, and that if a grade crossing is allowed at Medfield it will be possible before the approach of summer weather for Franklin people to take an electric car here and ride practically to the Boston city limits without change of cars. The trip would take a passenger into at least ten towns, would traverse a section showing a great variety of scenery.

With the completion next summer of the lines to Milford and the Medways, Franklin's position as an electric railway center will have been greatly strengthened, her advantages for residence and trade improved, and the town will be nearer its manifest destiny.

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned wish to express their sincere and heartfelt thanks to the many friends of Amos Ryder for their many kind acts, and especially to Mrs. Albert Newell for her tender care and sympathy shown their brother during his last illness.

MRS. H. H. MOORE,
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We, the undersigned, wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the sympathizing friends and relatives who so kindly assisted us in our great bereavement, and to those who contributed the beautiful flowers.

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FRIDAY, JAN. 19, 1900.

Probably what was the most unique celebration ever given a home coming soldier from the Philippines occurred at Mulvane, Kan., a few days ago. Private E. W. Philipps, of company H, Tenth Pennsylvania, had written home from the Philippines that he would give a month's salary for a piece of mother's pie. He said all the other boys in his regiment were in the same fix. Just before Philipps reached Mulvane the women of the town joined together and cooked a pie six feet in length and four feet wide. It was placed on a table in the center of the opera house and all the people in town gathered to meet the returning soldier. The condition was made that he eat the whole pie that night.

Some university men are notoriously slovenly in the matter of dress, probably as a protest against the swagger of the city clerk. The question of whether it is worth while to keep up appearances has been recently a subject of discussion in the London Telegraph, and the Cambridge Union Debating society has just decided that it is not desirable to do so. In their protest against the dude the Cantabs have probably gone too far. There is a great difference between swagger and self-respect; between the man who tries to appear twice as wealthy as he really is and the man who desires to maintain his proper position as a social unit.

A St. Louis girl who went to a party recently got mixed up in a kissing game and now has a sad case of blood poisoning to deal with. The young man who named her as "it" not only kissed her but bit her on one of her cheeks till the blood came, the result being that she is now in the care of doctors. We have no comments to make, says a Chicago exchange, we merely set forth the facts, and girls who think of being kissed by St. Louis men can govern themselves accordingly.

In a Gardiner (Me.) office building, which is inhabited by several jokers, an old pocketbook was kicked around the corridors for nearly a week, everybody supposing it was a dummy. Then one day a stranger from the country came along, picked up and opened the old wallet, and found therein $55 in cash. Now the joke is on the jokers.

A man in New York struck by lightning said that the sensation was like that of a violent blow on the head with a baseball bat. His impression is confirmed by the fact that the chair on which he sat was smashed into splinters. It must have felt like a home run strike too.

The lumber industry of the northwest is in an exceedingly prosperous condition. It is reported that the total value of the output of Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota is $80,000,000 annually.

Figures collected from the manufacturers of clothing go to show that during the past ten years the girth of the average American citizen who wears "pants" has increased from 46 to 47¼ inches.

An Ohio couple who have been twice divorced have made up for the third time and renewed their marriage vows. There is in this case an example of the pernicious effect of habit.

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A man[illegible]
His heart [illegible] ever w[illegible] love.
He sings in a voice soft and mellow;
She sits in the parlor and plays
The piano and sings, the false maid,
The sweetest and fondest of lays,
All unheeding the lost serenade,
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The scaly and the sand lizards are the most common of the English lizards, and both seem to need the presence of water, yet they like dry quarters and a cold, wet day will see every one of them vanish.

Lizards are little studied and little known. In Shakespeare's day they were branded as venomous and in England to-day country people hold them in awe. The forked tongue and serpentine movement add to the fear in which they are held.

It is the tongue of the lizard which does most execution and secures the prey of which it is in quest, more especially flies and spiders, which fall a ready victim to its sudden dart; caterpillars are not above the lizard's attention and small earthworms are a favorite food, the great power of the lizard enabling it to force its way under any stones and roots in search of food.

The skinning of the lizard is an event well worth watching, beginning at the ears and progressing gradually tailward, taking about a week or ten days in progress. The skin is shed in sections of perhaps half an inch in length, and, going right around the body in the case of the sand lizard, measures quite two inches in breadth. The sand lizard seems in no way inconvenienced in the process and scrambles about with half-shed skin as agilely as before; nor does his grip of claw or mouth appear to suffer at all by the transaction.

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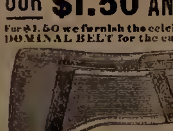

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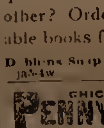

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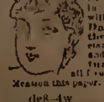

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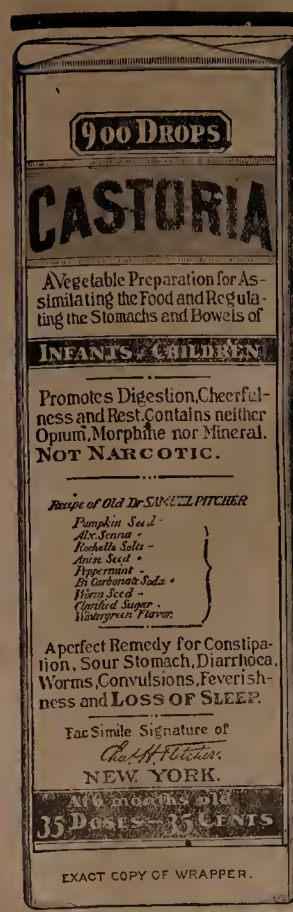
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Through the old familiar places,
God help us, who in silence
Hide our pallid, grief-worn faces.

He knows we thank and bless Him,
For those we see returning,
And none but He can measure
The heart-break and the yearning,
For feet that went full gladly,
And lips that smiled in going,
How lonely is their slumber,
When soft sea-winds are blowing.

Our eyes are dark with sorrow,
We see the ranks but blindly;
If we cannot lift our voices
Still think upon us kindly.
None give you greater honor,
O men, by outward token,
Than we who sit in silence
That never shall be broken.
—A. E. Woodworth, in Chicago Advance.

By the Patter of His Feet.

I can tell my little boy
By the patter of his feet,
Whether in the bare old kitchen,
Or upon the village street.
I can tell the restless footfall
Just wherever it may be,
Whether with a dozen urchins,
Or with only two or three.

I know not how I know it,
That is hidden e'en from me,
So I cannot tell to others
The sweet little mystery—
Like the secret of the sunlight,
Shining on the happy earth,
Like the secret of dear childhood
Filled with artless gentle mirth.

Shall I know my precious boy
By the stepping of his feet,
After years have left their sunlight
On his fair and manly cheek?
May his footfall have the music
Of the holy days of youth,
May my boy walk forever
In the way of right and truth.
—M. A. Holt, in N. Y. Observer.

The Great Sailing Race.

We are sailing, we know not whither,
Into the great Somewhere.
And we have no charts of the dangers
That loom or are hidden there;
And some of us lag or hurry,
And some of us only worry,
And some of us never care.

We are sailing on life's broad ocean,
And each has his little bark,
And here and there is a sailor
Who steers by some steadfast mark;
And many a rudder is never
At any service whatever,
In the daylight or the dark.

We are going, we know not whither,
And some of us trim our sails
For all the changes of weather,
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NOTES ON DRIVING.

A Four-Horse and a Three-Horse Hitch Described and Illustrated by an Expert.

Many and various are the methods of driving horses with the three and four-horse lines. The arrangement shown in Fig. 1 is the only true way to drive four horses abreast with two lines, and after using them once a person will not want to try any other way, as it gives a direct line on three of the horses' bits. Use the ordinary lines (c d) for the two inside horses, and long run straps to connect the outside horses, as from a to b in illustration. Fasten the outside horse to the inside ones by means of a rope or strap, or these may be fastened together in hame rings with halter straps, as the horses work best.

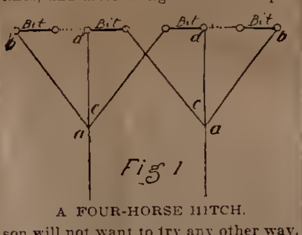

Fig 1
A FOUR-HORSE HITCH.

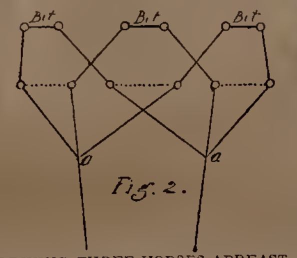

Fig. 2.
DRIVING THREE HORSES ABREAST.

The correct way for using three horses with two lines is shown in Fig. 2. The lines proper should be used on the outside horses. The run straps are the same as in Fig. 1, and are used by crossing over the withers of the middle horse and passing through the hame rings and fastening into the bits (a to b), as in Fig. 2.—R. A. Osborn, in Farm and Home.

RURAL MAIL DELIVERY.

Universal Introduction of the System Must Lead to the Construction of Better Roads.

The Chicago Record in a recent issue gives an interesting resume of the operation of numerous free rural delivery routes in Montgomery county, Ind., a typical community of the middle west. It has demonstrated that all of them have been operated to the entire satisfaction of the Indiana people enjoying the convenience, and also of the post office department. The Record's correspondent gives figures which sufficiently vindicate the action of the department. The routes are about 30 miles long. During the first month of the delivery each of the carriers delivered about 1,600 pieces of mail matter; at the end of the first year they were delivering more than 5,000 pieces a month. During the first three months they would each collect from eight to ten letters daily; now they collect 50 to 60 daily, besides many packages. Facts are cited to show the many improvements that have come about, and the three most significant are those which show the concrete fact that farms have raised in value, the department is receiving a net profit of $40 per month and that the convenience has stimulated the building of two new macadamized roads to induce the government to establish more routes. With these roads and without the free delivery system has come a greater value to the farms lying along them than has come to those with free delivery and poor roads, and the net result has been a larger and more vital interest in the movement that was first inaugurated by the League of American Wheelmen.

It will only be a matter of time, and a comparatively short time at that, when the motor vehicle will assume large proportions in this matter of free rural mail delivery. Already the bicycle has become the one great feature, but in the system necessarily in vogue and that will be greatly extended in its operation and in its mileage its value must needs have its limitations because of the carrying capacity of the machine and the mileage ability of the letter carrier.

Territory having good roads and free delivery will show so marked an increase in land values over adjacent sections that have not these signs of progress and prosperity that the local fathers will have before them selfish inducements to advance the cause that the wheelmen have so long and unselfishly fought for. It would be strictly within reason and should not be beyond the province of the postal department to make it a sine qua non that to be without roads would mean to be without free delivery. Under such conditions matters would soon assume a shape that would promise the gridironing of the country with roads in place of muck holes. When this comes about motorists will enjoy every advantage that could be wished for, and from so simple a thing as a postage stamp would come a large impetus to the newest of industries.—Cleveland Cycling Gazette.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvet skin, rich complexion. It will make a good looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50c. at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store.

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When clouds threw shadows o'er the sky,
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Not that his heart was happy—no!
But, like a river in its flow,
The music ever made it so—
Just singing!

And cheeks forgot the falling tear,
And souls in valleys dim drew near—
Crept to him in the dark to hear
That singing!

It led from grief, and gloom, and loss—
It led from seas where billows toss,
To light, illumining the cross—
That singing!

Sing! Sing! When sound the stormy knells,
When high the darkening tempest swells;
Sing! Sing! and hear the harbor-bells
Just singing!
—Atlanta Constitution.

A Morning Prayer.

Let me to-day do something that shall take
A little sadness from the world's vast store,
And may I be so favored as to make
Of joy's too scanty sum a little more.

Let me not hurt, by any selfish deed
Or thoughtless word, the heart of foe or friend;
Nor would I pass, unseeing, worthy need,
Or sin by silence where I would defend.

However meager be my worldly wealth,
Let me give something that shall aid my kind,
A word of courage, or a thought of health,
Dropped as I pass for troubled hearts to find.

Let me to-night look back across the span
'Twixt dawn and dark, and to my conscience say—
Because of some good act to beast or man—
"The world is better that I lived to-day."
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox, in Youth's Companion.

A Little Word.

She smiled upon him when they met,
He said a little word or two.
The sun in golden glory set,
She smiled upon him when they met,
That night they parted with regret.
What wondrous things a word will do!
She smiled upon him when they met,
He said a little word or two

But he had said her hair was red—
In truth it was an auburn hue—
A gossip told! Her passion fled!
Once he had said her hair was red,
The happiness he had is dead—
Ah, what a little word will do!
Once he had said her hair was red,
In truth it was of auburn hue
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald

Sine Die.

As far as earth is from the sky,
So Love is high
Where Alpine lakes their vigils keep
Is Love more deep

In Nature there no boundaries are
That tell how far Love goes,
Love's measure, as each countless star,
God knows

One only thing we know: Love comes to stay;
Though God's to give, it is not even His
To take away
—Marion Alden, in Outlook.

CRANBERRY PATCHES.

How to Utilize Waste Places on Farms Where There Is a Perennial Spring or Brook.

On a well-tilled farm between cultivated fields was a mud-hole covering an eighth of an acre, caused by the spreading out of the brook. The farmer believed in utilizing the waste places and making every part of the farm contribute to the general purpose. The spring from which came the brook could not be interfered with because it produced excellent water and was worth more than anything that could be grown in the meadow, for after passing through the swamp it ran into a trough in the pasture where the cattle had access to it.

There were several ways of improving this meadow and of giving the water from the spring uninterrupted flow, but all were costly except the one decided upon. He made a cranberry bog of the meadow. It costs about $300 an acre to make a good bog, but it pays. Several things are necessary, and one of them is facility for flooding in the fall to prevent damage by early frosts. In this bit of meadow the farmer raised cranberries as large as cherries, always welcome to any table, and always in demand in the market, especially when sugar is low. Wherever there is a perennial spring or brook (heaven help the farm that has neither) there are usually moist, untillable places, but exactly adapted to cranberry culture. Put in a few cranberry plants, for cranberry sauce is sauce for anything. It is more than sauce; it is food, and may be just the medicine the system needs.—George Appleton, in Farm and Fireside.

Economy with Fallen Apples.

There is much waste in the common practice of turning hogs into orchards to pick up fruit and make that their exclusive diet. The hog will soon learn to eat only the ripened fruit, saving that which is wormy. This fruit can be sold or dried, and if forced to do it the hog will eat the wormy fruit before the worm escapes. But to make this really economical some grain and milk should be given to hogs in addition to their fruit diet. This will make the young pigs grow and will strengthen their digestion for the exclusive corn feeding that will come when they are put up to be fattened.

Green Crops for the Orchard.

Bare soil soon loses its humus and becomes infertile. This must be prevented. Here is one way of preventing it: Plow the orchard in the spring, cultivate both ways and keep all weeds down till September 1, at which time the soil will be in fine condition for a seed bed. Sow rye at the rate of two bushels per acre. This will cover the ground well before winter, and therefore protect the ground from blowing or hard freezing during the winter. Let the rye stand till knee-high in the spring, then turn under and proceed with clean cultivation through the summer.

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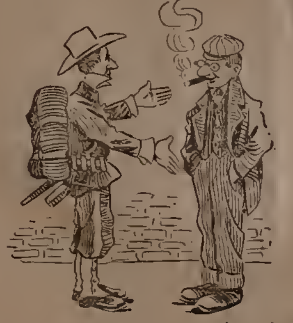

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WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 49, 4 10, 5 11, 6 01, 7 12, 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S10 17 a m, 6 17, 7 54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, †8 55 a m, †12 58, †5 21, 6 19, †7 25, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m. S10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, †6 57, 8 03, †9 15 a m; †12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, †8 58, a m; †1 01, 5 25, 6 14, †7 28, †9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 20, 10 30 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

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WRENTHAM.

The town hall was well filled Wednesday night to listen to the minstrel show given by the Mansfield minstrel Co., under the auspices of Wampum lodge, No. 195, I. O. O. F. The performance was an excellent one and greatly enjoyed by the audience. During the intermission Chaplain Hiram A. Cowell was presented with a large birthday cake by E. J. Whitaker, who made a very witty speech. Mr. Cowell thanked the donor in a happy strain.——Mr. and Mrs H M Messenger have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Carol Messenger, to William Bacon.——The Holly club met Tuesday with Mrs. Shepard and Miss Dimond. The subject was "A Winter's Tale."

BICYCLES AND DOGS.

Wheelmen Have Some Rights Which the Owners of Vicious Canines Must Protect.

The civil tribunal of the Seine recently decided a point which will be of intense interest to the cyclists of New York, who have been so pestered and worried by barking and snapping dogs along the cycle paths of the city and country roads of the suburbs. The Paris court has decided that the owners of dogs may be held responsible for injuries received by bicyclists when falls are due to dogs.

The test case was that of a dog belonging to a resident of the Bougival, who ran after a wheelman barking and snapping at his feet and legs.

In chasing the troublesome animal the cyclist lost his balance, fell from his wheel and broke a very valuable cigarette case which he carried in his pocket.

The cyclist claimed 500 francs damages from the owner of the annoying animal. The case was hotly contested, as it was looked upon as a test one, and the court finally awarded the plaintiff 200 francs damages.—N. Y. Herald.

Automobiles in France.

The Boston Herald publishes this extract from a private letter describing the Paris automobiles: "We went to Fontainebleau, five in the party, for breakfast, 4[illegible] miles in three hours, and such a ride! We came back by a longer route, 48 miles, in the same time, through the forest at sunset and along the Seine in the moonlight. Fancy going [illegible] miles for breakfast and enjoying it—that is, 80 miles by road. I have always detested automobiles, but for quick traveling they beat everything I have ever tried. They have the automobile coupes and victorias in the streets here. I mean the public ones, at the same tariff as the other carriages.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector; Rev M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M Hodge, D. D., will preach at 10.30 on "The Broad Religion of Paul." Vesper service at 5. Second discourse on question, "Is Death the End. The Answer of Human Life." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper. Theme, "A Mutilated Bible." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45. Preaching at 7. Theme, "The Four Sides of Christ's Atonement." The ordinance of baptism will be administered.

Congregational church—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath at 10.30 on "Chastened but Loved." Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. Evening worship at 7. Subject, "The One Good Father of Us All."

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.—S. A. Cook, pastor. Sermon the fifth of a series on the general subject: "Lessons from some characteristic Incidents in the Life of Christ." Special subject: "The Transfigured Christ." Sunday school at 12. Junior league at 3. Epworth league at 6. Evening service at 7; subject, "Obedience to the Heavenly Vision."

Tremont Theatre.

Miss Mary Sanders, the young, bright, pretty, clever and fascinating little actress, who is one of the most popular impersonators of ingenues on the contemporary stage, and is universally regarded as a worthy successor to the genius and the roles of the famous Lotta, will begin on Monday, Jan. 22, at the Tremont theatre, a starring tour in "Little Nell and the Marchioness,' a new dramatization by Harry P. Mawson, of Dickens' famous novel, "The Old Curiosity Shop,' which competent critics have declared the best ever made. Miss Sanders, of course, will play the dual role of Little Nell and the Marchioness, which is well calculated to display her unquestioned abilities, her remarkable versatility and charming personality. Her supporting company has been selected with great care, and includes such well known artists as Max Figman, P. Augustus Anderson, Harold Hartsell, John Jack, William Seymour, Charles Stanley, H. J. Holliday Aubrey Beattie, Misses Anne Caverly, Mary Mackenzie, Lilly Eldredge and Mollie Revell. The piece is staged by William Seymour, and set with beautiful new scenery, and the production is as complete as unremitting attention, untiring effort and lavish expenditure can make it.

After the Boom Was Over.

"When I came to this town," said the man on the dry goods box, "everything I had in the world was tied up in a red bandana handkerchief."

"And now?" asked the tourist, who was waiting for a train.

"And now," replied the man on the box, scratching his jaw, "everything I've got in the world is tied down with mortgages."—Chicago Tribune.

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Collector's Notice

The owner of the following described parcel of real estate in the town of Medway, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon assessed for the year within specified, according to the list committed to me by the assessors of taxes, remain unpaid, and that the said parcel of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Town Clerk's office in said Medway, on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the cost and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

Francis Duhame or Owner About four and one-half acres of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the north side of Evergreen street, in the northerly part of Medway; bounded on the north by Main street, east by Elm street, west by land of George McIntosh, land of Medway Savings Bank, land of Elbridge Ware, south by Evergreen street; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.

Tax assessed, $41.19.

GEO. F. MADDEN,
Collector of Taxes for 1899.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Annie M. Grant, late of Medway, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Helen Towne Grant of Medway, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, post-paid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this 1[illegible] day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

ja19,26,2 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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The best 50c, Tea 40c.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,

NORFOLK, ss.

FRANKLIN, December 6, A. D. 1899.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

TUESDAY, the THIRTIETH day of JANUARY, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse Block, in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Mary H. Wilder of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the seventeenth day of April, 1899, at thirty minutes past six o'clock in the afternoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process), in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon, to wit: Two cottage houses, situated on Broad street, in that part of Medway called Medway Village, in said county of Norfolk, bounded as follows, to wit: Westerly by Broad street, northerly by land of William B Hodges, easterly by land of Sarah Woodward, southerly by land now or formerly of Lothrop S. Wilder.

Being the same premises conveyed to Clark Partridge by Mason C. Richardson by deed dated November 6, 1865, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 337, fol. 26.

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
Deputy Sheriff.

ja5,12,19

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

SUPERIOR COURT.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court, holden at Dedham within and for the county of Norfolk:

Respectfully represents Abbie M Darling of Franklin, in said county, that on the first day of January, A. D. 1888, at said Franklin, she was lawfully married to Nathan E. Darling, now of Providence, in the state of Rhode Island; that thereafterward your libellant and said Nathan E. Darling lived together as husband and wife in this commonwealth, to wit: At said Franklin and at Wrentham, in said county, and in said Providence; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Nathan E. Darling being wholly regardless of the same on or about the twenty-seventh day of September, A. D. 1896, at said Franklin, wilfully and utterly deserted your libellant and has continued such desertion for more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

And your libellant further says that the said Nathan E. Darling, being of sufficient ability, has grossly, wantonly and cruelly refused and neglected to provide a suitable maintenance for her.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Nathan E. Darling, and that such further orders and decrees may be made in the premises as to your Honors may seem just and reasonable.

Dated at said Franklin the thirtieth day of December, A. D. 1899.

ABBIE M. DARLING.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, ss.

SUPERIOR COURT.

On the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant give notice to the said Nathan E. Darling, the libellee, to appear before the justices of the court, to be holden at Dedham, within and for said county, on the first Monday of March next, by causing an attested copy of said libel, and of this order thereon, to be published once in a week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first Monday of March next, and further, by sending through the mail, as soon as may be, by a registered letter addressed to the last known residence of the said Nathan E. Darling an attested copy of said libel and of this order thereon, that the said Nathan E. Darling may then and there show cause why the prayer of said libel should not be granted.

By the court.

LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.

January 4, 1900.

A true copy of said libel and of the order thereon.

Attest R. B. WORTHINGTON,
Assistant Clerk.

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Herman M Fisher 11Jan00

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MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

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Simply tells the public what you have got. If you never tell the people don't expect them to ask you. That's all there is to it.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Taxes! Seven per cent. or collection—which? Perhaps both.

All the latest music at the masquerade

Skating at Hoag's pond has been spoiled for the present.

Indications point to a large attendance at the masquerade.

William Williams of Providence was here with friends on Sunday.

Frank Pendergast of Watertown visited his parents here on Sunday.

The King's Daughters will meet this evening with Miss Alice Nixon.

Miss Eva Kennedy of Providence was the guest of relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. A. E King is visiting her daughter in Peabody for a couple of weeks.

The Universalists will celebrate "Young People's day" next Sabbath.

Winslow's express and Stewart's express are now equipped with up-to-date wagons.

The opening number of the masquerade programme will be a promenade and two-step.

Members of the N. E. O. P. are requested to remember the installation tomorrow evening.

John Dorsey has been succeeded by Paul Piri as manager of the Rambler base ball club.

E. A. Metcalf has returned from the south and re entered the employ of O. F. Metcalf & Son.

Rev. G W Miner attended the banquet of the Episcopal club at the Brunswick in Boston last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sweeney welcomed a little son into their home on Cattage street Saturday.

John Costello, Sr., and daughter Sadie spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Fred Gurney, at Worcester.

Miss Gertrude Bly sang as soprano at the Universalist church last Sabbath in the absence of Miss Adams.

At the close of the Ladies' Auxiliary meeting next Friday evening the members will hold a whist party.

Fred C. Burroughs, one of the proprietors of the Danielson (Conn.) Transcript, made us a pleasant call yesterday.

Miss Annie Dwyer, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lemier, has returned to her home in Milford.

Principal Daniels attended the legislative hearing at the State house today in the interest of musical supervision in the schools.

Fred V. Hussey has been selected as one of the six out of twenty for the Brown debating team. This will be narrowed down to four.

Charles Stewart has been confined to the house with a very serious case of tonsilitis, an operation, however, relieving him so that he is improving.

Miss Grace Adams has been obliged to give up singing temporarily owing to a swelling of the glands of the throat. An operation may be necessary.

The funeral of Jeffrey O'Connel took place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Mary's church, when a requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. M. J. Sullivan.

A number of pictures have been donated to the William M. Thayer school by a friend of the school, and more are promised. Can't you do something in this line?

James McParland was taken to Walpole last Friday, where he paid a fine of $15 for drunkenness, the outcome of a disturbance which he made in Blackman's restaurant.

The funeral of Mrs. Eunice Jones was held at the residence of her brother, Silas Toothaker, in North Franklin yesterday, Rev. Mr. Sleeper officiating. She was 90 years of age.

Artist Hutchinson is remodelling the Stanley house, which he moved to School street, and will paint and paper the entire interior and paint the exterior. It is already rented.

Costumer Cheney of Milford will be at the vacant store next the stage entrance of the Opera house with a good assortment of ladies' and gents' suits, on Thursday, to supply the needs of the maskers.

Edward Burke and little son of Peck street visited at the home of Mr. Burke's father in Oxford on Sunday, the latter having recently been injured by a fall on the ice. His condition is now greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bullard of Garden City, Kansas, with his sister, Miss H. C. Bullard and Mr. and Mrs. Granville Morse of Wrentham were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Sanger on Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Since February. 1899, the town has paid out for district court expenses $333, including $35 for counsel fees, partly in the superior court, and received in return from fines $466, leaving a balance in favor of the town of $133.

Out West a girl wants to know "if it's true that kissing will cure freckles," and the local newspaper editor responds to the query: "We wouldn't say positively, but a simple recipe like that is worth trying. Call after business hours."

A number of the young boys of the town have succeeded in forming a class to reap the benefit offered by the Dean gymnasium. The class met for the first time Tuesday night. They have the privilege of the gymnasium two nights and one afternoon a week for athletic purposes.

In the district court at Walpole yesterday, before Judge Doe, Hugh Lyons of Medway was found guilty of keeping a disorderly house and fined $50, Paul Richardson was sent to Dedham jail for thirty days for disturbing the peace and an unfortunate from Foxboro was fined $5 for drunkenness.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Nye have the sympathy of all in the severe illness of their daughter, Eleanor, who was so dangerously sick yesterday that life was almost despaired of. A specialist was out from Boston on Sunday, and every care is being given the sick one. The difficulty is acute gastritis.

An old lady rode from Franklin to Woonsocket one morning last week, expecting to meet her son. It was very foggy and the motorman did not rush his car at customary speed. So it was quite late upon reaching town. Upon meeting her son she explained that owing to the fog "the car had to walk."

"Bill" Hazelton, who was the popular captain of Tufts during the season of '99, and who was unanimously elected again this year, has temporarily resigned. He has been unable to return to college this year, owing to the fracture of the skull which he received at Fayban's during the summer. A temporary captain will be appointed.

A pleasant incident at the M. E church Sunday morning was the presenting to Pastor Cook a handsome sum of money, contributed by his parishioners as a birthday gift, yesterday being his twenty fifth anniversary. Mr. Cook remarked that he had heard of surprise parties, but this capped any he had ever had the pleasure of participating in.

W. C. Sherman knew Martin Bergen, the Boston catcher, who murdered his wife and two children and committed suicide last Friday, very well, and had warned Manager Seeley of the Bostons that he did not consider him a safe man to have on the team. Many had noted his queer ways, but none thought he would commit such a terrible deed.

Here's another trust. Seventeen of the practising physicians of Framingham have issued a notice to the public which is, in effect, that as their fees are much less than in any other city or town in the state where living expenses are as high, in justice to the medical profession and themselves, they agree upon a uniform schedule of prices beginning with the year 1900.

The Worcester Textile company has closed its plant in that city and the machinery has been shipped to the Unionville plant, where it will be put in position at once, the company intending to have the factory running to its full capacity at as early a date as possible. A number of additional weavers went to work yesterday morning and looms are ready for still more.

Miss Kate Sanborn, who is well known here, is as outspoken as ever. She recently remarked in regard to the women suffrage question; "As for those trailing skirts clutched by left hand, and impeding freedom of motion, I only ask, 'Is woman fit for the ballot when she doesn't have courage and gumption enough to insist on a pocket, or a dozen of them, and a street dress of proper walking length?"

The Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church will have a social and entertainment in the church parlor Wednesday evening, Jan. 24, at 7.45 o'clock. The program will consist of vocal and instrumental music, readings and a short farce. A large number of distinguished people from different parts of this country and Europe will be present. All members of the Y. P. C. U. are urged to attend and bring their friends with them.

The Franklin Fire Dept. club met last Saturday evening and elected the following officers: Pres., C. Russell; vice pres., T. Feeley; sec., H. F. Monroe; treas., L. Morrissey; general standing com., T. Feeley, Ed Farrer, Jean Barr, T. Halloran, H. Cockerell. Regular meetings will be held the first Friday in each month. Donations of books, papers, magazines and other reading matter is solicited and will be thankfully received.

At the meeting of the Greenhalge Literary society last Friday afternoon the following officers were elected: President, Maisie Whiting; vice-president, George Sneath; secretary, Linua Ferrer; treasurer, Ellen Butters. After the business meeting the following programme was rendered: Piano solo, Miss Alice Nixon; reading, Carrie Guigon; piano duet, Misses Read and Corbin; reading, May Morey; reading, Maisie Whiting; piano solo, Miss Billings.

The Dean and Everett Y. M. C. A. basket ball teams played a lively and interesting game in the gymnasium Saturday evening, a large number of spectators looking on. Both teams did splendid work at the start, and at the close of the first half honors were nearly even. In the second half Dean kept right on with its good playing, while the Everett boys fell off, and Dean came out of the struggle victorious. The score: Dean 20, Everett 13. Dean has won all of the three games played so far this season.

St. Mary's alumni held its monthly social with the president, Miss Annie Kelly, last Friday evening, and a most enjoyable time was passed by the members, the playing of whist, piano solos by Miss Louisa Fiorani and Miss Kelly and violin solos by Miss Mary Walsh making the hours glide swiftly and happily. A pleasing feature was the presentation of a silk umbrella to Miss Kelly, the date being her birthday anniversary. Refreshments were served during the evening. The next meeting will be held with Miss Mary Walsh on Friday evening, Feb. 16.

The controlling interest in the Milford-South Framingham electric road has been sold to New Haven parties. The new company declares its intention to extend the Medway branch four miles to Medfield, there to connect with the Dedham & Medfield road for Forest Hills. The extension will be built as early as possible in the spring and trolley cars may then be taken in Milford for Forest Hills. The company also intends to open one or two summer places along its line, and, with anticipation of a largely increased traffic, has ordered a number of new cars.

There was a large gathering of young people at the summer dress party given under the auspices of the U. T. D. S. at Foresters' hall last evening, and the event was a pleasing social success. Guests were present from Boston, Milford, the Attleboros, the Medways, Woonsocket and Walpole, and the dancing continued until after 2 o'clock this morning, an hour's intermission being taken for refreshments. The ladies were attired in summer gowns for the occasion and made a handsome and striking appearance. Music was furnished by Prof. J. A. O'Sullivan and Brady Knowlton was the prompter.

A sad and sudden death was that of Miss Medora A. Rockwood on Saturday morning. She had been suffering from a cold for some time, but was able to be about. She arose that morning, but was compelled to return to bed. A physician was summoned, and pronounced the case pneumonia. She died about 9 o'clock. She was a member of the Congregational church, a faithful and earnest member of the Christian Endeavor, and beloved by all who knew her for her Christian bearing and sweet, gentle disposition. A mother and sister survive her. The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock, her pastor, Rev. Dr. Sneath, officiating. The quartette was composed of the Misses Whiting, and the Messrs. Hosford and Hartshorne, and many remembered the deceased with floral gifts.

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

The Christian View.

Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath addressed his people last Sabbath morning upon the theme "Chastened but Loved," basing his remarks upon Hebrews 12: 6, "For whom the Lord loveth He chasteneth and scourgeth every son whom He receiveth." He said: A smooth sea never made a skillful mariner. Michael Angelo never produced his Moses out of stone by fondling the marble, but by chiselling it. God never made a Christian fit for the realms of eternal delight by simply loving and sweetly caressing him, but by chastening and scourging. Pain is God's angel of love. Wherever there is suffering in the life of a Christian there you will discover the clue-thread to the heart of God.

It is a law of the spiritual life that God manifests His love through suffering. This law is as old as religion. It must not be inferred that there are not other ways in which He reveals His love to man, nor must it be inferred that chastisement is the result of God's sore displeasure. He does punish sin and disobedience. But there is a vital distinction between punishment for sin and scourging for disciplinary purposes. Punishment is the attitude of justice toward disobedience and is administered primarily for the welfare of society. Secondarily it may seek the reclaimation of the criminal. Chastisement from the Father on the other hand is sent by God out of His infinite love. He must love us to afflict us and the chastisement is for our larger fruitfulness here and our perfection of character hereafter. He is too wise to err, too good to be unkind, and only out of His infinite wisdom and love does He cause us to bear the discipline of trial. There is no malice or revenge or delight in suffering which moves the heart of God. It is His love and the end sought is our perfection of character and fruitfulness.

The rationality of such a course on the part of God becomes evident through analogy from nature and from the testimony of the scriptures. The bar of steel in the hands of the smith passes through a severe ordeal before it becomes a perfect and useful tool. The florist causes the rose plant to experience a life of sacrifice that it may bear a wealth of more perfect roses. The lawn which receives continuous cuttings is greener and more beautiful in consequence thereof. The clearest glass attains its perfection of transparency by passing through the hottest fires. And so the Christian is not punished, but disciplined by chastisement for his perfection, and these scourgings are always the appointments of God's love. Christ was made "perfect through suffering," and we can only become "like Him" by passing through the same experience. Philosophy also assures us that pain is not an evil, but a blessing, and ever seeks beneficent ends. In view of these testimonies from nature, philosophy and revelation it is not irrational to say that "a heart without sorrows would be a heart without the sweetest revelations man can receive from above." Let us learn the great lesson of life. God loves his children. His love sends the chastisement, not as punishment, but as the means of a larger fruitfulness and of the development to a perfect life. The constituent elements of illuminating gas are the same as those in the oil of roses, taken from our most fragrant roses. A life full of iniquity may become a life like Christ's, but the individual must pass through the alembic of suffering which the love of God provides.

Incalculably Helpful.

The special revival services at the M. E. church closed with the very helpful meeting of Saturday evening, though, as Pastor Cook announced Sunday morning, the special revival efforts will be continued indefinitely; the Sunday evening 7 o'clock service and the Friday evening prayer meeting will be especially evangelistic; the church is now just ready to begin work. Sunday twelve persons were received to probationary membership and several others are expected to follow very soon, but this indicates only a small portion of the benefit accruing to the church through this series of meetings. The hearts of the members have warmed toward the Lord and toward each other; they have been revived, invigorated and interested in the work for the Master, and a new spiritual activity must surely result. Temporally, a new era of prosperity is promised. With the recent repairs on the church interior, all bills practically met and arrangements about completed for firstclass music the outlook for the people's church was never better. The start made by Rev. W. W. Shenk has been faithfully and successfully pushed forward by his successor, Rev. S Arthur Cook, and a larger amount of even more vital work accomplished. He has proven himself the man for the occasion. Strangers in town and any having no church home will find here a cordial welcome and a pure, straight gospel. All seats free at all services. R.

Mrs. Charles Rand will shortly canvass for a life of Moody.

An Active Life Ended.

The funeral of Frederick Eugene Aldrich will take place tomorrow afternoon at 1 30 from his late residence on Summer street. Rev. Mr. Miner will read the Episcopal service and Rev. Dr. Hodge will make the funeral address. Friends who desire are invited to attend, but it was the wish of the deceased that no floral remembrances be sent.

Mr. Aldrich had been sick since September, 1898, with progressive and pernicious anaemia, and his death was not entirely unexpected. He was born in Cumberland, R. I., June 4, 1849, and was educated in the public schools. For a number of years he was a salesman for, and later a partner with, Frederick Thayer of Woonsocket, the business being in Millville. He came to Franklin in 1889, where he was occupied as a dealer in flocks, shoddy and wool waste, in which he built up a very gratifying business.

He was married in Walpole, Oct. 31, 1878, to Miss Emily F. Munn, two daughters having been born to them, Mabel H. and Emily M. Aldrich. After removing to Franklin he purchased the property on Summer street, remodeled it, built a large storehouse and maintained one of the best kept establishments in town. He was energetic, of quick perceptions, knew exactly what he wanted, and was thoroughly honest and upright. In business transactions he was quick to perceive and take advantage of his opportunities, and had amassed a comfortable competency.

He held no public office, though a number had been tendered him. He was an attendant at the Universalist church, and an official of that body, his counsels being regarded as of worth and the result of acute perceptions and good judgment. Franklin can ill afford to lose such men.

Why He Didn't Get In.

He stood before St. Peter and meekly applied for admission to the Better Land.

"Cannot admit you, sir."

"Can't admit me!" exclaimed the dismayed aspirant. "Haven't I obeyed the laws of the land?"

"Oh, yes."

"What then has been my offense?"

"You wanted to stop your newspaper, and instead of dropping a line to the publisher and paying arrearages, you had the postmaster send him a message to the effect that his paper was refused. A man so contemptible would find no company in heaven; so please move on below."—Exchange.

The Town Reports.

The town officers should generally bear in mind the fact that during the last two or three years there has been a growing feeling on the part of the voters that the annual financial reports should be issued earlier, so that they may be studied in advance of the town meetings, to the end that when the voters assemble together for the transaction of business they may be better informed as to what ought to be done. To that end Auditor Woodward is endeavoring to get his "copy" into our hands so that we may get the reports out at least a week before the meeting, if possible.

A Musical Treat.

Manager S. J. Treitel and Secretary J. H. Rickard, Jr., of the Piacere Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar club, were in town last week making arrangements for a concert in Odd Fellows' hall for the early part of next month. Local society people are interested and two large trolley parties from Woonsocket are expected.

The Woonsocket papers praise the Piacere club highly. The precise date is to be announced later.

The Moody Biography.

R. B. Stewart has taken the agency for the Moody book, and the following letter from Mr. Moody's son will explain itself:

DEAR SIRS—Since making the arrangements for the publication of the authorized biography of my father I have been surprised to see the very misleading statements of other publishers that they are preparing biographies with our approval. I want to assure you that all these claims are false and calculated to deceive the public, as we have given our consent to none of these works and they are not "approved by the family and friends" of my father. I would also state that without exception we have expressed our regret at the multiplication of these works which have been prepared in spite of our urgent protest.

I felt that this statement was due to you in view of these false announcements which are the source of great annoyance to us all. Yours truly,

W. R. MOODY.

No Better
time in all the year to sit for photos. All little things you are fussy about, and special requests regarding orders can receive fullest attention; also as is my custom at this time in the year, I shall for a short time give twenty to twenty-five per cent. extra on each new order for photos. Call and talk it over.
CALKIN, Depot St.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

MR EDITOR:—In the press of other duties, the last statement of my orthodox friend escaped my attention. When it finally came to my notice, I saw that he felt I had read into his words a meaning he did not intend to convey. He says, "That elsewhere an opportunity will be given for repentance cannot be read into my statement, or be found in orthodox doctrine." That it cannot be found in orthodox doctrine I know. That was the ground for my statement that the Protestant Evangelical Christian abandoned his loved ones at the gates of death, but looked at from my standpoint it could be read into his statement. The truest good of any human being is the privilege of learning the right way by doing right. There is no other way of learning And so, if God is seeking here and elsewhere the truest good of his children, He is seeking to lead them into right ways of living. If, at any period of our lives here or elsewhere, we are denied the privilege of ceasing to do evil and learning to do right, and left to suffer the disastrous results of whatever evil we may have committed, God in so leaving us ceases to be a loving parent, and becomes the stern and unforgiving administrator of remediless punishment. When punishment ceases to be remedial it becomes vengeance. If it does not, will my orthodox friend tell me what he does call it? He misled me into a wrong interpretation of his words by saying, "God only punishes us for our good," a statement I perfectly agree with. When the opportunity of repentence is denied us, while the punishment goes right on, is that for our good? I am unable to see how it is, and unable to see how any one else can

Now I trust my friend can see why I misunderstood him and welcomed him to a larger hope, a broader faith, a more reasonable interpretation of God's government.

But, alas, he cannot be so welcomed. He believes just what I said he did He only objects to my way of expressing it. Suppose, then, we rearrange it after his style: The Protestant Evangelical Christian abandons his loved ones at the gates of death, and abandons them, as he believes, to an everlasting punishment prepared for them by God, who, like a loving parent seeking here and elsewhere the truest good of his children, punishes them only for their good. It sounds rather queer, but being his own statement of belief, expressed in his own words, I trust he will be satisfied.

H. B. HASLAM.

The Colored Swells.

Graham's Great Southern Specialty company will appear at Morse Opera house Feb. 3. Society last season was particularly partial to "coon" amusements among themselves In the list of the New York 400's swellest society functions the "smart" set took to cake walk affairs At Newport the very elite of that fashionable resort's summer colony seemed to have gone fairly "coon" mad.

Mr. Graham's name in this part of the country has always stood for that which is most up to date and best in the way of "coon" entertainment and has introduced many novelties in this line. Whatever is latest will be found conspicuously exploited. The cake walk, for which particular colored feature Mr. Graham has always held the palm, will be more elaborate than ever this season.

If you want to hear all the latest "coon" songs they may be listened to in this Graham entertainment when the company appears here.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

All sorts of stove wood, from trash to heavy oak, at the School street wood yard. 12tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

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Young girl from Maine wants to do general house work in small family. Address M., Box 496, Franklin, Mass. 23,26*

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Lost—A deed, in large envelope, near the postoffice. Please return to Postmaster Conroy. D. C. Coates. 23*

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

TUESDAY, JAN 23, 1900

The Only One.

A woman who lives in a large western city recently asked Postmaster Gordon, of Chicago, to obtain her certain information and inclosed a stamp for reply. The information sought could not be given, but the office assisted her to the best of its ability. The woman, evidently, had made similar inquiries at other offices, but in [illegible] case received a stereotyped official [illegible]r. She desired to show her ap[illegible]lation of the courtesy of the Chicago office and in a letter of thanks received the other day she concludes thus: "There is only one kind postmaster, and he is in the wicked city of Chicago, as our minister used to tell me." A similar letter was received at the same time in the inquiry division. An error in address was made in forwarding the letter to Chicago. The person addressed made inquiry at the post office, and the letter was traced, found and delivered. In acknowledging the favor the woman says: "I have received letter and am very much obliged. Allow me to say Uncle Sam, [illegible] Chicago [illegible] nend the [illegible] man in the general office, whom I saw when I started the church. Chicago is all right." The name of the clerk referred to is kept secret by the postal officials, but each employe in the inquiry division is taking the compliment to himself and declares he was active in finding a missing letter.

In a Boston tenement house a family had a cat which for some reason became distasteful and was turned out. Two weeks later it returned one night, got into the flat where it formerly lived, and tried to awaken the head of the family by mewing and scratching at the bedclothes. The indignant man got up and threw the cat out into the hall. A short time later the eldest son of the family, a messenger boy, came home, and as the cat followed him he noticed its strange actions. The cat ran around, clawing the boy's trousers, until he observed that the kindling wood, which had been placed behind the stove, had been scattered around the floor. Looking closer, he saw smoke coming from the fire board at the back of the stove. He roused the household, and the fire, which was well under way, was put out. It is hardly necessary to add that after that night the cat was not driven from home.

An employers' association, representing from $7,[illegible] to $9,[illegible]0,000 of local capital, has been organized in Spokane, Wash., to resist the demands of organized labor which its members may regard as unjust. The lumber mills, breweries, flour mills, street car companies, electric light companies, gas company, water company, factories, contractors, merchants and other interests are represented in the association.

In a single year the value of canaries raised in Germany is estimated at $250,000, and it is satisfactory to learn that the greater part of this sum goes into the pockets of the poor.

Report says that the use of metal trading checks has become so general in some of the country districts in Minnesota as to almost supplant the use of government coin.

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At various times attempts have been made to manufacture genuine diamonds and other precious stones, but the cost of manufacture has in each case proved so great that up to the present time no such diamonds have been placed on the market. This statement, of course, does not apply to the manufacture of artificial precious stones, which seems to be thriving at present, judging from a recent cable dispatch to the New York Herald, which told how artificial diamonds and rubies are being manufactured in Europe.

The point of interest just now is the fact that a method of manufacturing genuine pearls at a trifling cost has just been discovered. Manufacture, however, is hardly the right word, for it is nature herself which does almost the whole business. A natural pearl, we know, is formed through the intrusion of a foreign body into the shell of a mussel.

The sea mussel is popularly supposed to have a monopoly of this business, but this is an error. A certain species of river mussels, technically known as Margaritana margaritifera, also produces beautiful pearls.

The attention of a French naturalist, M. Boutan, a professor at the Sorbonne, was recently drawn to this fact, and he at once conceived the idea of producing pearls by means of these river mussels. His first step was to prepare a sort of oyster bed for the propagation of the mussels, after which he began to aid nature in her work of making pearls. In each shell he bored a small hole, and through it he introduced a tiny bit of mother-of-pearl into the body of the fish.

His work was now complete, and all he had to do was to wait until nature had completed the process. That he will in time reap a rich harvest seems to be the general opinion among naturalists. By the way, this method of manufacturing pearls is not new, as the Chinese are said to have practised it for centuries.

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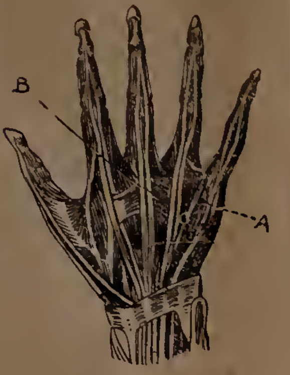

THE IDEAL PIANO HAND.

When the anatomy of the muscles of the hand is studied it will be found that these fingers are connected crosswise by tendons of great strength, which are the cause of their simultaneous movements and render independent motion almost impossible.

Dr. Rartaz, of Paris, has undertaken recently a number of operations on the hands of pianists, successfully cutting the muscles (a and b in the cut) connecting these fingers, and giving their hands a freedom of movement which could not have been attained even by the most persistent efforts in the ordinary way. It appears that the first operation of the kind was made by a Philadelphia surgeon, a Dr. Forbes, with whom the idea was original.

Many years ago Abbe Liszt, the famous virtuoso, had a similar operation performed, which went much further. He had his hand split between all the fingers as far as the first joint. As a result his stretch was greater than that of any artist before or after him, permitting him to execute effects impossible with others.—Philadelphia Record.

Microscope Detects Crime.

Modern scientific discoveries seem to be of the greatest use in running down criminals. A German diplomat was telling the other day of a curious use of the microscope for this purpose recently made in Prussia. A barrel of specie sent from the frontier to Berlin was robbed and filled with sand. This was supposed to have been done on the way to Berlin. An eminent chemist obtained samples of all the sand near the stations of which the barrel passed, and by means of blowpipe and microscope found sand of the station at which it had been emptied and filled, and from this circumstance the thief was discovered and arrested.

Counting Her Pulse.

"You and young Dr. Pilkins seemed to be sitting very close together on the porch last evening," said her incorrigible brother.

"Yes," replied the fair one, blushing and glancing quickly in the direction of the other members of the family. "He was counting my pulse-beats."

"Well," replied the incorrigible, "all I have to say is that your pulse must beat mighty hard to be felt through your corsets at the waist line."—Chicago Post.

Found His Lot.

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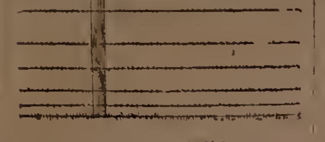

DOG-PROOF FENCE.

Cruel Man!

"Sometimes," he said, with a far-off look, "I envy the Mormons."

"George, I am shocked. Don't you know it's an awful sin to have a dozen wives?"

"I know that; but then, perhaps out of 12 wives you could find one that could really cook."

And she can only burst into tears.—Brooklyn Life.

The End.

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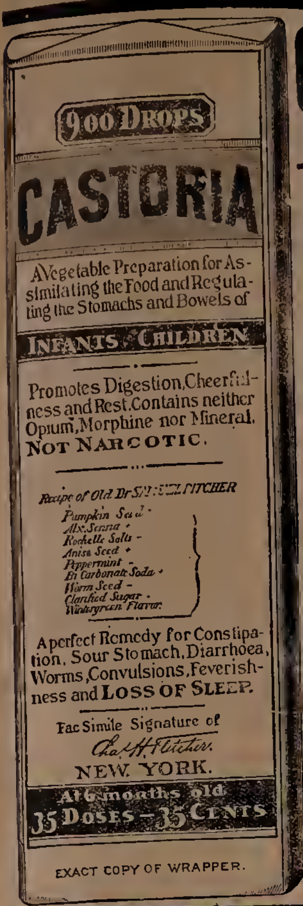
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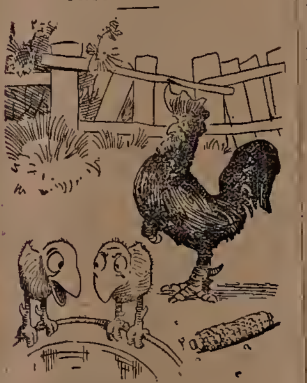

First Chick—What's he got to be so stuck up about?

Second Chick—Why, I'm his son.—N. Y. Journal.

Not an Impersonator.

"Let's play 'Old Maid,'" exclaimed the prattlesome child who is always endeavoring to find an opponent in harmless games.

Miss Passeigh looked very stern for a moment and then answered:

"You will have to apply to someone whose age is more suitable. I wouldn't be such a hypocrite."—Washington Star.

What He Tells.

"If I should tell all I know," said the detective, with a solemn shake of his head, "it would create a sensation, and don't you forget it."

"If you would refrain from telling what you don't know," returned the sarcastic citizen, "it would create even a greater sensation."—Chicago Post.

Held Up.

Passenger—Give me three of those bananas. How much?

Train Boy—Fifteen cents.

Passenger (handing over the money)—You are not as spectacular as the James boys used to be, young fellow, but you do it more thoroughly.—Chicago Tribune.

Almost Too Friendly.

Lewitt—My dear friend, Hewiss, my regard for you increases the more I know you. My friendship for you will never cease. I would share your last shilling with you.

Hewiss (thoughtfully)—Hum. That's kind of you.—Tit-Bits.

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MIGHTY BEE HUNTER

He Tracks the Insects as Unerringly as a Honey Bird.

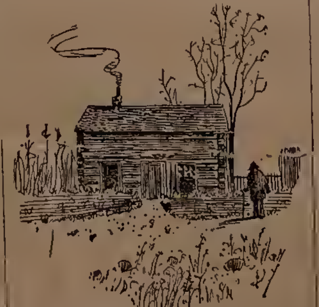
Jacob Mowers, of Half Day, Ill., Who Is Approaching the Century Mark, Is Sighing for a Country Where Game Is Plentiful.

It was a mild sort of a joker who said that time must stand still at Half Day, Ill., for there necessarily it must always be noon. When a visitor to Half Day sees Jacob Mowers, trapper, bee hunter and occasional blacksmith, he feels that joker had some little foundation in fact for his witticism.

Jacob Mowers, like the hundreds of bicyclists who whirl through Half Day on summer Sundays is, according to the Chicago Tribune, making a century run. At present Mr. Mowers is somewhere about the ninetieth milestone, but he still hunts bees, fells trees and carts honey homeward in great chunks. Jacob is the oldest inhabitant of the region in which he lives. He has lived in the same log house for upwards of half a century, and the structure has stood time and weather conditions as well as has its builder and owner.

It was in the early '40s that the bee hunter struck Half Day. It was not called Half Day then nor any other name. The pioneer camped under a tree and shot for his dinner a deer which was browsing in the bush where the well-populated village graveyard is now located. He has seen the burying place wax fat with the succeeding years, but the old hunter does no intend, if he can help it, to increase its proportions by the length and width of his own body, for he is bent on removing shortly from this scene of his early labors and going to some place where game is thicker and honey more easy to be found.

At Mr. Mowers' log cabin are to be seen evidences of his three callings. Ancient horse shoes hang on the outer wall, animal pelts are to be found within, and the bees are busy just beyond the threshold. He has a marked aversion to entering any modern blacksmith's shop. "The smithing art has been lost," he said. "They don't do things now as they used to. Once in a great while I wander into one of the shops, but I soon come out because it makes me angry to hear four blows on the anvil to one on the iron."



THE BEE HUNTER'S CABIN.

Then Richard Murphy, the old blacksmith's boon companion, who arrived at Half Day just one year after his friend, broke in with: "There's no blacksmith like Jake anywhere. Why, only recently they brought out a blooded horse way from Chicago just to have the old man shoe it. The critter had gone wrong in its feet, but it's been right ever since Jake got through with it." Then the two old cronies sighed and shook their heads over the degeneracy of methods of shoeing horses.

No one in northern Illinois has the trapping instinct so keenly developed as Jacob Mowers, nonogenerian of Half Day. The neighbors say that Jake's traps always attract coons, minks and muskrats when the traps of others seem simply to repel the animals. Otters are exceedingly scarce in Illinois. One day recently a former trapper rode into Half Day and called on Mowers.

"Jake," he said, "I'm beat. There's two otters down near my place. They've been there two years and I've tried to ketch 'em by every means known to the law and by some other means, for that matter, but I can't get 'em to come within gunshot of the traps. You come down to my place and try your hand and if you ketch the beasts you can have 'em."

So Jake started out with his caller and put up at the farmhouse. The next morning he went out and looked the ground over. In the afternoon he said to his host: "How long did you say you had been trying to ketch these critters?"

"Two years."

"Well, I'll get 'em in two days," said the visitor, confidently.

Jake set his traps. The next morning a splendid specimen of an otter was found in one trap and a raccoon in the other. The farmer was astounded.

"I'd have had the other otter if the coon hadn't come along first," said Jake. "The otter was trying to get in after the coon was caught."

The traps were set again and the next morning the second otter was found imprisoned. Jake took the hides home and sold them for nine dollars cash.

It is, however, as a bee hunter that Mr. Mowers has won his chief fame. He tracks the bees to their hives as unerringly as does the honey bird of Africa. All that is known of his method is that he seeks a field, puts a modicum of sweet stuff on a stick, finds a bee, which he allows to fill itself with his proffered bait, and then he tracks the laden bee to its hollow tree hive. Despite his years he did this so successfully last fall that he secured from the woods about Half Day 400 pounds of honey and a number of swarms of bees, which are now domesticated in proper hives.

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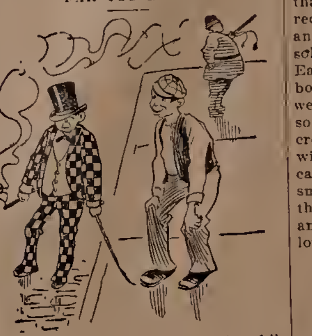


"Say, Eddie, don't yer know dat children should be seen an' not heard?—N. Y. Journal.

His Experience.

"Woman's work is never done," quoted the sympatheic citizen.

"That's right," answered Mr. Meekton, earnestly. "I have observed it in Henrietta's case. Woman's work is never done. There is always enough of it left over to keep her husband busy from the time he gets through dinner till he's so tired he has to go to bed."—Washington Star.

IN THE YEAR 1675

When men wore clothes like these. Charles II. of England issued a proclamation suppressing coffee houses. He considered them "hot beds of sedition" and dangerous to the public peace.

Times have changed since then.

In these days benevolent persons establish coffee houses, having learned that they promote the public welfare. The reason for this is that they drink coffee at home themselves, and know its virtue.

Perhaps if it had been possible for King Charles to have known such coffee as we have to-day, the kind that is sold by Chase & Sanborn, he would have done different.

No one can fail to be benefited by this the most delicious coffee known to the American public.

Chase & Sanborn's Seal Brand Java and Mocha always gives satisfaction and leaves a feeling of contentment whenever it is used.

It does more. It insures good health because it is pure.

Insist that your grocer shall give you Chase & Sanborn's Coffee. Either the Seal Brand in one and two-pound cans or any of their high grade coffees which you get in parchment-lined colored bags; you will not be sorry.

Chase & Sanborn's Coffees.

LOSSES FROM WEEDS.

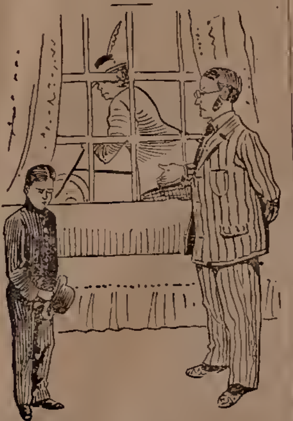
They Always Cause a Shrinkage of the Crop Among Which They Are Allowed to Grow.

It would be difficult for most farmers to calculate how great is the loss from the prevalence of weeds in crops. In a season when dry weather prevails these losses are comparatively small, though even then the weeds take water from the soil which is not all returned when they are uprooted and buried in it. The weed that is buried is surrounded by air spaces, keeping the soil more porous than it otherwise would be, and therefore drying it out faster. The case is still worse as regards the fertility that the weed has taken. It was originally entirely soluble, but the weed has to ferment and be resolved into vegetable mold before it can be put in the same soluble condition. Yet we have known farmers to delay cultivation of hoed crops so as to have more grass and weeds to be plowed under.

It is often said that weeds are a preventive of good farming; that there would be much less cultivation of hoed crops if it were not that the growth of weeds made it necessary. Yet where the cultivator is kept going all through the season so often as to prevent any weed from reaching the surface, the weed killed as quickly as it sprouted has done the soil more good and less harm than it could do at any subsequent stage of its growth. At this early period, about all the plant substance has been directly furnished from the swelling and decomposition of the seed in germination. At this time the carbonic acid gas which the seed gives off when it germinates makes its plant food more soluble than it ever can be after the plant puts forth roots and begins to draw from the soil. Finely powdered malt has been used as a fertilizer. When it has been applied in contact with seed grain of any kind, it has produced remarkable results, though it is too expensive a fertilizer to be used on a very large scale. But the ordinary weed seed is much smaller and has far less fertilizing material in it than has a grain of barley.

It is the peculiarity of most weeds that most of their growth is taken directly from the soil, and that both it and the moisture to make the plant food soluble are needed by growing crops. Each day's growth of a weed among hoed crops lessens the yield. If the weed is left until late, its roots will be so intermingled with those of valuable crops that one cannot be destroyed without uprooting the other. A little care in destroying the weeds while small will save much labor later, besides the inevitable shrinkage of the crop among which the weeds have been allowed to grow.—American Cultivator.

A NOBLE EXAMPLE.



Master—Why did you run away, my boy?

Boy—Because the mistress was so unkind to me!

Master—Tut, tut, that is no excuse. Do I run away?—Golden Penny.

Rotted Sods for Manure.

There are many places in low lands by the roadside where the wash of the road has made the soil very rich. Sods cut from such land and piled in heaps rot down readily, especially if some wood ashes are thrown on them to hasten decomposition. This makes the best possible top dressing for grass lands, and will largely increase the growth where the soil is thin. If phosphate is added this compost becomes a complete manure for any kind of crop. The practice of rotting sod is very common in Lincolnshire, England, where, in olden times the sod was cut very thin, and after being piled and dried out the heap was burned. There was waste of nitrogen in burning the sod, and allowing it to rot down is much the better way to make use of it.—American Cultivator.

Having a Great Run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Manager Martin, of the Pierson drug store, informs us that he is having a great run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He sells five bottles of that medicine to one of any other kind, and it gives great satisfaction. In these days of la grippe there is nothing like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to stop the cough, heal up the sore throat and lungs and give relief within a very short time. The sales are growing, and all who try it are pleased with its prompt action.—South Chicago Daily Calumet. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

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If you haven't a regular, healthy movement of the bowels every day, you're sick or will be. Keep your bowels open, and be well. Force, in the shape of violent physic or pill poison, is dangerous. The smoothest, easiest, most perfect way of keeping the bowels clear and clean is to take

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KEEP YOUR BLOOD CLEAN

He Likes His Medicine.

Mrs. Nabor—And so the doctor ordered you to give your husband whisky for his rheumatism. Does it seem to do him any good?

Mrs. Nextdoor—John says it does him lots of good, but I notice the pains come upon him more frequently than ever.—Ohio State Journal.

It's folly to suffer from that horrible plague of the night, itching piles. Doan's Ointment cures, quickly and permanently. At any drug store, 50 cents

"Take time by the forelock." If your blood is out of order begin taking Hood's Sarsaparilla at once and prevent serious illness.

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Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

Her Meaning.

"Now, what on earth did she mean by telling him she dearly loved rainy days? Surely, she didn't want him to think her sentimental."

"Oh! no. She knows well enough that sentiment is out of date. She wanted him to get the idea that her hair curled naturally."—Indianapolis Journal.

PUT TO THE TEST.

Public Endorsement is what Counts.

Everybody has their hour of trouble,
But people having any itchiness of the skin
Have many hours of trouble.
Nothing so annoying. Nothing so irritating.
Scratch it, it becomes worse.
Leave it alone and you can hardly stand the misery.
Itchiness comes in many forms.
Eczema and horrid itching piles.
Relief and cure are here at last.
Thousands have put it to the test
Doan's Ointment cures every form of itchiness of the skin.
Read the following statement.

Mrs. E. L. Robinson, of 20 Dillingham street, Bangor, Me., says: "Two very wonderful remedies are Doan's Kidney Pills and Doan's Ointment. Anyone troubled with any of the ailments for which Doan's Ointment is indicated are unwise if they fail to give it a trial. It performs wonders in allaying and curing itchiness of the skin, from whatever cause. Doan's Kidney Pills also proved to be all that is claimed for them. Both preparations are so valuable that we would not be without them in the house, to have in case of need."

Doan's Ointment and Doan's Kidney Pills are sold by all dealers; price 50 cents a box. Mailed on receipt of price by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N.Y., sole agents for the U. S.

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OCT. 22, 1899.

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Trains leave FRANKLIN for

BOSTON—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex.) 6 05, 9 38 p m; Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, ‡8 30 a m; 12 04, 3 30, 4 32, 5 19, 6 22, 6 57, 8 15, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 15 a m, 5 15, 7 10 p m.

BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m, 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return, 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 49, 4 10, 5 11, 6 01, 7 19, 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7 54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 58, f5 21, 6 19, f7 25, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m. S 10 25 a m; 6 26 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58, a m; f1 01, 5 25, 6 1 , f7 28, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

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Trains leave FRANKLIN for

PROVIDENCE—7 04, 9 04 a m; 1 08, 4 25, 7 04 p m. Return, 6 04, 8 10, 12 04 a m; 4 35, 6 04 p m.

MILFORD BRANCH.

Trains leave Franklin for

MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 35, 6 50 p m; S 6 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.

ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

Trains leave Unionville for

MILFORD—9 25 a m; 1 19, 4 37, 5 42, 6 57, S 6 44p m

FRANKLIN—6 49, 8 41, 11 28 a m; 4 03, 6 19 p m. S 8 15 a m.

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Business Announcements in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL are invariably read.

WRENTHAM.

The choir of the Congregational church is to have a concert in the town hall the first of next month.——Mr and Mrs Daniel A. Cook have returned to Cambridge.——The I O O. F. cleared $31 at their recent entertainment in the town hall.——Charles Berryman has taken Fred J. Mullen's place at L. W. Fisher's stable.——Mr. and Mrs. Henry Messenger have returned home after an extended visit in Boston.——The sewing circle will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs C. W Pond.——The little daughters of B. Pratt and John Bibber and three children of Edward Fisher are all sick with scarlet fever.——John Dodd of Roxbury has been visiting relatives in town.

The Infant Terrible.

She was in the room the other day when her mother was entertaining a woman friend.

"Little Florence has a great admiration for you. She told me the other day she loved to sit and look at you," said the mother, while the visitor seemed pleased.

But Florence dreaded a possible misapprehension. "That was only because you look so fat and comfortable," she hastened to explain.—N. Y. Evening Sun.

His Change.

"I thought you were a vegetarian."

"I used to be, but gave it up."

"Why? Did you find that your system required meat?"

"No, but my daughter married the son of one of the western packers, and I consider it my duty to refrain from anything that might have a tendency to injure the business."—Chicago Times.

In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently overcome habitual constipation, well informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system. Buy the genuine, made by the California Fig Syrup Co.

I want to let the people who suffer from rheumatism and sciatica know that Chamberlain's Pain Balm relieved me after a number of other medicines and a doctor had failed. It is the best liniment I have ever known of.—J. A. Dodgen, Alpharetta, Ga. Thousands have been cured of rheumatism by this remedy. One application relieves the pain. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

'Tisn't safe to be a day without Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil in the house. Never can tell what moment an accident is going to happen.

Can't be perfect health without pure blood. Burdock Blood Bitters makes pure blood. Tones and invigorates the whole system.

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Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c.
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The Hard Part.

Plankington—What makes you so dissatisfied? Haven't you got a good business?

Von Blumer—Yes; but I want to make money enough so I can live beyond my income without being constantly annoyed.—Puck.

Hood's Pills

Are prepared from Nature's mild laxatives, and while gentle are reliable and efficient. They

Rouse the Liver

Cure Sick Headache, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, and Constipation. Sold everywhere, 25c. per box.
Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

ONLY ONE ON RECORD.

Georgia Man Pays a Railroad for a Ride Stolen on Trucks Many Years Ago.

J. K. Ridgely, Chicago representative of the Louisville & Nashville railroad, tells in the Chicago Journal the latest "conscience story."

A few years ago, he says, a man down in Georgia wrote to him asking what the fare would be to ride on the trucks from New Orelans to Cincinnati. The writer explained that some time before he had in this way beaten his way up from the south, being in straitened circumstances. Since then he had, he said, [illegible] paid the charge. [illegible] riding on the trucks. He thought he owed the road money. He felt like a thief and wished to pay what was right to ease his conscience.

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BEATING HIS WAY

Mr. Ridgely, in a spirit of jest, sent the letter to C. P. Atmore, general passenger agent of the road. Mr. Atmore as a jest wrote the southerner that one cent a mile was the rate for passage on the trucks and that the fare from New Orleans to Cincinnati would be $9.20.

No answer came to this letter and the railroad officials had forgotten the incident until this week, when a man walked into the Louisville & Nashville railroad offices in Chicago and asked for Mr. Ridgely.

"Mr. Ridgely is not in at present," said one of the clerks in the passenger department. "Can we do anything for you?"

"Yes. I want to pay this road $9.20 I owe it." The caller counted out the money, gave his name, asked for a receipt, and told the clerk Mr. Ridgely would understand.

The railroad officials have ordered the money returned, but the conscience-stricken truck rider cannot be found, letters to his former home in Georgia being returned undelivered.

THAT NEW STENOGRAPHER.

The Merchant—But my new stenographer is a most valuable member of the force.

His Wife—Yes; I heard you call her dear.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

By a Bored Listener.

He could not tell a lie—but that
Was not his only glory.
For all who's heard him try declared
He couldn't tell a story.

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ROCKERS
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KEEP A-GOING!

BUSINESS IS NOW UNDER FULL STEAM.

This week we are moving to the front. Bargains in every department, to close out odd pieces before stock taking at half price. Here's a sample lot as they occur:

One No 421 Ladies' elegant Mahogany Desk, reduced from $23 to **$11.50**, half off.

One No. 258 Oak Sideboard of high polished finish, former price was $37; present price **$18.50.**

Another Oak Sideboard, worth all we asked, which was $35; price now **$17.50.**

One No 26 Oval Centre Table going for **$3.38,** for which the reasonable price was $6 75.

And the sale continues on over 100 Rockers at 25 per cent discount all this month. The first in line get first choice.

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Assets January 1, 1899, -	$277,517,325.
Annual Income over - - -	55,000,000.

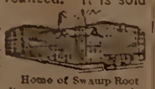
Send your address and date of birth to my address at 11 AN[illegible] MASS. and I will submit to you a proposition.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition, beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of **Swamp-Root** is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co. Binghamton, N. Y. be sure and mention this paper.



Home of Swamp-Root

One Man's Theory.

Giles—Statistics show that fewer men fill drunkards' graves than in former years.

Miles—What's the cause—world growing better?

Giles—No; I guess cremation has something to do with it.—Chicago Daily News.

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There are advantages in our Rental Purchase Plan that are worth serious consideration. Briefly stated, we rent pianos and by agreement apply all rent toward purchase. If you don't want to pay all cash, our Rental Purchase Plan will solve the problem. A little cash down, and monthly or quarterly payments running through two or three years, and you own the instrument. If you will write us, we will send catalogue, prices and full description of our Rental Purchase Plan.

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A WORD WITH YOU.

You no doubt already know that iron and steel have advanced more than 60 per cent. within the last few months. Wagons, Plows and Machine Bolts have advanced a very large per centage. The output of the manufacturers, of which I am acting as agent, will cost at least one-half million dollars more in 1900 than the present year. This is a conspicuous reason why farmers should buy machines this year and not put it off until next.
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By F. W. CUMMINGS & CO, Auctioneers.
MEDWAY, MASS.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Henry A. Walker to Mattie W. Edwards, dated Dec. 10, 1870, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 647, fol. 358, for breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed, will be sold on the premises in Medway at public auction, on

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in said Medway, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of land now or late of Warren Gould, thence westerly on the northerly line of Gurnsey street 123 3-4 feet to Phillips street; thence northerly on said Phillips street 323 22-100 feet to land of grantor; thence easterly on said land 194 4-100 feet to land of Charles Ford; thence southerly on said land and land of J. Hitchcock 160 82-100 feet to land late of John McLellan; thence westerly on said land and land of said Gould 79 7-100 feet, thence southerly on land of said Gould to the point of departure on Gurnsey street 165 85-100 feet, containing 52,512 18-100 square feet. Meaning to convey the same premises as conveyed to grantor by deed from Henri Batchelder dated March 24, 1883, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, libro 545, folio 327.

Terms given at time and place of sale.

E. GERRY BROWN, Guardian.
MATTIE W. (EDWARDS) SMALL,
Mortgagee.

Medway, Jan. 20, 1900. ja23,30,fe6

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Katherine McDowell, late of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

S. E. KINGSBURY,
Administrator.

Address West Medway, Mass.
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It stimulates the growth of tiny, new hairs and gives a refreshing glow to the scalp. We do not claim for it the absurdity that it will make hair appear where no roots are, but it will do just what we say it will—tone up the scalp.

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ALBERT C. MASON, Druggist.

PUBLIC TELEPHONE STATION.

COAL is cheap at any price. Buy it while you can and keep warm. Why not buy NOW and avoid still higher prices, which are sure to come?

ORRIN W. BUGBEE,

"The Coal Dealer."

RAY OFFICE,
Depot Street.

THROAT TROUBLES

Are troublesome if they are not serious. The kind that comes upon one after having taken cold, producing a cough that is troublesome and annoying may grow worse. Why not cure it?

OUR TOLU, TAR AND WILD CHERRY

is a reliable and sure cure for these troubles; has been tested the past 20 years in Franklin; always satisfactory.

A. C. DANA & SON. Pharmacy.
DANA BLOCK.

CHILSON,

TELEPHONE 11-4.
POST OFFICE BLOCK.

Fancy Turkeys	15 to 18c
Fancy Chickens	15 to 18c
Fancy Fowls	16c
Rump and Sirloin Steak	20c
2 lbs. Round Steak	25c
Legs of Lamb	14c
Fresh Pork	10c
Pork Sausage	10c
Frankfurt Sausage	10c
Fresh Hams	10c
Fresh Shoulders	08c
Salt Pork 8c lb., 14 lbs. for	$1.00
Pigs' Heads, lb	03c

3 lb Pail Lard 30c, 5 lb Pail Lard 45c, 10 lb Pail Lard 80c.
3c for 3 lb, 5c for 5 lb, 8c for 10 lb Lard Pails (my brand) returned.
Spinach, Lettuce, Celery, Radishes, Sweet Potatoes. Best brand of Canned Goods to be had.

The Best Butter in Town.

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Assignee's Sale.

Now is the time to buy your Winter stock of Groceries of the finest quality and at the lowest prices in town.

Sugar, 19 lbs. for $1.

Light Brown Sugar, 21 lbs. for $1.

Fancy Ponce Porto Rico Molasses, never sold before less than 50c gallon, now 40c gallon.

Fancy New Orleans Molasses, always sold at 60c gallon, now 50c gallon.

Good dark Molasses, 30c gallon.

Pure Maple Syrup, 25c quart.

Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.

Boiled cider, quart bottles, 20c.

5 lb. can Java and Mocha Coffee, 90c.

The best 50c, Tea 40c.

The best 60c Tea, 50c.

Fancy Table London Layer Raisins, 20c lb.

Four Crown loose Raisins, 12c lb.

Gilt Edge Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c lb.

Fancy Ribbon Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Chocolates, 15c lb.

Lowney's 40c goods now 35c.

We carry the finest quality Butter cut from the tub, 1 lb. prints, 5 lb. boxes, 10, 20 and 50 lb. tubs, at the lowest prices, quality considered.

J. P. Squire's Pure Lard, 8c lb.

10 lb. pails Lard, full weight, 75c.

J. P. Squire's Pure Leaf Lard in 5 lb. pails, 50c.

Mixed Nuts, English Walnuts, Oranges and Lemons in stock at the lowest prices.

Come in and leave your order with us and get the best for the least money.

Gentlemanly Dealing and Prompt Delivery is Our Motto.

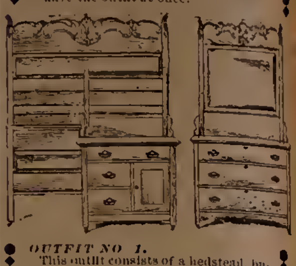
McKinnon's Grocery Store,

CENTRAL SQUARE.

H. E. RUGGLES, Assignee.

Chamber Outfits

Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted. Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.



OUTFIT NO 1.
This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.
$29 85—$3 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 2.
This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.
$32—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 3.
This outfit is made up with one of our most popular selling chamber suits, including the 2 chairs, rocker, table, mattress, woven wire spring bed and toilet set.
$35—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

The Weeks Furniture Co.,

48 NORTH MAIN ST.,
Near Opera House.
WOONSOCKET, R. I.

☞ Store open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

BOSTON AND FRANKLIN

EXPRESS.

E. F. WINSLOW, Prop.
(Successor to RAZEE & SON)

Orders leave Franklin at 8.05 and 9 a.m. Goods returned by freight at 2.30 same day.

Franklin Office at Razee & Son's old stand, Post Office Block.

Boston Offices, 75 Kilby St., 105 Arch St. and 15 Merchants' Row.
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Collector's Notice.

The owner of the following described parcel of real estate, in the town of Medway, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public, are hereby notified that the taxes thereon assessed for the year within specified, according to the list committed to me by the Assessors of Taxes, remain unpaid, and that the said parcel of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the town clerk's office in said Medway, on

TUESDAY, JAN. 30, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the cost and charge thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged;

Patrick Conly—About twenty-five acres of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the east and west side of Holliston street, in the northerly part of Medway, bounded on the north by land of heirs of Oliver Clifford and heirs of Louisa Thayer, east by land of Arthur F. Leonard, south by land of Myron Smith and heirs of John McLoughlin and west by land of Frank Cass and George F. Newell.

Tax assessed, $23.76.

Or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.

GEO. F. MADDEN,
Collector of Taxes for 1898.

ja9,16,23

By F. W. CUMMINGS & CO. Auctioneers,
MEDWAY, MASS.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by Henry A. Walker to Arthur J. Edwards, and assigned by various assignments, duly recorded to Mattie W. Edwards, and for a breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed, will be sold on the premises in Medway at public auction on

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises, conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

Beginning at a stake and stones on the northerly side of Gurnsey street, thence running westerly on said Gurnsey street four rods to Norfolk avenue; thence northerly on Norfolk avenue six rods; thence easterly four rods to a stake and stones; thence southerly 6 rods to said Gurnsey street at the point of beginning. Reference may be had to deed of W. P. Clark, dated May 13, 1884, and recorded in Norfolk county deeds, libro 556, folio 551.

Terms given at time and place of sale.

MATTIE W. EDWARDS,
Assignee of said mortgage.

Medway, Jan. 20, 1900. ja23,30,fe6

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

At a Probate Court holden at Dedham, in and for said county of Norfolk, on the third day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred,

On the petition of Minnie Gale Osgood of Norfolk, in said county, praying that her name may be changed to that of Marion Gale Osgood, public notice having been given, according to the order of court, that all persons might appear and show cause, if any they had, why the same should not be granted, and it appearing that the reasons given therefor are sufficient and consistent with the public interest, and being satisfactory to the court, and no objection being made,

It is decreed that her name be changed, as prayed for, to that of Marion Gale Osgood, which name she shall hereafter bear, and which shall be her legal name, and that she give public notice of said change by publishing this decree once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, and make return to this court under oath that such notice has been given.

JAMES H. FLINT,
Judge of Probate Court.

ja 9,16,23

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate not already administered of Winslow Cook, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

GEORGE W. COOKE,
Administrator.

Appointed Sept. 12, 1883. Notice ordered Jan. 3, 1900.
ja9,16,23

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Emery Thayer, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and appointing Orestes T. Doe of Franklin aforesaid his agent, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.

WILLIAM J. WHITING,
Executor.

Address: William J. Whiting, Franklin, Mass.
Nov. 15, 1898. ja9,16,23

Mr. Fisher

The Franklin Sentinel.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

AN ADVERTISEMENT

Simply tells the public what you have got. If you never tell the people don't expect them to ask you. That's all there is to it.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Taxes! Seven per cent. or collection—which? Perhaps both.

Wesley Fiske is slowly improving from his attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. D. P. A. Jacoby of Newport, R. I., is a guest at A. C. Masoo's.

A citizens' caucus will be held in the town hall on Friday evening, February 23.

The hand of fellowship will be given to new members at the Baptist church, Sunday forenoon.

Four cases of mumps in the family of J. P. Basset makes it seem as if he were getting his share.

Davis Thayer has been reelected as one of the directors of the Dedham Mutual Fire Insurance company.

The account on the estate of the late Marie Bumpus for $4,001.00 has been allowed in the probate court.

A fine reproduction of Millet's "Gleaners" now graces the High school, as a result of Mr. Williams' readings.

Fraocis C. Cleveland has presented a claim against the town for injuries received upon the highway, by falling from a bicycle.

The Epworth league of the Methodist church passed an enjoyable social hour at the residence of Mrs. Minnie Smith on School street, Wednesday evening.

Dr. J. C. Gallison says that he has been flooded with offers of back Town Reports as a result of his advertising for them in the SENTINEL Of course advertising pays.

Sunday being the fourth Sunday in the month, there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion for St. John's Mission, at the Rectory, on Crescent street, at 8 A. M.

The World's Glass Show company will open at Mosic hall next Monday evening for one week. The company has been engaged by Division 8, A. O. H., and the proceeds will be used for the society's library fund.

The meeting which was on the Farmers' club programme for Monday evening, January 29, at the town farm, will be held at James M. Parker's, North Franklin. The subject for discussion has not been announced.

It is possible that the fire department in the near future may be obliged to pay a larger amount for having the whistle blown by the electric light company, the latter claiming that the price charged at present does not reimburse the company. The selectmen will grapple with the question.

The crossing tenders on the Midland division railroad have received orders from the roadmaster to the effect that they will not be allowed to have persons loitering around their shanties, and will not be allowed to converse with persons during business hours. If they violate this rule their jobs will be the consequence.

The friends of William M. Comey of City Mills are glad to see him out after about four weeks confinement, as a result of damage caused by his horse running away with him December 29, near the railroad bridge on Chestnut street. He was bruised and badly shaken up, besides having three ribs fractured.

There are ten thousands microbes on each dollar bill that has circulated for one year. Still there are men who insist on carrying this deadly menace around with them instead of sending them to us for payment for subscription due. Come up, friends, we'll risk the microbes.
Cambridge Times. Same here.

The highest tax rate in the commonwealth is assessed in the town of Monroe, Franklin county, and is $32.50; the lowest rate, $5 21, in the town of Gosnold. Rates from $6 to $9 60 are assessed in 19 towns, $10 to $14 80 in two cities and 08 towns, $15 to $19.70 in 29 cities and 166 towns, $20 to $24 in one city and 36 towns.

Elsewhere may be seen the petition of the Medfield & Medway street railway company, desiring an entrance into Franklin, from Medway direct, and the selectmen will hold a hearing on Friday evening, Feb. 12. The purpose of the company is to be a portion of a direct line from Boston having Franklin as its terminal.

James Garland's room at R. B. Stewart's was entered this week and nearly everything taken of value, clothing, keepsakes, etc. Ralph Winchester, who had been working for J. J. Stewart, disappeared and was probably the guilty party. Mr. Garland traced him to Providence, but lost track of him there. The pension papers taken can be of no use to the thief.

The agent of the Ætna Insurance company was here last week to pay Mrs. Alfred Whiting $1,000, the sum which her husband carried as accident Insurance. A peculiar incident connected with it, was that he was killed only a short distance from the spot where he agreed with the agent to take the insurance, having at first decided not to insure himself, but later reconsidered the matter. He had only paid the company $2 50.

We have lately put into the office a most convenient appliance, the invention of Manager Levi C. Lincoln of the Woonsocket Electric Machine and Power Co. It is a device for supporting the arm when using the telephone, and is simply perfect in its adaptability to one's needs. It is adjustable to any angle or height, and is a perfect boon for one who has occasion to use a telephone to any extent. Mr. Lincoln is to be congratulated on the useful device which his brain has evolved.

Dr. Talmage says a man should go to bed when he is sleepy and not before. He should get up when he is obliged to and not before. No specified time can be set for any one. Circumstances must govern cases. When a person wakes up for good and can no longer sleep is the natural time to get up. If he wakes up and finds himself irresistibly inclined to turn over and take another nap, he is doing violence to nature if he does not yield to the desire, provided all other things are equal. The early rising habit is an old superstition which should be abandoned.

The funeral of Frederick Eugene Aldrich was held on Wednesday afternoon from his late residence on Summer street, the house being completely filled with mourning friends. The Episcopal service was read by Rev. Mr. Miner, the music being furnished by the Misses Whiting and Messrs Hosford and Hartshorne. Rev. Dr. Hodge made the address, referring to the deceased in fitting eulogistic terms. The bearers were Messrs. Jenks, Hancock, Emerson, McKenzie, Bachelor and Woodward. The remains were interred in the Union street cemetery.

There is talk of another increase in the price of coal. The reason for this is the unparalled demand for that commodity for manufacturing purposes. It is comparatively scarce everywhere, so much so that a blizzard, or a cold wave strong enough to freeze the northern harbors, as New London and Providence, would be a serious problem to confront, unless more coal should be on hand. Soft coal was never before so hard to procure, and hard coal, which is expensive, is being burned under many Franklin boilers. A jump of twenty-five cents a ton is threatened.

The entertainment given by the Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church was much enjoyed by all those who were present. The following program was given: Piano solo, Miss Vera Tourtelotte; song, Ray Wyckoff; violin solo, David Fleighleman of Walpole; reading, Rev.D. H. Hodge; vocal duet, Misses Gertrude and Hattie Bly; Farce "A Matrimonial Hunt," in which the parts were taken by C. F. Frazee and Miss May Morey. After the entertainment there was a guessing contest on the portraits of noted men and women, and the prize winners in this contest were Miss May Morey, Mrs. Lucy Archibald, Miss Linoa Ferrer and George Sneath.

Miss Razee provided for her dancing class and friends last evening, a most enjoyable masquerade, fully eighty couples being present to participate, and the balcony was filled by spectators, to whom the scene was especially attractive. Some of the costumes showed a good deal of originality, the various popular characters being well portrayed. The idenity of many was a secret until the unmasking, so complete was the disguise. Excellent music of five pieces was provided, and Caterer Fairfield was liberally patronized. W. L. Morse made a most efficient prompter. Altogether Miss Razee is to be complimented for the well directed, well ordered and entirely pleasing affair which she arranged.

The revivial Interest at the Baptist church is increasing. The meetings have been well attended this week, and more arose for prayers last night than any time previous, There will be three meetings next week. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings with solo or duet singing. Rev. A. H. Davis, Rev. A. B. Lorimer of Woonsocket, and Rev. G. H. Horton of Blackstone, will preach. The church was filled last Sunday evening at the baptismal service, and the audience was deeply impressed by the holy ordinance. Rev. F. B. Sleeper's discourse was on "The Four Sides of Christ's Atonement," the divine, the ethical and the progressive. Next Sunday forenoon the pastor will preach on "The Tested and Conquering Christ."

Street Railway Matters.

Four new cars for the M., A. & W. street railway company were shipped Tuesday from the works in Laconia, N. H. Two of them have reached Worcester. These cars are of the vestibule style. They were ordered last October, but owing to the rush of orders for cars it has been impossible for the manufacturers to get them here before. The cars are expected to arrive in Woonsocket in a few days.

The company purchased last Friday in Boston a Bostonian patent ice planer, fifty-one inches in width, for planing off the ice at Hoag's pond. This machine will plane ice from a quarter of an inch to three inches in thickness at a time and will make the skating much better than it otherwise would be. The runners of skates cut the ice more or less and leave it in a poor condition, especially if the ice is soft. This machine will eliminate all these bad features.

Work on the Medway & Medfield street railway, which hopes later to get into Franklin, is progressing every day when the laborers can be out. Poles are being set and grading being done between Medfield and Millis. With the opening of spring the company expects that nothing need be done between the two places except a little leveling, and cars can begin regular trips between Medfield and Millis. The Medway end will be pushed hard, and if possible grading will be done this winter in the way of filling low places. The reason that the work of the Medway & Medfield street railway company is being pushed so is that the contractor has a thirty-mile road to build near New Bedford, and therefore wishes to get the Medway & Medfield road completed as soon as possible.

Popular Players.

Franklin people should not miss the opportunity of hearing the Piacere club, Woonsocket's favorite musical organization, on their first visit here, at Odd Fellows' hall, Friday evening, February 2. The club of fifteen banjo, mandolin and guitar players, assisted by Miss Myrtie Whiting, soprano; Miss Mary E. Richard, reader; Mr. Lester B. Brown, banjo, and Mr. Oscar A. Gilbert, mandolin, are to give a select concert and dance. That the Piacere club are clever entertainers and skilled musicians is proven by the fact that invariably they play a return engagement, and pulpit, press and public unanimously declare them to be one of the best clubs before the public.

Popular music from "rag time" and light opera, glee selections that go with a snap and vim, and dance music that demands encores, is the Piacere club's forte.

Mr. Clifton E. Emerson will act as floor manager, and he and his aids, Chas. B. Hussey Wallace C. Milliken, are doing their best to make the affair a complete success.

Special Revival Service.

This evening, (Friday) at the Methodist church, there will be a special evangelistic service, taking the place of the regular prayer meeting service. The pastor, S. A. Cook, will preach a short sermon. Subject, "Christ or Belial." This will be a Pentecostal season, following up the work of last four weeks. Come and be blessed, Jesus waits to save. "How long halt ye between two opinions?"

Emerson's Market.

Turkeys, chickens, fowls; legs of lamb, 15 cents; rump and sirloin steak from 20 to 25c; round steak 15c; pork and sausage 10 cents, spinach 20c, lettuce, radishes Boston Market celery and the best selected Cape Cod cranberries, Heinz saur kront 10c. Try Heinz India relish. All the vegetables. Finest butter in town. Canned goods of all kinds

Mrs. Charles Rand will shortly canvass for a life of Moody.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Alden Club Meeting.

The Alden club again had the pleasure on Monday evening of hearing a lecture by Mrs. May Alden Ward, whose presence here always calls forth an enthusiastic audience.

In the continued absence of Mrs. Ray Mrs. Wiggin presided. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. A letter was read asking members of the Alden club to buy tickets for some theatricals to be given February 19, at the Hollis Street theatre, by students from the Hampton Institute, Virginia. A circular from the Massachusetts Forestry association was also read, which stated the new law requiring the election of a tree warden in each town of the state, declaring the importance of the office in the preservation of the trees of the place, and urging all to use their influence to have the right man selected for the position An invitation was received from the Attleboro club for two of the Alden club to attend its meeting on the following day.

Mrs. Ward then spoke on some of the "Moral Aspects of George Eliot's Works." She spoke of her life, character and personality, showing by illustration that it is often necessary to know something of an author's personality to truly understand his work. Oftentimes a man's work impresses largely according to whether or no his life is lived in accord with the ideals therein expressed.

George Eliot was born in 1819 Her work is much of it autobiographical—her father was a carpenter after the type of Adam Bede, proud of doing his work well; stern, religious and upright; her mother in same ways like the kindly quick tongued Mrs. Poyser, and herself often like Maggie Tulliver in "Mill on the Floss," in her early boyish life, and in her love and devotion to the brother there called Tom.

She was a mature child, and an earnest student—proficient in French, German, Italian, and the dead languages. She became a translator and a reviewer for the Westminster Review, and became acquainted with prominent men like Herbert Spencer, who became one of her best and most helpful friends.

It was not until she was thirty-seven, after her acquaintance with Mr. Lewes, and by his urgent request, that she began to write novels, the scenes of many of them in Warwickshire, her old home, and in all can a deep moral lesson be found, though never directly given, except in Romola The gifts of humor and pathos were hers to a marked degree, placing her in the first rank of great writers.

She did not disdain the most commonplace subject, but showed ordinary life full of pathos, sorrow, love, passion and tragedy.

There is no morbid despair in her works, though she shows crime in all its blackness, and the far-reaching, never-ending restitution for wrong-doing. She also shows the power of true repentence on the development of character.

In Adam Bede the cruelty of selfishness is shown, and retribution as the inevitable result of wickedness; in Silas Marner the redeeming power of love is shown.

In Romola, a wonderful story of life in the fifteenth century. She shows the deterioration of character from continual yieldings to selfishness until life itself is lost; the tragedy of selfishness in Middlemarch is the tragedy of lost ideals.

In Daniel Deronda the question is asked, "Is life worth living?" and the answer comes, after showing through Gwendolin the worthlessness of a selfish life, and through Deronda the grandness of an unselfish one, "Only by loving service to one's fellowmen, with duty the guide of life."

Mrs. Ward made the characters vivid before us, and brought the different stories quickly to the front from the far corners of many memories. It is always a delight to listen to her R.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending Jan 17, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. G. A. Nelson (2), Mrs. E. Snow, Mrs. E. A. Thayer and Mrs. Julia A. Wilson.

Gentlemen—Walter S. Adams, G. M. Arnot, Thomas Donoghue, P. J. Dooney, Fred Morrison, G. W. Pond, and Henry F. Cutler.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Card of Thanks.

We take this method of expressing our heartfelt thanks to all those who have given their sympathy and aid in our recent bereavement, and also for the floral rememberances.

Rest assured, dear friends, that your kindness will never be forgotten.

MRS. ABBIE O. ROCKWOOD,
ELROY W. ROCKWOOD,
MISS RUBIE M. WALES.

Dr. E. M. Faxon, Boston, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, will meet patients at hotel Briggs Thursdays from 9 to 12:30 o'clock.

Go to Ochee's barber shop and get a "winter" hair cut.

An Interview with Lilian Whiting.

Before she recently sailed for Europe, I called on Miss Whiting at her home at the Brunswick in Boston, and in her charming apartment found myself at once at ease. I had always heard that the personality of the author was most agreeable, but when I saw her "shining face," so bright, so sweet, so full of human kindness, I did not wonder that she could write such works as "The World Beautiful" and make a series of three volumes of it "go!" She was dressed in a soft pearl-colored silk, with pink belt and pink somewhere else, veiled with lace, and so worn that she seemed spirituelle to the last degree. Her gold hair tossed lightly about her face formed a sort of nimbus, her delicate little hands seemed only strong enough to wield a pen.

That she can wield it to effect she has proved for more than a decade, and there is one thing that can be said of her great talent—it grows with years—it expands, it vigorously broadens and adds new qualities every time she sends forth a book. Those who were interested in her volume, "After Her Death," will remember what an exquisite tribute she paid to her dear friend, Kate Field, that brilliant, strong, active, energetic woman, to whom the literary world owed so much and from whom emanated a constant series of ideas that solidified into accomplishment, until the world looked on in amazement and cried, "What will Kate do next?"

The tenor of that book was surprising, inasmuch as it was the story of how Miss Field returned to her friend in the spirit and proved her immortality and communication with this world almost beyond cavil; and now she adds a graver and more substantial book, which will be the one and only biography of a great American woman. She calls it "Kate Field: a Record." Herein is the ardent, careful, painstaking, discriminating work of the true biographer—including all that is essential and excluding all that is unnecessary.

From the time when Miss Field was a handsome, wilful, gay, precocious child until she gives up her eager, passionate, almost manly soul on board ship in Hawaii the story is told with a conscientious, scrupulous honesty, ever permeated with legitimate admiration, which renders the book too fascinating to skip a line or leave until finished. Interspersed as it is with letters from a hundred of those literary figures that adorned American and European literature at the time when the Brownings were doing their best work, full of anecdotes told in Miss Field's own clever, crisp way about such people as Walter Savage Landor, Ristori, Fecter, George Eliot and the Trollopes, intimate bits about all our literary men and women of note of that date, with whom Miss Field was as a petted child; transcripts from the famous letters she wrote from Florence, her charming lecture on Dickens—one of the most popular lectures ever given from the American stage—her profound study of Mormonism and her eloquent exposition of it, which has led to such legislation as Mr. Roberts is feeling today; the publication of "Kate Field's Washington," a sheet that was a power for five years; and the final great work of her life, which has led to the annexation of Hawaii—all this is embodied in the volume, which turns out to be not only a record of the life of Miss Field, but a running commentary of the current events and interesting incidents of thirty or forty years of history.

That Miss Whiting has adequately performed her task goes without saying, but one cannot say how she has done it. To know that one must read it. But one may try to characterize it by saying that her own individuality so sweetly dominates the individuality she describes that one hardly knows which to most admire. The very spirit of exquisite poetry, the airy delicacy of her most refined perception mingles with the rich erudition and the solid culture which turns every sentence to grace.

The "Study of Elizabeth Barret Browning" is written with the same creditable care; brings out many new phases of the life of that wonderful woman poet. Among the pleasant sayings ascribed to her is the encouraging, "My love of fiction began with my breath and will end with it and goes on increasing. On my tombstone may be written, 'Ci git the greatest novel-reader in the world,' and nobody will forbid the inscription. And I approve of Gray's notion of paradise, when he suggests the reading of romances ever new. Invalid or not, I should have a romance in a drawer if not under a pillow. There is the love of literature and the love of fiction. I love fiction."

What an encouragement from a woman who could write "Aurora Leigh" to those who steal the time to read a new novel. Well, this little book is full of like agreeable matter. If Miss Whiting has gone abroad to find matter for another book—and I am in hopes it will be about Rosa Bonheur—she will find an audience waiting for her, educated into anxiety by these present works. Both these books are beautifully gotten up by Little, Brown & Co. of Boston, especially the "Record." It is illustrated with fine portraits of Miss Field, printed by the famous University Press and bound in a rich style worthy of the contents. C. L. D.

Apparently a Neccessity.

Mrs. Lizzie Treen Hosmer, in speaking of music supervision says; "I have been thinking of this thing for some years. Music is taught in the public schools of more than eighty per cent. of the cities and towns of this state, and no other form of special education is represented by nearly so high a percentage. And there is no supervision over it in any way. The state does not take any official notice of it in any way. Now, there is a lot of money spent by the cities and towns of this state for the teaching of music in their public schools, and these should be granted supervision and intelligent help. In some places the teachers are not so competent to teach as they should be. The teaching of drawing is looked after, and music certainly should be. I have a little system of my own of transposition, which I have taught with some success. Some of the papers of the pupils in my Franklin schools were thought good enough by the committee there to be signed by men here in Boston who had been doing this work all their lives. These signatures were procured, and the men signed them gladly, I took them to the state board of education, and Secretary Hill told me I could leave them with the supervisor of drawing, who would, perhaps, look them over. So I thought they would be of more interest at the library in Franklin, and I took them back there. This was four years ago, and this set me thinking."

The board of education, with one exception, is with the movement, and she looks to see favorable legislation procured.

Worth Thinking About.

The Milford Journal says: "We understand there will be an article in the warrant at Milford's annual town meeting providing for the watering of principal streets during the summer months at the expense of the town and abutters.

This is emphatically a move in the right direction, and we hope the article will receive favorable consideration. It is only what is being done by very many other towns of size and importance in the state. Not only will it prove a great public convenience, but it is an established and undeniable fact that watering of streets is a matter of public economy, since it keeps the highways compact and saves the money of the taxpayers being blown away in the form of dust. A street will remain in good condition much longer when watered than when unwatered, to say nothing of the increased satisfaction guaranteed the public.

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Young girl from Maine wants to do general house work in small family. Address M., Box 496, Franklin, Mass. 23,26*

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time in all the year to sit for photos. All little things you are fussy about, and special requests regarding orders can receive fullest attention; also as is my custom at this time in the year, I shall for a short time give twenty to twenty-five per cent. extra on each new order for photos. Call and talk it over.

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

FRIDAY, JAN. 26, 1900.

The Finder Has No Rights.

A man dug up in a Missouri field which he did not own some mutilated United States notes and national bank notes. The finder, who was poor and thought his fortune made, sent the valuable scraps to Washington for redemption. Enough of them could be identified to warrant the payment of $1,0[illegible] under ordinary circumstances. But the comptroller of the treasury refused to pay a cent on account of the mutilated legal tender notes. He refuses, says the Chicago Tribune, because admittedly these notes, though payable to the bearer, are not the property of the person presenting them. If the person who buried the money were to turn up and prove title, he could recover his property. If the treasury had redeemed the notes he would have an equitable claim against the government. The man who buried the money is not likely to turn up, and the question is whether his loss shall enure to the benefit of the finder or of the United States, which will make a thousand dollars by declining to redeem the notes. The finder has no legal or moral claim, so the United States ought to be the beneficiary. The controller of the currency must decide whether the fragments of national bank notes shall be redeemed. There is no reason why they should be if United States notes are not. The only difference is that in one case certain banks are interested and in the other the United States.

The St. Louis World's Fair.

One point to be noted about the world's fair to be held in St. Louis in 1903 is the encouragement and promise of support extended by other communities. Wherever the subject has been considered elsewhere, and the instances are not few, assurances have been given of cordial cooperation. An immense sum will be appropriated by other states for special buildings and exhibits. All states in the Louisiana purchase are equally interested in the exposition, and will have an equal opportunity to display to the world their resources and productions. So will other states and countries. St. Louis, as the largest city in the vast stretch of territory acquired west of the Mississippi has taken the executive leadership and accepted the responsibility of making the fair a success of the highest order. Before the end of September the $5,000,000 fund to be raised in this city should be complete. It is almost made up now. It is a certainty. And the names upon the list will be a perpetual roll of honor in the history of St. Louis.

When you see a young man sitting in a parlor with the ugliest two-year-old boy that ever frightened himself in the mirror, clambering over his knees, jerking his necktie out of place, rumpling his shirt front, pulling his hair, kicking his shins, feeling in all his pockets for coppers, bombarding him from time to time with various bits of light furniture, calling him names at the top of his lungs and yelling incessantly for him to come out in the yard and play, while the unresisting victim smiles all the time like the cover of a comic almanac, you may safely say, remarks the Cincinnati Enquirer, although there isn't the sign of a girl apparent in the radius of 1[illegible] miles, that the howling boy has a sister who is in a room not 20 feet away, and that the young man doesn't come there just for the fun of playing with her brother.

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They sought the real hero there.
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They raised their shouts in welcoming glee,
But found, alas, it wasn't he.

"He's further forward!" then they cried.
The grand drum major there they found,
With great fur hat and haughty stride
And baton weighing many a pound.
They cheered him straight in accents free,
But, alas, found it wasn't he.

And when the mighty train had passed,
They looked about in blank dismay,
And murmured, as their hearts beat fast:
"Perhaps he isn't here to-day!
Though many a figure proud we see,
We always find it isn't he!"

And then the wise policeman spake:
"Did you not note the gentle mien
Of one whose modest manners make
The touch of contrast in the scene:
The man who didn't seem to be
Filled with importance? That was he."

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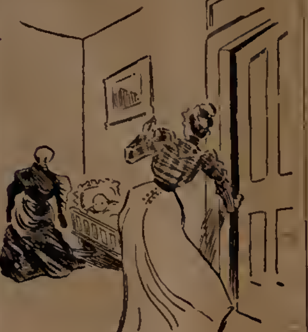
How a Chicago Mother Abused the Confidence and Faith of Her Crying Infant.

In Park Ridge there is one clever woman who does not let her social engagements suffer even if she is the mother of a babe not yet a year old. A few evenings ago, says the Chicago News, she hit upon a plan for imposing upon her precious bundle of innocence, who refused to sleep more than four minutes when he would awaken, and if the mother was not at the head of his cradle would set up a lusty cry and keep it up until the mother's soothing presence was once more near him. On this particular evening there was a card party that required her presence, and for some unknown reason the youngster in the cradle persistently refused to go to sleep until the time of going to the party had arrived.



MOTHER FOOLS THE BABY.

The mother was almost distracted. She couldn't go to the party with the sound of the baby's wailing voice in her ears, so she sat near the cradle and, humming softly to the infant, soon had him asleep. She knew that when he awoke and did not see her at his side he would again set up a howl. It was at this juncture that she hit upon the plan of stuffing one of her other suits of clothes and placing it on the chair by the side of the cradle. The whole affair was topped off with a towel wadded up and tucked into the neck to represent a head. The result was not calculated to fool anyone but a sleepy baby and in that it was indeed successful.

The mother went to the party all right and returning home found the baby awake, laughing, and trying vainly to get up a conversation with the "dummy."

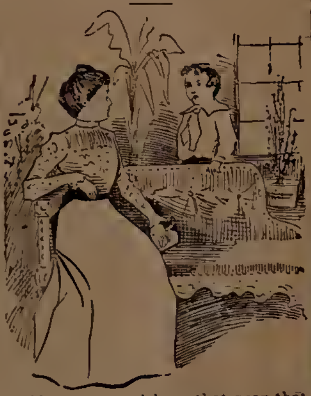
Surprising Surgical Case.

Kansas can add to the surgical records another instance of a person who has recovered after being shot through the brain. Three months ago Miss Mattie Stone, of Crawford county, fired a bullet into her head with suicidal intent. Last week the surgeons lifted her skull and removed the bullet, which had passed through one lobe of the brain. She will recover.

The Old Clock.

Jack loves the quaint clock on the stairs, don't you know—
For the pesky old thing can't be fixed so 'twill go.
—Detroit Free Press.

GOOD REASON WHY.



"Mummy, can I have that pear that was on the dining-room sideboard this morning? 'Cos—"

"Because what?"

"'Cos I've eaten it!"—Punch.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, bronchitis, hoarseness and all diseases of the throat, chest and lungs are surely cured by it. Call on Albert C. Mason & Co., druggist, and get a trial bottle free. Regular size 50c and $1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded.

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Poor Willie had no dimes to spend, as did the other boys
For candies or for cookies or for chewing gum or toys.

He went without a set of books that pleased his heart and eye,
For they had little money and the price was rather high;
No pictures worth the framing hung upon their parlor walls,
But antique rugs, worn out and frayed, were scattered through the halls.

Her husband's overcoat was old, his hat was out of style,
And always with his threadbare suit he wore a bitter smile;
She bought old plates and coffee pots that folks once threw away
And ancient beds and bureaus, and was happy night and day.
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

The Story of Life.

Only the same old story, told in a different strain;
Sometimes a smile of gladness, and then a stab of pain;
Sometimes a flash of sunlight, again the drifting rain.

Sometimes it seems to borrow from the crimson rose its hue;
Sometimes black with thunder, then changed to a brilliant blue;
Sometimes false as Satan, sometimes as heaven true.

Only the same old story, but, oh, how the changes ring!
Prophet and priest and peasant, soldier and scholar and king;
Sometimes the warmest hand clasp leaves in the palm a sting.

Sometimes in the hush of even, sometimes in the midday strife,
Sometimes with dovelike calmness, sometimes with passion rife;
We dream it, write it, live it, this weird, wild story of life.
—Boston Transcript.

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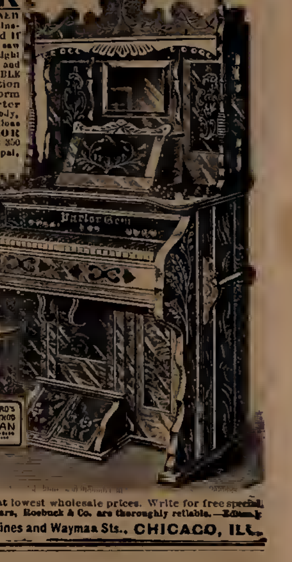

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FRANKLIN, November 15th, A. D. 1899.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

FRIDAY, the SECOND day of MARCH, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse block, in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Lawrence McGinnis of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution), on the thirty-first day of August, 1899, at eight o'clock in the forenoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process) in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

First, on Village street, in said Medway, with buildings thereon, and bounded as follows: Easterly ten rods, more or less, on land of E. F. Cushman, now or formerly; northerly seventeen rods, more or less, on land of Wilber W. Clough; westerly ten rods, more or less, on land of Lawrence McGinnis, and southerly seventeen rods, more or less on Village street.

Second, a small lot described as follows: Beginning on said Village street at a point opposite the southeast corner of previously described lot and running south 60 degrees 50 minutes west, two hundred ninety five feet to Charles River; then up said river to land formerly of Edward Eaton; thence north 68 degrees 30 minutes east, one hundred fifty-nine and two-tenths feet to Village street; thence upon said Village street easterly one hundred fifty-three and eight-tenths feet to first-mentioned point.

Third, another tract of land situated in Franklin, in said county, containing three and a half acres, more or less, on the easterly side of Populatic Hill, so called, bounded, beginning at a stake and stones at the southeast corner and running westerly on land formerly of John Richardson, deceased, forty rods to a stake and stones; thence running northerly on Felton's land ten rods to a stake and stones; thence easterly on said Felton's land forty-one rods to a stake and stones; thence southerly sixteen rods to the first-mentioned bound.

Fourth, also another tract of land situated in said Franklin, containing thirty-four acres, more or less, bounded, beginning at Populatic pond at a stake and running westerly by land now or formerly owned by George Barber to a white oak tree; thence southerly on said Barber's land to another white oak tree; thence westerly by said Barber's land to a stake by land of Walker, now or formerly; thence southerly by said Walker's land by a turn in the fence and then to a corner; thence southwesterly by said Walker's land by a white oak tree and broken top pine to a pine stump and stones on a hill; thence southwesterly by said Walker's other land to a black oak tree, making a corner on said Walker's land; thence easterly by land formerly owned by Milton Sanford to a black oak tree on a hill; thence northerly on land now or formerly owned by Lewis Richardson to said Pond; thence by said Pond to the first-mentioned bound. For further description see deeds from Adeliza H. Clark to Frank W. Clark, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 609, fol. 241, and lib. 612, fol. 213, and from Adeliza H. Clark to Medway Savings Bank, recorded with Norfolk deeds, lib. 676, fol. 141.

Also, three separate parcels of land and buildings, situated in said Medway, on Village street the first lot and second lot being the homestead of the late Alonzo P. Phillips, and the first is bounded southerly by said Village street, easterly on land late of Edward Eaton, now Medway Savings Bank; northerly on land of E. E. Carpenter, westerly on land of Lawrence McGinnis, containing five acres and three-fourths, more or less.

Second lot situated opposite and bounded northerly on Village street, southwesterly by Charles River and easterly on land late of Mrs. A. H. Clark or another.

The third lot is the Lawrence McGinnis' homestead, bounded southerly on land of Peter Foley and Village street, easterly on lot first described above, northerly on woodland of W. A. Jenckes and westerly on land of Ellen McGill and Peter Foley, containing eight acres, more or less, being the same as lands described in the following deeds recorded in the Norfolk Registry to A. P. Phillips, lib. 398, fol. 315, to Lawrence McGinnis, lib. 300, fol. 18[illegible]; lib. 313, fol. 188; lib. 366, fol. 88.

Except a small piece conveyed to Peter Foley. Excepting what was released from the Lawrence McGinnis homestead estate, seventy feet on Village street, and one hundred and fifty feet deep, as per mortgage from John Boudo to Medway Savings Bank.

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
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Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at Public Auction on

FRIDAY, the SECOND DAY of MARCH, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse Block, in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Lawrence McGinnis and Rose McGinnis, both of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the Twenty-eighth day of July, 1899, at fifty-five minutes past eleven o'clock in the forenoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process), in and to the following real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the northerly side of Village street, with buildings thereon, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the southeasterly corner of the premises on said Village street, thence running northerly on land formerly of one Eaton, and known as the Eaton Place, to land supposed to belong to one Wentworth, formerly of one Phillbrick; thence westerly on said Wentworth land to a stake and stone at the northerly end of a drain at land of William Schroeder; thence southerly along the line of said drain, and with said Schroeder land to said Village street; thence easterly with said Village street to the point of beginning, being the Phillip's Place, so called, and a part of the Dr. Brown estate, so called.

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the southerly side of Village street, opposite the above-described tract, and bounded northerly on said Village street, southwesterly by Charles River, and easterly by land supposed to belong formerly to Mrs. A. H. Clark, and being the second parcel described in the mortgage of Lawrence McGinnis to Margaret H. Kenny, dated August 6, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, book 744, page 522.

And on the same day, and at the same place, immediately after the sale of the above described real estate, will be sold at Public Auction all the right, title and interest that the above-named Rose McGinnis and Lawrence McGinnis, they or either of them had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the Twenty-fourth day of January, A. D. 1900, at two o'clock in the afternoon (being the time the same was seized on execution), in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the northerly side of Village street, with buildings thereon, and known as the Eaton Place, being bounded southerly about seventeen rods on Village street, easterly about forty rods on land now or formerly supposed to belong to one Cushman; northerly about seventeen rods on said Cushman land, and westerly about thirty-three rods on land of Lawrence McGinnis, being the premises described in a deed of Lawrence McGinnis to William Schroeder, dated June 8, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk deed book 788, page 221, and the record title to which premises now stands in the name of William Schroeder.

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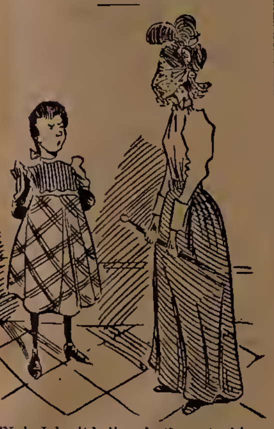

"No! I don't believe in the catechism, Miss Flooter; for though I 'honor my father and mother,' yet my days are not a bit longer in the land. I'm still put to bed at seven o'clock!"—Ally Sloper.

The Start and the Finish.

In the early springtime she was a gay, romantic girl,
But, alas! there came a change with the end of summer;
At first she sought to wed a lord, or duke or earl,
But at last she settled down and was married to a drummer.
—Chicago Daily News.

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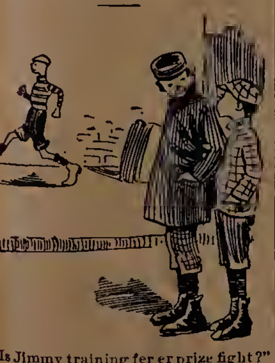

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"No; he says he's gittin' in good condition fer de newsboys' thanksgivin' dinner."—N. Y. Evening Journal.

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Mrs. Boysen, of Sacramento, Cal., Both Nurse and Soldier.

She Seizes a Dead Trooper's Rifle and Engages in a Fierce Brush with the Filipinos Until Victory Is Won.

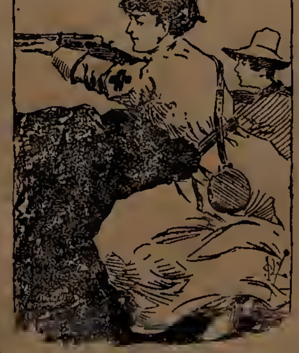
What terrors there are in war are not too great for a mother to share with her son. Here, for instance, is the story of one—Mrs. May Stevens Boysen, of Sacramento, Cal. Many a woman tied down to the drudgery of a dishpan and broom will read it and understand. New York has had the honor of seeing Mrs. Boysen in the play "Miss Manhattan." Mrs. Boysen in that production assumed the part of the nursemaid. She was the one and only bright spot in a waste of dreariness.

Chance took Mrs. Boysen on the stage. Years ago one of the strongest and most striking characters on the Pacific slope was Andrew Jackson Stevens, master mechanic of the Union Pacific road. He was the inventor of the famous ten-wheel mogul, the type of heavy-powered engines that drag the freight of all the world across the backbone of the continent.

May Stevens was his daughter. A taste for private theatricals led eventually to a place upon the stage. Here she married A. D. Billings, a character actor of years gone by, and some time after he died she became Mrs. Boysen.

One child—a boy—was the result of the first marriage. His name is William Boysen, for on the marriage of his mother a second time he took his stepfather's name. Young Boysen is heir of both his father and grandfather, and at the beginning of the war was manager of the York Manufacturing company of York, Pa.

The call for troops found Boysen willing and waiting. He resigned his position, obtained a commission as assistant surgeon with the Pennsylvania troops, and in August was at work in the trenches before Manila. The word of her son's devotion to the flag came to Mrs. Boysen. Without counting upon the cost, she flew post haste to San Francisco. The next steamer bore her westward to Manila to her son. She was at his side day by day, assuming the drudgery of camp life.



FIGHTING IN THE TRENCHES.

It was Mrs. Boysen's intention to obtain a place in the government office in Manila. She obtained a place as nurse in the reserve hospital corps.

Then came the outbreak of the insurgents. Opportunity had come. As the Filipinos fell back under the advance of the Americans, Mrs. Boysen followed elbow to elbow with our troops.

From trench to trench went the heroic woman. Then when the rush of the American soldiers went splashing hot-footed across the paddy fields, in their train went Mrs. Boysen, ministering to the wounded, working under fire, and all unconscious of the bullets singing and purring about her head.

Once the Filipinos, goaded to desperation by the galling fire of our men, made a rush to recapture the trenches. Then for a few minutes there was need for every hand to do its work. Crouched in the trench Mrs. Boysen watched the turn of affairs, cheering the men along the line, and wandering here and there with hands full of cartridges. Then one of our men fell back from the earthen embankment, his rifle clattering down beside him. In an instant the woman was at his side. But a glance showed there was no need of her attention—the poor fellow was dead. Seizing the rifle, Mrs. Boysen crawled up to the front, and there in a moment was cracking away at the head of the rush.

Along the line of the trenches the men caught the color of her skirt and the red cross on her sleeve. They saw the rifle peering out from the earthworks and heard it bark.

"Hoo-ray," they yelled. "Hoo-ray for you!" Mrs. Boysen smiled and kept on shuttling the bolt of her krag. The Filipino rush died away; the rebels sullenly retreated to their trenches within the town, and Mrs. Boysen went back to her work.

But Gen. Wheaton had seen and marked her bravery. It was a sight he had never seen before. Lifting his hat, he saluted her, and Mrs. Boysen, with flaming cheeks, went back to the charity of caring for the injured.

A Pench of a Teacher.

Teacher—What is a thief, Johnny?

Johnny Hardup—Dunno.

Teacher—Oh, yes, you do. Now, what would I be if I took money out of your pocket?

Johnny Hardup—Why, youse 'ud be a peach.—Ohio State Journal.

Couldn't Afford It.

"How did you manage to escape hay fever this year, Clara?"

"I didn't. Papa managed it."

"How?"

"He said he couldn't raise the money to send me to the mountains.—N. Y. World.

Pushing Along the Good Work.

"My wife got up a charity card party last week."

"Did she have any success with it?"

"I should say she did! Took in almost enough to pay for the prizes."—Chicago Times-Herald.

In the Dark.

The gas said: "I am sad to-night,
Fred Constant's coming aroun';
Although I always treated him right
I'm sure to get turned down."
—Chicago Daily News.

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Was the gun that hit G. B. Steadman of Newark, Mich., in the Civil War. It caused horrible ulcers that no treatment helped for 20 years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Cures cuts, bruises, burns, boils, felons, corns, skin eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co., druggists.

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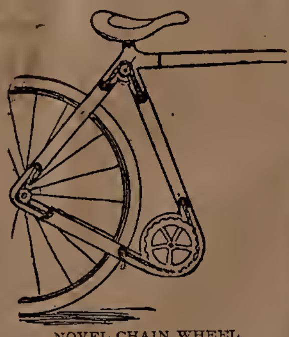

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(A Reflection by One of His Brothers.)

Now, when it comes to gettin' what other folks can't get,
An' when it comes to doin' what other folks ain't let,
An' takin' turns the longest, by rubbin' of your eyes,
An' scoopin' all the pennies an' all the saucer pies,
An' seein' some one bigger get licked for what you've did—
A feller can't help wishin' he was the littlest kid!

But when you think of taggin', an' findin' folks has run,
An' bein' told it's bedtime, no matter what's the fun,
An' takin' mumps an' measles, an' wearin' girl's clothes,
An' never goin' nowhere excep' when mother goes,
An' learnin' all the lessons of what us boys is rid—
Then's when a chap's as willin' he ain't the littlest kid!
—Catherine Young Glen, in St. Nicholas.

The Bachelor's Complaint.

Returning home at close of day,
Who gently chides my long delay,
And by my side delights to stay?
Nobody!

Who sets for me the easy chair,
Spreads out the papers with such care
And lays my slippers ready there?
Nobody.

When plunged in deep and dire distress,
When anxious cares my heart oppress,
Who whispers hopes of happiness?
Nobody!

When sickness comes and sorrow twain,
And grief distracts my fevered brain,
Who sympathizes with my pain?
Nobody!

But I'm resolved, so help me fate,
To change at once my single state,
At Hymen's altar I will mate
Somebody!
—Thomasville (Ga.) Enterprise.

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BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return, 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 49, 4 10, 5 11, 6 01, 7 19 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7 51 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 58, f5 21, 6 19, f7 25, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m. S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58, a m; f1 01, 5 25, 6 14, f7 28, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

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St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector; Rev. M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., will preach at 10.30 on "Crossing the Lines," a sermon suggested by Young People's Day. Y. P. C. U. at 5.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper. Theme: "The Tested and Conquering Christ." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45.

Congregational church.—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath at 10.30. Morning topic: "Evidential Value of Experience." Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. Union Temperance meeting in the evening.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.—S. A. Cook, pastor. The morning sermon will be one of a series of sermons on the general subject: "Lessons from Some Characteristic Incidents in the Life of Christ." Special subject: "The Grief of Jethsemane." Evening subject: "Self denial, in Its Relation to Discipleship." Special singing. Seats free. You will find a cordial welcome.

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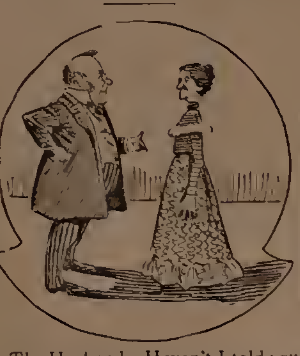

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Husband—That may be, but you said yourself that the sugar somehow didn't seem to sweeten the food like other sugar.

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One No. 258 Oak Sideboard of high polished finish, former price was $37; present price **$18.50.**

Another Oak Sideboard, worth all we asked, which was $35; price now **$17.50**

One No. 26 Oval Centre Table going for **$3.38,** for which the reasonable price was $6.75.

And the sale continues on over 100 Rockers at 25 per cent discount all this month. The first in line get first choice.

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LADIES' COATS, were $4.50, now	2.49
LADIES' COATS, were $5, now	2.98
LADIES' COATS, Merceline lining, were $7.50 now	4.50
LADIES' COATS, Taffeta lined, were $11, now	7.50
LADIES' COATS, Taffeta lined, were $12, now	7.50
One lot LADIES' COATS, silk lined, were $12, now	6.50
LADIES' FUR SCARFS, were $4.50, now	3.25
MISSES' GOLF CAPES, were $5, now	3.75
MISSES' GOLF CAPES, were $5, now	2.25
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Dick (describing the singer) — She had azure eyes, minstrel-joke hair—

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PETITION FOR LOCATION.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Franklin:

Your petitioners respectfully represent that they are a majority of the directors of the Medfield and Medway Street Railway company, which has complied with the provisions of Chapter 113 of the Public Statutes of Massachusetts and Acts in amendment thereof and supplementary thereto, and is now a street railway corporation duly established by law, and has duly accepted its charter, and is duly authorized to construct, maintain and operate a street railway in the towns of Medfield, Millis and Medway, in this commonwealth, and has constructed its railway therein. And for the purpose of duly extending the said street railway into the said town of Franklin they now pray for the following location in the town of Franklin: Commencing at a point on Lincoln street, so called, in said Franklin, at the boundary line of the town of Medway; thence in a substantially southerly direction along said Lincoln street to Main street; thence continuing in a southerly direction along said Main street to a point at or near the corner of Depot street, in said town of Franklin; and they pray that the said company may locate, lay and maintain its tracks and such turnouts, switches and connections as may be needed upon such location, and may erect and maintain the necessary poles, wires and other fixtures for said location for the purpose of operating the street railway so located, to be operated by electricity, preferably by the single overhead trolley system, so called.

Respectfully submitted.

JOHN F. MERRILL,
FRED S. GORE,
GEO. W. W. WHITING,
JOSEPH J. FEELY,
JAMES A. FITTON,

A majority of the Directors of the Medfield and Medway Street Railway Co.

OFFICE OF THE SELECTMEN,
FRANKLIN, MASS., Jan. 25, 1900.

On the foregoing petition it is hereby ordered that a hearing be given before the Board of Selectmen, in the town hall in said Franklin, on MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 12th, 1900, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., and that the petitioners give notice of said hearing by posting a copy of this petition and order at the post office in said Franklin at least fourteen days before said hearing, and by publishing the same on the twenty-sixth day of January and the second day of February, A. D. 1900, in the Franklin Sentinel.

J. CUSHING GALLISON,
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ALFRED CLARK, JR.,
Selectmen of Franklin.

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Fancy Ponce Porto Rico Molasses, never sold before less than 50c gallon, now 40c gallon.
Fancy New Orleans Molasses, always sold at 60c gallon, now 50c gallon.
Good dark Molasses, 30c gallon.
Pure Maple Syrup, 25c quart.
Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.
Boiled cider, quart bottles, 20c.
5 lb. can Java and Mocha Coffee, 90c.
The best 50c Tea 40c.
The best 60c Tea, 50c.
Fancy Table London Layer Raisins, 20c lb.
Four Crown loose Raisins, 12c lb.
Gilt Edge Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c lb.
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of James Mahon, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John J. Mahon of Franklin without giving a surety on his bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the fourteenth day of February, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 24th day of January, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Alfred D. Whiting, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Flora Whiting of Franklin without giving a surety on her bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 24th day of January, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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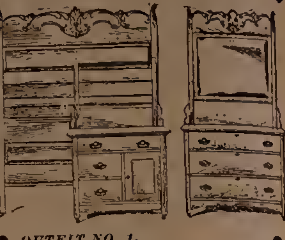
Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted. Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.



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This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.
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Collector's Notice.

The owner of the following described parcel of real estate in the town of Medway, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon assessed for the year within specified, according to the list committed to me by the assessors of taxes, remain unpaid, and that the said parcel of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Town Clerk's office in said Medway, on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the cost and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

Francis Duhame or Owner—About four and one-half acres of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the north side of Evergreen street, in the northerly part of Medway; bounded on the north by Main street, east by Elm street, west by land of George McIntosh, land of Medway Savings Bank, land of Elbridge Ware, south by Evergreen street; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $41.79.

GEO. F. MADDEN,
Collector of Taxes for 1899.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

SUPERIOR COURT.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court, holden at Dedham within and for the county of Norfolk:

Respectfully represents Abbie M. Darling of Franklin, in said county, that on the first day of January, A. D. 1868, at said Franklin, she was lawfully married to Nathan E. Darling, now of Providence, in the state of Rhode Island; that thereafterward your libellant and said Nathan E. Darling lived together as husband and wife in this commonwealth, to wit: At said Franklin and at Wrentham, in said county, and in said Providence; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Nathan E. Darling being wholly regardless of the same on or about the twenty-seventh day of September, A. D. 1896, at said Franklin, wilfully and utterly deserted your libellant and has continued such desertion for more than three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel.

And your libellant further says that the said Nathan E. Darling, being of sufficient ability, has grossly, wantonly and cruelly refused and neglected to provide a suitable maintenance for her.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Nathan E. Darling, and that such further orders and decrees may be made in the premises as to your Honors may seem just and reasonable.

Dated at said Franklin the thirtieth day of December, A. D. 1899.

ABBIE M. DARLING.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

SUPERIOR COURT.

On the foregoing libel, it is ordered that the libellant give notice to the said Nathan E. Darling, the libellee, to appear before the justices of this court, to be holden at Dedham, within and for said county, on the first Monday of March next, by causing an attested copy of said libel, and of this order thereon, to be published once in a week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first Monday of March next; and further, by sending through the mail, as soon as may be, by a registered letter addressed to the last known residence of the said Nathan E. Darling an attested copy of said libel and of this order thereon, that the said Nathan E. Darling may then and there show cause why the prayer of said libel should not be granted.

By the court.

LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.

January 4, 1900.

A true copy of said libel and of the order thereon.

Attest: R. B. WORTHINGTON,
Assistant Clerk.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Annie M. Grant, late of Medway, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Helen Towne Grant of Medway, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this 17th day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Herman M Fisher 1Jan00

The Franklin Sentinel.

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MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Taxes! Seven per cent. or collection—which? Perhaps both.

Henry W. Gay and son Charles have removed to Boston.

Mrs. H. F. Monroe is now able to be out after quite an extended illness.

Frank D. Blake of South Framingham visited his parents here on Sunday.

Moses Lemier of Littleton, N. H., will spend the winter here with his sons.

A new dynamo is to be put in at the American Woolen company's cassimere mill.

The new officers of Fidelity lodge, A. O. U. W., were installed Thursday evening.

Oscar Dean has removed from City Mills to the Whiting block on Central street.

The Universalist Ladies' Social circle meets at the parsonage tomorrow at 2 p. m.

The assessors met last week to make up the list of tax abatements for the collector.

The new fire department club room has been neatly furnished and is now open to members.

The selectmen will hold a meeting tonight to close up the accounts for the town year.

Improvements are being made at the heliotype plant, the No. 1 boiler being bricked in.

About fifty citizens went to Woonsocket yesterday afternoon to see and hear William J. Bryan.

With the temperature anywhere from 10 to 20 degrees above for the past few days the ice men are happy.

Rev. Dr. Hodge was one of the speakers at the men's banquet in the First church, Malden, last evening.

Edward Stewart, formerly in Guild's jewelry store, has secured a situation in Charles Stewart's straw factory.

Miss Sadie Creigan of Woonsocket spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Fitzgerald, Union street.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Nye will be pleased to learn of the steady improvement of their daughter, Eleanor.

Ira Applebee has resigned his position in Fairfield's bakery and has gone to Boston to act as second man in a large bakery.

W. A. Pond has a gang of woodcutters at work near Kingsbury's pond. They are quartered in a house owned by Wm. M. Comey.

Mrs. E. C. Judd has just returned from a visit to friends in Middletown, N Y Mr. and Mrs. Judd have taken rooms at the Hotel Briggs.

Mrs. F. P. Chapman is visiting friends in New York and will also spend a few days with her brother at Englewood, where he is teaching.

How pleasing it would be if all subscriptions in arrears could be paid up within the next few weeks! Well, we'll see how they come in.

The Kennebunk (Me) Journal says those cities which have the curfew law declare that its moral effect is worth several extra policemen.

Manager Partridge has been notified that Graham's darkies will not appear here on Saturday evening as advertised, but later in the season.

The members of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Congregational church will hold a social at the church tomorrow evening to which all are invited.

Skating was good at Hoag's pond on Sunday, and in the afternoon the electric cars were run half hourly to accommodate the Franklin skaters.

A number from here have made their plans to attend the Paris exposition this season, which opens on Sunday, April 15. That date, by the way, is Easter Sunday.

A large party of Franklin people witnessed "Sag Harbor" Wednesday evening in Woonsocket opera house. All were well pleased with the presentation.

Miss Clara Nixon has been signally honored by having been selected as secretary of her class at the Bridgewater normal school, out of a class of a hundred.

Three unfortunates, one from Franklin and two from Wrentham, were fined $5 each for drunkenness by Judge Doe in the district court at Walpole yesterday morning.

As Attorney C. H. Deans was driving over from Medway on court business last Friday he lost a valuable blanket from his buggy, no trace of which has yet been found.

A number of the Masonic brethren from here are arranging to go over to Medway Feb. 13 to attend the annual reception and ball of the Charles River lodge, A. F. & A. M.

The glass-blowers' entertainment last evening, under the auspices of the A. O. H., in Music hall, called out a good attendance and more will surely be there this evening. It is all very interesting.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Charles Morse, who died Sunday, was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Universalist church, Rev. Dr. Hodge officiating. Mr. Morse was 84 years of age and left no children.

The fourth open meeting of the Mothers' section will be held Feb. 2, at 3 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. Martin, corner Central and Summer streets. The hour will be devoted to a talk by Rev. I. W. Sneath.

Eddie Maroney, the twelve-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Maroney of Union street, had his right foot crushed at St. Mary's new building on Tuesday, a radiator which had not yet been put in position falling upon it.

Dr. I. De Ver Warner of Bridgeport is one of the leading spirits in a large automobile factory which is to move from Newton to Bridgeport, so it is not impossible some of his machines may be seen upon our streets next season.

The following children of the Nason street primary have been neither absent or tardy during January: Benjamin Dalton, Percy Fairfield, George Geb, Leo Long, Byron Coleman, Raymond Thibedeau, Gladys Baldwin, Maud Blackmar.

Being requested to furnish a "bright, terse interview about hell" for a yellow newspaper, Rev. Newman Smyth of New Haven, Conn., replied: "Hell, in my opinion, is the place where the Sunday edition of your paper should be published and circulated.

Miss Maria Sullivan, who has been a resident of Franklin several years, died at her late home on Chestnut street at 10 a. m. yesterday. She was about 65 years of age and a parishioner of St. Mary's. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

People should not think it strange if prices on printing take a "leap" upward, for paper cost over seventy per cent. more than one year ago. Don't by any means try to "beat down" the printer on his price or the newspaper man on his advertising rates. "Live and let live."

O. W. Bugbee has disposed of the coal business which he bought about six months ago of James F. Ray to the latter gentleman, who will continue the business as before. Mr. Bugbee has proven a wide awake business man, but has a business opening elsewhere which he prefers.

Last week a delinquent subscriber said he would pay up if he lived He is supposed to be dead. Another said, "I will see you tomorrow." He's blind. Still another said, "I'll pay you this week or go to the devil." He's gone. There are many who ought to take warning of these procrastinators and pay up now.—Exchange.

James Garland has recovered his papers and some other things taken from his room at R. B. Stewart's last week, the thief evidently not caring to carry them away. He had been employed by R. B Stewart, from whom he stole some money when he left. He had worked for the latter, but not for J. J. Stewart, as stated last week.

There appears to be not a little interest in the proposed electric road from Medway to Franklin direct, and the company promises to begin building in the early spring provided the franchise be granted. Over a portion of the way the road will be upon private land, as there are a couple of hills which it is desired to avoid by going in a somewhat roundabout way.

The many friends of Col. George W. Nason will be pleased to know that he is recovering from the severe attack of congestion of the lungs brought on by a cold taken Jan. 8, when he came out from Boston to install the officers of Post 60, G. A. R. He was anxious to get out of the sick room and made his appearance at the City hall last week Thursday, but had a relapse and was taken to his home again. Be careful, old man, you old veterans cannot stand the rackets you did forty years ago.

The work of the Lord is progressing at the Methodist church with great satisfaction and marked success. For two Sundays several new members have been received at each service, and still there are others who are candidates for membership. The fruits of earnest revival effort are in various ways abundantly manifest, much to the joy and delight of the pastor and his faithful flock. The pastor has begun a probation class, which meets each week for the instruction and help of those recently converted.

From statements made by several of the base ball men interested in the formation of a trolley league, to comprise the towns of Franklin, Milford, Woonsocket, North Attleboro, Attleboro and possibly one or two other places, there seems to be little doubt of the carrying out of the scheme, although the promoters say it is yet too early to talk for publication as to details. From other sources, however, it is learned that the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket Street Railway company looks with favor upon the project, and if the league is formed the company may have a financial interest in it.

Six young women weavers have arrived from Worcester and began work in the new linen toweling mill at Unionville last week. Four new bands living in Unionville, besides a number from here, were added to the force of help during the past week and the company is still hiring weavers. The machinery which arrived from Worcester is being set up and the work is being hurried as fast as possible. Until the new tenements can be erected at Unionville in the spring most of the mill help will live in Franklin, and a special car, to be chartered by the linen company, will convey the hands to and from Unionville daily.

A very encouraging letter has just been received from Rev. Mr. Longren at Montrose, Col., stating that his health has so materially improved that he now calls himself a well man, the climate agreeing both with him and his wife. He has been able to do a good deal in the way of improving the church, with a new chapel, new infants' department, new heating apparatus and other necessary affairs, together with a healthy and encouraging growth in membership, over twenty having been received into the church. It seems almost providential that the Lord should have raised up for him a work out there, thus profitably employing his time and permitting an improvement in health as well. He sends warm greetings to his many friends here.

The Advantage of Combination.

The American Woolen Co., of which Hon. Joseph G. Ray is vice-president, is having a most prosperous career. A leading official in the company says:

"We are making, net, $100,000 a week, or $5,000,000 a year. The mills run out about 700,000 yards of cloth a week, which means a year's good to the value of $50,000,000 or $60,000,000. There is actually a larger demand for woolen goods than can possibly be supplied. Our present prosperity after years of financial distress—you know we have just increased the wages of our employees, about 25,000 in all—has started everybody to buying cloths. Up to this time many have been wearing their garments for two seasons. Then the Dingley tariff has shut out the last bit of foreign competition.

"We opened last week here in New York the sale of heavy goods to be delivered next fall and winter and $10,000,000 worth of cloth was sold on the first day. Early Tuesday afternoon we had closed out the product of the next six months up to Aug. 1 of six of our twenty-seven mills. We cannot get enough salesmen to show our goods. Buyers from all over the country are here representing big clothiers, some of whom will purchase from $500,000 to $5,000,000 worth of cloth."

Liable to Err.

People who never gave an editor a word of commendation or appreciation in their lives will go out of their way to tell him of a lapse from exactness in some one of several hundred items of news gathered and printed in his paper and take an unholy joy in doing it. Nine times out of ten, too, these critics are of the sort that would resent as cruel and unkind any intimation that they ever wandered one iota from the straight line of perfection in morals, in manners or in tales told about their neighbors.—Brockton Enterprise.

At the Danger Point.

The union temperance meeting was held on Sunday evening in the Congregational church. Rev. Mr. Cook read the scripture lesson and Rev Dr. Hodge offered prayer. The church quartet rendered three selections in a very pleasing manner. The address of the evening was given by Rev. Mr. Sneath. He said: The seemingly impossible frequently occurs. This is evidenced in our daily life. That which we thought was impossible a decade ago is a matter of daily occurrence today. The cause of righteousness against rum is moving forward to a final triumph. The reign of Bacchus will eventually yield to the reign of sobriety. All great movements are of slow growth. The temperance reform is one of these. But there are ever encouraging evidences of the forward movement. Mr. Sneath then reviewed the progress of 1899 in the temperance reform. He said that forty-two railroad companies now required men to refrain from the use of intoxicants; employees in the U. S. Pension bureau who were given to drink were quietly given "leave to withdraw;" John D. Long had abolished the sale of liquors upon the vessels of our navy; the house of representatives had abandoned the canteen system from the army; a department of the national government was about to begin an investigation of the effects of intoxicants; the Knights of Columbus, United American Mechanics, the Masonic and other fraternities had voted to exclude saloon keepers from membership; life insurance companies and business corporations have been giving special consideration to the subject of moderate drinking. He also quoted a number of other pertinent and forceful facts.

Three truths impress themselves in the face of these evidences of progress: First, that the temperance reform is no longer a movement which can be spurned or derided. Experts in the economic, sociological, moral and spiritual realms are seriously considering the problem and seeking for wise measures by which the reform may be accomplished. Second, as one faces this movement he is more and more convinced that the great end of life is service and self-sacrifice for the welfare of humanity. He that would be great among you let him be your servant, and he is the greatest who renders the most service. Third, the great need of the hour is fidelity. Faithful loyalty to the principles of right will lead to final success. This fidelity must be shown at the caucus and at the polls. Last year the majority for no license in this town was less than ten per cent. of the registration. Three hundred and six registered voters remained away from the polls. Sixty-six voters cast their ballots for town officers, but failed to vote upon the license question. It is the declaration of experts that when a town's majority is less than ten per cent. of the registration it has reached the danger point. Franklin needs a new inspiration to fidelity, so that we shall get beyond this point of uncertainty. We can do it. There are a sufficient number of order-loving citizens to accomplish it. Let the agitation begin now and Franklin will once more sound forth the glad bugle note of no license at its coming election.

Annual Convention of The Spinsters' Matrimonial Club.

Through the efforts of St. John's Guild the Annual Convention of The Spinsters' Matrimonial Club will be held in Franklin this year at Morse's Opera house. The date of the convention will very likely be Wednesday evening, Feb. 21. The members feel that this convention is likely to be the most exciting in the club's history and that measures of grave importance may be adopted. The members feel that their matrimonial prospects have not improved during the past year and that heroic measures must be taken without delay. There is such great interest and even excitement manifested among Franklin people at the prospect of having the convention with us that an effort is making to induce the club to admit all comers to the hall. The club will very likely accede to this evident desire, and we confidentially inform the readers of the SENTINEL that rare sights are in store for them.

After Your Money.

There is always someone in town after the people's money. Just now we are being solicited to join an association which will admit of our purchasing goods from local and other merchants at ten per cent. discount. It looks nice, doesn't it? Then the merchants pay something for the privilege of selling at a discount That's nice. In the end the solicitor gets the money, and the public soon tires of the thing. But the smooth tongued stranger has departed and so has the dollar of the public and the five dollars of the merchant. That lesson lasts till another solicitor comes around. Better keep your money and trade with merchants who treat you as they treat everyone else.

Dr. E. M. Faxon, Boston, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, will meet patients at hotel Briggs Thursdays from 9 to 12:30 o'clock.

How the Bank Was Moved.

Shortly before his death the late Moses Farnum related some of the history, new to me, of the early days of the N. Y. & N. E. R. R; also the founding of the Franklin National bank. The N. Y. & N. E. in its early days was known as the "Norfolk Co. R R" and terminated at Dedham. Its construction was conceived by Welcome Farnum, a wealthy manufacturer of Blackstone, R I. There by hangs many an interesting tale, but I will devote the time to recording something of the history of the Franklin National bank as related by Mr. Farnum.

It seems that a bank, called the Worcester County bank, was located in Blackstone, that Moses Farnum was its cashier, as well as one of the principal share-holders, having some twenty-five or thirty shares in his possession. The bank, being located so near others of the same stamp, was doing a comparatively small, though lucrative business. The Ray brothers having recently located in Franklin, Mass., and being share-holders in the Worcester Co. bank, became desirous of removing the same to the growing town of Franklin. Mr. Farnum was approached in the matter and found to be ready to sell his shares at a fair market rate, and ready to further the scheme by himself coming to Franklin as cashier of the contemplated bank. The influence of the Ray brothers became instrumental through Senator George F. Hoar, of having necessary congressional legislation enacted, to provide for the removal of the bank to Franklin, "whenever a legal majority or three-fourths of its directors should so vote." This was news to many of the de facto directors in Blackstone and vicinity, causing an early meeting to be held, at which, after a stormy session, the dissatisfied shares were secured, at a certain rate, together with a vote to remove the institution to Franklin. The desirability and value of such transactions were based upon congressional action allowing only a certain number of banks to each state. Massachusetts, having the full quota, no new bank could be started in any place without first securing the charter of an already existing bank. Thus, the value of a bank charter was very much enhanced.

Hon. Joseph G. Ray seized upon the somewhat "sleepy condition" of the old Worcester County Bank, to remove and give new life to its fortunes in the booming town of Franklin. All the preliminaries having been attended to, votes secured, shares duly paid for, Mr. Ray one day appeared in Blackstone with a beach wagon and reined up to the door of the bank. Here he found Mr. Farnum attending to his duties as cashier, and the bank business following its usual channel.

"See here, Ray! what are you down here with that beach wagon for?" asked Moses. "I have come to move the bank." "Well, that is a pretty thing to move a bank in."

The books, papers, bonds, notes, money and other belongings, were duly packed into the aforesaid beach wagon, and the pair wended their lonesome way through the woods and swamps to the town of Franklin, where they arrived late in the day. The beach wagon, with its precious boxes, was driven into Mr. Ray's stable, where it remained all night, much to the discomfort of the honorable gentleman's sleep. Previous to all this, Mr. Ray had secured two rooms in the house now owned by C. J. McKenzie,—then occupied by a Mr. Hawes, for the embryo bank. Having, with the help of his brother, James P. Ray, purchased a steel safe, much too large for the rooms, they had it placed on the piazza and "sheathed up," a door having been cut through the house wall into the new so-called "vault." The morning after the arrival of the bank, Mr. Ray arose early, went to Metcalf's lumber yard, had a pair of wooden horses made of suitable height; this with suitable planks, constituted the first counter of the bank. It being first covered with black cloth, our adventurers slowly wheeled down the wagon, and tenderly lovingly, carried the infant bank into its new quarters. The well known "Ray's Block" was soon completed, and the infant having become a lusty stripling was moved into its present location.

This was the year 1871 or 1872. Mr. Farnum continued as cashier, and trusted financial adviser from that time until he lost the use of his right hand in the fearful "Quincy Disaster" on the Old Colony Railroad in 1891 or 1892, a period of nearly twenty years. Thus, to the wise foresight, push and energy and enterprise of the Ray brothers, is due the founding of the Franklin National Bank.

DR. J. C. GALLISON.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during our recent bereavement.

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A clean fish market, complete stock of sea food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

Mrs. Charles Rand will shortly canvass for a life of Moody.

Farmers' Club.

The Franklin Farmers' club met last Monday evening with A. R. Willard, Garfield street. Mrs. Willard was called upon to open the discussion. Mrs. J. L. Fisher of City Mills read the paper of the evening on "Woman's Work of To-day." She said: As we look over our own broad land we see woman's activity in every good work. In the church she is ever active. In the prayer meeting, the Sabbath school and the social gatherings of the church you will find her a willing worker. The time has been when woman's work did not reach outside her household; for her voice to be heard in a public meeting was to lower herself in the opinion of good society. We are thankful that has become a thing of the past and today she assumes her place beside that of man as his equal. She is ready to work with heart and hand for the temperance cause.

The W. C. T. U. of the United States number many thousand of noble women and their numbers are increasing year by year. We will follow her to foreign lands, leaving home and friends to endure all hardships for the sake of giving light to the heathen. The power of her influence is not confined to rank or circumstances. What would the hospitals do throughout our land were it not for woman? She is untiring in relieving the wants of the sufferers, and in many cases her warm heart and sympathy would do a sufferer more good than medicine. In the home you will find her as she cares for her family an earnest worker, never thinking of self while she can do for others. Whom do we expect to look after the aged parents, who have given us homes and taught us the first lessons of labor and love, now in their loneliness and affliction, but woman? To whom does the husband, as he labors each day, look for encouragement and counsel but to the wife? Whom do the children, in their daily pleasures and disappointments, from infancy to manhood and womanhood, come to for strength, assistance and approval but to the mother? Her work is not done. As time goes on her influence will be felt more and more. I am reminded of the old adage:

> "A man's work is from sun to sun;
> A woman's work is never done."

Remarks were made by Rev. Mr. Sneath and Rev. Mr. Sleeper, both agreeing with the thought that woman's work in society was broadening and deepening as never before, and that her influence was greater today than ever. Mr. Willard sang a solo and Mrs. Sleeper gave a reading. The social part of the evening and the refreshments were best of all.

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The Controversy in 1800.

One hundred years ago there was a dispute about the close of the eighteenth century, as there is now a dispute about the close of the nineteenth. The following very apt verses were written on New Year's in 1801 and read as follows:

Precisely 12 o'clock last night
The eighteenth century took its flight.
Full many a calculating head
Has racked its brain, its ink has shed,
To prove by metaphysics fine
A hundred means but 99;
While at their wisdom others wondered,
But took one more to make a hundred.
Strange at the 18th century's close
While light in beams effulgent glows,
When bright illumination's ray
Has chased the darkness far away,
Heads filled with mathematic lore
Dispute if two and two make four.
Go on ye scientific sages,
Collect your light a few more ages,
Perhaps as swells the vast amount
A century hence you'll learn to count.

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

TUESDAY, JAN. 30, 1900.

BRYAN'S appearance before the people of New England was preceded by a very severe freezing period. Will it also be a similar experience when he comes before them next November?

IT appears that the British crossed the Tugela river altogether too gaily.

WE shall keep on licking tax stamps as long as Otis is kept licking Filipinos.

WHEN a Massachusetts lawyer intimates that Daniel Webster would hardly be listened to in a court of law in this day he rather overrates his own ability to hold the public interest. It is quite likely that Daniel hasn't lost all of his prestige yet.

LET'S see. Butler said that the only order to be given was "advance." That depends on which way his army is facing.

NOW when Massachusetts wishes to promote a good man she elevates him by a Crane.—Lowell Journal?

Wait and see whether he Bates the one who will follow him.

THEY tell us that wheat is a "good buy" now. It is a goodbye for the money of the lambs who are to be shorn.

WE shall soon be unable to say "he isn't worth his salt," as that necessary article has gone up fifty per cent. under the manipulations of the salt trust. Where will this all end?

HOW the candidates are grooming for Congressman Sprague's place at Washington, now that he doesn't care for it longer. Well, the district has got plenty of good men and congress be none the loser.

IRON men in Pennsylvania are storing pig iron for higher prices. They are sort of iron pigs, as it were.

MORE china will soon be broken than ever before in the history of the world, as Russia and Japan are preparing for the partition of China. It is not difficult to see who will get the large pieces.

ROOSEVELT doesn't want the nomination for vice president, but Platt wants him to have it. The "boss" has no further use for Roosevelt in New York state, but the latter will do a little purifying there before he throws up his job.

A THIRTY per cent raise on kerosene oil will permit Rockefeller to give more money to institutions that don't need it. He surely robs Peter to pay Paul.

DENTISTS are wanted in the Philippines, as the soldiers are losing their teeth. They ought to be thankful they are not losing their heads.

ILLINOIS passed a law preventing freaks from exhibiting themselves, but it has just now been declared unconstitutional. From some of the antics of Governor Tanner, ex Governor Altgeldt and Senator Mason evidently the law was inoperative while it was on the statute books.

THE continued delay in the Molineaux trial, because of the sickness of a juror, will doubtless result in the selection of thirteen jurors, so as to provide for an emergency like this. A retrial of this case would weary all concerned.

BROOKLYN is in the throes of a revival and some of the Unitarians feel that their denomination is being singled out rather than a general desire for conversions. This is unfortunate; the crusade ought to be against vice, and crime, and evil doing. Good may come out of it yet.

"Hit the Nail

On the Head."

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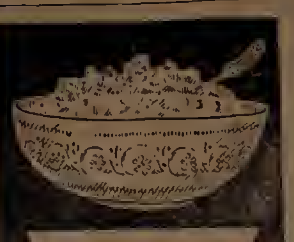

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The violin at three!
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But greater far than is the boy
Who leads his class, or he
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S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

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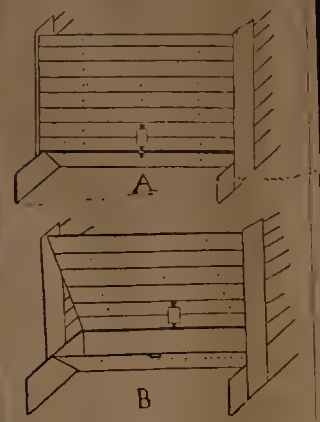

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—W. T. Sleeper, in Chicago Advance.

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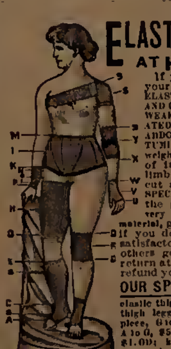

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Why the Hogs Succumb.

Prof. John A. Craig, of the Iowa experiment station, explains why the hog [illegible] when over- [illegible] ver- [illegible] ith perspiration. [illegible] of this at once begins to reduce his temperature. Nature has made no such provision for the relief of the hog when heated by exposure to the sun or by excessive exercise. This is reason enough why it should have an abundant and convenient water supply, shade and a convenient bathing or wallowing place, whether on summer pasturage or confined in a lot, and have plenty of green food that is laxative and cooling.

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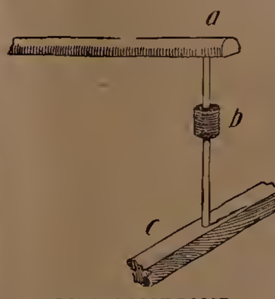

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AMONG THE POULTRY.

Do not feed too much soft feed.

Keep four ducks to one drake.

Never use imperfect fowls for breeding.

Feed milk and bran for growth, milk and meal to fatten.

Generally, the better the scratcher the better the layer.

When you get ready to fatten fowls, do the work quickly.

Separate the cocks from the hens; they molt better alone.

Game chickens, given a free range, are in danger of being overfed.

Get rid of the hens you do not intend to keep through the winter.

Hens require a variety of food; they get excessively tired of one kind.

The most successful fanciers are those that keep one or two breeds.

Hens should be killed when they are three years old; they lay fewer eggs after that.

Grain is sufficient in lime and mineral matter, but bran is rich in nitrogen and carbon.

Scalding fowls before picking partially cooks the delicate skin, rendering it dry and wrinkled.

While linseed and cottonseed meals are excellent foods, too much of them will cause a loss of feathers.

It rarely pays to spend much time trying to cure a bad case of roup or egg-bound in hens. Use the hatchet.

When your birds have bowel disease, change the food for a few days and at the same time change the grit.—St Louis Republic.

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Lame Fowls Are Useless.

If the hen gets lame and continues so it is generally better to send her to the kettle. It has been the experience of many that a lame fowl stands round so much that she gets fat and stops laying. The queer thing is that she will be found to have no signs of eggs in her. This seems to be due to the fact that the fat has increased to such an extent that the formation of even embryonic eggs is discontinued. Why a fat fowl should stop forming eggs it is difficult to say, but it is a fact.—Farmers' Review.

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"I wish you would use some powder," Mrs. Roomer," said the irritable lodger one morning.

"What do you mean, sir?" exclaimed the landlady, indignantly; "you insult me with your rudeness. The idea of me using powder!"

"Well, suit yourself," snapped the irritable lodger, "if you would rather lose $10 a week than to scatter a little insect powder in my room. I suppose I shall have to move."—Brooklyn Life.

No Hurry.

Mr. Newrich—I gave you an order last week to trace my ancestry back for 500 years.

Chronologist—Yes, sir; we have it about half done already.

Mr. Newrich—But I forgot to give you my name.

Chronologist—Oh, that makes no difference! We always begin at the founder of a house and work down. We won't need your name for two weeks.—Judge.

Well Calendared.

December twenty-second
Is the shortest in the year,
Because the Christmas shopping
Bankrupts us far and near.
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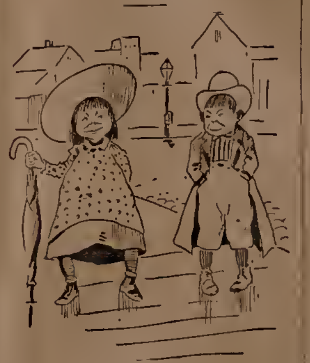

Miss McGillicuddy, kin I hev de pleasure of walkin' down de street wid youse?"

"Yer kin, Raggy, if yer'll pretend not ter know me w'en I meets me friends." --N. Y. Evening Journal

His Reward.

He went a peaceful way
And tried to do his best,
With never any room
For hate within his breast.

He won no great renown,
He gained no splendid height,
For all his days were spent
In merely doing right.

He never broke a heart,
He caused no tears to flow,
But where he slumbers weeds
And briers only grow.

So let him sleep away
Till summoned by the Lord—
Sweet virtue hasn't ceased
To be its own reward.

—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

Disappointment.

She smiled at me! My foolish heart
Responded with a sudden bound.
I loved her so! It seemed at last
That joy and comfort I had found.
New courage filled me—for till then
My hope had been but faint and weak.
She smiled at me! And I resolved
That I that very night would speak.

She smiled at me! Ah, luckless day!
Its pain I never can forget.
For now I have no hope at all,
Although she is not married yet.
She smiled at me! Fool that I was!
For hours the wine of life I quaffed:
But when, encouraged by her smile,
I told my love, she only laughed.
—Somerville Journal.

Blarney.

My summer girl is home again,
To smile once more on me;
She brought a most bewitching tan
Back with her from the sea.

But better than the tan she brought
Is something in her breast:
Last night she looked into my eyes
And modestly confessed

She walked and talked with other men,
Down there beside the sea,
And, from their foolish actions, learned
To know the worth of me.
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

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Bridget—Like enough, mum, like enough. Everythin' 'round this house has to.—Harlem Life.

Her Impression.

Uncle Hiram—You've heard of them Christian Scientists that claim they can cure anything, haven't you?

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Method That Permits All the Feathers Being Saved Without Any Soiling Whatever.

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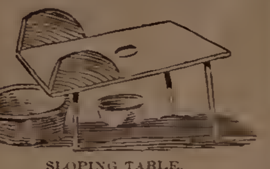

SLOPING TABLE.

Each Breed Has Advantages.

It is doubtful if any one can correctly select the "best breeds" of fowls without having the same claim made just as earnestly for a dozen other breeds. Some breeds may have certain advantages, but it will also have its disadvantages. Each breed may be said to have only one dominant talent. What it gains in one direction it may lose in another. After all, there would not be ten eggs different in a year between the best and the most inferior (if they could be discovered), with all conditions alike. The man who will claim any one breed as the best issues a direct challenge to all other breeders.—American Gardening.

The Gain of a Chick.

The question of how much will a chick gain is an interesting one, says Poultry West. The following is about correct: The eggs weigh two ounces; the newly hatched chick weighs 1¼ ounces; at one week old, two ounces; three weeks old, 6¼ ounces; four weeks old, ten ounces; five weeks old, 14 ounces; six weeks old, 18½ ounces; seven weeks old, 23½ ounces; nine weeks old, 32 ounces; ten weeks old, 36 ounces; 11 weeks old, 41 ounces.

In Olden Times

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Fred O. Sibley Describes One That Is Very Convenient, Durable and Easy to Make.

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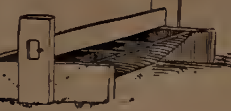

TROUGH FOR FEEDING PIGS.

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Equal to the Occasion.

Customer (emerging from bargain counter crush)—Help! My leg is broken.

Floorwalker—You will find the crutch department, sir, on the fourth floor, in the rear.—Judge

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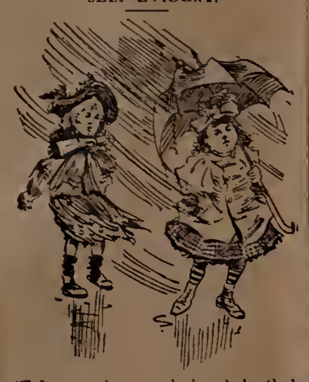

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"Why?"

"'Coz that's where the funny bone is."—Cincinnati Equirer.

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THURSDAY, the 15th day of FEBRUARY, A. D. 1900,

at 2.30 o'clock p. m., the following described personal property, to wit

One black cow,
One Jersey cow.
Terms made known at sale.

M. J. McLAUGHLIN, Mortgagee.
Millis, Jan. 30, 1900. ja 30,feb,13

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QUINONE HAIR TONIC
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It stimulates the growth of tiny, new hairs and gives a refreshing glow to the scalp. We do not claim for it the absurdity that it will make hair appear where no roots are, but it will do just what we say it will—tone up the scalp.

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Dana's Syrup Tolu, Tar and Wild Cherry

is such a remedy. It stimulates the secretions, soothes and heals the irritated surfaces and loosens the cough; nature does the rest. 25c.

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Now is the time to buy your Winter stock of Groceries of the finest quality and at the lowest prices in town.

Sugar, 19 lbs. for $1.
Light Brown Sugar, 21 lbs. for $1.
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Good dark Molasses, 30c gallon.
Pure Maple Syrup, 25c quart.
Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.
Boiled cider, quart bottles, 20c.
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The best 50c, Tea 40c.
The best 60c Tea, 50c.
Fancy Table London Layer Raisins, 20c lb.
Four Crown loose Raisins, 12c lb.
Gilt Edge Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c lb.
Fancy Ribbon Candy, 10c lb.
Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.
Fancy Chocolates, 15c lb.
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We carry the finest quality Butter cut from the tub, 1 lb. prints, 5 lb. boxes, 10, 20 and 50 lb. tubs, at the lowest prices, quality considered.
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J. P. Squire's Pure Leaf Lard in 5 lb. pails, 50c.
Mixed Nuts, English Walnuts, Oranges and Lemons in stock at the lowest prices.

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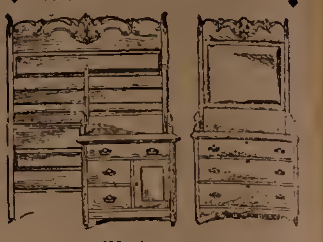

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Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted. Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.

OUTFIT NO. 1.
This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.
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Money may be withdrawn at the option of the depositors. The treasurer may, however, require a notice if necessary, in accordance with the Statute Law.

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STATEMENT DEC. 30, 1899.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$549,663 81
Guarantee Fund		27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account		13,909 55
Interest Account		12,960 49
Real Estate Income Account		543 71
		$604,830 35

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$22,073 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		29,182 62
Railroad Bonds		109,800 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		30,300 00
" " Mortgages		172,385 00
" " Personal Securities		186,195 75
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Tax Account		1,474 87
Expense Account		960 63
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$9,087 74	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	5,602 09	
Mercantile Trust Co.	11,318 55	
		26,008 38
Cash on hand		2,203 85
		$604,830 35

I, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

ADELBERT D. THAYER,
CHAS STEWART,
Committee of Examination.

Jan. 1, 1900.

By F. W. CUMMINGS & CO., Auctioneers,
MEDWAY, MASS.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Henry A. Walker to Mattie W. Edwards, dated Dec. 10, 1870, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 647, fol. 358, for breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed, will be sold on the premises in Medway at public auction, on

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in said Medway, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of land now or late of Warren Gould; thence westerly on the northerly line of Gurnsey street 123 3-4 feet to Phillips street; thence northerly on said Phillips street 323 22-100 feet to land of grantor; thence easterly on said land 194 4-100 feet to land of Charles Ford; thence southerly on said land and land of J. Hitchcock 160 82-100 feet to land late of John McLellan; thence westerly on said land and land of said Gould 79 7-100 feet; thence southerly on land of said Gould to the point of departure on Gurnsey street 165 85-100 feet, containing 52,512 18-100 square feet. Meaning to convey the same premises as conveyed to grantor by deed from Henri Batcheider dated March 24, 1883, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, libro 545, folio 327.

Terms given at time and place of sale.

E. GERRY BROWN, Guardian.
MATTIE W. (EDWARDS) SMALL,
Mortgagee.
Medway, Jan. 20, 1900. ja23,30,fe6

By F. W. CUMMINGS & CO. Auctioneers,
MEDWAY, MASS.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by Henry A. Walker to Arthur J. Edwards, and assigned by various assignments, duly recorded to Mattie W. Edwards, and for a breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed, will be sold on the premises in Medway at public auction on

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises, conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

Beginning at a stake and stones on the northerly side of Gurnsey street, thence running westerly on said Gurnsey street four rods to Norfolk avenue; thence northerly on Norfolk avenue six rods; thence easterly four rods to a stake and stones; thence southerly 6 rods to said Gurnsey street at the point of beginning. Reference may be had to deed of W. P. Clark, dated May 13, 1881, and recorded in Norfolk county deeds, libro 536, folio 531.

Terms given at time and place of sale.

MATTIE W. EDWARDS,
Assignee of said mortgage.
Medway, Jan. 20, 1900. ja23,30,fe6

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Katherine McDowell, late of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

S E. KINGSBURY,
Administrator.

Address: West Medway, Mass.
ja23,30,fe6

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
"	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

AN ADVERTISEMENT

Simply tells the public what you have got. If you never tell the people don't expect them to ask you. That's all there is to it.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Piacere club, Odd Fellows' ball, tonight.

Mrs. Samuel Jordau has been granted a widow's pension.

Mrs. Henry Poor has received the insurance money upon her late husband's life.

Henry Shumsky is having a new coat of paint put on his grocery store on Union street.

Mrs. Walter Crowninshield and son, Carl, have returned from their visit to Germantown, Pa.

Dean will meet the Boston Y. M. C. A. team at basketball in the gymnasium tomorrow evening.

Joseph Fitzpatrick, who was wounded in the civil war, is unable to work on account of his wound.

Expressman H. M. Graut is confined to the house with what appears to be an attack of appendicitis.

Mark Knowlton, conductor on the electric road, is suffering with an abscess at his home on Union street.

Artist Calkin has some fine specimens of portraiture in plain and color work on exhibition in Dana's window.

The forest fire wardens got off pretty easy this year as they had only sixteen fires, most of which were slight.

It is understood that F. L. Tufts, clerk at the freight office, is contemplating going into business at the Metcalf bakery stand.

The social of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Congregational church on Wednesday evening proved very interesting and enjoyable.

A portion of the old foundry building of the Clark Machine and Foundry Co. has been torn down, the new building being finished.

A Maryland druggist has made the discovery, so he says, that two pieces of quicklime placed in his show window will prevent it from frosting.

The last lot of cars received for the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket street railway are full vestibuled, with sixteen regular coach seats, the same as in steam cars.

Principal Daniels is out of school with the mumps, his physician advising him to absent himself for fear of communicating it to his pupils. This is the first day he has lost through illness in sixteen years.

Prof. C. P. Scott of Dean academy gave an interesting lecture Tuesday evening on "Handel" in the chapel from 7 to 8. The lecture was not public, only the music pupils of Prof. Scott being present.

Charles H. Prluce, foreman of the job department of the SENTINEL, is now a happy father, a little daughter having been received into his household on Wednesday. Mother and daughter are doing well.

Rev. Dr. Hodge resumes next Sunday afternoon his sermons on Immortality in which many people have expressed so much interest, his theme being "The Probability of Identity and Recognition in the Life Beyond."

No report has as yet been made by the district attorney on the death of Joseph Sumner, and it is unlikely that the matter will be heard of further.

The new gold cross was erected on St. Mary's new building Wednesday by workmen. It was blessed a few moments before by Rev. M. J. Lee. The top of the building now presents a finished appearance.

The Republicans have decided upon Friday evening, Feb. 23, as the time for their caucus, and as the town hall has been secured for that evening for another party it is not unlikely the Republican caucus may be held in Music hall.

E. A. Bryan of Quincy is the new assistant in the Mason drug store, C. E. Dearden having returned to his home in Springfield. Mr. Bryan is keeping house on School street and comes here with the reputation of being a competent pharmacist.

All who desire any special matters to be brought up before the coming town meeting should notify the selectmen as early as possible, as they are already considering the terms of the warrant, which has to be posted at least ten days before election.

When we stated recently that Joseph P. Bassett had four inmates of his home down with the mumps we thought we were correct. We find we were quite within the bounds, however, as there was at one time eleven persons wrestling with the mumps in the house.

The selectmen held a meeting Wednesday evening to attend to closing the accounts for the fiscal year of town business. Bills were approved and accounts generally looked into. The financial condition was found to be satisfactory and as good as was expected.

For the benefit of the patrons of the office Postmaster Conroy has succeeded in securing a Sunday mail closing at 5 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, in all directions. This will be continued as long as the amount of mail matter deposited warrants the additional work.

The case of McLaughlin vs. Greeo was up in the justice court this week, but was continued till next Tuesday. William and Richard Dewire of Medway were tried for keeping liquor with intent to sell. The case was continued till next Saturday, the defendants being put under $200 bonds each.

Jos. Leonard commenced his contract with the New Haven road yesterday morning, and has put on two new hacks at the station for the accommodation of his patrons. Capt. Pendleton still has his teams about the streets, and will continue them at the fifteen cent rate as long as there is patronage.

Charles W. Stewart is laid up with a severe attack of malaria, being attacked after business hours in the bank on Tuesday. He was found lying on the lounge there unconscious. He was taken home and a physician summoned, who pronounced the difficulty malaria. He is now more comfortable but very weak.

A new office is now to be voted for, as a tree warden "must" be elected annually by every Massachusetts town as one of the town officers. This is freshly brought to mind by the Massachusetts forestry association in a circular signed by Allen Chamberlain, secretary. The forestry association procured the enactment of the act.

There is considerable speculation about town as to what action will be taken by "The Spinsters' Matrimonial club" at its convention to be held at the Opera house on Wednesday, Feb. 21. It is said that a number of Franklin's handsomest young ladies are members of this organization. We wonder who they are!

The next regular meeting of the Alden club will be held on the evening of Feb. 12, when Miss Hodge will present a paper on "Rudyard Kipling." Mrs. Chas. Stewart will sing the Recessional, with De Koven's music, and Mrs. E. D. Daniels will read some selections from the poet's works. A very interesting meeting is anticipated.

George C. Daniels, the New England passenger agent for the Southern railroad, the largest in the South, reports an unusual amount of travel southward during the past few months, his road having done an enormous business. Parties desiring to go South or Southeast will find him especially willing and ready to do all in his power to make the trip a pleasant and reasonable one.

Walter Austin and Miss Ida Moreau were married by Rev. Father Lee at St. Mary's rectory at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss May Moreau, and Joseph Deans of City Mills was best man. After the ceremony the wedding party was driven to the home of the bride's parents on Cottage street, where a wedding supper was served, a number of invited guests being present. The couple will reside on Peck street.

The March town meeting will be asked to take action on the disposal of the boiler and engine on Pleasant street belonging to the town. The engine is about ten-horse power, was new a few years ago, and has been used but slightly. It was bought to run a stone crusher, but is not large enough to run as large a crusher as is required for town purposes, so it is thought better by many to sell the engine rather than to let it rust out by time. The small crusher, which was used a short time since with the engine belongs to E. K. Ray and the town has none of its own.

Roll of honor for December and January in the Nason street school:—Louise Johnson, Elizabeth Stewart, Thomas Cody, Frank Howland, Grace Griffin, Doris Corson, Ralph Peden, Joseph Murphy, Frank Perron, Johnnie Coughlin, Jean Stewart, Elsie Peary, Ethel Avery, Chester Darling, Francis Morell, Elma Baro, Clara Dalton, Leo Thibodeau, Flora Clark, James Joyce, Eddie Hutchinson, Edith Tyler, Blauch Leclair, Gracie Winters, Maurice Marks, Ralph Tracy, Olive Coleman, Julia Coleman, Evelyn Westland, Alice Smith, Gladys Smith, Clarence Bristow.

At the funeral of the late Mrs. Charles Morse on Tuesday afternoon the bearers were Profs. Peirce and Burrington and Messrs. Wiggin, Jenks, McKenzie and Chilson. The music was furnished by Messrs. Dwyer and Sherman, Mrs. Jenks and Miss Flossie Whiting. The remains were interred in the cemetery at South Attleboro. Before the death of Mr. Morse $1,500 was loaned to the Universalist church, the interest at five per cent. to be paid to the widow, and the sum to belong to the church at her death. Mr. Morse also left quite a little property to Dean academy.

The American (Ray) Woolen company's mill here goes on record as being the first of the twenty seven mills operated by the company throughout the country in disposing of its portion of the $10,000,000 worth of cloth which was placed on sale in New York on Monday, Jan. 22, by the American Woolen company. In a little less than four hours after the sale began, negotiations were completed and the product of the next six months in the Ray mill were sold. The goods are to be delivered next fall. This speaks well for the class of goods manufactured at the Ray mill, and is at the same time a high compliment to the management.

Good sized audiences have greeted the World's Fair Glass Show and Venetian Vaudeville company at Music hall every evening so far this week, the members giving a very good entertainment, with a change of programme each night, in addition to the glass blowing exhibition. On Tuesday evening Miss Sadie Raymond was awarded the prize for being the handsomest lady in the hall, Wednesday evening John Reynolds took the prize for the best gentleman dancer and last evening the judges declared Mrs. Mary Higgins to be the best and most graceful lady dancer. The show will close tomorrow night, when an elegant prize awaits the handsomest baby, this to be decided by ballot.

The revival meetings at the Baptist church this week have been well attended and deeply interesting, and there has been some conversions. Tuesday evening Rev. Mr. Codding preached and Miss Lillian Coleman sang. Wednesday evening the sermon was by Rev. Mr. Fisher, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart sang duets. Thursday evening Rev. Mr. Guernwood was the preacher and there was a solo by Miss Darling. The church is in an excellent spiritual condition and the good work promises to go on. There is no sensationalism or excitement, but the unconverted are calmly considering the matter of salvation and giving themselves to Christ. The plan for revival meetings adopted by the pastor, Rev. F. B. Sleeper, seems better than to employ an evangelist who would come with arbitrary and exciting methods, contrary to the good judgment of the church. B.

Complimentary Mention.

The Milford Journal says: "Dr. J. C. Gallison of Franklin is now fast regaining his health, and many of his friends in the 11th district think him in every way of congressional size to take the place of Hon. C. F. Sprague. There is no doubt of Dr. Gallison's capacity and worthiness for a congressman, his ability and merit as a man and as a Republican being unquestioned. His two years' record in the Massachusetts house of representatives was a useful and honorable one."

The many friends in town of the genial and accomplished doctor second this nomination of Brother Cook, and only regret that the health of the medical gentleman for the present precludes any thought of further political preferment. While, personally, congressional honors are furthest from his thoughts, yet it is naturally a source of pleasure and gratification to him to feel that his friends here and elsewhere are not unmindful of the excellent service he rendered his district and the state when in the legislature. His eminence as a physician, his courtesy as a gentleman, his readiness in polemics, his skill with pen and pencil, in verse or caricature, together with a marked literary ability, in a measure testify to the versatility of "Gallison of Franklin."

The Medway Street Railway Project.

If anything, there is more interest in and agitation over the proposed railroad to Medway than there was to Woonsocket, and many arguments are advanced upon both sides by the respective adherents. Those who favor the direct road assert that had it been left originally to the citizens of Franklin whether an electric road should be built to Woonsocket or Medway the latter place would have been selected, the merchants especially favoring that town on account of the prospect of new business in the Franklin stores.

Again, they assert that the direct route would be the cheaper one, the more expeditious and having no connections the most satisfactory. As to going around by City Mills and Norfolk they urge that would be as bad as going through Unionville and Caryville.

Upon the other hand, the objections are urged that the company desiring the franchise is simply putting in the road to head off others and eventually sell out to a syndicate. Further, as the Ray interests are so largely identified with Franklin, and so large a sum of money has already been laid out for their road, it would be hardly fair to allow a competing road to come in direct, since the only reason the North Bellingham and Caryville branch was built was to secure this very Medway business. So long as the Ray interests control the railway lines entering here, so long will the public interest be conserved and looked after, since many of the gentlemen are so closely allied with the financial prosperity of the town.

It is quite unlikely that the present board of selectmen, whose term of office expires so shortly, will make a definite decision upon the matter, unless the sentiment of the meeting should be decidedly adverse to the project. It is possible that it may be necessary to call a town meeting to get a full and free expression of the voters of the town instructing the selectmen as to their wishes in the matter. The hearing is to be held in the selectmen's room on Monday evening, Feb. 12, and it is expected there will be a large number present.

In this connection it is noticed that there has been presented a measure in the lower branch of the Massachusetts legislature relative to franchises in public streets that is of interest. It provides: "Any person, firm or corporation having a franchise in the streets of any town, shall pay therefor to the town, annually, such sum as may be determined by the selectmen of the town.

Everywhere the Trolley.

Another electric line is proposed near us, running into Wrentham. It is the Continental Construction Co. of Boston and it has procured franchises for a street railway in Westwood, beginning at the Dedham line, thence through Norway, Sharon, Foxboro and North Attleboro to Wrentham; is seeking franchises in Wrentham and Cumberland, R. I., and expects to run a street car line from Boston connections in West wood to the eastern boundary of Woonsocket on the Diamond Hill road. Not having any expectation of getting a franchise in that city, and understanding that the Woonsocket Street Railway company's franchise is an exclusive one, they expect to run automobile cars over the highways to the center of the city.

The proposed line from Westwood to Woonsocket will be about thirty miles long, making the distance about forty miles from Woonsocket to Boston. Supt. Metcalf thinks his company has no idea of "splitting a nickel" by giving four cent fares. He admits that his company has never tried the automobile idea, but is satisfied it will work.

Come Tonight.

The Piacere club, which is to give an entertainment in Odd Fellows' hall this evening, is admirably managed, and its concerts have never been surpassed here in point of artistic merit and popular acceptability. The club makes a specialty of light opera melodies, standard overtures and classical selections of a popular nature. The organization is at once a banjo, mandolin and guitar club, a glee club and an orchestra. Many will attend from Woonsocket and a dance will follow the concert.

Special Revival Services.

This evening at the Methodist church there will be a special evangelistic service. The pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook, will preach a short sermon and other features also of the service will be decidedly helpful and interesting. A special invitation is extended not only to Christians but especially to those who are not conscious of a personal experience of the saving power of Christ.

Emerson's Market.

Turkeys, chickens, fowls; legs of lamb, 15 cents; rump and sirloin steak from 20 to 25c; round steak 15c; pork and sausage 10 cents, spinach 20c, lettuce, radishes Boston Market celery and the best selected Cape Cod cranberries, Heinz saur krout 10c. Try Heinz India relish. All the vegetables. Finest butter in town. Canned goods of all kinds

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

TO THE EDITOR OF THE SENTINEL: Dear Sir:—There has appeared in your paper of recent issues several articles which show how little the minds of some people comprehend the plan and purpose of God in regard to the human family; his methods, not only in the present age, but in the ages past, of dealing with man in respect to the two questions of sin and man's responsibility. As we have read these articles and heard similar statements from the lips of those holding like views, we are forcibly reminded of the words recorded in Rom. 10: 2, 3.

It must never be forgotten that man was not created a sinner, but he was created a perfectly free moral agent and by his own conscious and voluntary choice sin entered into the world. And right here it might be well to note the downward steps in the fall of man: (1) Listening to slander against God. (2) Doubting God's word and His love. (3) Looking at what God had forbidden. (4) Lusting for what God had prohibited. (5) Disobeying God's command. And these have been the stepping stones in the downward course of man ever since. We have the history of God's repeated testing of the natural man, and repeatedly is recorded the failure of man in his responsibility to God. his failure to follow God's leading and directing, and his failure to heed the warnings of God against sin, and consequently bringing repeatedly judgment and disaster upon himself by his own deliberate and persistent violation of God's laws.

After all these failures of man in the ages past we still see God in His matchless love and tender mercy providing a new and living way, a way so plain and simple that a wayfaring man, though a fool, need not err therein—salvation through our Lord, Jesus Christ; for by the law "All are under sin, all are gone out of the way, none seeketh after God, all the world are guilty before Him." Thus the need of a personal Saviour. It is the sacrificial death of Jesus Christ which brings in a new order of things, a dispensation of pure grace which means God giving righteousness, instead of requiring righteousness as under the law, and man's responsibility in this day is to accept God's sacrifice for sin which is found in Jesus Christ, Jno. 1: 12, "But as many as received Him to them gave He power to become the sons of God."

But, mark you, man is still a free moral agent and can accept or reject this sacrifice for sin, but he need not remain in ignorance as to the result of his choice, whether it be acceptance or rejection, for the result of each is clearly stated in the following scripture passages, which are only a few of the many: Jno. 3: 36, 1 Jno. 5: 10, 12, Rom. 6: 23, Matt. 25: 32, 34, 41, and note that the everlasting fire (eternal R. V.) mentioned in the last named verse is in no sense intended as a place of punishment for man but was prepared for the devil and his angels, and, judging from personal observation and experience in regard to the character of his satanic majesty, the place prepared for him is a perfectly suitable place, and if suitable for him, why not suited to those who deliberately persist in following him and doing his work, and who prefer his company to that of the Redeemer from sin, Jesus Christ and His saints?

We are not to limit God's grace in any sense, nor, on the other hand, must we presume upon it beyond what His word has declared. If there be a probationary state for the sinner after death His word is so obscure in regard to it that we must conclude that it was not the purpose of God that man should neglect his salvation till after death; on the contrary He plainly says, "Now is the accepted time, behold, now is the day of salvation." Individually we have nowhere a promise of time to repent of sin but the present. "How shall we escape if we neglect so great salvation, which at the first began to be spoken by the Lord, and was confirmed unto us by them that heard Him."

If there is a probationary state for sinners after death, what interpretation is to be given Christ's words, where he says to persons of this class, "I go my way, and ye shall seek me and shall die in your sins; whither I go ye cannot come." "Between us and you there is a great gulf fixed, so that they which would pass from hence to you cannot; neither can they pass to us that would come from thence." "I tell you nay; but except ye repent ye shall all likewise perish." We fail absolutely to find anywhere Bible authority for a future state of probation for the unbeliever and the impenitent. Again, on the contrary, "But the fearful and unbelieving***shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone, which is the second death." The death which is the final outcome of a life of sin and unbelief is defined in the Bible as a portion in the place of torment where will be cast in the beast and the false prophet, and shall be tormented day and night forever and ever.

This conception of the future state of those who reject the redemption offered to them in Christ is indeed an awful and appalling one, but is, however, a scriptural conception and a reasonable one when we come to see sin in all its appalling nature, and especially the greatest of all sin, that of treading under foot the mercy of God toward sinners and rejecting Jesus Christ whom His love has provided as a Saviour.

As has been truly said, shallow views of sin and of God's holiness, and of the glory of Jesus Christ and His claims upon us lie at the bottom of weak theories of the doom of the impenitent. When we see sin in all its hideousness and enormity, the holiness of God in all its perfection, and the glory of Jesus Christ in all its infinity, nothing but a doctrine that those who persist in the choice of sin, who love darkness rather than light and who persist in the rejection of the Son of God shall endure everlasting anguish, will satisfy the demands of our own moral intuitions.

Nothing but the fact that we dread suffering more than we loathe sin and more than we love the glory of Jesus Christ makes us repudiate the thought that beings who eternally choose sin should eternally suffer, or that men who despise God's mercy and spurn His Son should be given over to endless anguish. And so, entirely contrary to the statement of our unbelieving friend, the orthodox Christian in this life does all in his power to bring the unbeliever into a reconciliatory state with God through acceptance of Christ, and at the gate of death consigns his loved ones who have received power to become sons of God by faith in Jesus Christ to the all-loving and tender Father, into whose family such a loved one has been adopted, "heir of God, joint heirs with Jesus Christ." We consign him to the inheritance incorruptible and undefiled reserved in heaven for him.

And, on the other hand, the dear one who deliberately and persistently rejects God's offers of mercy we consign at the gate of death to a merciful, just and all-wise judge, one who shall not judge after the sight of his eyes nor reprove after the hearing of his ears, but with righteousness shall he judge, for we declare unto you that the Lord is righteous in all His ways and holy in all His works.

ORTHODOX, No. 2.

Richardson's Market.

In spite of cold weather we are still headquarters for turkeys from 13 to 18 cents, fowls and chickens for the same price, home killed fresh pork, and sausage, lamb, veal, etc. You enjoy a toothsome steak or roast; that's what we've got. We have celery, radishes, lettuce, spinach, dandelions and canned asparagus tips—a dainty. The famous Franco-American canned soups, none better; we have cream cheese, fancy eating apples, Baldwins and Greenings. Our prices on everything are right; what you buy for less is of cheaper grade, remember that.

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Dr. E. M. Faxon, Boston, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, will meet patients at hotel Briggs Thursdays from 9 to 12:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Charles Rand will shortly canvass for a life of Moody.

Go to Ochee's barber shop and get a "winter" hair cut.

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Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

FRIDAY, FEB 2, 1900

Legislators and Morals.

In a recent article in Scribner's magazine Robert Grant gives utterance to some good thoughts upon the relations of our lawmakers to their constituents and the influence of good men in congress. He says: "Most of us try to cling to the fine theory that the legislators of the country represent the best morals and brains of the community, and that the men elected to public office in the councils of the land have been put forward as being peculiarly fitted to interpret and provide for our needs, by force of their predominant individual virtues and abilities. Most of us appreciate in our secret souls that this theory is not lived up to, and is available only for Fourth of July or other rhetorical purposes. Yet we dislike to dismiss the ideal as unattainable, even though we know that actual practice is remote from it; and, patriots still, we go on asserting that this is our method of choice, vaguely hoping, like the well-intentioned but careless voter, that some day we shall get a decent government, municipal, state, national—that is, decent from the standpoint of our democratic ideal. And there is another theory, part and parcel of the other, which we try to cling to at the same time, that our public representatives, though the obviously ornamental and fine specimens of their several constituencies, are after all only everyday Americans with whom a host of citizens could change places without disparagement to either. In other words, our theory of government is government by the average, and that the average is remarkably high. This comfortable view induces many like yourself to wrap themselves round with the American flag and smile at destiny, sure that everything will result well with us sooner or later, and impatient of criticism or doubts. As a people we delight in patting ourselves on the back and dismissing our worries as mere flea-bites. The hard cider of our patriotism gets readily into the brain and causes us to deny fiercely or serenely, according to our dispositions, that anything serious is the matter."

It is found that a large majority of the criminal class who read are deeply interested in the dime novel class of literature. They have not sufficient moral sense, says the Tacoma Ledger, to discriminate between a hero and a bravo and emulation of these false gods oftentimes is the cause of the reader's downfall. It may be that most of these, if they were influenced in the right instead of the wrong direction, would become honest workingmen, instead of vagabonds and finally criminals. After the age of 12 years, with the opportunities for obtaining interesting books, if he persists in a preference of Old Sleuth stories and the adventures of Jesse James or Billie the Kid, it is high time that his preferences be interfered with and an attempt made to turn them in another direction by banishing the bad matter and supplying its place with wholesome mental pabulum.

A Minnesota man captured a king fisher when it was young, made a pet of it, and trained the bird to capture fish and lay them at its master's feet. In summer the bird is taken to the river, where fish are known to abound, and set at liberty. It poises high in the air, and, suddenly dropping, grasps its victim and promptly delivers the fish to its master.

Kansas is getting ready to swell over Funston, who will sail soon from the Philippines for home. And judging from the reported size of the corn crop in Kansas, that state should be able to swell without going far away for material.

A Bangor judge built a fine boat in the cellar of his house, and then had to remove the side of the house in order to get the boat out. He says he got so much interested in boats that he forgot about the size of cellar doors.

HEAVY CORN FEEDING.

Turnips, Pumpkins and Damp Mill Feed Should Be Given in Connection with It.

There is no economy in stinting the ration given to growing and fattening pigs. The aim should always be to induce as heavy feeding as possible. Always much care should be given to secure perfect digestion, as heavy feeding sometimes causes trouble with the digestive organs. After green corn commences there is always a desire to hurry the pigs to market, and corn is fed to the utmost limit.

It must be remembered that the modern, quickly-developed pig is a soft creature as compared with his ancestors of 60 years ago, that the four to six months' old pig will not corn and digest it like the yearling or 18-months-old hogs of the past. Something must be done to keep up the appetite of this young thing.

A range over a grass sward will give exercise, if it is clover sod that they run over they will get much to keep their systems in tone.

Heavy feeding by some may be thought to consist in having corn always by them. This is not correct, as they will consume more if fed at stated intervals and only fed enough to keep their appetites sharp. When once started to fatten the feeding should be heavy to the finish, as a limited feeding is always attended with loss.

It will be found an advantage to give variety in feeding. While corn is the main ration, a good grass ration is a help—or an occasional feed of pumpkins. Turnips they learn to eat in time as other succulent foods fail them. Mangels they take to at once, and while they may not add much weight they help the appetite. A ration of mill feed is always acceptable if fed damp and in proper quantity.

We do not regard these things as a cut-off on the amount of corn fed, but rather as an aid to heavy corn feeding, and also an aid in prolonging the time corn may be fed without the hogs stalling on it and getting entirely off feed.—John M. Jamison, in American Cultivator.

Satisfactory Arrangement.

Maud—You write to each other every day! Why, what can you find to write about?

Marie—Oh, I just answer the things he says in his letters.

Maud—But what can he find to write about?

Marie—He just answers the things I say in mine.—Town Topics.

"A Miss is As Good as a Mile."

If you are not entirely well, you are ill. Illness does not mean death's door. It is a sense of weariness, a "tired feeling," a life filled with nameless pains and suffering. In 90 of cases the blood is to blame. Hood's Sarsaparilla is Nature's corrective for disorders of the blood. Remember

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NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Sarah B. Akerman, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, Albert H. Martin, the trustee under the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first annual account of his trust under said will,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county, on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this thirty first day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

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NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Phoebe R. Gerrish, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, Robert L. McPherson, the administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county, on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

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NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Matthew Mooney, late of Medway, in said county, deceased intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to M. Richard Mooney of Medway without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

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HORSES IN GERMANY.

Hamburg Paper Deplores the Fact That American Animals Are in Growing Demand.

Exports of horses to Germany continue to attract attention both at home and abroad. Regarding American horses in German, the Hamburger Nachrichten, in a recent article, says: "Importations from American have caused the horse-raisers of Holstein to suffer much of late. A stock company has just been formed in Berlin for the express purpose of importing horses from the United States. The Americans have succeeded in breeding a horse which compares very favorably in every way with the Holstein animal, especially in those points so highly prized in a work horse, namely, broad hips and large build generally. The best markets for Holstein horses have always been the provinces of Saxony, Thuringia and Brunswick. The demand is created by the large sugar factories. This market has been decreasing of late, owing to American horses being purchased in Berlin. A few days ago this Berlin company shipped a drove of 80 through Hamburg en route for Milan, Italy, where they are to be used on the tramways. Almost every week a long freight train filled with American horses leave the Berliner Bahnhof for various parts of Germany. In spite of expensive freight and a tariff of seven dollars per head, the Americans have built up a very respectable competition in the German market."

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A Little Off.

"An aqueduct is a conductor—noun."
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"The gentleman's an aqueduct," he said.
—Judge.

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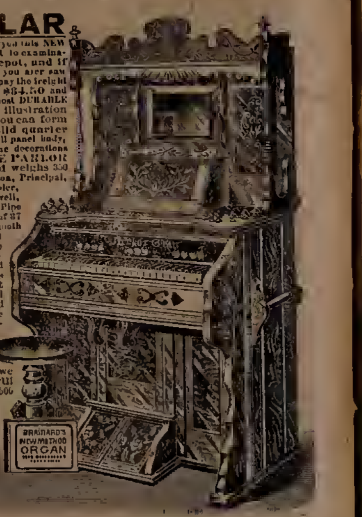

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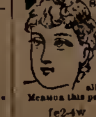

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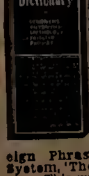

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New Oats Not Good Feed.

There is great temptation on farms where old oats are scarce to give new oats in their stead, some farmers cutting the green oats in the field and chopping off the heads in lieu of threshing out the grain. But such feed is sure to give a working horse the scours, unless dry feed is given with it. A small amount of dry wheat flour dusted over the oats will partially offset their laxative effect. But whatever precautions are taken it is better to feed old oats until the new crop has dried out than to attempt to feed oats of the present year's growth. If the oat heads are chopped off and placed in an evaporator they will be dry enough in three days to feed safely.—American Cultivator.

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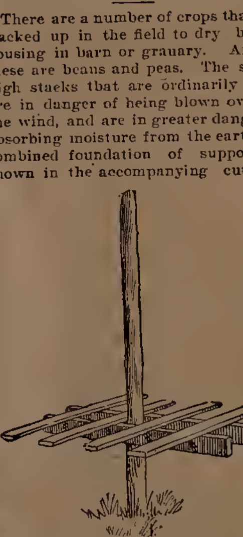
STACK FOUNDATION.

How to Take Care of the Bean and Pea Crops Without the Least Danger of Loss.

There are a number of crops that are stacked up in the field to dry before housing in barn or granary. Among these are beans and peas. The small, high stacks that are ordinarily made are in danger of being blown over by the wind, and are in greater danger of absorbing moisture from the earth. A combined foundation of support is shown in the accompanying cut. A long stake is driven into the ground near the growing crop and cross boards nailed to either side near the ground. These support slats, as shown in the cut. Beans and peas piled up about the central stake are proof against any wind, while no moisture can injure the bottom. If the top is neatly "thatched" with some of the crop, or if a bit of cloth be thrown over the top and tied in place, as suggested in the second cut, the crop will be quite safe from harm, whatever be the weather. There are many worn out farms that ought to raise just such crops as beans and peas—plants that get stores of nitrogen from the air, as clover does, leaving the land, in reality, richer in this valuable element than before they grew, besides making a valuable addition to the farm produce. The writer once saw an exceedingly heavy crop of beans harvested from a wornout, rocky hillside, on which sorrel would hardly grow, and that, too, with no great assistance in the way of fertilizer or cultivation. The plants got a start on the manure placed on the hill, scanty as it was, and then drew on the stores of nitrogen in the air. Beans appear to do particularly well on light, stony land, where many crops would be a perfect failure.—N. Y. Tribune.



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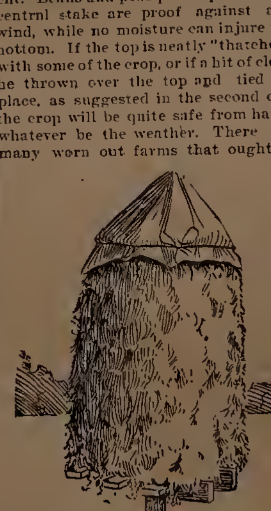

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SEED CORN SELECTION.

How to Avoid a Mistake That Has Ruined Many a Crop on Very Good Land.

Many farmers owning both bottom and upland cornfields make the mistake of using the same seed on both kinds of soils. Corn which is adapted to the soil and moisture conditions of the valleys will not do so well on the upland as will some variety that has by several years of cultivation and selection become adapted to the conditions there. It is for the same reason that the large Colorado potatoes that have been grown for years under irrigation will do so poorly when used for seed in Kansas without the accustomed supply of water. It is generally the case on the farm that the corn from all the fields, both upland and bottom, is cribbed together, and when the time for seed selection comes the largest ears are picked out irrespective of the kind of soil that grew them. As the bottom land produces the larger ears it is more than likely that the bulk of the seed will be from the lower and more moist portions of the farm. This is the proper seed for the lowland, but it is not so well adapted to the dryer and poorer upland as is seed that has been raised there. It is advisable to select the seed either before or at husking time, when not only the quality of the ground but the character of the individual stalk and ear can be taken into consideration. As has been suggested before, a small box attached to the side of the wagon-bed into which the desirable ears can be thrown is the most practical device that can be recommended. By a little judicious selection for a series of years, a strain can be established on the upland portion of any farm which will be well adapted to that and other soils similar in location and composition. An eight-inch ear from the upland will ordinarily prove better for planting on the upland than will a 12-inch ear from a draw in the lower portions of the farm.—J. M. Westgate, in Prairie Farmer.

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I never take the paper now, jest quit it in disgust,
An' so swelled up with righteous rage I honest thought I'd bust!
I writ the editor to stop a sendin' it, or I
Would grab a hefty club an' call to know the reason why!
Fur nearly twenty years I've took the Jayville Sarpent's Tooth,
An' helt it next the Bible fur a tellin' Gospel truth,
But now I'll never let my eyes rest on the thing agin,
Fur givin' it encouragement'd be a mortal sin!

I sot with eyes a-buggin' out a-readin' of a band
O' men in tropic jungles facin' death on every hand,
Whar sarpents was a-hissin' round an' lions laid in wait
To leave their bones a-gleamin' in a ghastly naked state!
An' how they fought with cannibals that hankered fur their meat,
Regardin' it a luxury almighty hard to beat,
Then had the thrillin' story end with information that
They was a-huntin' roots for Dr. Skinny's Anti-Fat.

I read one orful story of a gay an' gallant knight
That battled with a dragon in a rough-an'-tumble fight;
The picter o' the monster with its bakers' dozen heads,
Enough to skeer the sleepers of the graveyards from their beds.
I felt like yellin' "Glory!" when the gallant feller stood
One foot upon the monster an' his spear all splashed with blood.
An' then I larnt the dragon was the fever an' the chills:
The knight, ol' Dr. Knockem's Pink Complected Quinine Pills.

Once I sot my wife to cryin' till I thought her heart would break,
An' got my own eyes leakin', an' my lips begun to shake,
Readin' 'bout a lovely maiden tellin' all her folks good-by,
An' sayin' she must leave 'em for a mansion in the sky.
Then a angel neighbor woman come a-runnin' in an' told
Of a heavenly decoction that was wuth its weight in gold,
An' the gal was soon as chipper as a jaybird on the wing,
An' was singin' grateful praises of Duflicker's Liver King.

But the one that capped the climax was a sermon that I read
From a famous eastern preacher, at the close of which he said
He was goin' to quit discoursin' of the glories up on high,
Fur there now was no occasion fur his followers to die.
If they'd foller the directions of O'Whacker's Anti-Death
They would never quit a-livin' from a scarcity of breath:
Then I tore the sheet in fragments an' I stomped it on the floor,
An' my wife hain't yit recovered from the awful way I swore!
—Denver (Col.) Evening Post.

The Old Man an' Me.

Jenny went an' married. Billy's moved away:
Dick has been in Texas fer many a weary day:
An' nothin' of the old times about the place we see,
They's only two—like shadders—the old man an' me.

He keeps the chimney corner an' smokes his pipe an' sighs:
And frequent I can see him brush the teardrops from his eyes:
An' I say some word o' comfort, though I'm lonesome as can be,
Fer they's little in the worl' now fer the old man an' me.

Can't keep the children with us—they've got to drift away;
We've reaped a worl' o' roses—we've had our happy day,
An' now we're only shadders, an' soon we'll cease to see
The light that makes the shadders o' the old man an' me!
—F. L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.

A Sonnet.

So soft your words were when you went away,
So smooth your brow the while you said good-by,
So deep the tranquil candor of your eye,
So calm the peace that like a halo lay
Around your head. Had you no wish to stay
A little longer with us? or a sigh,
The while the death-mist and grave drew nigh,
To mourn the fleetness of your shortened day?
Had earth no joys wherewith to tempt you, sweet?
Was life so heavy with its weight of woe
That, in the turmoil of the market-street,
You should be weary ere the sun was low?
Was Earth so sad it could not stay your feet?
Or Heaven so fair that you were fain to go?
—Chambers' Journal.

If They Had Wings.

HE.

If you and I were angels, dear,
White-robed and winged, above,
Though endless space between us lay
I'd come to claim your love:
For love would tell me where you were
And guide me to your side,
And I would haste unto you there
And claim my angel bride.

SHE.

Nay, nay, if we were angels, and
Had wings with which to fly,
Your love would never pilot you
To me, across the sky
For if the angels there retain
The traits that folks have here,
You'd never, never fly to me—
You'd be too tired, dear!
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

Fiddlers Three.

Up in a spreading maple tree,
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Each had a bow, and each a string,
And, oh! they made that maple ring!
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And each note just a trifle flat—
Playing over the happy tune
They learned in honor of the moon,
And never one mistake they made
In all that moonlight serenade.
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WRENTHAM.

Albert W. Fisher returned Tuesday to Waltham after spending a few days with his brother, Lewis W. Fisher.——Born on Monday a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George B. Metcalf.——Born on Wednesday a son to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis G. Cobb.——Fred Tupper of Quincy has been visiting the Gilmore boys.——Interesting letters received from Mrs. F. E. George from Santa Cruz, Cal., this week tell of the beautiful climate, with callas planted in rows in full flower.——Miss Effie Thatcher of Providence is visiting Mrs. Charles Barnard.——The Holly club met Tuesday with Mrs. D. T. Store, the subject being Browning's "Aurora Leigh."——Grand Master Nicholas Fish, with Grand Instructor Webber, paid an official visit to Wampum lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 195, Tuesday evening. Other guests present were S. W. Crooks, D. D. G. M., and suite from North Attleboro. After the closing of the lodge a turkey supper was served in the banquet room and a general good time enjoyed by the members, about fifty being present.——The Holly club will meet next Tuesday with Mrs. Joseph F. Jenckes, the subject to be "Local History."

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SHELDONVILLE.

Mrs. I. S. Nickerson of Boston is at her home here for a week.

Mrs. Sara Ray is quite ill at the home of her brother, B. J. Ray.

Arthur Mitchell of South Boston has been visiting at C. E. Thomas'.

The remains of Mrs. Alice Crowninshield, widow of the late Augustus Fairbanks of Pawtucket, were brought here for interment Sunday.

The Revised Version.

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One No. 421 Ladies' elegant Mahogany Desk, reduced from $23 to **$11.50,** half off.

One No. 258 Oak Sideboard of high polished finish, former price was $37 present price **$18.50.**

Another Oak Sideboard, worth all we asked, which was $35; price now **$17.50.**

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And the sale continues on over 100 Rockers at 25 per cent. discount all this month. The first in line get first choice.

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Were reached this season in Garment making. You will be surprised next autumn at the prices you will have to pay. Every item of material is steadily advancing and labor comes in for a ten or twenty per cent. advance. That must be added to this season's price. When we offer Ladies', Misses' and Children's Garments at less than half this season's price it should mean something to careful purchasers.

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $7.50 to $9.00, now **$4.25.**

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $5.00 to $6.00, now **$3.25.**

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $4.00 to $5.00, now **$2.25.**

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Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 8. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector; Rev. M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., will preach at 10.30 on "How Many Kinds of True Religion are There." Vesper service at 5, topic, "Identity and Recognition in the Life Immortal." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper. Theme: "An Encouraging Vision of Glory." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45. Preaching at 7; theme, "His Name Legion." Short after service in vestry.

Congregational church—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath at 10.30. Morning topic: "The Sent Sword." Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6; consecration service. Evening service at 7; subject, "Spiritual Homesickness."

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.—S. A. Cook, pastor. The morning sermon will be one of a series of sermons on the general subject: "Lessons from Some Characteristic Incidents in the Life of Christ." Special subject: "The Trial of the Innocent." Sacrament of Lord's supper. Evening service at 7; sermon by Rev. W. T. Perrin, Ph. D., at close of which he will conduct fourth quarterly conference.

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PETITION FOR LOCATION.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Franklin:

Your petitioners respectfully represent that they are a majority of the directors of the Medfield and Medway Street Railway company, which has complied with the provisions of Chapter 113 of the Public Statutes of Massachusetts and Acts in amendment thereof and supplementary thereto, and is now a street railway corporation duly established by law, and has duly accepted its charter, and is duly authorized to construct, maintain and operate a street railway in the towns of Medfield, Millis and Medway, in this commonwealth, and has constructed its railway therein. And for the purpose of duly extending the said street railway into the said town of Franklin they now pray for the following location in the town of Franklin: Commencing at a point on Lincoln street, so called, in said Franklin, at the boundary line of the town of Medway; thence in a substantially southerly direction along said Lincoln street to Main street, thence continuing in a southerly direction along said Main street to a point at or near the corner of Depot street, in said town of Franklin, and they pray that the said company may locate, lay and maintain its tracks and such turnouts, switches and connections as may be needed upon such location, and may erect and maintain the necessary poles, wires and other fixtures for said location for the purpose of operating the street railway so located, to be operated by electricity, preferably by the single overhead trolley system, so called.

Respectfully submitted.

JOHN F. MERRILL,
FRED S. GORE,
GEO. W. W. WHITING,
JOSEPH J. FEELY,
JAMES A. FITTON,

A majority of the Directors of the Medfield and Medway Street Railway Co.

OFFICE OF THE SELECTMEN,
FRANKLIN, MASS., Jan. 25, 1900.

On the foregoing petition it is hereby ordered that a hearing be given before the Board of Selectmen, in the town hall in said Franklin, on MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 12th, 1900, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., and that the petitioners give notice of said hearing by posting a copy of this petition and order at the post office in said Franklin at least fourteen days before said hearing, and by publishing the same on the twenty-sixth day of January and the second day of February, A. D. 1900, in the Franklin Sentinel.

J. CUSHING GALLISON,
HORACE W. HOSIE,
ALFRED CLARK, JR.,
Selectmen of Franklin.

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Collector's Notice.

The owner of the following described parcel of real estate in the town of Medway, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon assessed for the year within specified, according to the list committed to me by the assessors of taxes, remain unpaid, and that the said parcel of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Town Clerk's office in said Medway, on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the cost and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

Francis Duhame or Owner—About four and one-half acres of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the north side of Evergreen street, in the northerly part of Medway; bounded on the north by Main street, east by Elm street, west by land of George McIntosh, land of Medway Savings Bank, land of Elbridge Ware, south by Evergreen street; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.

Tax assessed, $41.79.

GEO. F. MADDEN,
Collector of Taxes for 1899.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Annie M. Grant, late of Medway, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Helen Towne Grant of Medway, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this 17th day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

ja19,26,2 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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19 in. Crash, 5c a yard.
White Linen Napkins, 75c doz.
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Fancy Ponce Porto Rico Molasses, never sold before less than 50c gallon, now 40c gallon.

Fancy New Orleans Molasses, always sold at 60c gallon, now 50c gallon.

Good dark Molasses, 30c gallon.

Pure Maple Syrup, 25c quart.

Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.

Boiled cider, quart bottles, 20c.

5 lb. can Java and Mocha Coffee, 90c.

The best 50c, Tea 40c.

The best 60c Tea, 50c.

Fancy Table London Layer Raisins, 20c lb.

Four Crown loose Raisins, 12c lb.

Gilt Edge Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c lb.

Fancy Ribbon Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Chocolates, 15c lb.

Lowney's 40c goods now 35c.

We carry the finest quality Butter cut from the tub, 1 lb. prints, 5 lb. boxes, 10, 20 and 50 lb. tubs, at the lowest prices, quality considered.

J. P. Squire's Pure Lard, 8c lb.

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CENTRAL SQUARE.

H. E. RUGGLES, Assignee.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, SS.

FRANKLIN, January 25, A. D. 1900.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at Public Auction on

FRIDAY, the SECOND DAY of MARCH, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse Block, in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Lawrence McGinnis and Rose McGinnis, both of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the Twenty-eighth day of July, 1899, at fifty-five minutes past eleven o'clock in the forenoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process), in and to the following real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the northerly side of Village street, with buildings thereon, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the southeasterly corner of the premises on said Village street, thence running northerly on land formerly of one Eaton, and known as the Eaton Place, to land supposed to belong to one Wentworth, formerly of one Phillbrick; thence westerly on said Wentworth land to a stake and stone at the northerly end of a drain at land of William Schroeder; thence southerly along the line of said drain, and with said Schroeder land to said Village street; thence easterly with said Village street to the point of beginning, being the Phillip's Place, so called, and a part of the Dr. Brown estate, so called.

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the southerly side of Village street, opposite the above-described tract, and bounded northerly on said Village street, southwesterly by Charles River, and easterly by land supposed to belong formerly to Mrs. A. H. Clark, and being the second parcel described in the mortgage of Lawrence McGinnis to Margaret H. Kenny, dated August 6, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, book 744, page 522.

And on the same day, and at the same place, immediately after the sale of the above described real estate, will be sold at Public Auction all the right, title and interest that the above-named Rose McGinnis and Lawrence McGinnis, they or either of them had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the Twenty-fourth day of January, A. D. 1900, at two o'clock in the afternoon (being the time the same was seized on execution), in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the northerly side of Village street, with buildings thereon, and known as the Eaton Place, being bounded southerly about seventeen rods on Village street, easterly about forty rods on land now or formerly supposed to belong to one Cushman; northerly about seventeen rods on said Cushman land, and westerly about thirty-three rods on land of Lawrence McGinnis, being the premises described in a deed of Lawrence McGinnis to William Schroeder, dated June 8, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk deed book 788, page 221, and the record title to which premises now stands in the name of William Schroeder.

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
Deputy Sheriff.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of James Mahon, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John J. Mahon of Franklin without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the fourteenth day of February, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 24th day of January, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all creditors of the estate of Jesse B. Hopkins, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned commissioners of said estate will hold a meeting at the office of Rufus G. Fairbanks, in West Medway, in said county, on SATURDAY, FEB. 24 next, at 2 o'clock p. m., and all persons having claims against said estate may present them at said place and time for allowance.

RUFUS G. FAIRBANKS,
FRANCIS W. CUMMINGS,
Commissioners.

Medway, Feb. 1, 1900. fe2,9,16

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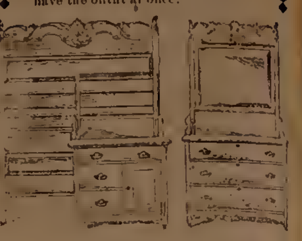

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This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, SS.

FRANKLIN, November 15th, A. D. 1899.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

FRIDAY, the SECOND day of MARCH, A. D. 1900.

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse block, in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Lawrence McGinnis of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution), on the thirty-first day of August, 1899, at eight o'clock in the forenoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process) in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

First, on Village street, in said Medway, with buildings thereon, and bounded as follows: Easterly ten rods, more or less, on land of E. F. Cushman, now or formerly; northerly seventeen rods, more or less, on land of Wilber W. Clough; westerly ten rods, more or less, on land of Lawrence McGinnis, and southerly seventeen rods, more or less on Village street.

Second, a small lot described as follows: Beginning on said Village street at a point opposite the southeast corner of previously described lot and running south 60 degrees 50 minutes west, two hundred ninety-five feet to Charles River; then up said river to land formerly of Edward Eaton; thence north 68 degrees 30 minutes east, one hundred fifty-nine and two-tenths feet to Village street; thence upon said Village street easterly one hundred fifty-three and eight-tenths feet to first-mentioned point.

Third, another tract of land situated in Franklin, in said county, containing three and a half acres, more or less, on the easterly side of Populatic Hill, so called, bounded, beginning at a stake and stones at the southeast corner and running westerly on land formerly of John Richardson, deceased, forty rods to a stake and stones; thence running northerly on Felton's land ten rods to a stake and stones; thence easterly on said Felton's land forty-one rods to a stake and stones; thence southerly sixteen rods to the first-mentioned bound.

Fourth, also another tract of land situated in said Franklin, containing thirty-four acres, more or less, bounded, beginning at Populatic pond at a stake and running westerly by land now or formerly owned by George Barber to a white oak tree; thence southerly on said Barber's land to another white oak tree; thence westerly by said Barber's land to a stake by land of Walker, now or formerly; thence southerly by said Walker's land by a turn in the fence and then to a corner; thence southwesterly by said Walker's land by a white oak tree and broken top pine to a pine stump and stones on a hill; thence southwesterly by said Walker's other land to a black oak tree, making a corner on said Walker's land; thence easterly by land formerly owned by Milton Sanford to a black oak tree on a hill; thence northerly on land now or formerly owned by Lewis Richardson to said Pond; thence by said Pond to the first-mentioned bound. For further description see deeds from Adeliza H. Clark to Frank W. Clark, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib 609, fol. 241, and lib. 612, fol. 243, and from Adeliza H. Clark to Medway Savings Bank, recorded with Norfolk deeds, lib. 676, fol. 141.

Also, three separate parcels of land and buildings, situated in said Medway, on Village street, the first lot and second lot being the homestead of the late Alonzo P. Phillips, and the first is bounded southerly by said Village street, easterly on land late of Edward Eaton, now Medway Savings Bank; northerly on land of E. E. Carpenter, westerly on land of Lawrence McGinnis, containing five acres and three-fourths, more or less.

Second lot situated opposite and bounded northerly on Village street, southwesterly by Charles River and easterly on land late of Mrs. A. H. Clark or another.

The third lot is the Lawrence McGinnis' homestead, bounded southerly on land of Peter Foley and Village street, easterly on lot first described above, northerly on woodland of W. A. Jenckes and westerly on land of Ellen McGill and Peter Foley, containing eight acres, more or less, being the same as lands described in the following deeds recorded in the Norfolk Registry to A. P. Phillips, lib. 398, fol. 315, to Lawrence McGinnis, lib. 300, fol. 185; lib. 313, fol. 188; lib. 366, fol. 88.

Except a small piece conveyed to Peter Foley. Excepting what was released from the Lawrence McGinnis homestead-estate, seventy feet on Village street, and one hundred and fifty feet deep, as per mortgage from John Boudo to Medway Savings Bank.

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
Deputy Sheriff.

jan 26, feb 2, 9

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Alfred D. Whiting, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Flora Whiting of Franklin without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 24th day of January, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Business Announcements in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL are invariably read.

Herman M Fisher 1Jan00

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
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West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire.

AN ADVERTISEMENT

Simply tells the public what you have got. If you never tell the people don't expect them to ask you. That's all there is to it.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Noher McGrosry is ill at his home on Ruggles street.

Griffin [illegible] O. F. will meet tomorrow [illegible].

The [illegible] Kay engine company will meet to [illegible].

Wesley Fiske has so far improved as to be able to be about the house.

W. F[illegible] represents Franklin in the jury at Dedham for this term.

John Shumsky of Boston spent Sunday here at the home of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Allen spent the Sabbath with friends in Sharon.

Mrs. N. G. Knight, the Bible worker, is visiting friends in Springfield, Vt.

J. H. Riordan returned yesterday from a visit with relatives in Willimantic.

The Republican caucus is to be held in Music hall on Friday evening, Feb. 23.

C. J. McKenzie has been confined to the house the past few days by tonsilitis.

O. W. Bugbee is in Brooklyn, N. Y., where he is arranging to conduct a coal and lumber business.

Engineer James Donahue of Milford, formerly residing here, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Hon. Joseph G. Ray was elected president of the American Felt company at its meeting last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rathbun are entertaining her mother, Mrs. Henry W. Wilkinson, of Providence.

Miss Catherine Mulahey of Fiskdale is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Costello, West street.

Willie, the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brown of Washington street, is a victim of scarlet fever.

The parishioners of St. Mary's church are arranging to hold a reunion and festival on the evening of Washington's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Brown of Bradford are on a visit to his mother, Mrs. J. H. Ray, and his sister, Mrs. R. M. Thaine of Sheldonville.

Mrs. Charles L. Stewart has engaged at the Methodist church as soloist and will commence her regular services in that capacity next Sunday.

C. W. Stewart is gradually improving. He passed his 86th milestone last week, and except for his recent illness he called himself in very good health.

Ladies' Auxiliary, No. 12, A. O. H., will celebrate its second anniversary by holding a whist party at the rooms of the society next Friday evening.

A handsome Morris chair is on exhibition in the store formerly occupied by W. H. Colby, the handiwork of William J. Stewart of the Trowbridge piano factory.

Wilifred Gobeille of Boston, in the employ of the Terminal Shoe Blacking company, has been put in charge of a new shoe polishing stand at the railway station.

The new vestibule cars of the Woonsocket route are very comfortable and much appreciated. The company evidently means to do all in its power to please its patrons.

Richard and William Dewire of Medway, who were charged with keeping liquor with intent to sell, were adjudged guilty by Judge Doe in the district court on Saturday and fined $50 each.

E. S. Cook is a busy man this winter, having thirty teams and forty men engaged in cutting off timber from lots he has secured in various localities. He has no difficulty in marketing his product this winter.

The remains of Mrs. Dora Flanagan, who died last week Monday, were taken to West Wrentham for interment. She was employed at the Bassett establishment and had worked upon the day previous to her death.

The ceremony of the blessing of throats in commemoration of St. Blase, whose feast day occurred on Saturday, was held at St. Mary's church Sunday afternoon, when Rev. Father Lee and Rev. Father Sullivan blessed the throats of many parishioners.

Founders' day at Dean academy this year, Friday, Feb. 16, will be of especial interest, as Rev. James F. Albion of Malden has been secured to speak on "The Ultimate Aim of Education," at 2.30 p. m. in the chapel. We shall speak more of this later.

Charles L. Stewart, who has sold a large number of Orients in Franklin during the past four years, will again represent the company this season. Mr. Stewart already has in a full line of 1900 Orients which he will be pleased to show to any who are interested.

The Daughters of the Revolution will ask the town to provide iron markers of a uniform design for the graves of revolutionary soldiers buried within the town limits. The move is general throughout the state, and a sample of what is wanted can be seen at the town officers' room. The cost to the town is $1 each.

Fred L. Tufts has been so deluged with applications from persons desiring work, and Mr. Judd having been approached a number of times by persons desiring Mr. Tufts' position at the freight station, that Mr. Tufts desires us to state that he has no intention of leaving the freight office and is not a little surprised as to how the rumor started.

Harry Geb, the sixteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Geb, and a pupil in the High school, fell while skating on Mine brook Saturday afternoon and severely injured his right hip. He was conveyed in a carriage to his parents' home on McCarthy street and Dr. G. A. Martin called in to attend him. He may be laid up for some time.

The Boston Y. M. C. A. team defeated Dean at basket ball in the gymnasium on Saturday evening, 13 to 2. After the game Dean second and a team composed mostly of High school boys engaged in a lively contest, Dean second winning, the score standing 10 to 9 in their favor. Both games were interesting and there was a good crowd present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Daniels started on an extended tour through the South yesterday. They will travel over the Southern railroad from Washington and stop at all the celebrated points between that city and New Orleans, including "The Land of the Sky," Hot Springs, N. C., Chattanooga and Atlanta. Mrs. Daniels represents some of the finest newspapers in the country.

George H. Norman of Newport, a personal friend of Hon. Joseph G. Ray, and from whom he purchased the Franklin water works some months ago, died at Palm Beach, Fla., on Sunday night from a paralytic shock. Mr. Norman was largely interested in water works throughout the country and was an expert in such matters. His fortune was estimated into the millions.

The Ladies' Social circle of the Universalist church will serve a supper at the church dining room on Wednesday evening, tomorrow, at 6.30, which will be a temptation to all the hungry. Escalloped oysters, cold meats and salads are among the good things promised. The Y. P. C. U. furnishes the entertainment, which will include an amusing pantomime, and will hold a meeting after the supper is over.

George F. Singleton returned last week from a trip to Virginia and North Carolina, combining business and gunning. He noted the industrial situation closely and was much impressed by the number and capacity of the cotton mills there. He is convinced that much of the manufactured cotton will eventually come from the South, where labor is cheap, there are few restrictions and the raw material is right at hand for working.

The remains of Robert A. Peckins, who died of consumption at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Peckins, at Newtonville, last Wednesday, were brought here for interment in Union street cemetery. The deceased, who was in his 23d year, formerly resided here with his parents. He was a cousin of William G. Cody of Union street. A large number of mourning friends were present at the interment and many floral offerings were laid upon the grave.

Editor Cook, of the Milford Journal, is mentioned as a possible successor to Congressman Sprague. Nothing would please us better than to see him one of the Massachusetts congressional delegation. He would suffer nothing in comparison with his colleagues, his district would be well taken care of, and he would have the courage of his convictions. That's the kind of men we need there, as a recognition of merit, and not solely because a man has a "pull" or a "pile."

Every one who attended the concert at Dean academy last year given by the Tufts college glee, mandolin and guitar club remembers that it was a most satisfactory affair, and we are pleased to say that the Dean Athletic association has been able to secure this excellent organization again this year, the concert to take place next week Friday evening, Feb. 16. Tickets will go on sale at Mason's drug store and should be secured as early as possible in order to get good seats.

The announcement that Mr. Buker, who has lectured to such very great acceptance at the Chautauquas and among the Y. M. C. A's, on Egypt, would give an illustrated lecture here was welcome news to those who have heard Mr. Buker. The only difficulty, which accounts for the delay, has been that of agreeing upon a suitable date. It is now expected that the lecture will be given Feb. 21. The place of the lecture will be announced later. Mr. Buker prefers to give it in some one of the churches.

Febuary started in with nearly zero weather. January, 1900, was considerably warmer than January, 1899, according to the official weather figures. There were several cold spurts, but they did not last long enough to get into the race with the long drawn out cold of last year. The average maximum temperature of January, 1900, was 39.86, and last year it was 35.1. The average minimum temperature during the January that has just passed was 35.7, and in 1899 it was 18.1. The mean temperature in January of this year was 32 83, and in the same month of last year it was 26.6.

An out-of-town firm wrote recently to one of our property owners desiring to secure an empty store here for a week for a "bargain sale." The gentleman promptly refused to be a party to this throat-cutting of our home merchants, who remain here and pay taxes, and he made his position very distinctly known to the above firm. He is to be commended for his action, which should merit the appreciation of every merchant in town, of whatever business. "Home protection" costs something, but, unfortunately, few are willing to pay the price for it, as was our public-spirited friend.

The method of distributing handbills in town for Woonsocket parties, as illustrated Thursday, is not, probably, satisfactory to those who pay the expense, and certainly not to the people who occupy residences. One citizen's yard received four large four page circulars, the same advertisement on each, and which had to be gathered in for the furnace. A yard opposite received a handful, so many that the distributor relented and went on to the lawn and picked a part of them up, but he balanced the account by leaving one or two at both the front and side doors of the residence.

The glass show and vaudeville entertainment which has been held nightly in Music hall during the past week in aid of the A. O. H. library fund closed Saturday evening, the affair being most successful and Division 8 realizing a neat sum for its library fund. The balloting for the handsomest baby resulted in favor of little Harold Colgan, who had 927 votes, baby Hazel Foster being a close second with 877 votes. An elegant piece of glassware, representing two ships and a lighthouse at sea, and enclosed in a glass globe, was the prize awarded to the little winner. Charles Feeley was the winner of a handsome lemonade set. At the matinee in the afternoon Miss Edna Jewett was awarded the prize in the word contest, having obtained 500 words out of the letters forming the word "crystal."

A petition is being circulated about town for the names of merchants and others desiring the direct electric road to Medway and it is being generally signed. It is supposed this will be presented at the hearing which is to come off before the selectmen at the town hall on Monday evening, Feb. 12. The prospects now are that there will be a large attendance at the meeting, as the interest is unusually keen. Just what course either side is to pursue has not as yet been given out, but it is safe to say that strong arguments will be presented upon both sides. It is doubtful, however, if the present board of selectmen take any action on the matter, considering it the better policy to leave it to their successors, since the latter will have all of the delicate questions to decide in case a franchise is granted.

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

"There is a natural and a spiritual body," were the words of St. Paul chosen by Rev. D. M. Hodge as the foundation of his remarks on "Personal Identity Beyond the Grave." The natural body which we have is adapted to the needs of this world, and it would be no more surprising that in other surroundings a spiritual body should be provided adapted to that condition. The chemist can tell the constituents of the grain of wheat or the apple seed, but he cannot produce an artificial one that will bear fruit. There is something lacking, something he cannot see; it is the life principle, the personal identity that makes me myself and not somebody else after death of the body. Through all th ages Nature is making character, building up personality, trying to make a man. She will not blot out the work or go back. A special and very fine feature of the service was an organ and violin duet by the organist, Arthur Martin, and Miss Alice Grover of Mansfield.

The mothers' section of the Alden club was most hospitably entertained at the residence of Mrs. T. L. Martin last Friday afternoon, the address of the occasion being delivered by Rev. Dr. Sneath. His remarks were helpful in the extreme, the many practical thoughts being appreciatively received. He mentioned at some length the four inspirations which a mother ought ever to keep before her during the sacrifices and temporary discouragements of her great life work. Then attention was called to the tendency to make material and social aims predominate in the average parent's mind, rather than the simpler, higher ideals toward a perfect physical and spiritual development. For these wise ends most of the complex worldly distractions might well be sacrificed in the child's best interests. The talk teemed with suggestions as to school, church-going habits, oversight of books, mail and friends, evening engagements, etc. The next meeting will be held Feb. 16 at Mrs. Carl Johnson's, the subject being "The Law of Compensation."

In the Clutches of the Trust.

It will be of especial interest here to learn that G. H. Hood has been sued by the Rubber trust for $1,000,000. The defendant is charged with having in 1895 become interested in the Hood Rubber Co. to the extent of $300,000, and by his direction building up that corporation's business until it is now more than $2,000,000 per annum, all of which, it is alleged, violates his agreement with the United States Rubber company, which was that the defendant agreed not to again engage in the same business in any one or more of the states of the United States save Nevada, Idaho and Montana, having sold out to the trust his shares in the Boston Rubber Co.

The court is asked to enjoin Hood from the further manufacture or sale of rubber goods, either directly or indirectly, in all the states except the three mentioned above.

To Secure Prompt Delivery of Mail.

Much confusion and quite often delay in the delivery of mail is occasioned by the neglect of writers to address their letters with the street and number, and this especially when there are several persons of the same name residing in a community. Every postoffice is subject to this annoyance, and a little care upon the part of the writers would at once result in a better service. There are many persons of the same name, and many corporations and business firms with the same or similar titles. This is very confusing to carriers and clerks, who are at a loss to know for which person or firm such mail is intended. With the name of the street and the number of the house identification is complete, and all doubts removed as to where the mail should be sent.

The omission of the street address is a source of endless embarrassment and the principal cause of delay in the delivery of mail matter, at the same time furnishing grounds for complaint concerning its non-delivery. Mail intended for delivery through the general delivery should be so addressed, and mail through the box department should be addressed to the box number, as that forms an important part of the address. Address your mail matter to street and number and request correspondents to do the same.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending Jan. 31, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs Abby J. Cook, Mrs. L.A. Shannon, Mrs. Ella M. Smith (book).

Gentlemen—F. A. Alexander, C. B. Bassett, W. Channing Brown, D. W. Fish, B. F. Franklin (package), Rev John Van Haaglin (book), John Long, Samuel Wait & Co., Henry Ward, Wm. Whatfield.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Dr. E. M. Faxon, Boston, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, will meet patients at hotel Briggs Thursdays from 9 to 12:30 o'clock.

Go to Ochee's barber shop and get a "winter" hair cut.

Will You Take the Responsibility?

The contest for and against license is going to be waged more fiercely this year than ever before. The issue will be squarely met by the honest and conscientious voter, and it ought to be as fairly met by the fair-minded voter. The voters who "dodged" the question last year may be personally responsible for the result if they repeat the act. The man who dares not face an issue and vote one way or the other has no standing among reputable men.

The advocates of license insist that, since it is so easy for those who desire to drink either to go to Woonsocket or to have liquor brought from that place, it would be better for that money to be spent in Franklin, on the ground that much money is spent there besides what goes for liquor, and home merchants ought to have it.

Again, they assert that the town would be better off financially if it had a number of thousands of dollars from license fees to be used in the various departments of the town. They insist, further, that as liquor will be sold in any event, that some revenue ought to be received by the town therefor.

Those are the main points for which they contend, not one of which will bear the light of honest investigation. The claim that liquor money goes to Woonsocket may be true, but if the liquor were procurable here much that now goes into the till of the merchant here would go into the cash drawer of the rum seller, for he does business only on a cash basis. Credit is to be had everywhere but in a rum-hole. The grocer, the butcher, the clothier, the shoe dealer will let you run up a bill, but the rum-seller never. Thus the reputable dealer would be the loser.

The claim that the town needs the money is false. It is not a "poor" town; it has no large debt hanging over it; it has all necessary money for repairs and improvements. And if it needed more the officials have never hesitated to ask for it. Capital has never complained. Occasionally a man who doesn't pay any taxes finds fault, but capital does not. That is to say: When money is needed for a necessity it is forthcoming, and it does not have to be raised at the price of crime, law breaking, poverty and shame. The honest tax payer who prefers to discharge his obligation to the town through the medium of the rum-hole is hard to find, however abundantly he may be said to exist.

The assertion that liquor will be sold anyway is true, largely because the illicit liquor seller is sustained, encouraged and, if need be, shielded by the men who make the assertion. Liquor selling in Franklin can be kept to a very small amount if honest people but say the word. Many are indifferent, but how many would willingly have the deciding vote left with them, to say whether all of the misery which must necessarily result from the open sale of liquor here, might be placed at their door? Few, indeed, would take the responsibility, yet every license vote carries that responsibility.

The claim that no more liquor is drank with the open saloon than without has long since exploded. Continual temptation means gradual yielding and ultimate loss of ability to withstand. Every town that has had license will testify that the amount of liquor that is drank is largely in excess in license years, as shown by arrests, breaches of the peace and costs of the town's poor.

In a word: The open saloon robs the honest dealer; it increases the work of the poor department, the courts, the officers, the law-abiding citizens; it makes the streets less safe at night; it holds out continual temptation to the youth whose principles are not as yet firmly established, and from whose ranks the drunkards must be recruited.

Are you prepared to say that this state of affairs shall exist and by your sanction and at your behest? A vote for license has no other meaning and can have no other result. Think it over before you cast your ballot.

Card of Appreciation.

The relatives of the lamented Mrs. Charles Hanson Morse, whose death occurred last week at her home in this town, where she had resided for many years, appreciate deeply the tender sympathy and devoted attention of her kind neighbors, church associates and friends of the community during her lonely widowhood and illness. They are also very grateful for the beautiful floral tributes, and to all who participated in the eloquent and touching services at the house and church, thus testifying to their recognition of her faithful, Christian life.

No Better

time in all the year to sit for photos. All little things you are fussy about, and special requests regarding orders can receive fullest attention; also as is my custom at this time in the year, I shall for a short time give twenty to twenty-five per cent. extra on each new order for photos. Call and talk it over.

CALKIN, Depot St.

H. S. Dow of Boston has opened the White Star laundry in the rear of the Dana block. He does only high grade work, and bundles can be left at Mr. Dana's, if desired.

Read the Business Announcements.

Found Dying.

John Murphy, of Bush factory, was found in a dying condition in front of W. Daly's, City Mills, this afternoon, having fallen from his wagon. He lived about an hour after he was discovered, his death evidently resulting from heart disease.

He was viewed by Medical Examiner Gallison and turned over to his family.

A Musical Treat.

The entertainment provided by the Piacere club of Woonsocket in Odd Fellows' hall on Friday evening was a most meritorious one and exceedingly enjoyable.

The company came up on the electrics and nearly fifty of their friends accompanied them to become better acquainted with Franklin people and enjoy the social dance which the club provided after the entertainment. Owing to the late arrival of the pianist the concert was somewhat delayed, but all of the numbers were rendered and received appreciative applause.

The banjo solo by Mr. Brown, the mandolin solo by Mr. Gilbert and the mandolin duet by Messrs. Treitell and Mathewson were excellent, and proved that the club contained a number of very accomplished soloists.

Miss Rickard read with excellent expression, her selections being exceedingly good and her rendering left nothing to be desired. Miss Whiting appeared to unusual advantage and her singing was one of the features of a delightful evening.

Owing, possibly to the fact that the organization was not extensively known here the attendance was not as large as the affair deserved, though it is safe to say that should the organization appear here again it would be greeted by a large audience. Manager Treitel has gotten together a body of trained musicians, and their music is of a more pleasing nature than much that is rendered here by more pretentious organizations. "Come again" was the verdict of all that were present on Friday evening.

After the concert the dance was generally indulged in till a little after midnight, and everyone appeared to thoroughly enjoy the occasion.

The following is the program: "Thoroughbred," Piacere club; "With Early Morn," Miss Myrtie Whit[illegible] "Mill Dam," Club; reading, Miss [illegible] banjo solo, Lester B. Brown March. from "Tannhauser," Oscar B. Gilbert; "America-Up to-Date," (glee) Club; "On the Wild Rose Tree," Miss Whiting; mandolin duet, Messrs. Treitel and Mathewson; "Impecunious Davis," Club; reading, Miss Rickard; "Juno March," Piacere club.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

To Rent—Cottage house on Winter street. Emily F. Aldrich.

Wanted—A young girl to assist in general housework. Mrs. G. E. Emerson.

House to Rent—Ten rooms, one or two tenements. Inquire of L. R. Whittaker. T 30tf

All sorts of stove wood, from trash to heavy oak, at the School street wood yard. 12tf

Wanted—A good, capable girl for general housework. Inquire at the SENTINEL office.

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

Get your round-trip Boston, Providence and Milford tickets of Charles H. Prince at the SENTINEL office.

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Mrs. Carrie E. Darling will give instruction in fancy point-lace making at Mrs. L. W. Milliken's, Cottage street, on Wednesdays. 6*

Potted plants and cut flowers; all kinds of funeral work made up; special rates for all societies in town. Slade's Greenhouse, Central street, Franklin, Mass. P. O. Box 179. 2T

Lost.—Saturday morning, Feb. 3, between Crescent House and railroad station, or in station, a ticket from Boston to New York. Finder will receive a reward by returning same to Alfred Farrington. 6

A Splendid Showing.

The annual report of the commissioners of Mass. savings banks for year ending October 31, 1899, shows a large gain in deposits over previous year. Based upon this report the Wildey savings bank of Boston has issued its annual comparative statement of Mass. savings banks, showing gross and net gain in deposits, also percentage of gain, dividend rate, etc., which is a concise and comprehensive issue. That institution made the largest net gain in deposits and percentage of gain during the year.

Energy all gone? Headache? Stomach out of order? Simply a case of torpid liver. Burdock Blood Bitters will make a new man or woman of you.

Hundreds of lives saved every year by having Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil in the house just when it is needed. Cures croup, heals burns, cuts, wounds of every sort.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Mrs. Charles Rand will shortly canvass for a life of Moody.

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TUESDAY, FEB. 6, 1900

American Character.

It is quit easy for the scientists to trace the development of the human body and the effects of food and climate and temperaturus upon the human animal. The affluent medical literature of the day is full of instances in which the animal-man has been under rigid and productive investigation, every part of him and every fiber of him yielding information for a better appreciation of his physical self. And thus, says a writer in Leslie's Weekly, there are numerous prophecies, as to the future form and semblance of this interesting creature, and we are satisfied to know that while bald heads are increasing and dentists multiply, and other specialists abound more numerously each year, the prospect is that man is not going to be civilized into a breathing mummy for many centuries to come. But it is different with the finer part of the animal. Even the specialists cannot keep a finger on the pulse of character. It is hard to take character's temperature, for the standards vary worse than cheap thermometers. We see as far as to-day, and to-morrow has it's mysteries, while yesterday is forgotten. In all literature there is not an absolutely truthful presentation of a human life. We cannot put the character in the cage as we can the animal and feed it on conditions and emotions to find their tendencies and effects. Nor, to group ourselves together and call the result a nation, can we find exactly the points from which to proceed in order to get a verdict. New York and Chicago are wide open on Sunday, and very respectable people sit in restaurants eating and drinking as if it were entirly proper, while within 100 miles of either city are communities where a Sunday drink is regarded as a crime. Boston and New Orleans would find each other considerably embarrassed if they were to exchange customs and standards for a few weeks. San Francisco and Philadelphia would each raise a great ado if they were to trade Sundays. And so it goes over this great land. It might be discouraging if it were not for the fact that it takes all this to make a nation of seventy or eighty millions of people, and they are apt to be right in the main if the thing that holds them together is sound. After years of trial there seems to be no doubt of that, and it is generally agreed that the American character is about as strong as any on the earth.

This story of the latest confidence scheme for fleecing the unsophisticated farmer is going the rounds of the country press: A man who represents himself as a traveling preacher calls and asks to remain over night. Before the hour for retiring a young man and woman come along and ask if there is not a minister in the house who can perform a marriage ceremony. Of course there is. The young couple join hands and the farmer and his wife are asked to sign the marriage certificat as witnesses. The certificate afterward turns up as a promissory note.

The following is the full opinion of the court in a Pennsylvania case: "An affidavit of defense having been filed, but no affidavit of defense having been handed to the court with the other papers, and none being found in the office of the prothonotary, where it ought to be found when called for, we shall take it for granted that an affidavit which was strong enough to walk away and take care of itself is sufficiently strong to face a jury, and, therefore, discharge the rule."

A New York man lately found a large sum of money in the road, and knowing to whom it belonged drove his horse so hard to restore it that the animal died. On restoring the money the finder received the munificent sum of five dollars for his trouble. The horse was worth $125.

EARLY AND LATE CORN.

Farmers Should Plant Both Kinds and Turn the Live Stock Into the Fields.

Farmers should plant corn both early and late, some kind of flint corn that will ripen early, planting from one to ten acres according to the amount of stock kept, in a place convenient to the yard so the cattle and hogs can be turned in on it. Then there should be another piece to turn into when this is eaten down. This may seem like a slovenly way of doing, but it should be remembered the husking of the corn is the most expensive part of growing the crop. It costs from three to five cents per bushel to husk and put it in the crib and then it has to be shoveled out again. Of course a part of the corn will have to be husked to be fed later on in a good yard, for here is where a great part of the profit comes in. Some may think it costs too much to build fences to keep stock in the corn fields, but a good fence will last at least 15 years. The stock can be turned in the field just as soon as the corn begins to glaze. Stock fed in this way will gain faster than when fed dry corn, but care should be taken not to leave them in the field too long at first. They should not be turned into a field of green corn in a poor condition or the result might be damaging and the profits from feeding in this way lost. When the corn is in proper condition to cut a part of the crop should be cut, either with a machine or by hand, and shocked nicely in the field to be fed later without husking; this saves labor also, and makes a nice lot of feed to be fed out in the winter. There is also a good profit in feeding sheep in the same way, that is turn them in the corn field in the fall and cut up corn and feed them through the winter. I wintered 100 sheep in that way last winter and I never had sheep do so well before. In order to get the most profit out of corn it is necessary to save as much labor as possible. There are many ways of feeding corn at a profit this time of year. Pastures are getting short for the dairy cow and if a little corn that was planted for that purpose is cut and fed to the cows every night it will help out the pasture and also the milk pail. There is no doubt but what there is more profit in feeding the corn on the farm if the farmer owns his farm and manages it the right way, but a renter on a farm for one year had better sell his grain and other products. —George Tyler, in Prairie Farmer.

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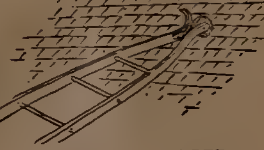
The constant danger that farm buildings may take fire and have no adequate attention, owing to the lack of fire apparatus and of men, makes it important that all possible precautions be taken that incipient fires may promptly be put out. A ladder for the roof is of the greatest importance. The cut shows one that can quickly be put in place. It is in the form of a fruit ladder at the top, and has a small wheel at the end, as shown. It can thus be shoved up over the roof without catching on the shingles. A hook is placed in the position shown, so that the ladder, when shoved up to the ridge, can be turned over, when the hook will hold it firmly in place. Make the ladder long enough for any roof you have, and have another that will reach any roof edge —N. Y. Tribune.



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He Expected It.

"I see that the price of diamonds is going up," said the young man who likes to give information.

"Of course," answered Mr. Blykins, in a tone of mingled grief and defiance. "It was to be expected. It's one combination after another these days. You didn't suppose those coal barons were going to leave any carbon around loose where people might buy it and use it as a substitute, did you?"—Washington Star.

A Moral in the Story.

The cook was leaving to get married. The mistress paid her her wages and gave her a little present for herself. The tin box was on the cab, and Bridget was on the point of stepping in, when Fido waddled out as if to bid farewell.

"Good-by, old Fido," said Bridget; "here's a bob for you. I am sure you have earned it, seeing I have not washed a plate since I have been here." —Answers.

The Bard.

Unto a lady's eyebrow once he warbled
strains so sweet,
Or to her coral lips or pearly teeth or dainty
feet.
But now, when he would chant for an appreciative throng,
The girl who does a cake-walk is the burden of his song.
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Immense Ear of Corn.

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The heart that hath no private joy,
No dear and only bliss,
Shall find the whole world tribute bring,
That he no joy may miss.

For he who clingeth not to one,
Whose heart wide open lies,
Finds every morn a fresh delight,
Each night a glad surprise.

For every breeze that curls the wave,
And every shining star,
And every tree that seeks the air,
His constant lovers are.

The soul that knows no proper bliss,
No joy to call his own—
He standeth not companionless,
His heart is ne'er alone.

For all is his, who nothing hath;
And God doth richly pour
His warmth of life and glory where
He finds an open door.
—Elizabeth French, in Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

An Evening Lullaby.

Sleep, my babe, thine eyes are weary,
Shut them close, my bonnie dearie,
While thy mother sings!
Are the birds asleep, I wonder,
With their little heads tucked under
Pretty folded wings?

Sleep! the angels round thee hover;
Their bright wings thy head shall cover
While thou art asleep.
All the night long, close beside thee,
That no evil may betide thee,
They their watch will keep.

Bye-O-baby, warm and rosy,
In thy little cot so cozy;
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City Niece—Never mind him, Aunt Ann. He's the hired girl.—Chicago Tribune.

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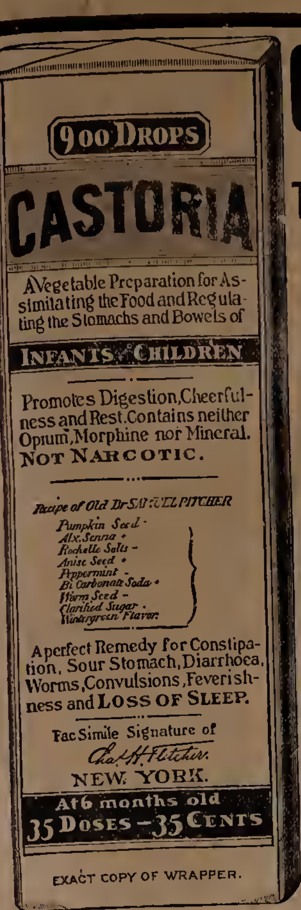
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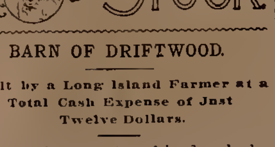
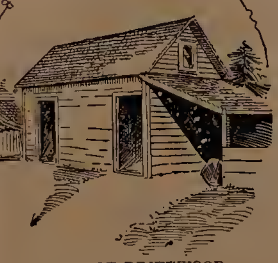


BARN OF DRIFTWOOD.

Built by a Long Island Farmer at a Total Cash Expense of Just Twelve Dollars.

Some of our western friends, who located on the treeless prairies and built a house and barn of sods, are sometimes fond of telling their descendants of the low cost of their first dwelling. It is true that sod makes a cheap building material, and, in many cases, gives a comfortable house. But at the other end of the country there are even cheaper building materials than sods. The little barn shown in the cut is found in Suffolk county, L. I. Mr. Stephen Austin, the owner, lives on the Great South bay, and his occupation frequently takes him along the shores. Last winter, while making these trips, he began a collection of barrels and other timber which had floated to the shore as driftwood. As this timber gathered, the idea of building a barn occurred to him, and the result is shown in the picture. A barn of this size, 20 by 12 feet, would have cost, at the regular price for new material, about $175; but Mr. Austin gives the actual cost in cash as follows:



A BARN OF DRIFTWOOD.

Paint	$4 00
Nails	1 90
Shingle laths	2 10
Floor and doors	4 00
Total cash cost	$12 00

The barn is built entirely of driftwood. The barrel staves were cut in two and nailed on just as shingles are used. In all, Mr. Austin used 720 barrels in covering the barn. It serves his purpose for stabling a horse and his fodder, implements, etc., as well as a more expensive barn. Many of our western readers, who never saw the ocean or listened to the roar of its breakers, will be interested to know how this driftwood has been utilized for building purposes. The waves throw ashore each year vast quantities of wood, sometimes taken from the wrecks of vessels, and sometimes washed or thrown overboard from passing ships. If anyone can tell of a cheaper barn than this, with the timber or other material thrown up into one's dooryard, we shall be pleased to report it.—Rural New Yorker.

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FEEDING FARM HORSES.

A Canadian Farmer Tells of a System Which Has Produced Very Satisfactory Results.

I have always believed that we farmers feed too much hay to our horses. Certainly we feed fully twice as much as our friends in the city, and only about half as much grain as horse-owners in the city feed. Since June 1, I have been feeding my horses by a novel method, which I find eminently satisfactory. At the end of May, this year, I found myself without hay for my horses, and a large amount of work to do. I could procure hay from some of my neighbors, but of very poor quality. This kind of hay I did not want.

Up to this time the grass pasture was very poor, but along toward June it began to be fair. I therefore decided to get along without hay, and depend entirely on pasture and grain. On the evening of June 1, I turned my work horses to pasture. In the morning I took them up and gave them a feed of oats and bran, about five quarts per horse. That is all they got for breakfast, in addition to what grass they had eaten. At noon they were fed no hay, only a feed of oats and bran — six quarts per animal, and nothing else. At four o'clock, as is usual with us, we took them up for tea, watered them and fed another feed of oats. At sundown, when we knock off work, the horses were turned out to pasture. This has been and is still the "bill of fare" for my horses—grass during the night, and grain (about a half-bushel of oats, in three feeds) during the day. As a result, my horses are doing splendidly and gaining all the time.

I am greatly pleased with this method of feeding horses—hay or pasture at night, and grain during the day.—J. A. Macdonald, in County Gentleman.

The Right Kind of Beef.

In regard to the kinds of beef which the killer and eater demand a writer in the Southern Planter says: "Give special attention to well-developed loins, backs and hips, for it is upon these of a fat steer the buyer puts the value of the steer when he stands in the market as beef. It is not simply the fatness of a steer that puts the highest price upon him in the market, but it is the steer that is fat at the right places on his carcass that makes him top the market. I once sold a car load of Shorthorn grades in the Philadelphia market which topped the market that day of 10,000 beeves, and the buyer took as much pains in examining those cattle as many people would do in buying a horse."

Doubt.

When you get the news of battle; when
you hear about the way
Some general has routed all the foemen in
the fray,
'Twill not be an impropriety for you to
pause and think—
Did he do it with artillery or just with
pen and ink.
—Washington Star.

A Contented Fellow.

Allus wuz sayin': "It's all fer the best,"
No matter what fortune wuz bringin';
He took what it give—left to Heaven the
rest,
An' went on his pathway a-singin'.
"Stars'll come out when the sun leaves
the west;
Tho dark brings the dreams an' it's all
fer the best!"

Peaceful—contented, with friends an' with
foes;
Though thorns in his pathway wuz
springin',
He looked on the bright side an' gathered
a rose
An' went on his pathway a-singin',
"Stars'll come out when the sun leaves
the west:
The dark brings the dreams an' it's all fer
the best!"
—Atlanta Constitution.

The Very Neat Man.

He brushed his coat six times a day,
His hat was always nice,
And ever ere the day was done
He changed his collar twice.

He never let his trousers bag,
No wrinkles marred his vest;
In all the town there was no one
More scrupulously dressed.

He spent three hours every day
Before the mirror, where
He carefully attended to
The parting of his hair.

He always kept himself as neat
As wax is through and through—
But that was all he ever did
Or had the time to do.
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

Immutabilis.

For death must come and change; and
though the loss
Seems to the lonely soul the heaviest cross,
More bitter is the fate that day by day
Sees with sick heart the slow and sure
decay
Of love and faith; and all our years we
spend
In sorrow that those deathless things can
end,
Far kinder then were death; for so could
we
Be left with an unchanging memory;
And after years this comfort would restore:
That which death takes is ours forever-
more.
—Alice Learned Bunner, in Century.

Contentment.

"Sufficient to the day is the evil thereof,"
How often we hear it said!
But how many people take it to heart,
And carry it out in their head?

If this was well practised, instead of well
preached,
Worries, troubles and tempers would die;
But we must forever be looking ahead,
And forecasting things with a sigh.

Do try and remember this practical word,
Don't say you have too much to bear,
Though misfortunes never come singly,
you know,
Sufficient to the day is its care.
—K. Hollingsworth, in St. Paul's.

A Walk Through the Woods.

A walk through the woods in September
Is bliss I can never define:
The red leaves that glow like an ember
Make gorgeous the tree and the vine.
With earth and the sky for my teacher
I worship with sun and with clod,
Forgetting the priest and the preacher,
For now I am walking with God.

The hills are as hymns of high pleasure,
The valleys as rosaried rhyme,
And, set to the loftiest measure,
The forest an anthem sublime.
No more on man's teaching dependent,
From cant and from creed I am free;
And Beauty and Truth are transcendent,
For God is now walking with me.
-Nixon Waterman, in Elliott's Magazine.

The Baby That Is Gone.

The little skirts are laid away,
The little frock he wore
Is neatly folded up to-day—
He'll never need it more

The little kilts are neatly pressed,
They, too, are of the past,
And left us but to be caressed
And given up at last!

And yet why sit here sighing o'er
The baby that is gone,
For was our boy as fine before
He got his trousers on?
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

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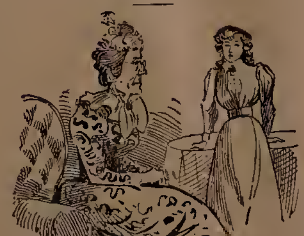

Ma-in-Law—You're sure your pa knows I'm here?

Maudie—Ye-es, grandma—he's just gone out!—Ally Sloper.

THE CHARM OF LIFE

Is Lost When the Burden is Too Heavy

Life is hardly worth the living with the never-ceasing aches and pains of a bad back. If you would remove the burden of backache, reach the cause—the kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills will cure sick kidneys, and the cure is lasting. Here is proof of it.

Mr. Israel A. Morse, of 10 Tyng street, Newburyport, a member of the Board of Aldermen for two years, and Common Council for three years, says: "My experience with and opinions of Doan's Kidney Pills which I expressed through our newspapers in 1896, after taking a course of the treatment, have not altered. I value that preparation more highly today than I did when I first published my statement, and that is over three years ago. To my personal experience I can add that of many others in this city who one and all coincide with me in saying that Doan's Kidney Pills act as represented."

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Green bone is rich in phosphate of lime, and this fact alone should prove its value as food for laying hens, both winter and summer. Fowls understand its value to themselves, as is shown by the manner in which they will leave any food to get the green bone, says the American Farmer. Further, it is one of the cheapest foods, for usually the bones of various sizes and shapes, with more or less meat attached to them, can be bought for a few cents, and the modern bone-cutter crushes and cuts them fine in a few moments. Frequently there is sufficient meat on these bones to furnish all that is needed in that line, and thus another saving is effected, for the meat bought alone would cost much more than the meaty bones. Still again, green bone, especially when meat is attached thereto, fed within reason, reduces the need of feeding the usual quantity of grain, thus saving more money.

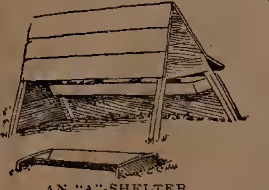
The main thing to avoid in feeding cut bone is to see that the bones are green—that is, fresh and free from taint. In some localities where butchers have considerable demand for fresh bones, they make two grades of them, one from meat freshly cut up and the other from older meat, and frequently tainted with the entrails of fowls and other refuse thrown into the box. Don't buy this stuff at any price, nor take it as a gift. Feed only fresh bone, and it will pay every time.

CHEAP COLONY HOUSE.

Roosting Place Protected from Wind and Rain Is All Fowls Need in the Early Fall.

Fowls do well colonized out in small flocks in summer and early fall. They need little more shelter than a roosting place that is protected from storms and showers.

The cut shows an A-shelter boarded with matched lumber to the ground on one side and end with nests and roosts inside. Put the tight side and end toward the direction of storms. Fowls can thus be colonized in many flocks on pasture and other rough land, obviating the necessity of building many yards, and of furnishing all the feed. Fowls on free range will get half their living themselves. The plan reduces the number of permanent chicken houses required, since the flock is usually much larger in summer and fall than in winter after the market chickens and the old hens have been culled out.—Farm and Home.



AN "A"-SHELTER.

How to Ruin Machinery.

What is the meaning of all these mowing machines, reapers, horse-rakes and other farm implements being left out in the weather? Have they just been taken out temporarily for some reason? No, not much. They have been left to stand where last used, and if we mistake not they will stand there in the fields or in the fence corners until wanted again. What kind of a way is this to do and expect to keep the balance on the proper side of the ledger? Wet and sun will spoil the best iron or steel and the best wood. This sort of practice don't happen in isolated cases by any means. Why not take the parlor chairs out on the open porch and leave them there through the fall and winter.—Farmers' Review.

Mistake Out Somewhere.

Ruhmohr—I have just met Bray; he is dreadfully angry with you.

Okie—What about?

Ruhmohr—He says you called him a well-meaning idiot.

Okie—There must be some mistake; I can't remember saying "well-meaning."—Tit-Bits.

Fact and Fiction.

Yeast—Does your wife tell you everything she knows?

Crimsonbeak—I wouldn't mind that so much, if she only wouldn't tell me so much that she doesn't know.—Yonkers Statesman.

She Had Seen Them.

Margaret is a little girl who never admits that she is ignorant. She has always seen everything and knows all about it. The other day she was visiting at a strange house and almost betrayed herself by the strange persistency with which she followed around the maid who was sweeping the floor with a carpet sweeper. "Don't you know what this is, Margaret? Didn't you ever see one?" asked the maid.

"Oh, yes," said Margaret; "I have seen them many a time, but they always took up grass."—Judge.

The Wise Youth.

Jimmy—Why don't yer git yer hair cut short so yer mother can't pull it?

Willie—If I do that she raps me on the head with her thimble, an' that's worse'n pullin'."—Answers.

BEST FOR THE BOWELS

If you haven't a regular, healthy movement of the bowels every day, you're sick, or will be. Keep your bowels open, and be well. Force, in the shape of violent physic or pill poison, is dangerous. The smoothest, easiest, most perfect way of keeping the bowels clear and clean is to take

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KEEP YOUR BLOOD CLEAN

To See the Process.

Wee Edith was sitting near the bank of one of our large rivers, looking very disconsolate. "Oh, dear!" she sighed, "the geography says this river empties its waters into the ocean, and I've watched here two whole days and it's just as full as it ever was."—Judge.

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To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

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He Wants No More.

"Professor, who is the happier, the man who owns a million pounds or he who has seven daughters?"

"The man who has seven daughters."

"Why so?"

"He who has a million pounds wishes for more; the man who has seven daughters does not."—Tit-Bits.

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Shop Work and Cases.

WRENTHAM.

D. Stanley Stone has finished his studies at Bryant Commercial college and is now with C. Stone & Son.——The friends of John Bibber have presented him with a purse of $50, his little daughter having been seriously ill with scarlet fever.——The Congregational church has voted to appropriate the sum of $250 from the poor fund of the church towards paying off the debt of the society, which now lacks $100 of being paid.——Robert Tate of West Upton has been visiting his sister, Mrs Frank P. Redding.——Miss James of England has been visiting Mrs. Walter S. Dodd.——Mr. and Mrs. Payson Bennett left the first of the week for a trip to Washington, D C.——Chester Fales celebrated his thirteenth birthday by giving a party to his young friends on Friday afternoon and evening.——Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Daniels left town Monday for Florida, where they will spend the winter.——Charles W Pond has a horse sick with lung fever.——Charles Messenger and daughter, Miss Hazel Messenger of Brooklyn, N. Y., are at Henry M Messenger's.——Mrs. Alonzo Cook is ill with heart disease.——Miss Emma F. Farrington has returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Warren and Bristol.——Miss Mary P. Bearse is visiting friends in Providence

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Weeds Used for Food.

Some of the weeds can be used for food if prejudice against them did not exist. The dandelion is cultivated in France, but is regarded as a pest here. Succory is raised in European gardens. Pigweed is a delicacy to the Chinese, and young pokeweed has long been known in the southern states as edible. The common nettle, milkweed and mallow are used in Europe. Purslaine, one of the most persistent and despised pests in this country, is cultivated in Europe, being regarded as a very valuable plant

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Hard Lines.

Lawyer—Well, have you at last decided to take my advice and pay this bill of mine?

Client—Y-e-s.

Lawyer—Very well; William, just add ten dollars to Mr. Smith's bill for further advice.—Boston Traveler.

Benefits of the Wheel.

"When I get utterly low spirited." said the nervous man. "I find a spin on my wheel does me a world of good."

"It is the exercise." said the friend.

"I think not. I am so glad to get home alive that I feel good all the rest of the day."—The Rival.

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Purpose for Which a Fowl Is Wanted Should Always Be Considered by Poultry Raisers.

There is a large number of breeds and many of them possess the same characteristics. Generally a breed that excels in one particular will fall short in another, so that in determining which breed to select the purpose for which the fowl is wanted should always be considered.

The Langshan chickens lay best in the winter. They lay a good number of eggs, are of good size, mature early and are an excellent table fowl.

The Brahmas come next to these, the light colored variety being considered superior to the dark.

Of the four varieties of Cochins, the partridge is considered the best for layers, the buffs the best for table fowls, the whites and blacks following next. One advantage with both the Cochins and Brahmas is that they are easily confined.

The Plymouth Rocks are good layers, good table fowls, good foragers, and, like the Wyandottes, are good general purpose fowls, excelling in no one particular, but hard to beat on the farm.

Leghorns, Minorcas, Spanish, Andalusians and Hamburgs are the best layers, are not setters, but are very poor table fowls.

The Houdans, and, in fact, the whole French class, are fair layers and excellent table fowls.

The games are considered as among the best, if not the best, as table fowls, and are fair layers.

The Polish and Hamburgs are persistent layers, but are very poor table fowls.

The Leghorns cannot be excelled for laying, but they are small and not good table fowls. The brown Leghorns lay the most eggs, the white Leghorns, Minorcas, Spanish and Houdans lay the largest eggs.

The Javas are an excellent table fowl and fatten very readily. When bred for an especial purpose and not carried any further than the first cross, cross breeding may be made profitable. But if carried farther, using a crossbred is breeding back, and it is largely on this account that cross-breeding is objectionable.

To produce a fine table fowl, cross a strong, full-breasted pit game cock with Dorking hens; this produces a table fowl almost equal to a turkey.

A good cross to produce good layers of medium size is that of the brown Leghorn cocks with Partridge Cochin hens, or a white Leghorn cock with a light Brahma hen.

One of the best crosses for market chickens is a Plymouth Rock cock with Brahma or Cochin hens.

To secure good table fowls, and also combine good laying qualities, cross a Houdan cock with Langshan hens. One result of this cross will be dark legs but the flesh will be white.

To produce a brood of good layers, the eggs being of extra large size, cross black Spanish cocks with Langshan hens.

To produce a good market fowl, one that fattens readily, and is easily confined, cross a Brahma cock with partridge Cochin hens.

To produce the best setting hen, one that will remain in the nest, hatch well and prove a good mother, caring well for her chickens, cross a pit game cock with partridge Cochin hens. This cross will also produce good table fowls. In all breeding, care in selecting the best is important if the best results are wanted.—St. Louis Republic.

Petroleum Settles the Dust.

A writer in a St. Paul paper states that he recently drove over a piece of road at Fort Worth, Tex., which was treated last fall with a wetting with crude petroleum. He says that during five months of drought, when all other roads were enveloped in dust, this one was clear of it, and that when heavy rain made mud of the dusty roads this one remained dry and pleasant.

Hail and Farewell.

When money talks, what words, please,
does it say?
Only these, briefly: "How d'ye do? Good
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—Chicago Record.

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Midwinter fortune for the alert and early buyers—just like finding money at our door with which to pay nearly half the bill.

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Since its organization to January 1, 1899 it has paid on its policy contracts and holds for the benefit of its existing policy holders, $765,266,234, which amount is $77,797,764 in excess of the total premiums that have been received.

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Send your address and date of birth to my address at FRANKLIN, MASS. and I will submit to you a proposition.

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Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

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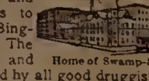

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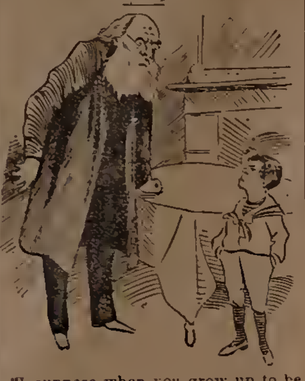

"I suppose when you grow up to be a man, Bobbie, you'll want to be an earnest Christian, won't you?"

"Yus, sir—if it won't interfere with my being a pirate!"—Ally Sloper.

Not a Pleasing Sight.

"Could we see ourselves as others see us,"
Some of us, I dare say,
Would turn our back on ourselves, alack!
And look the other way.
—Elliott's Magazine.

Encouraging.

"Do you think," he asked, "that your father has any suspicion of my love for you?"

"No," she replied. "he is completely deceived. I overheard him and mamma talking about it last night. He said you were no more capable of loving than a chunk of putty would be."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Improves with Age.

"Edith, dear," said the fond mamma, "you are nearly ten years old now, and you should not allow gentlemen to kiss you."

"Oh, I don't know, mamma," said Edith; "it seems to me somehow that the older I get the better I like it."—St. Paul Dispatch.

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Dividends declared the first Monday in January and July, payable on and after the 15th of said months.

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D. Thayer, Jr., E. H. Sherman, J. G. Ray, Chas. J. McKenzie, E. P. Chapman, Charles Stewart, George W. Wiggin.

STATEMENT JAN. 31, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$554,898 85
Guarantee Fund		27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account		15,811 27
Interest Account		637 60
Real Estate Income Account		22 70
		$599,123 24

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$22,073 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		29,182 62
Railroad Bonds		121,262 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		30,300 00
" " Mortgages		170,785 00
" " Personal Securities		186,095 75
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		116 26
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$4,298 79	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	5,783 10	
Mercantile Trust Co.	2,634 53	
		12,716 42
Cash on hand		2,845 44
		$599,123 24

We the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

E. P. CHAPMAN,
WALTER M. FISHER,
Committee of Examination.

Feb. 3, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Frederick E. Aldrich, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

EMILY F. ALDRICH,
Administratrix.

Address Franklin, Mass.
January 24, 1900.
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QUINONE HAIR TONIC

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It stimulates the growth of tiny, new hairs and gives a refreshing glow to the scalp. We do not claim for it the absurdity that it will make hair appear where no roots are, but it will do just what we say it will—tone up the scalp.

It is 35c. per bottle.

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Fancy Turkeys	15 to 18c
Fancy Chickens	15 to 18c
Fancy Fowls	16c
Rump and Sirloin Steak	20c
2 lbs. Round Steak	25c
Legs of Lamb	14c
Fresh Pork	10c
Pork Sausage	10c
Frankfurt Sausage	10c
Fresh Hams	10c
Fresh Shoulders	08c
Salt Pork 8c lb., 14 lbs. for	$1.00
Pigs' Heads, lb	03c

3 lb Pail Lard 30c, 5 lb Pail Lard 45c, 10 lb Pail Lard 80c.
3c for 3 lb, 5c for 5 lb, 8c for 10 lb Lard Pails (my brand) returned.
Spinach, Lettuce, Celery, Radishes, Sweet Potatoes. Best brand of Canned Goods to be had.

The Best Butter in Town.

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Pneumonia, Pleurisy or Bronchitis can be avoided at this season of the year by taking

Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine

For sudden chills and colds it is well to have a box on hand to prevent a more serious climax to the attack. Will cure a cold in the head in 24 hours. Do not affect the head, produce ringing or cause nervousness like the Sulphate Quinine. They move the bowels gently without griping.

A. C. Dana & Son. Pharmacy
DANA BLOCK, FRANKLIN.

Assignee's Sale.

Now is the time to buy your Winter stock of Groceries of the finest quality and at the lowest prices in town.

Sugar. 19 lbs. for $1.

Light Brown Sugar, 21 lbs. for $1.

Fancy Ponce Porto Rico Molasses, never sold before less than 50c gallon, now 40c gallon.

Fancy New Orleans Molasses, always sold at 60c gallon, now 50c gallon.

Good dark Molasses, 30c gallon.

Pure Maple Syrup, 25c quart.

Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.

Boiled cider, quart bottles, 20c.

5 lb. can Java and Mocha Coffee, 90c.

The best 50c, Tea 40c.

The best 60c Tea, 50c.

Fancy Table London Layer Raisins, 20c lb.

Four Crown loose Raisins, 12c lb.

Gilt Edge Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c lb.

Fancy Ribbon Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Chocolates, 15c lb.

Lowney's 40c goods now 35c.

We carry the finest quality Butter cut from the tub, 1 lb. prints, 5 lb. boxes, 10, 20 and 50 lb. tubs, at the lowest prices, quality considered.

J. P. Squire's Pure Lard, 8c lb.

10 lb. pails Lard, full weight, 75c.

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Mixed Nuts, English Walnuts, Oranges and Lemons in stock at the lowest prices.

Come in and leave your order with us and get the best for the least money.

Gentlemanly Dealing and Prompt Delivery is Our Motto.

McKinnon's Grocery Store,

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H. E. RUGGLES, Assignee.

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1,563,000 boxes sold. 400,000 cases cured. Buy NO-TO-BAC from your own druggist, who will vouch for us. Take it with a will, patiently, persistently. One box, $1, usually cures; 3 boxes, $2.50, guaranteed to cure, or we refund money. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago, Montreal, New York.

Business Announcements in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL are invariably read.

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Orders leave Franklin at 8.05 and 9 a.m. Goods returned by freight at 2.30 same day.

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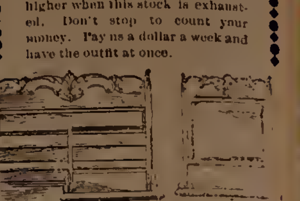
Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted. Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.



OUTFIT NO. 1.
This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.
$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 2.
This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs, rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.
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This outfit is made up with one of our most popular selling chamber suits, including the 2 chairs, rocker, table, mattress, woven wire spring bed and toilet set.
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References and testimonials can be furnished on application by responsible parties.

This Pure Spring Water will be delivered to your house or office fresh from the spring every morning, at the following prices:

One gallon every week day, per month......$1 00
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All orders left at Dean's will receive promt attention.

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By F. W. CUMMINGS & CO., Auctioneers.
MEDWAY, MASS.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Henry A. Walker to Mattie W. Edwards, dated Dec. 10, 1870, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 647, fol. 358, for breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed, will be sold on the premises in Medway at public auction, on

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in said Medway, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of land now or late of Warren Gould; thence westerly on the northerly line of Gurnsey street 123 3-4 feet to Phillips street; thence northerly on said Phillips street 323 22-100 feet to land of grantor; thence easterly on said land 194 4-100 feet to land of Charles Ford; thence southerly on said land and land of J. Hitchcock 160 82-100 feet to land late of John McLellan; thence westerly on said land and land of said Gould 79 7-100 feet; thence southerly on land of said Gould to the point of departure on Gurnsey street 165 85-100 feet, containing 52,512 18-100 square feet. Meaning to convey the same premises as conveyed to grantor by deed from Henri Batchelder dated March 24, 1883, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, libro 545, folio 327.

Terms given at time and place of sale.

E. GERRY BROWN, Guardian.
MATTIE W. (EDWARDS) SMALL,
Mortgagee.

Medway, Jan. 20, 1900. ja23,30,fe6

By F. W. CUMMINGS & CO. Auctioneers,
MEDWAY, MASS.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by Henry A. Walker to Arthur J. Edwards, and assigned by various assignments, duly recorded to Mattie W. Edwards, and for a breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed, will be sold on the premises in Medway at public auction on

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 14, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises, conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

Beginning at a stake and stones on the northerly side of Gurnsey street, thence running westerly on said Gurnsey street four rods to Norfolk avenue; thence northerly on Norfolk avenue six rods; thence easterly four rods to a stake and stones; thence southerly 6 rods to said Gurnsey street at the point of beginning. Reference may be had to deed of W. P. Clark, dated May 13, 1884, and recorded in Norfolk county deeds, libro 556, folio 551.

Terms given at time and place of sale.

MATTIE W. EDWARDS.
Assignee of said mortgage.

Medway, Jan. 20, 1900. ja23,30,fe6

Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

PERSONAL PROPERTY

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage of personal property given by J. Green to M. J. McLaughlin, dated Oct. 23, 1899, and recorded in records of personal property, mortgages of town of Millis, libro 1, fol. 336, for a breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction at Cottage Farm, Winthrop street, West Medway, on

THURSDAY, the 15th day of FEBRUARY, A. D. 1900,

at 2.30 o'clock p. m., the following described personal property, to wit:

One black cow.
One Jersey cow.
Terms made known at sale.

M. J. McLAUGHLIN, Mortgagee.

Millis, Jan 30, 1900 ja30,fe6,13

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Katherine McDowell, late of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

S. E. KINGSBURY,
Administrator.

Address: West Medway, Mass.
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If you want to buy or sell anything, have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

Herman M Fisher
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The Franklin Sentinel.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
"	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Erastus Metcalf is laid up with rheumatism.

Two games of basket ball at Dean gymnasium tomorrow evening.

Mrs. A. G. Degau of Malden is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. P. Walsh.

Mrs. E. H. Sherman is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Turner, in Dorchester.

D. W. Corson is again able to attend to business after suffering from an attack of malaria.

Victor Bellin, formerly at the Franklin knitting mill, has accepted a position in a Pascoag mill.

Miss Razee's class at Arnold's Mills is to give a valentine party Wednesday evening, Feb. 14.

Marguerite, the two year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sherman, is quite sick with bronchitis.

Peter Quinn has been engaged by the Metropolitan Insurance company as agent in the Blackstone district.

John Savage of Providence has been visiting at his father's home on Washington street during the week.

There is a rush of orders at the Clark machine and foundry works and the hands are working overtime.

The second term of Miss Razee's adult dancing class will begin Tuesday evening, Feb. 13, in Central Square hall.

A meeting of the King's Daughters will be held next Tuesday evening at 7.30 at the home of Miss May Fales.

Daniel Cody of Union street has had to suspend work as carpenter on the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad on account of a sore hand.

St. Mary's Dramatic society is rehearsing the drama, "Man, the Mascot," which will be put upon the stage some time next month.

Her many friends will be glad to learn that her physicians report the condition of Mrs. Wm. M. Thayer as being more comfortable.

Principal Daniels returned to his duties in the High school on Wednesday after a brief enforced vacation on account of the mumps.

Post 60, G. A. R., will have a "muster in" at the regular meeting on Monday evening, and it is hoped there will be a full attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Thayer will spend a few days next week with their son, Robert, at Cornwall on the Hudson, where he is at school.

It is understood that a claim is to be made on behalf of Mrs. Albert Whiting against the railroad company because of the death of her husband recently.

Rev. Mr. Sleeper will commence a series of sermons on "The Prodigal Son," on Sunday evening, his first theme dealing with the "Blessings of a Good Home."

Eight new members were taken into the Eastern Star on Wednesday evening, the occasion being at once both pleasant and fraternal. The membership is continually increasing.

A product of a Franklin workshop is to be on exhibition at the Paris exposition, one of the Clark pickers, which that firm has built for a company in the South. If there are any Franklinites at the exposition next summer a view of the machine will be like a letter from home.

Dr. Solon Abbott is taking a special study of children's diseases in Boston twice a week, putting in all his spare time in perfecting himself in diseases peculiar to children.

The lecture on Egypt by Frank E. Buker will be Monday evening, Feb. 19, at the Universalist church. Those who think they have seen fine stereopticon pictures should see Mr. Buker's.

The Rev. W. R. Libby, pastor of St. Paul's church, Jamaica Plain, preaches at the Universalist church next Sunday morning and afternoon. Rev. Dr. Hodge will occupy the pulpit at St. Paul's.

Rev. Mr. Sneath will speak on Sunday evening upon the war between the Boer and the Britain. The chorus and congregation will also enjoy the privilege of singing out of the new books, Sacred Songs, No. 2.

The members of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., will celebrate the second anniversary of the organization this evening, when a whist party will be held at their rooms, the members of Division 8, A.O.H., being their guests.

The Elm Farm Ice company have already begun cutting their winter storage of ice, which is likely to prove a better article than has been harvested in some years, owing to the almost entire absence of snow frozen into it.

Those who attended the Universalist convention here in October remember Rev. Mr. Albion and they note with pleasure that Prof. Peirce has secured him for the address on Founders' day, next week Friday, at 2.30 p. m.

The Farmers' club will meet next Monday night with J. L. Fisher, City Mills. J. W. Stockwell, secretary of the Massachusetts board of agriculture, will be present and talk on the subject of "Taxation." Everybody is invited to go.

Superintendent Daniels has succeeded in making arrangements whereby the Unionville school is to have the benefit of the special instruction in music and drawing the same as the town schools, the trolley providing the means of transportation.

What queer thoughts come to children is illustrated by the little miss of seven years, who the other night startled her mother by remarking: "Mamma, I have been asking the Great Spirit to make me a better girl and He didn't do it, so last night I asked the devil to do it."

An enjoyable whist party was held at Odd Fellows' hall Tuesday evening from 8 till 10 o'clock. Ladies' first prize was taken by Miss Estey, Miss Carrie Daniels winning second honors. On the gentlemen's side Otis Corbin captured the first and George Croissant second prize.

A freight wreck on the main line this side of Douglas Junction delayed the trains this morning, and the Pascoag branch was impressed into service, both east and west bound trains going that way. Conductor McCarthy covered the stations between Woonsocket Junction and Douglas.

Some time before the sale of the rubber works here it was said that there was an agreement in existence which provided that the factory should be used for the manufacture of such goods as long as it remained for mechanical purposes. Just how much there is in the story is not known.

Tickets for the Tufts College Glee club concert at Dean, next week Friday evening, are already finding ready sale, and good seats should be selected at Mason's at once. Mr. Foster, the reader, has many friends here who will be glad to hear him again, and a number of Dean boys are in the organization.

It is not impossible that the promoters of the Medway-Franklin electric road, provided a franchise be granted, will be asked to permit a clause to be inserted by which the school children shall have special rates to and from school. This is done in other towns where the trolley is used, and it is an actual saving to the towns in the matter of transportation.

The Franklin Library association held its annual meeting on Tuesday, selecting the following officials: President, Joseph G. Ray; vice president, William Rockwood; clerk and treasurer, George W. Wiggin. The directors are Rev. Dr. Hodge, E. H. Sherman, Mrs. George W. Wiggin, Miss Lydia P. Ray, Mrs. Moses Farnum and Miss Frances E. King.

The whist party given by Mrs. Frank Moore of Union street Wednesday was a great success socially. The ladies present were all gowned in dainty summer toilets. Mrs. Moore was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Lawless. A luncheon was served during the afternoon. The first prize was captured by Mrs. Will Lawless and the second by Mrs. J. E. Clark.

There promises to be a large attendance at the next regular meeting of the Alden club next Monday evening, when Miss Hodge will present a paper on "Rudyard Kipling." Mrs. Charles Stewart will sing the Recessional, with De Koven's music, and Mrs. E. D. Daniels will read some selections from the poet's works. A full meeting is desired as there is business to be transacted.

The advent of the new towel industry at Unionville will necessitate the erection of a number of new houses in the spring, which ought to make business good for Franklin artisans. Few people realize what a boon the coming of the Worcester Textile Co. to Franklin will prove to be, as the company has a large amount of capital back of it and the grade of goods turned out entirely meets the demands of the trade.

Tax Collector Sherman's report for the fiscal year 1899 will show $51,320.13 paid into the treasury for the twelve months ending Jan. 31, 1900, which includes $225.95 accrued interest upon the taxes of 1898, leaving no taxes uncollected back of the year 1899 just closed. This shows a very clean collection of the town's account against the tax payers, which has been accomplished in a very quiet way.

The Dean basket ball team played a close and exciting game at Everett on Wednesday evening with the Y. M. C. A. team, and although the academy boys were defeated they played magnificently and kept their wily opponents on the jump from start to finish. The score was: Everett 9, Dean 5. Two games will be played tomorrow evening at the gymnasium, the Dean team meeting the Melrose Y. M. C. A. and Dean second playing with the Milford Y. M. C. A.

It is said that an old survey for an electric road shows that a line from Medway to Franklin via City Mills is only a mile and a half further than the direct route via Lincoln street and it avoids the difficulties to be overcome at Richardson's hill. One of the objects of this proposed line was to open to the public the attractions of Kingsbury's as a picnic resort, the locality possessing great natural attractions. W. M. Comey of City Mills has the survey.

We learn that the claims of Chester M. Whiting against the Spanish government are in good hands, as his leading lawyer is no less a personage than ex-Speaker Thomas B. Reed. It is understood that the claims will aggregate more than $100,000, with an excellent chance of being allowed, as Mr. Whiting had taken especial pains to prepare his detail as the matter progressed, secure his testimony from consuls and other parties who were cognizant of the facts, etc.

Rev. Father Lee has been especially busy this winter keeping the various building operations going on at the new gymnasium, which already presents a most imposing appearance. The whole north end of the town will be improved by the presence of so handsome a building there. The introduction of the heating apparatus has been quite a task, as it required a vast array of steam pipes, radiators, etc. A portable saw mill has just been set up inside the building to get out the interior finish.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Whiting and Mr. and Mrs. William J. Whiting of Brooklyn, N. Y., will leave on a Raymond excursion for New Orleans, Florida and Nassau the 22d of February, reaching New Orleans just in time to see the Mardi Gras at its height. From there they will take in the leading resorts in Florida, and then sail for Nassau, making a six weeks' trip of most delightful promise. They were to have been accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Thayer, but the illness of his mother, Mrs. William Thayer, made it seem advisable to relinquish their plans.

Quite naturally there is no person about town more justifiably pleased than is W. C. Sherman. He was invited last Wednesday, with some of the other members of the North Attleboro team, to a little spread at the Garrison club, and before the party broke up he was presented with a handsome gold watch engraved, "Presented to Walter C. Sherman by his North Attleboro base ball friends, Feb. 7, 1900." This testimonial in a measure shows the appreciation in which he is held by the patrons of the game in the jewelry town where he has done so much to place and keep a winning team in the field.

John B. Bonin of Woonsocket, in company with his wife and another lady, was driving toward Franklin on Monday night, and when about two miles this side of town two men approached his carriage. One of them attempted to hold the horse, while the other tried to get into the carriage. Mr. Bonin sometimes carries large sums of money with him and always has a revolver. When he saw that two strangers were looking for trouble he drew the revolver and after covering them jumped from his seat to the ground, and ordered them to move on, which they precipitately did. He heard no more from them.

Conductor S. A. Mathes, now of Readville, still keeps a few pure bred fowls as was his wont while here. He keeps up with the procession of modern life, for he has had a portable hen house made which can be taken apart and moved from place to place with his camp chair and bedstead. He has found that while a minister of the gospel can stay about two years in a town a railroad man has to average a move about once in a year and a half, and the railroader who keeps hens, with a movable hen residence, can put his fancy fowls under his arms, in his wife's hat box and other odd corners and be ready for any emergency.

The supper of the ladies' society of the Universalist church on Wednesday evening was an unqualified success, in quality and in patronage. The wonder was that so much could be given for so little money. The entertainment which followed, provided by the Y. P. C. U., was novel in some of its features and was much enjoyed. George Grant gave a piano solo, which was heartily encored. Miss Jessie Corbin sang a solo and was also recalled. There was a shadow pantomime in which the shadows were not only clear and sharp, but the action was fine and expressive. Miss Hodge read the verses illustrated and Miss Morey and Messrs. Frazer and Wyckoff did the acting. After the pantomime followed magic writing, a musical contest, etc. The proceeds were satisfactory.

Farmers' Club.

Franklin Farmers' club met Monday evening, Jan. 29, with J. M. Parker, North Franklin, at the old J. W. Richardson place. President Morse called upon Mr. Parker to read a paper on the question of the evening, "Potato Culture: Soil, Fertilizer, Care and Marketing." He said in part: "Potatoes are one of the most important of cultivated plants and in universal cultivation in temperate parts of the globe. The herbage has a slightly narcotic smell, although cattle do not refuse to eat a little of it, and the tender tops are used in some countries like spinach. The tubers are, however, the only valuable part of the plant. The potato is a native of tropical America, probably from Chili to Mexico, and is of great importance as food, both for cattle and human beings Some say that land that will raise thirty bushels of wheat will raise 1,000 bushels of potatoes, but the latter are not nearly as nutritious an article of food as wheat.

As to the raising of potatoes there are many ways. Some plant them whole, some cut to one eye, some to two and some cut the seed ends off. In 1898 I planted seven varieties on three acres. I planted one barrel of seeds Early Harvest and only dug two barrels potatoes in the fall. Hebrons did the best and Polaries were next. One row of Sir Walter Raleigh, using one peck of seed, grew six bushels of good, nice smooth potatoes, or at the rate of 240 bushels per acre. This year they did not do as well, and when dug were quite green, they now are about as good as any we have to eat. For fertilizer 1,700 pounds were applied. My way of planting is to plow as deep as I dare, harrow all I have time to, furrow and put in fertilizer with a machine, then run through furrow again to mix well together. After they are up, run the cultivator in the row and the weeder across the row and keep them both going.

As to fertilizers—I don't think 200 or 300 pounds will raise a crop, while others say use from one to two tons per acre. If we use commercial fertilizer the best is the cheapest, and not much less than 1,500 pounds per acre used alone will do. As to markets the best way is to get rid of them right out of the field when you can get a fair price. But one may raise them as they will it is a job from the start till the last one is sold, for after you have them grown, and have gotten rid of all the bugs, you will find as mean a pest in the wire worm and white grub as any we have to deal with."

After the paper the question was discussed by several gentlemen present, all agreeing that the land should be put in good, fine, mellow condition before seed is planted and the after cultivating could most all be done with a horse. Last season Mr. Morse ran his weeder across the rows after going lengthways of them. All agree that they had gotten just as good crops from small seed as from large ones cut, and that Green Mountain was the best market potato today. Adjourned at 9.15, with the social hour and refreshments. D.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending Feb. 7, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. C. F. Daniels, Miss Cora A. Moore (pkg.).

Gentlemen—Lewis N. Cartier, Franklin Mills, Maurice Smith, J. W. Spencer, W. B. Wilcox, G. W. Arnott (pkg.).

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Richardson's Market.

In spite of cold weather we are still headquarters for turkeys from 13 to 18 cents, fowls and chickens for the same price, home killed fresh pork, and sausage, lamb, veal, etc. You enjoy a toothsome steak or roast; that's what we've got. We have celery, radishes, lettuce, spinach, dandelions and canned asparagus tips—a dainty. The famous Franco-American canned soups, none better; we have cream cheese, fancy eating apples, Baldwins and Greenings. Our prices on everything are right; what you buy for less is of cheaper grade, remember that.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

High-Grade Orients for 1900.

The Waltham Manufacturing Company will distinguish itself during 1900 by making a line of relatively high priced wheels—they will market nothing under $50, and will even go before the public with a chain-geared Orient listing at $65.

They say their cheapest wheel last year listed at $50, and they sold 50 per cent. more bicycles than during any previous season—not only sold all 1899 models, but had to ship out a number of 1900 models on orders for 1899 machines at the end of the season, they add. They have had twelve salesman on the road for several weeks, and report orders about 75 per cent. larger than they were at this time last year. Another gratifying feature is that a larger per cent. of their orders is for the higher priced models about 50 per cent. being for $50 wheels, about 30 per cent. $65 wheels and about 20 per cent. chainless.

A ladies' Orient at $65 will be a feature of their line. They rightly contend that there has been a great deal more attention paid to the manufacture of men's wheels than to those of women and as a result delicate women have been compelled to ride wheels many pounds heavier than those used by men. Last year the Orient people catalogued a model weighing 22 pounds, and in spite of the high price, the sales on this model was greater than expected, and orders are coming in very much faster, particularly from sections where samples were used last year. During 1900 it will be made one of the main features of the line. It is a distinctive appearance, having the two connecting bars parallel, and a 24 inch front wheel.

While the motor tandem has almost superseded the human driven multi cycle as a pacing machine on the track, there is still a demand for the latter and the Waltham company will meet it by cataloguing their full line at greatly reduced prices, viz.: Triplets, $150; quads, $200; quints' $250; sextets, $300; septets, $350;—a reduction of almost 50 per cent. from prices previously charged. The Waltham line, exclusive of multicycles, will comprise the following: Orient light roadsters (22 1-2 pounds for men and 24 1-2 for ladies), $50; Orient Leader (20 1-2 pounds for men, 22 for ladies), $65; Sager-geared chainless (25 pounds for men, 26 for ladies), $75.

To further the distinctiveness of their line, the Orient people will use a red tire under their own name, although the M. & W. and the Kangaroo will be offered as options. In another respect, also, will the Orient line have an exclusiveness all its own—it will be fitted with English saddles, the well-known Brooks. Their use of Clincher brass-lined tubing is also strongly featured. As is quite generally known, the Orient people are about the only American cycle makers giving practical attention to motor cycles, and while their bicycle agency does not include their automobiles, they are giving preference to Orient agents when they are in position to give satisfactory representation.

CHAS. L. STEWART, Agent.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10 Rev. M. J. Lee, rector: Rev. M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor. Rev. W. R. Libby of Jamaica Plain will preach at 10 30 and 5. Y. P. C. U. at 6.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper. Theme: "The Mainspring of Divine Action." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5 45. Preaching at 7; theme, "Blessing of a Good Home," the first of a series on "The Prodigal Son."

Congregational church—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, at 10.30. Theme, "The Courage of the Christian." Sunday school at 12. Y. P.S. C. E. at 6; consecration service. Evening service at 7. Subject, "The War in South Africa." Chorus choir.

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor. Sermon will be one of a series on the general subject: "Lessons from Some Characteristic Incidents in the Life of Christ." Special subject: "The Crucified Saviour." Junior league at 3. Epworth league at 6. Evening service at 7; subject, "The Two Ways: Their Inseparable Properties." Special singing morning and evening; solos by Mrs. C. L. Stewart.

Special Revival Service.

This evening, (Friday) at the Methodist church, there will be another special evangelistic service. A feast of good things is expected. "Come and let us reason together, saith the Lord," concerning the things that are of eternal moment. The pastor will preach a short sermon. Subject, "The Great Preparation."

Wanted at Once—A young man as invoice clerk, familiar with shorthand and typewriting. Apply to Bassett Bros., Franklin, Mass.

Mrs. Charles Rand will shortly canvass for a life of Moody.

When Visiting the Sick.

The following advice is good at all seasons and well worth remembering by the general reader. The presence of a friend or relative in a sick room can be made beneficial or otherwise by the observance or non observance of good common-sense ideas. Here is what a recent a writer has to say on the subject:

"Sick people don't like to be stared at. They are morbidly sensitive. To look surprised at the change sickness has wrought is annoying, and, worse than that, it is disheartening, and makes invalids imagine their case to be worse than it is. Therefore, don't stare at a sick person, and don't stand at the back of the bed to make him turn his eyes round to see you. Always sit by the bedside, for the person feels more at rest than if you stand up tall before him. And don't whisper; don't talk in a low voice; don't follow the doctor or a caller out into the next room. The invalid will be absolutely certain that you are discussing him. Don't wear garments that rustle or are made of rough clothing, to come in contact with hands made tender by sickness, and don't wear creaking boots or thick-soled boots."

St. Valentine's Welcome.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church will meet in the parlor Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A salad supper will be served at 6.30; tickets usual price. A pleasing entertainment in the evening.

Come, all ye hungry ones that smart
Over the wounds of Cupid's dart,
Eat salad supper and be mine;
This is my day, my valentine.

Tremont Theatre, Boston.

Frank Daniels will bring his comic opera company to the Tremont Theatre next Monday evening, Feb. 12, in "The Ameer." Everywhere the Daniels' company has played this season, they have broken all their previous records for big business. The music of the new opera is described as the prettiest that Hebert has written. The score is full of catchy melodies and there are two marches in the opera so stirring as almost to make it impossible for the listener to stay in his seat. The part which they have devised for Frank Daniels is declared by that inimitable comedian to be the richest in comedy situations of any that he has portrayed. His supporting company contains over sixty people, and the chorus is declared to be the prettiest and best singing chorus on the comic opera stage today. The costumes and scenic effects have received great praise for beauty and appropriateness.

Dr. E. M. Faxon, Boston, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, will meet patients at hotel Briggs Thursdays from 9 to 12:30 o'clock.

Card of Thanks.

The membership of Franklin Methodist Episcopal church wish to express their grateful appreciation to their many friends in Franklin and community for assistance rendered in various ways, helping to make possible the spacious improvements and repairs, now complete. To all such, especially, and indeed to all others, a special invitation is extended to come and worship with us in our new and beautiful auditorium.

By order of official board,
S. A. COOK, Pastor,
F. W. WILLARD, Secretary.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Wanted—A young girl to assist in general housework. Mrs. G. E. Emerson.

Wanted—Experienced Protestant girl for general housework. Mrs. T. L. Martin.

All sorts of stove wood, from trash to heavy oak, at the School street wood yard. 12tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Potted plants and cut flowers; all kinds of funeral work made up; special rates for all societies in town. Slade's Greenhouse, Central street, Franklin, Mass. P. O. Box 179. 2T

Wanted—Experienced salesmen to sell lubricating oils from samples on commission. Salary assured as soon as ability is proven. References. The Howard Oil & Grease Co., Cleveland, O.

Round-trip tickets to Milford, 50c; Providence, 90c; Boston, $1.05. Get them of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office and save 33, 12 and 10c from regular fare charged for respective trips. Mileage books to let.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

No Better
time in all the year to sit for photos. All little things you are fussy about, and special requests regarding orders can receive fullest attention; also as is my custom at this time in the year, I shall for a short time give twenty to twenty-five per cent. extra on each new order for photos. Call and talk it over.
CALKIN, Depot St.

Business is opening up nicely for H. S. Dow of Boston, who has opened the White Star laundry in the rear of the Dana block. He does only high grade work, and bundles can be left at Mr. Dana's, if desired.

Go to Ochee's barber shop and get a "winter" hair cut.

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

FRIDAY, FEB. 9, 1900

THE Boers would have found it easier to enter Kimberly were it not for the very bad Rhodes.

NEW YORK'S underground railroad is now assured, and while they are digging we trust they may come across the underground channel by which the city's millions have been diverted into Croker's pocketbook

THE Boston aldermen propose to make the theatres pay a big sum because their free passes have been cut off In case that is tried it is not impossible the courts may have something to say about the matter The aldermen rode their free horse to death

THE editor of the Sing Sing Star of Hope, the prison paper, has been deposed because the other convicts did not want to be bossed by him But how in the world did an editor ever get into jail? It must be he couldn't pay his debts on account of delinquent subscribers.

COUNT DE CASTELLANE, the spendthrift, is over here after some of the Gould millions, which he thought came to him by his marriage. But old Jay Gould was too wily to be caught that way, and he provided that his money should not go out of the control of the persons to whom it was devised. Score one for Jay.

IT is nonsense to assert that the state of Massachusetts could not run the Boston & Albany railroad as wisely as any existing board of officials. "Upon what meat doth this our Caesar feed that he hath grown so great?" Or is the board composed of superior sort of beings, possessed of a natural intuition and gift for railroading? Possibly there are others

ROOSEVELT has announced that he will not be a candidate for the vice presidency, but will be in line for the presidency in 1904 He sees Platt's hand in this attempt to "shelve" him into the vice presidency, and rebels. He is one of the smart men of the century, and only needs a wise head to counsel him occasionally as a sort of "balance wheel," as it were.

GOVERNOR TAYLOR is still holding out in Kentucky, though affairs are gradually quieting down, and most likely the dispute will be settled by the courts, as it should have been done originally. Whatever may have been the evil plane of Goebel, the great mistake was that Taylor ever allowed the armed mountaineers to take possession of Frankfort, as their very presence there was a menace to law and order. Better the temporary usurpation of law than cowardly assassination.

WITHOUT question Bryan had a triumphal tour throughout New England and the people turned out to hear. Just how much they were impressed remains to be seen. His powers as a speaker have by no means abated, and his personal endurance is wonderful. It seems hardly possible that any candidate can now arise to eclipse Bryan's chances of representing his party at the next presidential election. Bourke Cochran tells him that to exploit free silver again would be suicidal, but Bryan insists that it must be done, and we hope he will do it. The battle is half won when the enemy assists.

ALL lovers of honest base ball trust that the plans of the new American association will not go astray. With the syndicate ball of the past year, the hoodlumism permitted, the unjust reserve rule for the players, the the rubber backbone of the magnates in standing by the umpires, and the incompetency of many of the latter, all lead honest lovers of the sport to turn to the new association with high hopes. We fail to see where the magnates, one and all, have anything to ask of the newspapers for support, as they get more free advertising for less return than any business concern can possibly get. They are now crying baby and claiming that they "own" the cities in which they have teams placed A little competition won't hurt them. Let's have a new deal and we'll have better ball.

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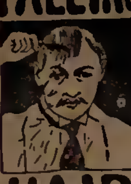

HAIR

Does this illustrate your experience? And are you worried for fear you are soon to be bald?

Then cease worrying, for help is at hand. You need something that will put new life into the hair bulbs.

You need a hair food, such as— **Ayer's Hair Vigor**

It brings health to the hair, and the falling ceases.

It always restores color to gray hair. You need not look at thirty as if you were fifty, for your gray hair may have again all the dark, rich color of youth.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

"I am a barber by trade and have had a great deal to do with your Hair Vigor. I have found that it will do everything that you claim for it. It has given me the most complete satisfaction in my business." HENRY J GROAT F.
March 22, 1899. Kansas City, Mo.

Write the Doctor.

If you do not obtain all the benefits you expected from the use of the Vigor, write the Doctor about it.
Address, DR. J. C. AYER,
Lowell, Mass.

RAPE AS GREEN FOOD.

Every Farmer Who Raises Chickens Should Try a Small Patch Without Delay.

Rape is an excellent green food for chickens and fills a long felt want of poultrymen. It can be sown in early spring or any time later up to the middle of August, and furnish an abundance of food, writes C. R. Roberts in the American Poultry Journal. Last year I sowed a small patch just to see what kind of a plant it was. It grows from 15 to 20 inches in height. The leaves in color and shape resemble the cabbage leaf very much. It can be sown broadcast, or in drills 30 inches apart, and he cultivated. The ground should be prepared the same as for turnips, and the seed covered about the same as turnip seed. It grows very fast, and can be cut and fed to chickens or let them go to it at will and help themselves. When they are to eat in this way I should prefer to have it sown in drills, as they can walk between the rows, and are not so apt to trample and break it down as is the case when sown broadcast; but when it is to be cut and fed it is just as good to sow it broadcast as any. Last year my young chickens commenced to eat my cabbages, but when the rape was up four or five inches high they left the cabbage and commenced on the rape, and any one knows that when chickens leave a cabbage patch to eat something else it must be something they like better than cabbages. I had never had chickens do better and grow faster than they did while they were helping themselves to rape. I think that every one who raises chickens should try a small patch. It will cost but a few cents to give this plant a trial, as five pounds is enough to sow an acre broadcast, and one to two pounds if sown in drills. I have no rape seed to sell.

Few Accidents to Cyclists.

Two of the largest insurance companies of New England furnish statistics which show that in spite of the supposedly greater risks of bicycle riding, in a total of 25,000 accidents 4,919 were due to falls while afoot, 2,418 occurred on street cars, railroads or steamships The horse was responsible for 2,213 while the bicycle caused only 1,727.

Cause and Effect.

The Right Eye—I hear that the Upper Lip and the Lower Lip parted today.

The Left Eye—Yes; it was owing to some words that passed between them. —N. Y. World.

A Stomach for It.

The Kangaroo—Are you fond of music?

The Emeu—Oh, yes; very! I had two penny whistles and a mouth organ for breakfast this morning.—Judge.

"Seeing is Believing."

When you see people cured by a remedy, you must believe in its power. Look around you. Friends, relatives, neighbors all say that Hood's Sarsaparilla, America's Greatest Medicine, cleansed the blood of their dear ones and they rise en masse to sing its praises. There's nothing like it in the world to purify the blood.

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Never Disappoints

IN CYCLEDOM.

LOOK FOR LOOSE SPOKES.

One Feature of the Bicycle That Needs the Most Careful Looking After in the Spring.

In the spring it is often found that there are loose spokes in the wheels and that they are out of true. Examination of them should therefore not be forgotten. To tighten spokes and properly true up a wheel is a neat job and one that is best to leave to a repair man unless the rider is experienced or naturally apt at mechanical work. With tires there is little to do except inflate them and see if they are all right If defective because of having been left flat, have them repaired or get new ones. It is a good idea, however, to turn the wheel slowly and investigate whether the tire is firm on the rim, for if the cement has weakened the tire may "creep" and cut the valve stem off the first time the wheel goes out. Most riders who do not keep their wheels in commission from fall to spring find that the tires do not hold air so well when brought out of the garret. In a majority of cases this is because there is trouble at the valve stem. Often the valve will be found leaky because of the plunger in it being clogged by dust, though often the pump will force the dust away. When it is tightly lodged a drop of water usually does the trick. Oil never should be used. In lubricating the bicycle after overhauling it the pedals should not be forgotten, although they usually are. The head bearings should also be remembered, else the rider will find himself a member of the "squeaky squad," who are in evidence everywhere on the roads in spring. The saddle and saddle post are usually overlooked. If the saddle has springs and is rusty or dirty it may become the seat of a squeak that will pester the rider for days to locate After giving a wheel an overhauling too much care cannot be taken to see that every part is properly replaced and set up right. It is better to make certain by a triple survey than to meet with accident because of an oversight.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured

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The owners of the following described parcel of real estate in the town of Medway, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon assessed for the year within specified, according to the list committed to me by the Assessors of Taxes, remain unpaid, and that the said parcel of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Town Clerk's office in said Medway, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 1st, 1900,

at ten o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged

The New England Food Co., or Owner—About one acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in the western part of Medway, bounded [illegible] the north by land of estate of Peter Foley, east by land of M. M. Fisher and Oakland Cemetery, south by land of W. B. Hodges, west by open way. Or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $42.10.

GEORGE F. MADDEN.
Collector of Taxes for 1898.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 7, 1900.
The Committee on Towns will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 548, to authorize the town of Franklin to appropriate money outside of its debt limit for school purposes, at Room No. 4, State House, on Tuesday, Feb. 13th, at 10 o'clock a. m. Walter O. Luscombe, Chairman Warren E. Fairbanks, Clerk of the Committee

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the cost and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

Francis Duhame or Owner—About four and one-half acres of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the north side of Evergreen street, in the northerly part of Medway; bounded on the north by Main street, east by Elm street, west by land of George McIntosh, land of Medway Savings Bank, land of Elbridge Ware, south by Evergreen street; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $41.79.

GEO. F. MADDEN.
Collector of Taxes for 1899.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of James Mahon, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John J. Mahon of Franklin without giving a surety on his bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the fourteenth day of February, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 24th day of January, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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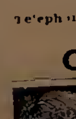

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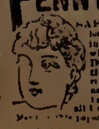

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, SS.

FRANKLIN, January 25, A. D. 1900.

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FRIDAY, the SECOND DAY of MARCH, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse Block, in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Lawrence McGinnis and Rose McGinnis, both of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the Twenty-eighth day of July, 1899, at fifty-five minutes past eleven o'clock in the forenoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process), in and to the following real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the northerly side of Village street, with buildings thereon, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the southeasterly corner of the premises on said Village street, thence running northerly on land formerly of one Eaton, and known as the Eaton Place, to land supposed to belong to one Wentworth, formerly of one Phillbrick; thence westerly on said Wentworth land to a stake and stone at the northerly end of a drain at land of William Schroeder; thence southerly along the line of said drain, and with said Schroeder land to said Village street; thence easterly with said Village street to the point of beginning, being the Phillip's Place, so called, and a part of the Dr. Brown estate, so called.

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the southerly side of Village street, opposite the above-described tract, and bounded northerly on said Village street, southwesterly by Charles River, and easterly by land supposed to belong formerly to Mrs. A. H. Clark, and being the second parcel described in the mortgage of Lawrence McGinnis to Margaret H. Kenny, dated August 6, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, book 744, page 524.

And on the same day, and at the same place, immediately after the sale of the above described real estate, will be sold at Public Auction all the right, title and interest that the above-named Rose McGinnis and Lawrence McGinnis, they or either of them had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the Twenty-fourth day of January, A. D. 1900, at two o'clock in the afternoon (being the time the same was seized on execution), in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the northerly side of Village street, with buildings thereon, and known as the Eaton Place, being bounded southerly about seventeen rods on Village street, easterly about forty rods on land now or formerly supposed to belong to one Cushman; northerly about seventeen rods on said Cushman land, and westerly about thirty-three rods on land of Lawrence McGinnis, being the premises described in a deed of Lawrence McGinnis to William Schroeder, dated June 8, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk deed book 788, page 291, and the record title to which premises now stands in the name of William Schroeder.

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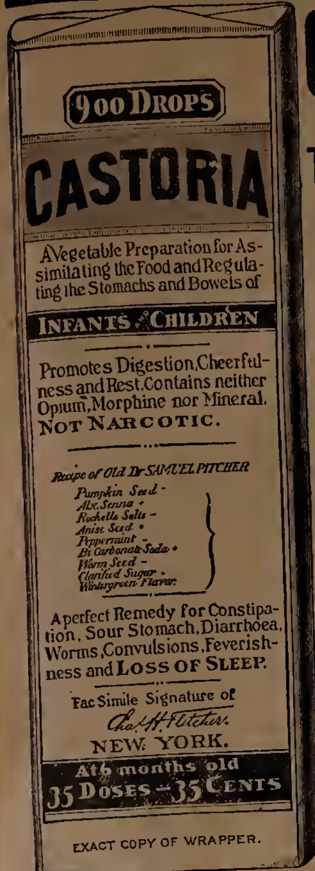

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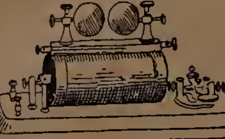
THE NEW TELEGRAPH

Marconi Was Not First to Send Messages Without Wires.

There Have Been Many Investigators in the Same Field—Infant Incubation In Paris—Glass for Pavements.

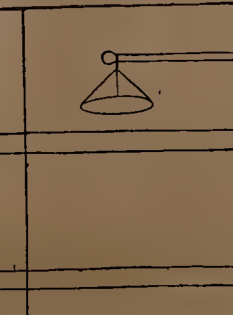
[Special Correspondence.]

WHILE so much interest is being evinced in wireless telegraphy at the present time, and there is so much discussion pro and con as to its practicability, the general public seems to be indifferent as to the exact amount of credit which should be apportioned to the different investigators in this field. When it was stated early in 1897 that William Marconi had invented a method of telegraphing for miles without wires it was generally believed that he had made a new discovery, when he had really been employing well-known principles and improving on apparatus in use over a century ago. But to Marconi belongs the credit of having, by means of minute attention to detail and the use of the long vertical air wire, placed one method of space telegraphy beyond the plane of uncertain laboratory experiments on to one of certainty of action and ease of manipulation comparing favorably with methods of electric communication employing a continuous wire between two places. His apparatus is simple and inexpensive. It is not likely that wireless telegraphy will usurp the place of telegraphy with wires. Each has a field of its own. An expert operator can receive from 50 to 60 words per minute, and four messages may be transmitted each way over one wire at the same time, while with wireless telegraphy, as yet, only 15 to 20 words can be sent per minute, and those only in one direction. Marconi has demonstrated that, up to a certain limit, the distance to which effective signaling extends varies as the square of the height of the vertical wire or rod connected to a receiving or transmitting apparatus.



WIRELESS TRANSMITTER.
(The Instrument Used by American Operators.)

An effective signal, to be carried one mile, requires a rod 20 feet high; four miles, 40 feet; 16 miles, 80 feet, and so on. Each rod has a "certain sphere of influence." No method has, as yet, been found of shielding any particular rod to render it responsive only to signals coming from one station, and not from others within its sphere of influence. But this difficulty will soon be overcome. Marconi's system has already been found valuable for communication between ships in the navy and between lighthouses and ships at sea. In 1746, Winckler, at Leipzig, transmitted signals a few feet without wire connection. Dr. Watson, in July, 1747, sent electricity through the Thames river so that shocks were felt at a receiving station. It is said that in 1748 Benjamin Franklin, by means of an electrical apparatus and without wire connection, transmitted electricity from one bank of the Schuylkill river, which lighted a fire for a picnic party on the opposite bank. After De Luc, in 1749, telegraphed without wires across Lake Geneva, no record appears of any advance on this line until 1838, when Prof. Henry sent signals from one room to another, 18 feet distant. He used a coil of wire with a transmitter in one room and another coil with a receiver in the other room. After Morse had proved, over 50 years ago, that it was possible to send signals over two wires, he had great difficulty in convincing people that he was not deceiving them when he substituted the earth for one of these wires. He believed that the same messages could be sent without the use of any wire connection. On December 16. 1842, he telegraphed a distance of 80 feet, across the Potomac river at Washington, without the aid of wires. During the following year his friends, Rogers and Vail, repeated the experiment across the Susquehanna, at Havre de Grace, a distance of one mile. A patent was granted to Lindsay in England in 1854 covering the same method. In 1877 Prof. Gray, in Chicago, sent messages from one end of the Western Electric company's works to the other, using the means formerly employed by Prof Henry.

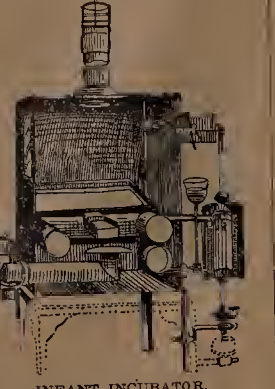


PROF. HENRY'S APPARATUS.
(Used with Considerable Success as Long Ago as 1838.)

Prof. Dolbear, while experimenting discovered that the telephone receiver he was holding had become disconnected from the wire and that he could still hear distinctly. He raised two wires in the air by means of kites and with an induction coil and Morse key and one vertical wire at the transmitting station and his telephone receiver connected with the other wire in the air and with the earth, he was enabled to telegraph for a half mile. He obtained a patent in 1886. The same year a patent for a method of telegraphing to and from moving trains was granted a man named Phelps, and in 1891 a similar patent was issued to Edison. The system was used on the Lehigh Valley and upon the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroads, and was only abandoned because there was not enough business to pay to keep operators on the trains. It is yet too early for the uninitiated to more than conjecture as to what possibilities may be opened up by the use of electric currents controlled without wires.

It will not make much difference unless the coming years are to furnish people to enjoy the results of the discoveries of the present time. Depopulating France is using every method known to science to preserve the lives of the little ones who seem to be arriving in smaller numbers each year. Wishing to raise money to popularize knowledge of the incubating system, tickets are sold at a box office of the Oeuvre Maternelle des Couveuses d'Enfants, as at a theater, to the long halls filled with what appear to be refrigerators with plate glass front and sides. Each contains a very small baby.

The establishment advertises in the theatrical columns of the Paris papers and attracts immense crowds who would probably not feel much interest in a collection of ordinary infants. But the sight of the rosy little dolls who arrived in this chilly world too soon, and who but for the invention of the couveuse would have passed out of it to attain maturity without a material body, is irresistible. A newly-born infant should not weigh less than six pounds, but many who have weighed little over two pounds have been saved by means of the incubators, whose object it is to protect their occupants from the changes of temperature which nearly always prove fatal. Behind the glass plates a mattress rests upon springs. Underneath, through a spiral pipe, a continuous current of warm water runs. This water is heated outside in a little boiler by means of a lamp or gas jet. A chimney carries off vitiated air as well as the noise of the occasional screams of the little creatures, who as a rule cry but little. Pure air from the street flows in, warm and filtered, through a pipe. A new baby is first washed with soap in a bath 98 degrees Fahrenheit, while a newly-sterilized couveuse is being heated. The temperature is governed by the needs of the child. Toward the last days of its confinement it is gradually lowered to about 77 degrees Fahrenheit, and each day the stay outside in the feeding-room is prolonged. While the child is taking nourishment the incubator is sterilized by chemical disinfectants in compressed steam. The children are so clean, the air they breathe so pure, that lying in an equal temperature all the conditions are right for ease and growth.



INFANT INCUBATOR.
(Machine to Graduate the Temperature in the Paris Nursery.)

The well-fed nounous, plump, rosy-cheeked and lazy, who pass their peaceful days taking nourishment for two, supply the kind of food that nature intends for growing babies.

It is said that in France they do not raise infants on canned goods and dog-biscuits, and that the profession of wet-nurse is both dignified and lucrative.

The French are a nation of experimenters. Last November, Louis Garchey obtained the privilege of paving a crowded section of one street in Lyons with glass to replace Belgian blocks, and the material has proved so satisfactory that large contracts are to be filled for other European cities. The pavement is laid in blocks, eight inches square, and fitted together so closely that no water can soak between. After six months' hard wear it remains as sound as when put down. Its resistance is greater than that of stone. It is such a poor conductor of cold that ice does not readily form upon it. Dirt does not accumulate upon it as readily as upon stone, and it does not retain microbes. The product is obtained from broken glass heated to 1,250 degrees Fahrenheit, and compressed in matrices by hydraulic force. It devitrifies under the process. It possesses all the physical and chemical qualities of glass, except transparency, but resists crushing, frosts and heavy shocks. From old glass, material is being produced for buildings and interior decoration. The possibilities of glass as a building material will be demonstrated in the luminous palace for the Paris exposition, which will soon be completed.

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Used by millions
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A SAFE and SURE REMEDY
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Gives instant relief. Cures quickly.
Two sizes, 25c. and 50c.
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Little Liver Pills.
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See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.
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GENUINE MUST HAVE SIGNATURE.
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Purely Vegetable.
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The Practical Side of It.

They talk about the reapers that are
"singin' in the wheat,"
But to tell the truth about it—they're
a-howlin' at the heat!
No feller feels like singin' when he has to
stir aroun'
In a cotton or a cornfiel' with the sun
a-blazin' down!

They ain't no reapers singin' in the country
roun' about;
They use to try a little, but the music's
given out,
Fer when it comes to reapin' you've got to
stir aroun',
An' you never feel like singin' when the
sun is blazin' down!

—F. L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.

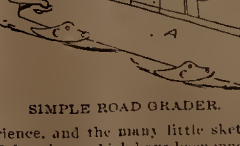
Is Baby Too Thin?

If so, there must be some trouble with its food. Well babies are plump; only the sick are thin. Are you sure the food is all right? Children can't help but grow; they must grow if their food nourishes them. Perhaps a mistake was made in the past and as a result the digestion is weakened. If that is so, don't give the baby a lot of medicine; just use your every-day common sense and help nature a little, and the way to do it is to add half a teaspoonful of
SCOTT'S EMULSION
to the baby's food three or four times a day. The gain will begin the very first day you give it. It seems to correct the digestion and gets the baby started right again. If the baby is nursing but does not thrive, then the mother should take the emulsion. It will have a good effect both upon the mother and child. Twenty-five years proves this fact.
50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

SIMPLE ROAD GRADER.

Invented by a Farmer Who Is Too Generous to Secure a Patent on His Idea.

I have been a reader of your valuable paper for two years, and am very fond of it. I have been benefited by many good hints from the Epitomes of Experience, and the many little sketches and drawings which have been made by farmers. Here is an illustration of a road grader, which is my own invention. A and B are two pieces of plank 4x10 and four feet long. D is a brace three feet in length. C C are two old plow shares with the points off, bolted to the timber. A makes a good band side. E is a piece of an old wagon tire. Nail a board over the top, and you will have an excellent grader.—Fred J Claussen, in Agricultural Epitomist



SIMPLE ROAD GRADER.

During a recent thunderstorm a western farmer lost nine head of cattle by one bolt of lightning. They were standing with their heads through a wire fence and fell in their tracks.

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ACTS GENTLY ON THE
KIDNEYS, LIVER
AND BOWELS
CLEANSES THE SYSTEM
EFFECTUALLY,
DISPELS COLDS HEADACHES & FEVERS
OVERCOMES
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FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS. PRICE 50c. PER BOTTLE.

'Tis Well We Can't.

"What do you think would be the result if we could see ourselves as others see us?

"We'd all be so discouraged that none of us would ever have the heart to go ahead and be great."—Chicago Daily News.

"The Loss of Gold Is Great;

The loss of health is more." Health is lost by neglecting to keep the blood pure, but it is regained by purifying, enriching and vitalizing the blood with the great health restorer, Hood's Sarsaparilla. Thousands who thought health had been permanently lost have been made perfectly well by taking this great medicine. Your experience may be the same.

Hood's Pills are gentle, yet always effective.

Everything on the Jump.

She—There are 50 frog farms in America.

He—Indeed! Even farming interests are on the jump.—Yonkers Statesman.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition; my skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately a friend advised trying Electric Bitters, and to my great joy and surprise the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks and am now a well man. I know they saved my life and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them; only 50c. per bottle at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your grocer today to show you a package of Grain-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. Grain O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress; one fourth the price of coffee; 15c. and 25c. per package. Sold by all grocers.

Many School Children are Sickly.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York. Break up colds in 24 hours, cure feverishness, headache, stomach troubles, teething disorders and destroy worms; at all druggists, 25c.; sample mailed free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Beauty Is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

The Diagnosis.

Winslow (whose wife, who is always on the alert for bargains, has been taken suddenly ill)—I'm sure I don't know what ails her unless she's shop-worn.—Judge.

Lazy Liver
"I have been troubled a great deal with a torpid liver, which produces constipation. I found CASCARETS to be all you claim for them and secured such relief the first trial, that I purchased another supply and was completely cured. I shall only be too glad to recommend Cascarets whenever the opportunity is presented." J. A. SMITH,
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Cascarets
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REGULATE THE LIVER
Pleasant. Palatable. Potent. Taste Good. Do Good. Never Sicken, Weaken, or Gripe. 10c. 25c. 50c.
... CURE CONSTIPATION. ...
Sterling Remedy Company, Chicago, Montreal, New York. 320
NO-TO-BAC Sold and guaranteed by all druggists to CURE Tobacco Habit.

New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad

— AND CONNECTIONS. —

EASTERN DISTRICT.

OCT. 22, 1899.

PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE. (DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAYS, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.)

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

BOSTON — 5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex.) 6 05, 9 38 p m; Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, 8 30 a m; 12 04, 3 36, 4 32, 5 10, 6 22, 6 57, 8 17, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 16 a m, 5 15, 7 10 p m.

BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 49, 4 10, 5 11, 6 01, 7 19 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7 54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 58, f5 21, 6 19, f7 25, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58, a m; f1 01, 5 25, 6 15, f7 28, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 20, 10 30 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD — 9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

NEW YORK, all rail—9 15 a m; 4 23 p m. Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

New York, via Norwich Line, 7 45 p m. Return New Pier 36, North River, 6 00 p m.

Providence Extension.

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

PROVIDENCE—7 04, 9 04 a m; 1 08, 4 25, 7 04 p m. Return, 6 04, 8 10, 12 04 a m; 4 35, 6 04 p m.

MILFORD BRANCH.

Trains leave Franklin for

MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 35, 6 50 p m; S 6 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.

ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

Trains leave Unionville for

MILFORD—9 25 a m; 1 19, 4 37, 5 42, 6 57, S 6 44 p m

FRANKLIN—6 49, 8 41, 11 28 a m; 4 03, 6 19 p m. S 8 15 a m.

GEO. L. CONNOR, P. T. M.
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New Orleans and Return, $27.50.

The Southern Railway will sell round trip tickets Washington to New Orleans at one fare, $27.50. Tickets on sale Feb. 20th to 25th with final limit returning March 15th. The only route from New York offering double daily trains with perfect dining and sleeping car service New York to New Orleans. Time 39hours. For full particulars, call on or address Geo. C. Daniels, N. E. P. A., 228 Washington Street, Boston.

WRENTHAM.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Carpenter gave a whist party at their residence on South street in honor of their guest, Mrs. Noe, of Brooklyn, N. Y.——Miss Marion Proctor was thrown from a horse by the slipping of the saddle recently, and received severe bruises on the head and face.——Herman Loud is sick at the residence of Fred Bean.——Miss Carrie G. Hill gave a whist party Friday night.——C. D. Ruggles has been drawn as juror.

Force of Habit.

Miss Decollete (at full dress reception)—Who is that handsome stranger I was talking with, papa?

Papa—Why do you wish to know?

"Because he is so polite. He apologized for watching me so intently, and said it was merely from force of habit."

"He is Dr. Knowall, the eminent anatomist."—N. Y. Weekly.

Headache

Is often a warning that the liver is torpid or inactive. More serious troubles may follow. For a prompt, efficient cure of Headache and all liver troubles, take

Hood's Pills

While they rouse the liver, restore full, regular action of the bowels, they do not gripe or pain, do not irritate or inflame the internal organs, but have a positive tonic effect. 25c. at all druggists or by mail of C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Happy is the dairyman or dairywoman now who has a well-filled silo, and a herd of fresh cows, and can ship freshly-made butter to market every week.

Protecting Themselves.

Leading spiritualists of the central states have formed an organization to expose fraudulent mediums.

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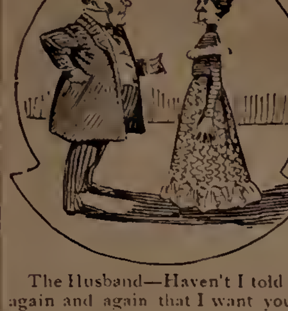

The Husband—Haven't I told you again and again that I want you to trade at **Fales' Grocery Store?**

Wife—That's all right, but I saved a cent on a dollar's worth of sugar at another store.

Husband—That may be, but you said yourself that the sugar somehow didn't seem to sweeten the food like other sugar.

Wife—So I did; I forgot that. Tell Mr. Fales' man to stop here on his rounds tomorrow. His Groceries are good enough for me, after all.

Try FALES, the Grocer.

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To Be Prepared

For war is the surest way for this nation to maintain peace. That is the opinion of the wisest statesmen. It is equally true that to be prepared for spring is the best way to avoid the peculiar dangers of the season. This is a lesson multitudes are learning, and at this time, when the blood is sure to be loaded with impurities and to be weak and sluggish, the millions begin to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, which purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood, expels all germ diseases, creates a good appetite, gives strength and energy and puts the whole system in a healthy condition, preventing pneumonia, fevers and other dangerous diseases which are liable to attack a weakened system.

An Editor's Luck.

Society Reporter—Mrs. Skihigh complains that the picture we printed does not look a bit like her.

Editor—That's lucky. We can use it for someone else then.—N. Y. Weekly.

A Thousand Tongues

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer of 1125 Howard street, Philadelphia, Pa., when she discovered that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this royal cure: "It soon removed the pain in my chest, and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the universe." So will every one who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the throat, chest or lungs. Price 50c. and $1. Trial bottle free at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

Mind Cure.

"I never can forget her. Such lovely eyes! Such golden hair!"

"Nonsense, man; think of her freckles and her pug nose."—Chicago Daily Record.

A Frightful Blunder.

Will often cause a horrible Burn, Scald Cut or Bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures Old Sores, Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns, all skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. On 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co. Druggists.

If you have catarrh, rheumatism or dyspepsia take Hood's Sarsaparilla and be cured as thousands of others have been.

How Are Your Kidneys?

Dr Hobbs Sparagus Pills cure all kidney ills. Sample free Add Sterling Remedy Co. Chicago or N. Y.

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Parlor Suit $39.50, been asking $52.00

Forty Rockers at 25 Per Cent. Discount from regular price. Sold upon honor.

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67 and 69 Main St.

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A New Idea.

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To the saving, economical housekeeper here below will be found a few of the many bargains we have to offer. Make an effort to pay cash for your Groceries and gain the benefit many others are now getting by trading here.

Best Haxall Flour, per bbl., $4.25.

4 lbs. best Creamery Butter, $1.00.

10 lb. pail Pure Lard, 80c.

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Prunes, per lb., 5c.

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10 lbs. Y. B. Meal, 22c.

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FINE EATING POTATOES, per Bushel, 75c.

A LARGE CORN POPPER, filled with POP CORN, complete for 25c.

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SEE OUR PAINTED WINDOW OF LOW PRICES.

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Were reached this season in Garment making. You will be surprised next autumn at the prices you will have to pay. Every item of material is steadily advancing and labor comes in for a ten or twenty per cent. advance. That must be added to this season's price. When we offer Ladies', Misses' and Children's Garments at less than half this season's price it should mean something to careful purchasers.

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $7.50 to $9.00, now **$4.25.**

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $5.00 to $6.00, now **$3.25.**

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $4.00 to $5.00, now **$2.25.**

Misses' Jackets, were $2.25, now **98c.**

Marston Sanborn,

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Agent for New Idea Patterns, 10c.

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BUTTONS MADE FROM YOUR OWN CLOTH.

REPAIRING

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry.

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PETITION FOR LOCATION.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of Franklin:

Your petitioners respectfully represent that they are a majority of the directors of the Medfield and Medway Street Railway company, which has complied with the provisions of Chapter 113 of the Public Statutes of Massachusetts and Acts in amendment thereof and supplementary thereto, and is now a street railway corporation duly established by law, and has duly accepted its charter, and is duly authorized to construct, maintain and operate a street railway in the towns of Medfield, Millis and Medway, in this commonwealth, and has constructed its railway therein. And for the purpose of duly extending the said street railway into the said town of Franklin they now pray for the following location in the town of Franklin: Commencing at a point on Lincoln street, so called, in said Franklin, at the boundary line of the town of Medway; thence in a substantially southerly direction along said Lincoln street to Main street; thence continuing in a southerly direction along said Main street to a point at or near the corner of Depot street, in said town of Franklin; and they pray that the said company may locate, lay and maintain its tracks and such turnouts, switches and connections as may be needed upon such location, and may erect and maintain the necessary poles, wires and other fixtures for said location for the purpose of operating the street railway so located, to be operated by electricity, preferably by the single overhead trolley system, so called.

Respectfully submitted.

JOHN F. MERRILL,
FRED S. GORE,
GEO. W. W. WHITING,
JOSEPH J. FEELY,
JAMES A. FITTON,

A majority of the Directors of the Medfield and Medway Street Railway Co.

OFFICE OF THE SELECTMEN,
FRANKLIN, MASS., Jan. 25, 1900.

On the foregoing petition it is hereby ordered that a hearing be given before the Board of Selectmen, in the town hall in said Franklin, on MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 12th, 1900, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., and that the petitioners give notice of said hearing by posting a copy of this petition and order at the post office in said Franklin at least fourteen days before said hearing, and by publishing the same on the twenty sixth day of January and the second day of February, A. D. 1900, in the Franklin Sentinel.

J. CUSHING GALLISON,
HORACE W. HOSIE,
ALFRED CLARK Jr.,
Selectmen of Franklin.

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QUINONE HAIR TONIC

HITS YOU.

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It stimulates the growth of tiny, new hairs and gives a refreshing glow to the scalp. We do not claim for it the absurdity that it will make hair appear where no roots are, but it will do just what we say it will—tone up the scalp.

It is 35c. per bottle.

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ALBERT C. MASON, Druggist.

PUBLIC TELEPHONE STATION.

TRADE WINNERS.

19 in. Crash, 5c a yard.

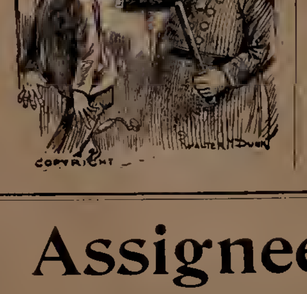
White Linen Napkins, 75c doz.

Table Damask,

20c, 25c, 39c, 50c and 75c.

N. C. NYE,

FLETCHER BLOCK.



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Pneumonia, Pleurisy or Bronchitis can be avoided at this season of the year by taking

Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine

For sudden chills and colds it is well to have a box on hand to prevent a more serious climax to the attack. Will cure a cold in the head in 24 hours. Do not affect the head, produce ringing or cause nervousness like the Sulphate Quinine. They move the bowels gently without griping.

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DANA BLOCK, FRANKLIN.

Assignee's Sale.

Now is the time to buy your Winter stock of Groceries of the finest quality and at the lowest prices in town.

Sugar, 19 lbs. for $1.

Light Brown Sugar, 21 lbs. for $1.

Fancy Ponce Porto Rico Molasses, never sold before less than 50c gallon, now 40c gallon.

Fancy New Orleans Molasses, always sold at 60c gallon, now 50c gallon.

Good dark Molasses, 30c gallon.

Pure Maple Syrup, 25c quart.

Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.

Boiled cider, quart bottles, 20c.

5 lb. can Java and Mocha Coffee, 90c.

The best 50c, Tea 40c.

The best 60c Tea, 50c.

Fancy Table London Layer Raisins, 20c lb.

Four Crown loose Raisins, 12c lb.

Gilt Edge Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c lb.

Fancy Ribbon Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Chocolates, 15c lb.

Lowney's 40c goods now 35c.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Matthew Mooney, late of Medway, in said county, deceased, intestate;

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to M. Richard Mooney of Medway without giving a surety on his bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of January, A.D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Annie M. Grant, late of Medway, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Helen Towne Grant of Medway, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this 11th day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

ja19,26,2 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Phoebe R. Gerrish, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Robert L. McPherson, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county, on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this thirty-first day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Alfred D. Whiting, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Flora Whiting of Franklin without giving a surety on her bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 24th day of January, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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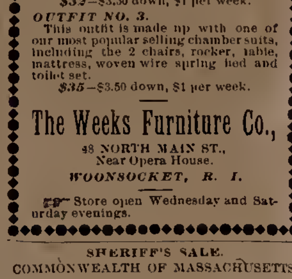

OUTFIT NO. 1.

This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, ss.

FRANKLIN, November 15th, A. D. 1899.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

FRIDAY, the SECOND day of MARCH, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse block, in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Lawrence McGinnis of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution), on the thirty-first day of August, 1899, at eight o'clock in the forenoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process) in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

First, on Village street, in said Medway, with buildings thereon, and bounded as follows: Easterly ten rods, more or less, on land of E. F. Cushman, now or formerly; northerly seventeen rods, more or less, on land of Wilber W. Clough; westerly ten rods, more or less, on land of Lawrence McGinnis, and southerly seventeen rods, more or less on Village street.

Second, a small lot described as follows: Beginning on said Village street at a point opposite the southeast corner of previously described lot and running south 60 degrees 50 minutes west, two hundred ninety-five feet to Charles River; then up said river to land formerly of Edward Eaton; thence north 68 degrees 30 minutes east, one hundred fifty-nine and two-tenths feet to Village street; thence upon said Village street easterly one hundred fifty-three and eight-tenths feet to first-mentioned point.

Third, another tract of land situated in Franklin, in said county, containing three and a half acres, more or less, on the easterly side of Populatic Hill, so called, bounded, beginning at a stake and stones at the southeast corner and running westerly on land formerly of John Richardson, deceased, forty rods to a stake and stones; thence running northerly on Felton's land ten rods to a stake and stones; thence easterly on said Felton's land forty-one rods to a stake and stones; thence southerly sixteen rods to the first-mentioned bound.

Fourth, also another tract of land situated in said Franklin, containing thirty-four acres, more or less, bounded, beginning at Populatic pond at a stake and running westerly by land now or formerly owned by George Barber to a white oak tree; thence southerly on said Barber's land to another white oak tree; thence westerly by said Barber's land to a stake by land of Walker, now or formerly; thence southerly by said Walker's land by a turn in the fence and then to a corner; thence southwesterly by said Walker's land by a white oak tree and broken top pine to a pine stump and stones on a hill; thence southwesterly by said Walker's other land to a black oak tree, making a corner on said Walker's land; thence easterly by land formerly owned by Milton Sanford to a black oak tree on a hill; thence northerly on land now or formerly owned by Lewis Richardson to said Pond; thence by said Pond to the first-mentioned bound. For further description see deeds from Adeliza H. Clark to Frank W. Clark, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib 609, fol. 241, and lib. 612, fol. 243, and from Adeliza H Clark to Medway Savings Bank, recorded with Norfolk deeds, lib. 678, fol. 141.

Also, three separate parcels of land and buildings, situated in said Medway, on Village street, the first lot and second lot being the homestead of the late Alonzo P. Phillips, and the first is bounded southerly by said Village street, easterly on land late of Edward Eaton, now Medway Savings Bank; northerly on land of E. E. Carpenter, westerly on land of Lawrence McGinnis, containing five acres and three-fourths, more or less.

Second lot situated opposite and bounded northerly on Village street, southwesterly by Charles River and easterly on land late of Mrs. A. H. Clark or another.

The third lot is the Lawrence McGinnis' homestead, bounded southerly on land of Peter Foley and Village street, easterly on lot first described above, northerly on woodland of W. A. Jenckes and westerly on land of Ellen McGill and Peter Foley, containing eight acres, more or less, being the same as lands described in the following deeds recorded in the Norfolk Registry to A. P. Phillips, lib. 398, fol. 315, to Lawrence McGinnis, lib. 300, fol. 185; lib. 318, fol. 188; lib. 360, fol. 85.

Except a small piece conveyed to Peter Foley. Excepting what was released from the Lawrence McGinnis homestead estate, seventy feet on Village street, and one hundred and fifty feet deep, as per mortgage from John Boudo to Medway Savings Bank.

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
Deputy Sheriff.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Sarah B. Akerman, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Albert H. Martin, the trustee under the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first annual account of his trust under said will,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county, on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this thirty-first day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

fe2,9,16 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all creditors of the estate of Jesse B. Hopkins, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned commissioners of said estate will hold a meeting at the office of Rufus G. Fairbanks, in West Medway, in said county, on SATURDAY, FEB. 24 next, at 2 o'clock p. m., and all persons having claims against said estate may present them at said place and time for allowance.

RUFUS G. FAIRBANKS,
FRANCIS W. CUMMINGS,
Commissioners.

Medway, Feb. 1, 1900. fe2,9,16

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MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Report of Dean basket ball game on Friday.

Expressman Grant is recovering from his severe illness.

Joseph G. Ray has been confined to the house by illness.

The King's Daughters meet with Miss May Fales this evening.

Mrs. Dr. Charles Kingsley of Marlboro is a guest a Judge Doe's.

Mrs. W. C. Chase of Roxbury has been visiting Mrs. F. E. Aldrich.

C. J. McKenzie is gradually improving, being able to be about the house.

The Red Men conferred the adoption degree upon five candidates last evening.

John McIntyre and son, Walter, of New York, have been visiting at Charles Stewart's.

The number of tramps cared for at the lockup the past year was 296, an average of less than one a night.

The meeting of the Mothers' section for Friday has been postponed one week at Mrs. C. B. Johnson's.

The Ladies' Social circle of the Universalist church meets tomorrow, with Mrs. Heaton, Dean avenue.

Mrs. Walter Austin, (nee Moran) is dangerously ill at her home with quinsy sore throat.

A few men are employed about the power house at Unionville, but work there does not seem to be rushing.

The Lyons place on Grove street, South Franklin, has been sold to a South Boston man through W. A. Poud's

Mrs. F. B. Archibald, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. B. M. Rockwood, has gone to Uxbridge, where she will reside.

The complaint of lack of water at the mills and in other quarters has ceased, the late copious rains furnishing an ample supply.

The Lawrence Guild will meet at the house of J. E. Hurt tomorrow (Wednesday) evening at 7 o'clock, for its Monthly Literary Evening.

The choir of St. Mary's church, under the direction of Miss D. G. Griffin, will provide the entertainment to be given at St. Mary's parish reunion.

During the winter the inside of the A. B. Fletcher block has been very generally renovated, the hallways and some of the rooms receiving new finish.

The Members of the Cast of "The Spinsters Matrimonial Convention" are requested to meet this evening at 7.30 sharp at the store in Opera House Block, for rehearsal.

The Norfolk and Middlesex grange will meet here Feb. 28, when several interesting talks are expected, among them an address on temperance. Probably one or more of the sessions will be open to the public.

Alexander Craigie, who owns a house-lot on Crocker avenue, was one of the Franklin men who took the Klondike fever and went to Alaska, where he died, and relatives are now settling his estate. He was a single man.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church will meet in the parlor Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A salad supper will be served at 6.30; tickets usual price. A pleasing entertainment in the evening.

Great Convention of Spinsters Feb. 2tst

Miss Myrtie Whiting has been secured to sing at Walpole in March for the benefit of the Walpole women's club. U. S. Kerr of Boston, who has sung here so acceptably a number of times, is also to sing there.

Spinsters in fine form and large variety

A. M. Thayer has issued a beautiful memorial of his daughter Rachel, comprising the articles which appeared in the SENTINEL, letters of condolence from friends, poetical selections and a remarkably fine portrait of the dear departed.

All ye bachelors—take notice—

The friends of Rev. Mr. Chadbourne here will be gratified to learn that it was unanimously voted at the quarterly conference of the Methodist church of West Medway, to request his return as pastor of the church the coming year.

We are not so young, and not so old

The school committee this year ask for $400 more than last year in the regular appropriation, and in special appropriation $100 for lettering the Horace Mann and William M. Thayer schoolhouses, and $250 to repair the furnaces in the latter building.

Why have the Spinsters chosen Franklin

John Murphy, who died near City Mills on Tuesday was discovered by W. M. Comey, as he was driving between here and City Mills. Mr. Murphy came to Bush Factory from Boston and kept an athletic training establishment on the hill, a short distance from the factory, on the road to Franklin.

Because the men are fair and not so rare

The annual report of the county treasurer of Norfolk is out. One of the most interesting items shows the expense to the county of the Seery brothers' murder trial was $7000, exclusive of allowance to counsel for the defendants, which is also to be paid by the county. The result of the trial was acquittal.

Oh! The little corkscrew curls

Mother Goose and her family will be at home in the vestry of the M. E. church on Thursday evening next. A bean supper will be served from 6 to 8 o'clock, after which will be given a short entertainment under the auspices of the Junior Epworth League. Come and see Mother Goose and her family.

Which the well-preserved old girls

The M. A. & W. electric railroad company has made application to the selectmen for an extension of the franchise for the construction of the Westboro, Hopkinton & Milford Street railway for one year. The time for which the franchise was granted expires in a few days, but has been extended one year.

Wear with such becoming grace

The school committee are understood to favor selling the unused school houses at South Franklin and the northwest district. The matter will be brought before the town at the annual March meeting for the decision of the voters. In the Populactic district the committee think no action better be taken at present.

Like a frame about the face

George W. Wiggin, Esq., has been selected by Judge Braley of the Superior court as one of the commissioners to consider the abolition of grade crossings in Haverhill. "Squire" Wiggin has had not a little experience in such matters, and is considered an especially valuable man, as is evidenced by his selection.

In great hoop-skirts they will prance

The adjourned Parish meeting of St. John's Mission, will be held tomorrow (Wednesday) evening at the Rectory, on Crescent street. All contributors large or small towards the support of the mission are to be entitled to be present and to vote. The Election of Wardens and Vestry men will be the principal business. The Meeting will be called to order at 7.30 P. M.

Up and down the stage, and dance

Manager Partridge wants to make an important improvement at the opera house by building new dressing rooms at the rear of the store, under the stage, and taking out those at the side of the stage. This would give much better facilities for handling scenery and much less work in handling baggage for the dressing rooms. With such a change many spectacular pieces could be much better presented.

In their own bewitching way

The American Woolen company held its first annual meeting in Jersey City Tuesday, when Hon. Joseph G. Ray retried as one of the directors. During the first eight and a half months of the business year total sales of the company amounted to $26,500,000. It was estimated that the total sales for the year will amount to $36,000,000. The president thought the sales for the coming year would not be less than $40,000,000.

Franklin's MALE-D hearts to slay

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather the Ladies' Auxiliary, No. 12, A. O. H., and their friends fully enjoyed themselves Friday evening at the second anniversary of their organization. The entertainment which was varied was enjoyed by the large number present. Whist was played, after which ice cream and cake was served. Dancing then took place, M. McWilliams, prompter. Vocal solos were pleasingly rendered by Misses Lizzie Pendergast, Florence Cody and Agnes O'Sullivan. The music was by Miss Agnes O'Sullivan.

Come and see the Antique Dames

As may be seen elsewhere, Mr. McCarthy, the dry goods man of Woonsocket, was to have held a sale here this week in the Opera House block, but the matter coming to the attention of Attorney Ruggles, through the Business Men's association, he wrote Mr. McCarthy that the law prohibited such sales. Upon conferring with a prominent Woonsocket lawyer and also with Mr. Ruggles personally, Mr. McCarthy decided that the legal gentlemen were right, and having no desire to evade or test the law he announces his withdrawal elsewhere.

Try to guess their proper names

The financial condition of the town at the close of the fiscal year, Jan. 31, shows the town with a balance of assets over liabilities of over $3000. The assets include unpaid taxes of $11,790, cash in the treasury of $3310, due on sewer $3300 and from the state and towns over $2100. These assets are good for nearly face value. The liabilities consist of notes for borrowed money and unpaid bills of about $17,000. The condition is somewhat more favorable than last year, and the amount of unpaid taxes is about the same. These taxes are wholly on the assessment of 1899, the account for the previous year having been closed.

Give them one last desperate chance

The lecture of Mr. Buker, on "Egypt," to be given in the Universalist church next Monday evening will be not only interesting, but instructive. It will be illustrated by the stereopticon, and will exhibit more than 100 pictures. Mr. Buker visited the Orient for the purpose of obtaining these pictures and the material for his lectures. Those who listen to him will obtain as good an idea of this wonderland as it is possible to obtain without going to Egypt in person. Children of the public schools under fifteen will be admitted for fifteen cents, provided they are obtained in advance. Tickets at the door twenty-five cents. Tickets at Dana's.

To pierce your heart with Cupid's lance

Rev. W. R. Libby of Jamaica Plain preached at the Universalist church Sunday. At the 5 p. m service his text was from Matt. xvi,, 18: "Upon this rock I will build my church." The speaker said the rock of ages was referred to in the text exemplified in Jesus Christ. The church is any organization of individuals bonded together for the uplifting of humanity. The church of the present is divided into factions, although all striving for the same end. The church of the future will recognize more and more that the foundation is love and tolerance. Minor differences will be forgotten and it will be broad enough to hold all. Catholic in spirit, having faith in truth, trust in God and humanity, the product of all good that has been.

Their President, she is immense

Business is opening up nicely for H. S. Dow of Boston, who has opened the White Star laundry in the rear of the Dana block. He does only high grade work, and bundles can be left at Mr. Dana's, if desired.

Dr. E. M. Faxon, Boston, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, will meet patients at hotel Briggs Thursdays from 9 to 12:30 o'clock.

And Franklin's schools she represents

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Being Investigated.

An alarming rumor got abroad that the Catholic church was structurally unsafe and had been condemned by state authorities. The facts are that some of the supporting pillars in the room below have weakened, and Father Lee has decided to have the structure carefully examined before holding further service there. Meanwhile services will be held in the Opera house until arrangements can be made for them in the new gymnasium building.

Be Sure to Hear It.

Tickets are selling well for the Tufts College Glee Club concert at Dean academy on Friday evening, and a rich musical treat is assured. Again, the money secured provides a means of enjoying base ball and other sports for Dean, and who does not enjoy the spring games, which are provided free?

"Shannon of the Sixth."

Manager Partridge has secured this magnificent romantic military drama for next week Tuesday evening, and it will be the finest play of its kind seen here this season. More later.

The Medway Electric Hearing.

Over two hundred citizens gathered in the Town Hall last evening to hear the petitioners on the matter of an electric road between here and Medway, over Lincoln street. The selectmen were all present, Chairman Gallison presiding. Clerk Newell read the call, and the chairman explained that everyone had a right to be heard. The town belonged to its citizens and not to the corporations, and that this was the place for an honest expression of opinion.

Attorney Feeley of Walpole said that the company he represented desired to build at once and in as nearly a straight line between here and Boston as possible. The same company built the road from Medway to Dedham, which spoke for itself. This would be a continuation of that line, making Franklin one terminal and Boston the other, going to Forest Hills without change of cars. The fare would be five cents from any part of a town to any part of another town. In answer to Principal Daniels he assured half fare to school children and teachers. Sixty foot and sixty pound rails would be used, paving where required and also girder rails, that matter with the poles being left with the selectmen This present board would have to take some action upon this petition, as its successor could not take cognizance of this appeal, but a new one would have to be made.

Attorney Ruggles spoke upon the grounds of public necessity and convenience, urging also that it would not clash with any existing interests, as there was at present no connecting link between here and Boston, or between here and Medway. The proposed line ran within seventy-five rods of the school house in Rockville, and two hundred and fifty rods of the Waite mill. It would open up a valuable trade between here and Medway, and was of prime importance to our merchants here. The road would be built upon honor. To Mr. Fisher's suggestion he said that one road could not use another's tracks until it had been running six months, and then only by traffic arrangement or by an appeal to the commissioners. Otherwise this road would stop at Emmons street.

Dr. E. C. Abbott presented a petition signed by nearly every merchant upon Main street, and the residents upon the proposed line, together with many other voters. He also asked permission of the board that an expression be taken by rising of the sentiment in favor of the road. Nearly all seated arose. He expressed surprise at the apparent lack of opposition to the road, and said he had been led to believe that the meeting would develop into a "red-hot time."

W. S. Johnson said that as he traveled about he found a general desire for electric communication, and insisted that the steam road was not supplying the needs of the town.

In response to a call for George W. Bacon, that gentleman said that he desired to learn what opposition there could possibly be to the proposed road. Medway was now shut out from Franklin and it desired connection. A circuitous route through City Mills and Norfolk would be as bad as through Bellingham and Unionville. The direct route was but three and one-half miles. This would also furnish connection with South Framingham. The school children need the accommodation. From Medway to Milford is ten cents, and from Medway to Franklin through Bellingham would probably be fifteen. This company will give in return more than it asks. The present road to Medway was little better than a cart path. He understood that the selectmen of Norfolk would refuse to permit this company to come by way of that town, preferring later to be in a direct line of communication between Franklin and Walpole.

D. W. Corson said that the Medway road should be allowed an entrance because it would bring trade in, while at present not a little trade was going to Woonsocket, he thought to the amount of between $300 and $500 per week. He felt that if the selectmen did not care to grant it that the town should be allowed to vote upon the matter.

James M. Parker of North Franklin urged the admission of the company on the ground that Medway people desired to trade here and that the present method of transporting children by barge was unsatisfactory and cruel. The five cent rate would surely bring trade to Franklin merchants.

Fred S. Gore, for the company, said that the new road did not antagonize existing roads, but came to benefit itself and the town as well. A first-class road would be built, and he invited the selectmen to examine the company's works elsewhere as proof of the honesty of its intentions.

The meeting was then dismissed, the company distributing maps of the proposed route and their lines. The selectmen take the matter under advisement, but give no intimation of their intention as yet. It was the largest attended selectmen's hearing ever held in town, and, while there may be opposition, not an opposing word or suggestion was developed in the meeting.

The War in South Africa.

A large audience assembled on last Sunday evening in the Congregational church to listen to the address of the pastor, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, upon the war between the Britain and the Boer. The large number of men present indicated the interest taken in the question. Dr. Sneath expressed his conviction that the attitude of the American people was that of sympathy for the Boers, with no spirit of hostility toward the English. Unquestionably the present war was an unjustifiable one. The English government should have exercised a larger patience and pressed for arbitration of the difficulties which had arisen. As the stronger nation she could have afforded to do so. Three serious barriers to a satisfactory arbitration were evident: First, the gold fields; second, the discontent of the Outlanders; and third, the determination on the part of each nation to control the southern portion of the African continent. Nevertheless, we still believe that the English should have, in the face of the seemingly precipitate action of President Kruger's proclamation, pursued the policy of delay and sought most earnestly for a peaceful settlement. But the war is on and the future looks dark and foreboding. And so I believe the time is at hand for mediation.

The conference at the Hague decided that it would not be an impertinence at any time for any nation to step forward and offer her services as mediator between two contending nations. This ought to be done at once. And for three reasons: First, to save the South African Republic. While the English monarchy is better than any other, it is not the ideal form of government. The republic meets the ideal, and while there are features in the South African republic which are not in accordance with our ideas, it is nevertheless a republic, and I do not want to see one less republic in the world, and especially not upon the dark continent. English victory means a republic changed into a colony. Second, to save many lives from death in conflict. The indications are that serious struggles are near at hand, with fearful destruction of life. This ought to be avoided if possible. Third, for the sake of Her Majesty's realm itself. We know not what a day may bring forth. There are serious movements in Afghanistan, in China; there are the possibilities of insurrection in India and Egypt. English civilization is preferable to Russian. This war ought to be brought to a speedy conclusion as a wise precaution against more serious conditions that may follow at any time.

It must, therefore, be evident that mediation is a timely suggestion. There is force in the idea that an English civilization in the south of Africa is better than the one which now exists. But it is also evident that in time the English-speaking residents would accomplish the ends sought for in a more peaceful way. And our faith is, that whatever the outcome of this struggle, a higher form of Christian civilization will rapidly come to that wonderfully blessed portion of God's earth.

Mr. Sneath made a spiritual application upon the curse of covetousness as it makes itself felt in the individual life as well as in nations.

An Annual Enjoyment.

The Annual Founders' Day exercises of Dean Academy will be held at the Academy on Friday, Feb. 16, 1900. From the early days of the school it has been customary to celebrate the birthday of Dr. Oliver Dean in commemoration both of his early munificence to the school and the gifts of a long line of benefactors since, who have made possible the present condition of the institution. The occasion brings together trustees and friends, the past and present students, and is a most enjoyable day in the school year. The following is the programme for the day.

11.00 a. m.—Semi-annual meeting of trustees in the Academy office.

2.30 p. m.—Annual Founders' day address, Academy chapel, Rev. James F. Albion, Malden, Mass. Subject, "The ultimate aim of education."

4.00 p. m.—Social reunion, Academy parlors.

8.00 p. m.—Concert by the Tufts College Glee, Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar club, for the benefit of the Dean Athletic association.

9.15 p. m.—Informal reception to the Glee club, Dean gymnasium.

A Good Time Promised.

The New England Order of Protection will hold the last of a series of socials Wednesday evening, Feb. 14, in Red Men's hall, at 8.15 o'clock. Music by Prof. John O'Sullivan. All members are requested to be present at lodge meeting promptly at 7.30 o'clock.

Monumental Work.

The undersigned informs the public that he represents one of the largest manufacturers and dealers in marble and granite monumental work of Vermont. He has an extensive line of photo designs to select from and prices to suit the times. A line addressed to L. S. Cheney, at Franklin, will meet with prompt attention.

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The License Question.

There is an aspect of this question which is quite apt to be overlooked. The enforcement of a no-license law is left largely with the selectmen. Any board elected through liquor interests could so nullify the law through non-enforcement that it would be nearly equivalent to license.

Therefore it behooves every voter to consider carefully, from a temperance standpoint, the qualifications of each of the candidates for selectmen. The votes of temperance men should not be cast for any candidate for selectmen who is not known to be an advocate of no license and all that term implies.

Other considerations may arise this year, on account of the interest in the electric road matter, so that the temperance attitude of the candidates may not be as closely scanned as usual. No other interest should blind the honest voter to the possibility of a board who would not enforce the law, and the temperance issue should be paramount. Do not let it be overshadowed by any other issue.

Temperance people do not especially fear that the town will be carried this year for license, but at the same time they should see to it that their efforts in behalf of a clean town be not defeated by a board which does not represent their convictions in so vital a matter.

Voters, scan your candidates carefully, and see if they will stand the test.

The February Meeting

Of the Norfolk Christian Endeavor Union will be held at the Congregational church, Walpole, on Thursday, Feb. 22d. The exercises will commence at 2.30 p. m. with praise and devotional services for 15 minutes. Then will follow the program as found below.

2.45 2.55—Address of welcome. Rev. G. Y. Washburn.

2.55-3.10—Reports of secretary, treasurer, and business.

3.10-3.45—Exercises by Walpole Juniors.

3.45-4.45—Papers by pastors: 1. Our Country's peril. Rev. E. E. Harris, Sheldonville. 2. Our Country's glory. Rev. W. J. Minchin, Wrentham. 3. Our Country's hope. Rev. A. H. Wheelock, Millis.

4.45 5.00—Consecration service. Conducted by Vice-President.

5 00-7.00—Social and conference of committees.

7 00-7.30—A patriotic praise service of song.

7.30-8.00—Reports of societies and business.

8.00-8.45—Address: My Country and I. Rev. E. L. House, Dorchester, Mass.

Benediction.

Thirteen societies will be represented The officers consist of the following: Pres., Harry A. Ross, Foxboro; vice pres., Chas. L. Stewart, Franklin; sec., Delia S. Smith, Walpole; cor. sec., Sibyl H. Spalding, Foxvale; treas., John S. Allen, Walpole.

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Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

TUESDAY, FEB. 13, 1900

A Rare Decision.

Whether the subjoined rendition of justice, reported by the San Francisco Wave, is authentic or not is beyond our ken, but in any event it is unique to a degree: "At Langtry, Tex., Squire Roy Bean, who administers justice and keeps the leading saloon, had to sit in judgment on one Jim Anderson, a red-headed railroad clerk who had killed Ah Ling, a laundryman, for, as he claimed, insulting him. Anderson was arrested and brought before Magistrate Bean, who listened to the evidence, which was given by the accused himself, and then proceeded to turn the pages of his copy of the revised statues: 'This here book, which is a Texas law book,' he announced, 'says thet hommy-side is th' killin' of a human, male ur female. They is many kinds of hommy-side—murder, manslaughter, plain hommy-side, negl'gent hommy-side, justifi'ble hommy-side an' praiseworthy hommy-side. They is three kinds of humans—white men, niggers an' Mexikins. It stan's to reason thet a Chinym'n ain't human. Ef a Chinym'n was human, killin' of him would come under th' head of praiseworthy hommy-side. Th' pris'ner is discharged, on conditions that he pays f'r havin' th' Chink buried.' Since this decision the laundry work of Langtry has been done wholly by Mexicans."

A Lover's Lawsuit.

In Chicago they are above all things practical. A student in the College of Physicians and Surgeons there has furnished the latest example of this virtue. He "wants dem presents back," and has gone to law to recover $90 spent in gifts while trying to discover whether Miss Eva Selleck, of Knoxville, Ill., was his destined affinity. After much deliberation he at last decided that there were plenty of fish in the sea and more than one girl in the world for him. Then, says the New York Times, Miss Selleck married a Chicago physician and was happy—for awhile. That is to say, she was happy until she received word of that $90 suit hereinbefore mentioned. The student of medicine says he spent the money for perfume, wine, cab fares, condensed milk and a bath brush. The point at issue is, of course, whether he simply advanced the cash on the understanding that it was to be repaid by wifely affection or whether the condensed milk, etc., was presented merely as a token of his love. Well, bath brushes may pass in Knoxville, Ill., as the girl protests, for tokens of that kind, but to the weary-wise eastern eye they look like indications of a permanent menage.

No nation eats anything like as much meat per capita as the American people. That they are too carnivorous is certain, says the Atlanta Journal. They would be healthier, heartier and happier people if they ate more farinaceous foods, more cheese, more vegetables and less meat. Many persons will find during the present high prices of beef that they can get along without it better than they had supposed, and that it is easy to provide good substitutes for it.

The Denver Times says: A native Colorado girl never gasps and says: "Oh! this is so sudden!" when she receives a proposal of marriage. She just opens her ruby lips to afford egress to a feathery sigh of relief, smiles the pensive smile she has been reserving for the occasion, lays her head where she can hear his heart tick and says to herself: "Won't the other girls be jealous, though, to see that I have got a dead cinch on him!"

Carrollton, Mo., is pervaded by a burglar who is described as wearing a long black mask and smoking a corncob pipe. This, remarks a fussy contemporary, distinguishes him from any burglar who may happen to be wearing a corncob pipe and smoking a long black mask.

See what Happens!

Listen to a child story:

MARY:—"Did you say your prayers last night?"

ALICE:—"Yes."

MARY:—"Well, I didn't, and I'm not going to say 'em to-night! Nor to-morrow night! Nor the next night! I'm going to stop now for five nights and if nothing happens to me, then I'm never going to say 'em any more."

This is the way children reason;—and some grown-up people, too! They are all right because "nothing happens!"

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CLEAN MILKING PAYS.

Interesting Experiments Conducted by Prof. D. H. Otis, at the Kansas State Station.

It is a well-known fact that cows not milked clean will tend to dry up in short order. Another important reason for milking clean is to get all of the butter fat, which is contained in a much larger per cent. in the last than in the first milk drawn, as is shown by the following experiment. The college dairy has conducted an experiment showing the importance of clean milking. Five cows were selected and their milk collected in half-pint bottles, each teat contributing its share to every bottle. These samples were tested with the Babcock test, with the following results:

Cow No. 6 varied from .6 of one per cent. to 7.2 per cent.

Cow No. 10 varied from .2 of one per cent. to 6.6 per cent.

Cow No. 14 varied from 1.6 per cent. to 5.8 per cent.

Cow No. 15 varied from 1.5 per cent. to 6.8 per cent.

Cow No. 20 varied from .8 of one per cent. to 7.8 per cent.

The results show a gradual, although not entirely uniform, increase in the per cent. of fat from the beginning to the last of the milking, except with the last two samples drawn from each cow. Here the per cent. of fat would take a sudden leap, amounting often to a third or a half of the total variation. This shows very clearly how important it is to get all the milk. By averaging the results it was found that the last quarter of a pint was worth from three-fourths to 1½ pints of milk first drawn from the udder. Moral: Milk clean and get fat.—D. H. Otis, Kansas Experiment Station.

The War Spirit.

"Yes, when Willie grows up we intend to get him a commission in the army."

"Which branch of the service?"

"Eh?"

"Which branch of the service—infantry?"

"No, cavalry, I think. He looks just beautiful on his rocking horse."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Now He Had to Obey.

Downtrod—Never write letters, my boy, that you'll regret in after life.

Dewtell—You speak from experience?

Downtrod—I do! In early correspondence with her whom is now my wife, I signed myself, "Your obedient servant."—Spare Moments.

A Mean Steal.

Neighbor—My! my! So the story is true, and your husband has really eloped with the servant girl?

Deserted Wife (weeping)—Yes, and she was the best girl I ever had, too—a perfectly lovely cook, and so quiet and respectful. Dear knows where I'll be able to get another.—N. Y. Weekly.

Hope's Handiwork.

Hope painted pictures marvelously fair,
And made my dwelling rich beyond compare:
But, while I dreamed and dreamed, Time crept about,
And all Hope's handiwork he blotted out!
—Town Topics.

Place a box of salt near the watering trough so the horses can lick it whenever they go to drink. This is preferable to the usual method of salting the farm horses once a week.—Farm Journal.

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Gold Brick Sam—Go on!

Bunco Bill—Sure thing! He keeps summer boarders.—N. Y. Journal.

If the reader of this should chance to know of any one who is subject to attacks of bilious colic he can do him no greater favor than to tell him of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. It always give prompt relief. For sale by Albert C. Mason

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What She Wished, Perhaps.

"And did you crush him with a look, as you said you would, the next time you met?"

"Why, no; I rather think I only mashed him."—Indianapolis Journal.

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Need Some Covering.

Mistress—Why, Bridget, the chairs are covered with dust!

Servant (coolly)—Well, mem, they want something to hide their shabbiness.—Fun.

She Had.

Hearing a faint rustle in the dark hallway below, the elder sister, supposing the young man had gone, leaned over the balustrade and called out:

"Well, Bess, have you landed him?"

There was a deep, sepulchral silence for some moments. It was broken by the hesitating, constrained voice of the young man:

"She has."—Boston Journal.

Proud.

"I tell you," said the proud father, "that's a mighty smart child of mine. Mighty smart."

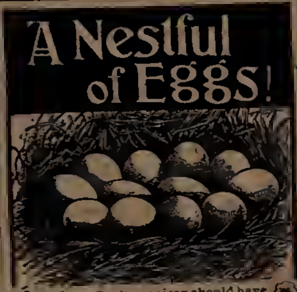
"What has he been doing?"

"Nothing in particular. Only he's naturally up to date. He takes to oatmeal porridge as if he liked it, and talks something that sounds for all the world like Scotch dialect."—Washington Star.

For the Nursery.

I bought a little hobby horse,
And it was dapple gray;
I gave it to my baby boy
And then I heard him say:
"Oh, take away this foolish toy,
The horse has got to go—
An auto-something's what I want,
As you had ought to know."
—Chicago Daily News.

A Nestful of Eggs!



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Else be very thick.
She must follow with the "dough"
When he's living high on "tick!"
Don't forget his bill of fare,
Wine and chicken wing;
And when the song is finished through
Just add the ragtime swing.
Now, you've done the best you can;
Choose a name for it—
Something silly, lacking sense—
And it will make a hit.
—Chicago Daily News.

Got No Invitation.

Tramp—Please, mum, me feet's on th' ground; an' if ye could spare me an ole pair o' shoes, I'd——

Mrs. Spinks—There's a wedding going on in the big house across the street. Just you go over there and wait. When the couple comes out the family will throw a lot of the bride's old shoes after her.

"But, mum, they'd be too small."

"Huh! Wait till you see her feet."—N. Y. Weekly.

Apology Was Accepted.

Bess—So Tom had the impudence to kiss you last night?

Tess—Yes, but he came around to-day to explain. He said: "I'm sorry if I hurt you. I admit I'm only an apology for a man, but I love you, and that was the only way I could tell you."

Bess—The idea! Well?

Tess—Well, I accepted the apology

In the Matter of Management.

"It is better to laugh than to cry," said the young girl, brightly.

"Not if you are trying to manage a husband," said the woman.—Indianapolis Journal.

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LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$554,598 58
Guarantee Fund		27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account		1,[illegible] 27
Interest Account		[illegible]37 60
Real Estate Income Account		22 70
		$[illegible]99,123 24

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$2[illegible],073 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		29,182 62
Railroad Bonds		121,[illegible]2 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		30,300 00
" " Mortgages		170,745 00
" " Personal Securities		18,095 75
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Notes		3,000 00
Expense Account		1[illegible]6 26
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$4 293 79	
Nat Bank of Redemption	5,783 10	
Mercantile Trust Co.	2,6[illegible]4 53	
		12,716 42
Cash on hand		2,[illegible]95 44
		$[illegible]99,123 24

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

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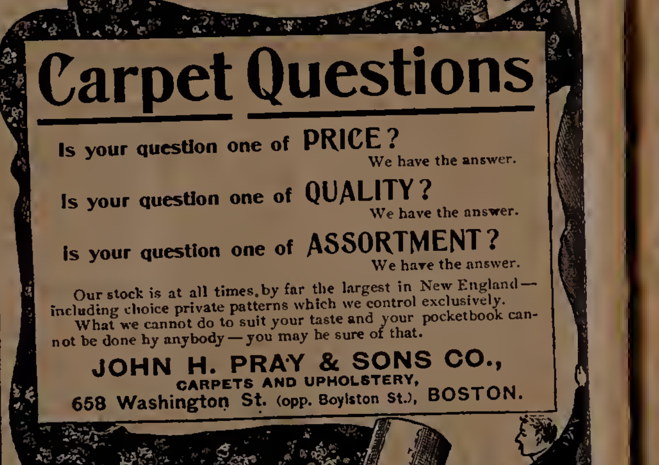

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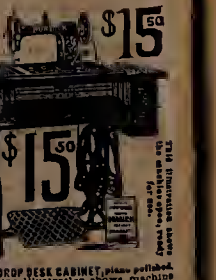

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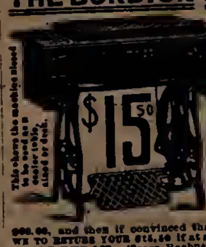

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The plot for the children's garden should be well prepared—spaded and made soft, then smoothly raked. The child's name, or the initial letters of the name, may be sown in fine grass seed, or the seed of china pinks, or of flax. Make the letters in the smooth, soft soil with a pointed stick or the finger. Sow the seeds in the little furrows thus made, and cover firmly, pressing down the earth firmly but not too compactly. Sprinkle with warm water, and the seeds will quickly vegetate, and the little one sees with wondering delight his name traced in living green letters on his garden plot.—The Half Hour.

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Cabbage may be kept in fine condition until January by cutting off the stalks and trimming off the outer leaves, wrapping them in three or four thicknesses of newspaper and placing on a shelf in the cellar. For late winter and spring use it is best to store them outside. Bury a box or barrel in the ground in a dry situation. Trim the heads and wrap them in newspapers, put them in the barrel and spread a layer of leaves or straw on top and cover with boards so it will be waterproof. When the weather becomes colder put on a little dirt and add to it as the cold increases. Squashes and pumpkins may be kept in any dry, airy place until freezing weather, and then put in the cellar. One of the best methods of preserving squashes for winter use is to give them a coat of varnish.—Farm and Home.

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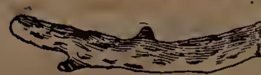

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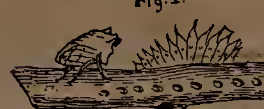

Fig. 2.

THE BUFFALO TREE HOPPER.

In Prussia conscription dates from 1817, and throughout the German empire from 1871. Service is obligatory for 12 years, until 32 years of age. For 22 years, from 19 to 42, all Austrians are under military obligations. The physically unfit must purchase exemption by a fine according to their wealth. There are no other exemptions.—N. Y. World.

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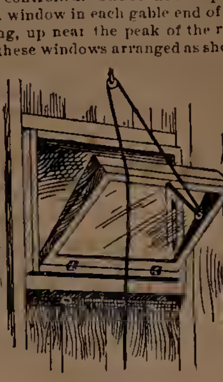

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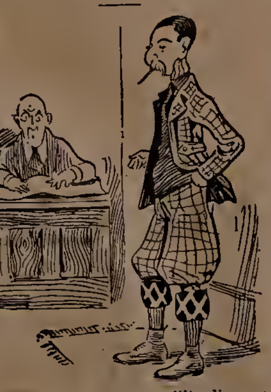

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NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 pm. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 58, f5 21, 6 10, f7 25, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58, a m; f1 01, 5 25, 6 15, f7 28, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 20, 10 30 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

NEW YORK, all rail—9 15 a m; 4 23 p m. Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

New York, via Norwich Line, 7 45 p m. Return New Pier 36, North River, 8 00 p m.

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Trains leave FRANKLIN for

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MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 35, 6 50 p m; S 6 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.

ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

Trains leave Unionville for

MILFORD—9 25 a m; 1 19, 4 37, 5 42, 6 57, 8 6 44 p m

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WRENTHAM.

Miss Ouida Stone has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Partridge in West Upton.——Miss Helen Stone is visiting friends in Boston.——The Cypress Aid society will give a valentine party in the banquet room in the town hall Wednesday evening, Feb. 14. A farce will be presented, followed by a social hour, and refreshments will be on sale.——Miss Carrie G. Hill gave a party at the residence of Mrs. George R Fairfield Friday evening, which was enjoyed until a late hour, D. S. Farrington making the highest score. Refreshments were served, consisting of cake, ice cream and candy.——The McClennan Co., E. S. McClennan manager, has made an assignment in favor of his son, E D McClennan, of Brookline.——Miss Ethel Bean of Medfield is visiting friends in town.——Mrs Edwin Fisher is sick owing to overwork in taking care of her two children, who are sick with scarlet fever.——Rev. E. J. Hale exchanged with Rev W. J Minchin Sunday.——William Stone, who has been ill with pneumonia at Charles W. Pond's, is somewhat better.

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Commends itself to the well-informed, to do pleasantly and effectually what was formerly done in the crudest manner and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches and fevers without unpleasant after effects use the delightful liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs. Made by California Fig Syrup Co.

Wintering Bees in Cellars.

An experiment is reported from Canada in wintering bees in which the hives were placed six inches from the floor and protected with a piece of old woolen carpet placed under the wooden cover. When placed in the cellar each colony had 30 pounds of honey, which proved more than sufficient for the winter, and all the hives wintered successfully. The temperature of the cellar, shown by a self-registering thermometer, remained steadily between 40 and 50 degrees Fahrenheit.

The Flavor of Eggs.

A vast difference exists in the flavor of eggs. Hens fed on clear, sound grain and kept on a clean grass run, give much finer product than fowls that have access to stable and manure heaps and all kinds of filthy food. Hens feeding on fish and onions flavor their eggs accordingly, just as cows eating onions or cabbage and drinking offensive water impart a bad taste to the milk and butter. The richer the food, the higher the color of the eggs. Wheat and corn give eggs the best color.—Rural World.

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A Way Girls Have.

Cora—Did Maude marry the man she loved?

Lena—No; she married the man she thought she couldn't get.—Town Topics.

Hood's Pills

Are prepared from Nature's mild laxatives, and while gentle are reliable and efficient. They

Rouse the Liver

Cure Sick Headache, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, and Constipation. Sold everywhere, 25c. per box.

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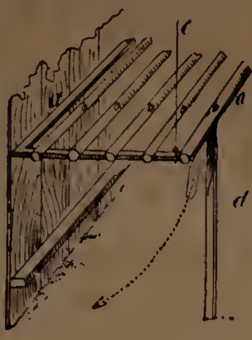
HANDY CHICKEN ROOST.

Arranged So That They Can Be Let Down When the House Is Being Cleaned.

In many poultry houses the manner in which the roosts are placed in position is a source of annoyance when time comes to clean out the house. In order to avoid the difficulty of getting around under the roosts, b, they should be placed crosswise on a frame made of about two by four-inch material, six feet wide and nearly as long as the building in which they are to be placed. Hang the frame, a, at one side to the wall by heavy strap or T-hinges and support the other side by props, d, placed under it or a couple of pieces of stout wire rope, c, hung from the roof. The roosts can then be let down out of the way when the house is being cleaned and they also can be scraped off and washed with lime, either with a brush or spray pump. If both house and roosts are whitewashed frequently the filth will be lessened. A spray pump is excellent to use for this whitewashing process.—American Agriculturist.



SWINGING ROOST.

GAPES IN CHICKENS.

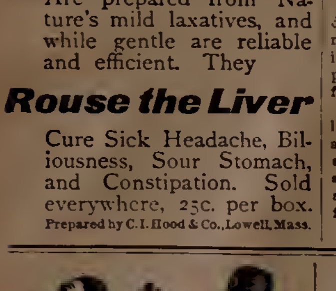
To Effect a Permanent Cure the Premises Must Be Cleared of All Angle-Worms.

As a preventive of gapes it is necessary to rid the premises of the common red or angle-worm, as their bodies are usually infected with the gape germ, says a correspondent in Fancy Fowls. Soon after the infected worm is swallowed by a chick the gape worm develops into a small red colored worm which crawls up in the throat and descends into the lower bronchial tubes, thereby closing the air passage so as to cause the patient to gape for lack of a sufficiency of air, and causing death within a short time if the chick is not relieved.

The best way to get rid of the angle worm is to scatter a quantity of strong lime all over the poultry runs or yards early every spring, and you will never have any more gapes in your flock. I have done this for the past five years and have never had any chicks infected with this malady since I began the use of lime.

Lime is also a good disinfectant and destroys other disease germs and vermin. The lime is also beneficial to laying hens, as they get a portion of it in picking up their foods as it aids in shell formation.

When you notice one of your chicks infected with gapes, if you will make a pill of gum camphor about the size of a small pea and force the patient to swallow it, immediate relief will result, as the gape worm cannot stand the fumes of camphor.



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Pneumonia, Pleurisy or Bronchitis can be avoided at this season of the year by taking

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For sudden chills and colds it is well to have a box on hand to prevent a more serious climax to the attack. Will cure a cold in the head in 24 hours. Do not affect the head, produce ringing or cause nervousness like the Sulphate Quinine. They move the bowels gently without griping.

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There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell. Then the richness of the blood—the albumen—leaks out and the sufferer has Bright's Disease, the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root** the new discovery is the true specific for kidney, bladder and urinary troubles. It has cured thousands of apparently hopeless cases, after all other efforts have failed. At druggists in fifty-cent and dollar sizes. A sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling about Swamp-Root and its wonderful cures. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. and mention this paper.

Green Bones for the Hens.

A mess of green bones at least twice a week will always prove beneficial, as they provide lime for the shells and serve as a change. Some do not believe in feeding grain at all in the summer season, preferring to allow the hens to work. A pound of green bone cut with a bone cutter, twice or three times a week, given to a dozen hens at night is better than feeding grain, as the hens nearly always come up with full crops when they are on the range. When in confinement in late fall or winter the green bone will continue to be of valuable assistance.—Farm and Fireside

Ducks Have Few Diseases.

The duck is afflicted with but few diseases, the most prominent being vertigo and convulsions. The first comes from overfeeding, and can only be cured or prevented by keeping them on a grass diet exclusively. Convulsions are caused by dampness, poor food, filthy coops and lice. The best remedy is to clean out the coops, make them dry and feed on nourishing food. Ducks should always have dry quarters at night. Lice seldom exist on ducks, and when the quarters are very filthy the vermin will sometimes put in an appearance.—Farm and Fireside.

Magnificent Service to the Winter Resorts South.

The Southern Railway for the season of 1900 has the most perfect service ever offered for the winter resorts of the South. The New York and Florida Limited, the finest train in the world resumed service January 16th, and is operated daily, except Sunday, between New York and St. Augustine, leaving New York at 12.40 P. M., composed exclusively of dining, compartment, drawing room, sleeping, library and observation cars, New York to St Augustine, also carrying Pullman drawing room sleeping cars, New York to Tampa, Aiken and Augusta. Connections are made at Jesup for Brunswick, and at Waycross for Thomasville, Ga, and Port Tampa for Key West and Havana. The New York and Florida Express leaves New York daily at 3 25 P. M. with Pullman drawing room sleeping cars, New York to Jacksonville and Augusta with connections for Brunswick and Thomasville; dining car service. Connection made at Jacksonville with Florida East Coast Railway for Palm Beach, Miami and Nassau. The Fast Mail leaves New York at 12 10 (night). Pullman drawing room sleeping cars, New York to Savannah, Jacksonville and Miami, with connections for Key West and Havana; also for points on Plant System, west coast of Florida; dining car service. For full particulars, sleeping car reservations, etc., call on or address Geo. C. Daniels, N. E. P. A., 228 Washington street, Boston.

Energy all gone? Headache? Stomach out of order? Simply a case of torpid liver. Burdock Blood Bitters will make a new man or woman of you.

If you have catarrh, rheumatism or dyspepsia take Hood's Sarsaparilla and be cured as thousands of others have been.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Amos Ryder, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to William H. Brown, of North Providence, R. I., without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Brookline, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-eighth day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this third day of February, A. D. 1900

JONATHAN COBB, Register

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QUINONE HAIR TONIC

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It stimulates the growth of tiny, new hairs and gives a refreshing glow to the scalp. We do not claim for it the absurdity that it will make hair appear where no roots are, but it will do just what we say it will—tone up the scalp.

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Now is the time to buy your Winter stock of Groceries of the finest quality and at the lowest prices in town.

Sugar, 19 lbs. for $1.

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Fancy Ponce Porto Rico Molasses, never sold before less than 50c gallon, now 40c gallon.

Fancy New Orleans Molasses, always sold at 60c gallon, now 50c gallon.

Good dark Molasses, 30c gallon.

Pure Maple Syrup, 25c quart.

Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.

Boiled cider, quart bottles, 20c.

5 lb. can Java and Mocha Coffee, 90c.

The best 50c, Tea 40c.

The best 60c Tea, 50c.

Fancy Table London Layer Raisins, 20c lb.

Four Crown loose Raisins, 12c lb.

Gilt Edge Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c lb.

Fancy Ribbon Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Chocolates, 15c lb.

Lowney's 40c goods now 35c.

We carry the finest quality Butter cut from the tub, 1 lb. prints, 5 lb. boxes, 10, 20 and 50 lb. tubs, at the lowest prices, quality considered.

J. P. Squire's Pure Lard, 8c lb.

10 lb. pails Lard, full weight, 75c.

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Mixed Nuts, English Walnuts, Oranges and Lemons in stock at the lowest prices.

Come in and leave your order with us and get the best for the least money.

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CENTRAL SQUARE.

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A CARD.

We wish to announce that the sale advertised to take place in the Opera house block, Franklin, on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week will be held at our store in Woonsocket instead, owing to a question as to the legality of our Franklin sale. We desire to keep on the best of terms with our Franklin neighbors, both merchants and purchasing public, and therefore gracefully withdraw. We invite you, however, to come to Woonsocket and see the bargains we have to offer you.

McCarthy's

WOONSOCKET'S BUSIEST STORE.

5 DAYS' SALE 5

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

We have purchased the entire stock of New York's leading garment makers, M. COHEN & CO., 827-829 Broadway, New York, consisting of Ladies' and Misses'

TAILORED SUITS, JACKETS, SKIRTS and FURS,

ALL TO BE SOLD AT

HALF PRICE!

Remember, the sale began Tuesday, Feb. 13, and will continue remainder of the week.

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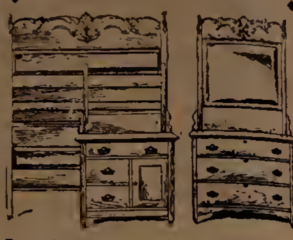

OUTFIT NO. 1.

This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.

$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 2.

This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs, rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.

$39—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 3.

This outfit is made up with one of our most popular selling chamber suits, including the 2 chairs, rocker, table, mattress, woven wire spring bed and toilet set.

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Mortgagee's Sale,

—OF—

REAL ESTATE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Daniel W. Moynihan to Abi L. Crofoot, dated May 9, 1899, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 842, Page 101, will be sold at public auction upon the premises on THURSDAY, the 8th day of MARCH, A.D. 1900 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:

A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in the southerly part of Franklin, also in part in the town of Wrentham adjoining, containing fifty acres, more or less, bounded as follows: Beginning at the town bound between Franklin and Wrentham, on the road leading from the Austin Woodward farm to West Wrentham, thence across said road by land of Samuel and Eugene Thaine north 88 3-4 degrees, 18 rods, 6 links to a stump a little south of said town line; thence north 72 1-2 rods to a stake and stones and corner of a stone wall; thence east in line of stone wall and by woodland formerly owned by Ellen A. Foster 9 rods, and 5 links to a stake and stones; thence north 8 degrees, east 18 1-2 rods to a stake and stones; thence north 15 degrees, east 3 rods to the end of a stone wall; thence same course and in line of stone wall 20 1-2 rods to a stake and stones; thence south 68 degrees, east 20 rods to a stake and stones and town road aforesaid; thence crossing said road and running in a northerly direction on said road 25 rods and 20 links to corner of road leading from Otis G. Cheever's to the first mentioned road; thence in an easterly direction on said road 92 rods to land of said Cheever, thence in a southerly direction on stone wall and land of said Cheever 4 rods, 3 links; thence north 80 1-4 degrees, west 5 rods; thence south 31 degrees, west 19 rods, 7 links; thence south 8 3-4 degrees, east 3 rods, 20 links to a stake and stones and land of said Ellen A. Foster; thence in a westerly direction 15 rods to a stake and stones near a ditch; thence westerly 12 rods to the end of the wall; thence on a line of wall 38 and 8 1 2 rods to a stake and stones and corner of swamp and woodland of said Ellen A. Foster; thence in a southerly direction on line of wall 52 rods, 5 links to a corner of wall; thence north 82 degrees, west 23 rods to town road first mentioned; thence on said road in a westerly direction 25 4-5 rods; thence on said road in a northerly direction 25 rods to bound first mentioned; subject to a prior mortgage for nine hundred dollars and reservations therein mentioned.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments, if any there are.

Terms: One hundred dollars down, balance in fifteen days.

ABI L. CROFOOT, Mortgagee.

Feb. 13, 1900.
Attorney, A. W. Dana, 40 Water St., Boston. 3t13

Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

PERSONAL PROPERTY

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage of personal property given by J. Green to M. J. McLaughlin, dated Oct. 23, 1899, and recorded in records of personal property, mortgages of town of Millis, libro 1, fol. 336, for a breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction at Cottage Farm, Winthrop street, West Medway, on

THURSDAY, the 15th day of FEBRUARY, A. D. 1900,

at 2.30 o'clock p. m., the following described personal property, to wit:

One black cow.
One Jersey cow.
Terms made known at sale.

M. J. McLAUGHLIN, Mortgagee.

Millis, Jan. 30, 1900 ja30,fe6,13

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Frederick E. Aldrich, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

EMILY F. ALDRICH,
Administratrix.

Address: Franklin, Mass.
January 24, 1900. fe6,13,20

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, Feb. 9, 1900.—The committee on Public Charitable Institutions will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate Bill, No. 3, being a special report of the State Board of Insanity to the legislature, accompanied with a bill to provide for the care and support of the insane poor by the Commonwealth and to establish a colony for the chronic insane, in Room No. 440, State House, on Wednesday, Feb. 21st, at 10 45 o'clock a. m. Howard K. Sanderson, Chairman. William Hopewell, Clerk of the Committee.

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Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
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" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	8.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Tufts Glee club tonight.

The jury list is posted. It will appear in the town report.

Miss Edith Daniels is visiting with the Duntons at Brookline.

Recent advice from Wheaton Daniels reports that he is no better.

B. A. Turner has secured a permanent position at the Bresnahan grocery store.

Noah McGroary of Summer street has recovered from his recent severe illness.

The Dean basket ball team is to play at the Sportsman show in Boston shortly.

The riddle of the sphinx will not be solved, but will be put before us Monday evening.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Young, Beaver street, on Wednesday.

There are many who would like to see Dr. Hodge's sermons on the immortal life in print.

St. Mary's alumni will hold its monthly social meeting with Miss Mary Walsh this evening.

Mr. Buker will make you realize the size of the pyramids as you never realized it before.

Miss Annie L. Judd, school teacher, is confined to her rooms at Mr. Willoby's by a severe cold.

Owing to the presence of scarlet fever in the family of W. A. Fairfield the house has been quarantined.

C. L. Fales, the grocer, is now able to be at his work again after an enforced absence for a number of weeks.

It is probable that the power house and car house at Unionville will be entirely finished the latter part of March.

Franklin was well represented at the dance given by the pupils of Miss Razee at Diamond Hill on Wednesday evening.

At the civil session of the superior court this week the divorce application of Frank E. Dudley was considered, the claim being desertion.

Prof. Charles S. Flanders of Dean is spending a day or two at Hillsboro, N. H., where he has an interest in a newspaper published there.

Richard Costello has resigned his position at D. P. Moran's shoe store, and is going to take up the study of telegraphy at Bray's school in Boston.

The members of Franklin grange will have a rehearsal for the third and fourth degrees at grange hall tomorrow evening. Members will please take notice.

The cast of "The Spinsters' Matrimonial Club" will meet for rehearsal at the store in Opera House block, Saturday evening, Feb. 17, at 8 o'clock, sharp.

"Shannon of the Sixth" has just enough "touch and go" in it to make it the play of the season. Next Tuesday evening. Tickets now on sale at Dana's.

James A. Elwood, overseer of the bleachery and finishing departments of the linen works at Unionville, has removed from Worcester to 47 Emmons street.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper was called to Marblehead, where he was formerly pastor, Thursday to attend the funeral of Miss Carrie M. French, whom he had baptized.

Tickets for Mr. Buker's lecture on Egypt Monday evening, at the Universalist church appear to be having a good sale in advance. "You'll miss it if you miss it."

St. Katharine's Guild will meet at Mr. Fred Poupart's house on Central street, at two o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Messrs. Richardson and Dean attended by invitation the meeting and banquet of the Grocers' association at the Quincy House, in Boston, on Tuesday, and report a royal good time.

Three of the public school teachers are today enjoying their visiting day. Frank Wilkins at Lynn, Miss Clara Ham at Melrose and Miss Lucy B. Connor in the schools near Boston.

If Capt. Pendleton, the people's hackman, asks you anything about the Nicaragua canal bear in mind that he thinks there is a lot of money in it for some one, and why not for him?

The reunion and festival to be held by the parishioners of St. Mary's church at the Opera house on Friday evening, Feb. 23, promises to be one of the largest gatherings of the members of this parish held in a long time.

John W. Holbrook of Upton was found wandering about our streets on Monday in a demented condition. He was conveyed later to Worcester. He was formerly a valued workman and a member of prominent Upton families.

The Junior league of the Methodist church cleared about $15 at the Mother Goose entertainment in the vestry of the church on Thursday evening. Great care had been taken in drilling the little misses taking the various parts.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper will exchange Sunday forenoon with Rev. G. H. Horton of Blackstone. In the evening the pastor will give the second sermon in the series on "The Prodigal Son." Theme, "The Temptations, or Sowing Wild Oats."

S. C. Taft, civil engineer, has made a street map of Franklin for the electric lighting company, showing all the streets in the center as far out as the lighting service extends, and on Central street to Unionville nearly to the Bellingham line.

The next week the prayer meeting at the Congregational church will occur on Wednesday evening. The appointment was not made for Friday evening, the pastor saying, "I would rather a man attend the caucus than come to a prayer meeting."

The Franklin Athletic club organized Saturday with the following officers: President, Charles F. Frazer; vice president, Alden H. Abbott; secretary, Ormie A. Reed; treasurer, Arthur Stewart; executive committee, C. F. Frazer, George M. Sneath and J. Ray Wyckoff.

Mrs. T. M. Turner and others attended the meeting of the W. R. C. in Boston this week, when Mrs. John E. Gilman, wife of the G. A. R. commander, was chosen department president. Mrs. Annabelle Lewis Woodward and Mrs. Narcissa Lincoln also attended.

President Capen of Tufts college and Mrs. Capen visited the public schools this morning and inspected the work in music. At the Horace Mann he addressed the pupils of the upper schools, drawing valuable lessons from the lives of Benj. Franklin and Abraham Lincoln.

A number of Dean boys are candidates for Tufts varsity ball nine next season, among them being Hazelton, Fiske, Moors and Foster. Hazelton expects to be able to return to school the last of March. In his absence from the ball team S. F. Curran and S. S. Fiske have charge of the candidates.

At the adjourned parish meeting of St. John's Mission held at the rectory on Wednesday night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Senior warden, Joseph E. Hurt; junior warden, Frederick Hough; vestrymen, Thomas A. Grange, Frederick Young, Edward H. Rathbun; John A. Barnstead.

There was a large attendance at the regular meeting of Norfolk lodge, No. 257, N. E. O. P., Wednesday evening. Fifteen applications for membership were received and other business of importance transacted. The social following the meeting was a decided success, netting a goodly sum for the lodge treasury.

Intelligence has been received here from Berwick, N. S., of the death of Mrs. Chadbourne, wife of Rev. J. P. Chadbourne, formerly pastor of the Methodist church in this town and now in charge of the West Medway church. Mrs. Chadbourne became ill shortly after her marriage a few years ago, and has been an invalid since then to the time of her death.

Mrs. Ethel Carr entertained her Sunday school class of young ladies of the Baptist church in a valentine party at her home Wednesday. One of the features of the entertainment was the distribution of comic valentines from the post-office, of which Mr. Carr was postmaster. Refreshments were served and all departed thanking the hostess for the pleasant time.

Miss Nellie W. Holmes was very pleasantly surprised last evening by a number of her friends and classmates, who tendered her a party at her home on Church street. During the evening the guests presented her with a handsome garnet ring, Miss Elizabeth Marshall making the presentation speech. Refreshments were served and the occasion was one of rare enjoyment.

It has been a long time since a Convention of Spinsters has held its sessions in Franklin. The session to be held next Wednesday evening promises to be well attended and has already created quite a sensation about town. It is rumored that the spinsters have secured the noted male quartet, composed of such unquestioned talent as Herr Pferdetragenweg, Herr Schurrmann, Herr Hirsch-Horn, Herr Reisch and the noted baritone, Monsieur Roi Coeur de Horne.

Every one now has got plenty of water, and the water famine which seemed certain a few months ago all over New England has been averted. We have been most fortunate in this respect in having an open winter, for had it been a severe season of snow and low temperature a water famine would have resulted. But the storms have mostly occurred when the temperature was such as to cause rain, and the wells, rivers and ponds have filled up.

Friends to the number of a dozen or more called at the home of Miss Ida M. Brown, Alpine street, Thursday evening, it being the anniversary of her birthday. A very pleasant time was enjoyed. Ice cream, cake and fruit were served, after which two original birthday poems were read, one by Mrs. Merrifield, the other by Miss Myra Pond. Mrs. Ethel Carr also read a poem. Many useful gifts were received. The party took leave about 11 o'clock, wishing their hostess many happy returns of the day.

A very pleasant event occurred at the Boston Lying-in hospital, 24 McLean street, last Saturday afternoon. About thirty five students, members of the third year class of the Harvard Medical school, presented to Dr. Eugene E. Everett a most valuable gift in the form of a set of surgical and obstetrical instruments. These men have been on duty at the hospital under the direction of the doctor during the last three months. The presentation speech was very ably made by Walter P. Hutchinson, a member of the class. The doctor has just completed his service as house physician to out patients and now becomes the senior house physician.

There is a bill before the legislature asking for an increase in the salary of the judge and clerk of the district court here, the former to $1,500 from $1000, and the latter to $750 from $500. Since it is a well known fact that this court is administered by Judge Doe in a thoroughly business-like manner, and all unnecessary expenses are judiciously cut off, it does not seem unfair that the salary paid here be made equal to that in other courts of this size and business. He has had the satisfaction, also, of having his decisions uniformly sustained in the higher courts, which is naturally a source of gratification to himself and his friends. Prof. Burrington has the bill in charge.

The original of the Catholic church was the old Congregational church, built in 1788. During the time it was owned by that society, in 1840, it was moved 80 feet further north to the present site and modernized. The last Congregational service in it was held Dec 31, 1871, after which it was delivered to the Catholic parish. The first resident Catholic pastor was Rev. J. Griffin, in 1877. Since then extensive improvements have been made to both the church and surrounding grounds. It was the only church edifice in town until 1857. At the extensive repairs in 1840 several people secured relics of the old church in the shape of posts, pillars or other parts, and which even now adorn various residences in the village.

A number of Franklinites attended the Masonic ball in Sanford hall, Medway, Tuesday evening under the auspices of Charles River lodge, A. F. and A. M. It was a decided success and one of the swellest affairs ever held in town. The grand march occurred at 9 o'clock and was led by Hon. and Mrs. Clarke P. Harding, fifty couples participating. The floor was in charge of Hon. C. P. Harding, with the following as aids; A. E. Bullard, H. A. Hixon, G. M. Harding, S. A. Greenwood, Dr. C. F. Hamlin, W. B. Temple. Dancing was enjoyed from 9.30 until 12, when an intermission occurred, during which an elaborate supper was served in the hall above. Then dancing was resumed and kept up until 2 o'clock. The hall had been beautifully decorated during the day by members of the Quinobequin chapter, O. E. S., and the music was furnished by Knowlton & Allen's orchestra of Natick.

Died in Lebanon, N. H., Jan. 29, 1900, at the home of her adopted daughter, Mrs. Dr. Smith, Mrs. Martha Warren Southworth, widow of Rev. T. D Southworth, pastor of the Congregational church here from 1838 to 1850. She was only eighteen when she came to town as a bride, bright and attractive to the conservative people of Franklin. She still holds a warm place in the hearts of old friends. She has been in failing health for two years or more. The letter says "In her weakness she was a tower of strength, the same keen, bright mind to the last. Her life was a wonderful reflection of the Master's. She magnified every joy and kept sorrow far in the background. Her influence permeated our whole community. Hers was a beautiful, tranquil life, growing sweeter till the last." She was laid beside her husband in Bridgewater, N. Y.

The Dean gymnasium was crowded last Saturday evening to enjoy the double bill of fare provided by the presence of basket ball teams from Milford and Melrose, the latter to tackle Dean's heaviest team. The visitors came here with the reputation of not having lost a game and the way they played indicated that. They were adepts and no mistake, and showed not a little fine work in dribbling the ball and scoring. They were not so effective in the latter half in holding Dean down, but went away with a good score in their favor, 18 to 4. The Dean team was composed of Jennings, Bucknam, Marshal, Thompson and Nowell. Dean second was more evenly matched and kept the interest right up. It was composed of Williams, Sweatt, Bicknell, Baker and Towles. They did some excellent floor as well as well as basket work and held the game well in hand from the start They did up their opponents 16 to 5, and everybody got their money's worth and more.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper gave the first sermon, last Sunday evening at the Baptist church, in his series on "The Prodigal Son." His theme was "The Blessings of a Good Home." He dwelt on four important characteristics: The Bible, pure and undefiled religion, Christian patience and love, and proper amusements. Without these home is a place of danger rather than of safety. Many a boy has become a prodigal, and some never to return, because anger and discord have ruled in the home. A high-sounding and rigid orthodoxy is not always productive of peace and happiness. The bitter, stinging word from the lips of Christian father or mother is never forgotten by the boy or girl. Home, so far as possible, should be heaven's paradise on earth, where the gospel of love abounds, and the sunshine of pure amusements is found. They that shape divinely the destiny of the children are ruling the future generation for their highest good. The following discourses given Sunday evenings will be "The Temptations," "The Return to the Father's House," "The Elder Son."

Alden Club Meeting.

A regular meeting of the Alden club was held on Feb. 12, Mrs. Wiggin presiding. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The program of the convention of the State Federation, to be held at Charlestown, was read and notice given that tickets could be obtained at the desk. It was moved and seconded that a delegate be sent to the convention, and Miss King was elected delegate. Mrs. Wiggin spoke of the next meeting, reminding the club that it would be an open meeting, held at Dean academy, and urging each member to assist in the sale of tickets. Club members were asked to present their membership tickets on that occasion.

Miss Hodge then took charge of the meeting and called for current events. Mrs. Batchelor responded with an article on automobiles and Miss Briggs with an account of the danger menacing England at home. Miss Hodge then presented her interesting subject, "Rudyard Kipling," telling something of his ancestry, education and early struggle for recognition by the literary world. His name is a romantic one, being that of the lake where his father and mother first met. The young author after leaving India with a collection of his writings, and failing recognition in San Francisco and New York, finally became famous in London, having been successfully introduced through an interesting interview published in one of the papers.

Miss Hodge spoke of him both as a prose writer and as a poet, mentioning many of his works and laying especial stress upon his keen appreciation and understanding of widely different characters and types, and of his great versatility, shown largely in his poems. "The Man Who Was," his best short story, was well presented by Mrs. Daniels, who read portions of the sketch and gave a clear idea of the remainder.

Miss Crocker sang "On the Road to Mandelay," and Mrs. Stewart sang his famous "Recessional." Mrs. Daniels then read "The Absent Minded Beggar" in a most pleasing manner, after which the usual social half-hour was enjoyed and the meeting was adjourned. R.

Emerson's Market.

This is just the weather for a nice turkey, chicken or fowl, and we can just suit you. Our list of "green stuff" is as complete as is to be found in Boston, radishes, lettuce, celery, dandelions, spinach, etc. Of course, we have meats of all kinds, and we'd like to show you our brand of canned goods, the famous "Brunswick." Emerson, the Franklin marketer.

For a clean shave and a good hair cut go to Ochea's barber shop.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Looks Like the New Road.

It is unofficially given out that the board of selectmen are a unit in favor of granting the franchise for the electric road between here and Medway direct, feeling that it would be impossible for them to do otherwise in view of the absolute unanimity on the part of the voters, as expressed at the hearing on Monday evening, together with the fact so large a proportion of the citizens are in favor of the project. It is not unlikely that the board will take some action this evening which will result in their granting a franchise which would be perfectly equitable to the town and to the company as well, taking the town's interests into consideration first. They are at present looking into the legal aspects of the case, and they consider that the law expressly states that a franchise "shall" be granted under such conditions as obtain here. Therefore they feel it their duty to carry out the manifest wishes of the voters in the matter.

Take Your Choice for Selectmen.

MR. EDITOR:—I have given the matter considerable thought, and would like to present the following names for candidates for selectman for the coming year. The interest in the new electric road seems to overshadow everything else, and these men are selected without regard to their politics. I trust the voters will think this matter over, and if any set of names seem appropriate, I understand they may be placed upon the ticket which the town committees prepare by securing the signatures of a sufficient number of persons. They are as follows: The present board, J. C. Gallison, H. W. Hosie, Alfred Clark; O. S. Stetson, O. B. Carter, T. B. Allen, H. E. Ruggles, B. M. Rockwood, H. R. Jenks, George W. Emerson, A. Farrington, Charles E. Whiting, W. M. Fisher, T. L. Martin, F. P. Chapman, C. J. McKenzie, A. B. Palmer, G. H. Grant, F. M. Richardson, G. H. Ellis, H. A. Talbot, R. Sommers, L. W. Daniels, J. J. McCarthy, W. E. Pond.

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Franklin Mass., Feb. 14, 1900.

Farmers' Club.

Franklin Farmers' club met Monday evening, Feb. 12, with J. L. Fisher, City Mills. The next meeting will be with D. C. Coates, Pond street. The president called on Mr. Fisher to open the meeting. Mr. Fisher introduced J. W. Stockwell, the secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, as the speaker of the evening.

Mr. Stockwell read a very fine paper on the tax question and how it has affected the farmer, and he gave some encouraging word that the tax question would be eventually settled right and the farmer would not have to help pay the rich man's tax. The single tax as it is now agitated he thinks practically impossible, as in the carrying out of the single tax all our farm lands would have to be given up or confiscated. His statistics showed that there was from twelve to fifteen hundred millions of personal property in the state of Massachusetts that was not taxed. If this could be reached and pay its tax it would be a great help to the farmers. He predicts that in the near future New England farmers will enter upon a much more prosperous time and that farmers and farm land will again be in the ascendancy.

After the adjournment there were dialogues, readings, refreshments and games. D.

The Best of the Season.

A romantic military drama is what Edward E. Kidder calls "Shannon of the Sixth." The Sepoy rebellion of 1857 furnishes the ground work of the story; and Occultism, that mysterious belief of far-off India, is touched upon in a highly interesting manner. Lieutenant Larry Shannon, of the Sixth Carbineers, is the leading character of the drama. He is falsely accused of stealing a diamond of great value known as "The Light of Heaven," from the Temple of the Moon. Its guardian is an ancient Brahmin priest, named Ram Koorah, and it is taken from the forehead of an idol by a British officer. Its pursuit and recovery form one of the strong motives of the play. Suradda, a Hindoo woman, and Umbollo, the dumb man of Allahabad, are also closely connected with the fate of the jewel; and the scene where the aged priest brings the crime home to the despoiler is dramatic to the highest degree. The comedy element of the play occupies a large portion of the action, and is in the author's brightest vein. A cowardly German is principal fun-maker, and is ably seconded by Mrs. Clingstone Carr, the "regimental widow," and Hally Tate, the sprightly niece of General Kimber, commanding at Delhi. Lieutenant Shannon, the part played by W. H. Power, is taken from the military history of British India; his prototype being known as the Hero of Cashmere Gate. This will be all at the Opera house next Tuesday evening.

Dr. E. M. Faxon, Boston, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, will meet patients at hotel Briggs Thursdays from 9 to 12:30 o'clock.

Read the Business Announcements.

Interesting Church Statistics.

According to the New York Independent's annual table of statistics of the churches in the year 1899 the number of ministers in the United States was 153,901, of churches 187,803, and of members 27,710,004. The membership increased during the year about one per cent., the increase in the number of ministers was nearly three per cent., and the number of churches increased by 421.

The Christian churches with a membership exceeding half a million are these:

	Ministers.	Churches.	Membership.
Roman Catholic	11,144	11,594	8,446,301
Methodists	36,424	53,023	5,809,516
Baptists	33,088	49,721	4,443,628
Lutherans	6,685	10,991	1,575,778
Presbyterians	12,073	14,831	1,560,847
Disciples of Christ	6,339	10,298	1,118,396
Episcopalians	4,981	6,623	709,325
Congregationalists	5,639	5,620	628,234
Reformed	1,897	2,440	365,075
United Brethren	2,529	4,965	264,980

Of these churches the greatest proportionate gain in membership was made by the Congregationalists and the Disciples of Christ, or 3 per cent. each; the Lutherans, 2 6 per cent.; the Baptists, 2 per cent.; the Episcopalians, 1.5 per cent.; the Presbyterians, 1.2 per cent.; the Roman Catholics, six-tenths of 1 per cent.; and the Methodists, five tenths of 1 per cent. The United Brethren lost 7 per cent., and the Reformed 14 per cent. Of the churches not named in this list the Reformed Catholics increased from a total of 1,000 in 1898 to 1,500 in 1899. The church of the New Jerusalem, or Swedenborgians, increased 11 per cent., adding 860 members and making the total 7,562. The Latter Day Saints, or Mormons, increased slightly to 343,000. The Unitarians made no gain, claiming 75,000 only, and the Universalists fell off 3.7 per cent. Of the minor denominations, the Christian Scientists returned a total of 80,000 members, being a gain of 14 per cent. during the year; the Spiritualists, 45,030 and no gain, and the Theosophists 3,000, and no gain. In the Independent's table are returns from 49 distinct religious denominations, with sub-divisions aggregating 111.

Republican Caucus.

The Republican voters of the town of Franklin are requested to meet in caucus at Music hall on Friday, Feb. 23, 1900, at 7 30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for town officers.

The town committee will be pleased to receive and consider any nomination for town offices upon written request of ten Republican voters.

F. P. CHAPMAN, Chairman,
O. B. CARTER, Secretary.

Special Revival Services.

At the Methodist church special revival efforts are constantly being made. Tonight there will be an evangelistic service. The pastor, S. A. Cook, will preach a short sermon; subject, "God's Conquests." All are invited; come expecting a blessing. "The Master is come and calleth for thee." S.

A Juicy Roast.

That's what our competitors will give us when they see our price, and its just what you want for a Sunday dinner. Listen, we have just put on sale, at an unheard-of price, 500 pounds of roast beef, which we shall sell from 8 to 12 cents. Think of it! We do this because we propose to be headquarters on beef Besides, we have turkeys, fowls and chicks for 15 to 18 cents, with all the vegetables—radishes, lettuce, spinach, dandelions, celery and fine sweet potatoes. We have a brand of tomatoes, extra large size, for 15 cents—just the thing for a soup with your Sunday roast. Remember the place,

RICHARDSON'S MARKET.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Wanted.—A girl for general housework. Address Box 824.

All sorts of stove wood, from trash to heavy oak, at the School street wood yard. 12tf

Wanted.—At once, a girl to assist at housework temporarily in Sheldonville. Inquire at SENTINEL office. 13*

Get your round-trip Boston, Providence and Milford tickets of Charles H. Prince at the SENTINEL office.

To Let.—Cottage house No. 13 Summer street; nine rooms, steam heat; barn if desired. Apply at 29 Cottage st. 15 tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Potted plants and cut flowers; all kinds of funeral work made up; special rates for all societies in town. Slade's Greenhouse, Central street, Franklin, Mass. P. O. Box 179. 2T

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now going on in my Studio, I prefer that persons wishing sittings would postpone it a week or two, when I shall be in better shape than ever before to give you perfect satisfaction. Open for taking and delivering orders as usual.

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Business is opening up nicely for H. S. Dow of Boston, who has opened the White Star laundry in the rear of the Dana block. He does only high grade work, and bundles can be left at Mr. Dana's, if desired.

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

FRIDAY, FEB. 16, 1900.

ROOSEVELT will not be vice president, and an exchange says he would "smother in the office." That's why they want to put some other man there.

WE didn't suppose that Smith college kept its pupils confined very closely, but now that the institution is wrestling with the measles many of the girls have "broken out."

NEW YORK'S 400 must have felt flattered to have Mrs. Langtry's "tea" such a success. When such women lead society small wonder is it that society is decayed to the core and at the core.

COMMUTERS on the suburban New York trains are to have "club" cars, so they can play cards, order drinks, etc. It's getting so a person can have anything he wants if he is willing to pay for it. But he ought not to want what he ought not to have.

J. D ARCHBOLD, vice president of the Standard Oil, says that "every healthy, intelligent man can win success if he will school himself to industry and economy." That's what a man will have to do if the Trust puts up the price of kerosene much higher.

ONE of our leading Massachusetts ministers has requested the ladies of his congregation to remove their hats during service. If Christian ladies, who are not supposed to go to church to show off their finery, won't have regard for those who sit behind them, what ladies will?

JUDGE TAFT of Gloucester is on the rack and efforts are being made to have him ousted. If reports are true he ought to be. But why didn't he issue an injunction restraining his opponents from interfering with him. That's the way judges uphold the "dignity" of their office now-a days.

SENATOR HANNA had a candidate for lady commissioner to the Paris exposition and so did Senator Depew, the appointment to be made by the president. Hanna won, of course, and Mrs. Potter Palmer of Chicago is the fortunate lady. She will make a good official, though she doubtless recognizes the advantage of having "a friend at court."

THE town of Columbus, Kan., has been sued by a lady resident for $15,000, alleging that the town in permitting liquor to be sold in violation of law is responsible for the drunkenness of her husband. She ought to win, but probably will not, as such a precedent would send a note of alarm throughout the country which would scare incompetent and winking officials out of office.

THE Nicaragua canal is now under discussion, with varying opinions as to the expediency of the United States building it and then throwing it open to all nations in peace or war, without fortifying it. Whatever may be the outcome this country will not long remain content to have water communication with California by way of the Horn. The passage of the Oregon settled that.

JOHN I. BLAIR, the New Jersey millionaire, was credited with being worth forty millions. He died and was found to be worth but five. Whatever he may have been rated here, it is a pleasant thought that no man gets into the next world except upon his true rating. We rather think that the Lord will scan Rockefeller's benefactions and highly advertised "charities" rather closely to see if there hasn't been extortion toward widows and orphans practiced in the amassing of wealth.

THE W. C. T. U., representing 300,000 persons, has appealed to President McKinley to right the "canteen" wrong, but he asserts that the decision of Attorney General Griggs is final. When such a righteous law is given such an unrighteous and apparently erroneous interpretation it is time the Prohibitionists elected an attorney general, if no other official. President McKinley says that congress did not speak in sufficiently explicit terms. Can any law be passed that the liquor power, backed by such an attorney general, cannot override.

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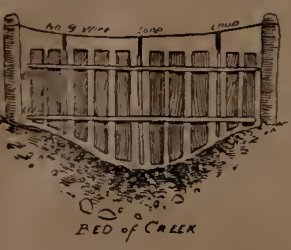

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In Oakland the wear and tear comes on a layer of asphalt which covers the wood and not directly on the latter. The blocks are six inches square and four inches deep. They are laid on a bed of concrete, after having been soaked in hot asphalt. A mixture of hard asphalt and California liquid asphalt, in equal parts, raised to a temperature of between 350 and 400 degrees Fahrenheit, is employed. The interval during which immersion lasts is from three to five minutes. This treatment renders the blocks waterproof. They are then laid from curbstone to curbstone.

A mixture of asphalt and carbonate of lime is beated and poured upon the wood pavement. This is so soft a liquid that it runs down into all the interstices, and even works its way under the wood, if there are any holes there. Not until the fluid has been poured on three successive times is the surface properly covered and the spaces between the blocks well filled. Sand to the depth of a quarter of an inch is rolled into the asphalt when the last application has been made of the latter. The carpet thus formed has so hard a surface that it withstands ordinary light traffic for two or three years. It can be renewed at an expense of less than half a cent per square foot. Renewal seems to be necessary where redwood is used, but hard wood can remain bare for a longer time without injury.—N. Y. Tribune.

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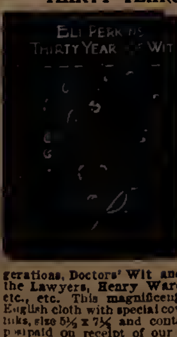

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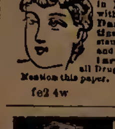

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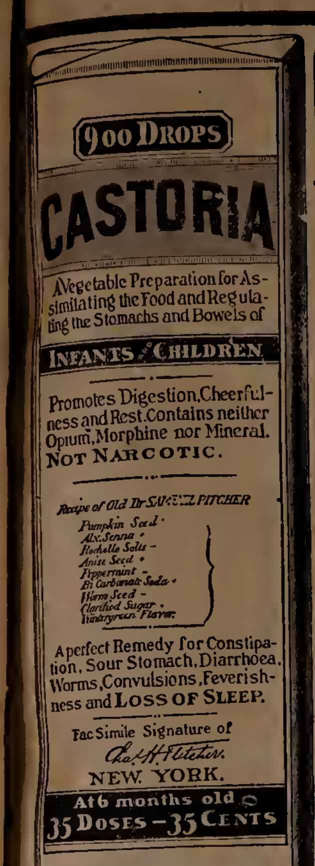

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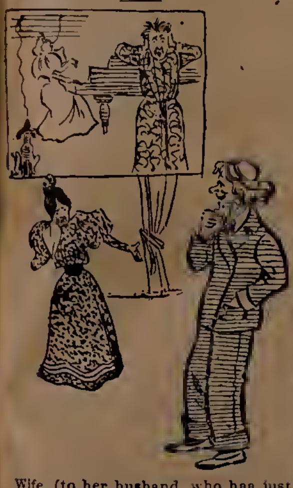

Wife (to her husband, who has just returned home)—Only think, an officer was here this morning with a writ!

Husband—What did he attach?

Wife—The piano.

Husband—Thank heaven! —Heitere Welt.

Mixed Pickles.

An undertaker tried to play
His part at several wakes,
But he got the corpses mixed next day
And made some grave mistakes.
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Mary Jane's Mistake.

Mrs. Felicia Rivers—Dear, dear! I can't imagine what is the matter with the piano. Every note strikes out of tune.

Mary Jane—Be that the planner, mum?

Mrs. Rivers—Yes. Why?

Mary Jane—Gracious, I thought it wuz the safe, an' I put the meat and vegetables in it this mornin'.—Tit-Bits.

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Justice Who Was Governed More by Equity Than by Law.

How He Forced a Dishonorable Debtor to Liquidate a Grocery Bill Which Had Been Running for a Number of Years.

"Old Squire Rodgers," as every person called him, was, according to the Pittsburgh Press, one of those magistrates who set aside the law when it got in the way of justice. The only law books he had about his office were "Small's Legislative Hand-Book," and the "Hagerstown Almanac." He once broke all precedents by collecting a debt from a dishonest man who put in a plea that the claim was barred by the statute of limitations.

The defendant owed $27 to a grocer, an easy-going man who carried the debt on his books for several years without making any effort to collect it. He died and left his family little but a lot of outlawed accounts. His widow turned the books over to Squire Rodgers and he came across this $27 debt. He knew the man who owed it could pay it if he would, and he issued a summons for him. Knowing that the debt was outlawed the fellow paid no attention to the summons and the squire sent his constable after him with orders to fetch him to the office at all costs. He was brought before the squire and a hearing was opened.

"Did you get these goods?" the squire asked him after proof of the debt had been taken.

"Yes, sir, but—"

"Did you eat them?"

"I suppose I did, but—"

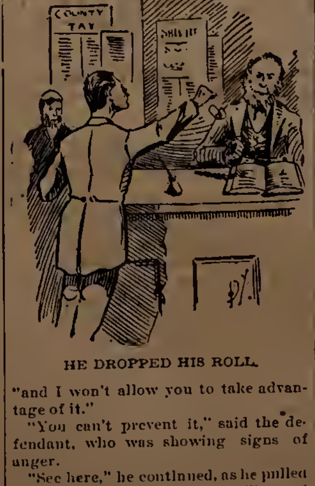
"That will do, sir," said the squire. "Judgment for the plaintiff for the full amount of the claim with interest."

"I won't pay it," declared the fellow.

"But you ate these goods and you've got to pay it," retorted the squire.

"I'll take advantage of the statute of limitations," the defendant asserted.

"The statute of limitations was never intended for such contemptible scoundrels as you, sir," thundered the squire,



HE DROPPED HIS ROLL.

"and I won't allow you to take advantage of it."

"You can't prevent it," said the defendant, who was showing signs of anger.

"See here," he continued, as he pulled out of his pocket a roll of bills and waved it over the squire's desk, "there's more than enough in there to pay the bill, but you won't get a dollar of it."

In his excitement the roll slipped from his fingers and fell upon the desk. The squire grabbed it. He put it in his trousers pocket, ignoring the threats and protests of the other man, and he calmly took a blank from a case back of him and began to fill it out. Then he gave it to his constable and ordered him to serve it without delay. It was an attachment the squire had issued on himself, garnisheeing the money in his possession belonging to the man who was roaring and tearing his hair in front of him. After the attachment was served he went through the formality of paying the money to the "court," which was himself, to be held for final decree. Then he proceeded to consider the matter of distributing the money in the hands of the court. The first claim he passed upon was the widow's. He paid her in full and satisfied the judgment he had given a few minutes before. Then he assessed his own costs and the constable's, including the expenses of the attachment. After these items were paid he handed the balance to the man who owned it.

"I won't accept it," he shouted; "this is downright robbery!"

"You are guilty of contempt of court, sir," said the squire, "and I fine you five dollars."

He stripped a bill off the diminished roll. Then the enraged man lost entire control of himself and began to swear. The squire picked up a pen and kept tally until the outburst of profanity ceased.

"Nine profane oaths," said the squire, counting the score, "at 67½ cents per oath, makes $6.08."

He took two more bills off the roll and changed one of them.

"I'll appeal to court," the worsted man said as he took the small amount of money left in his roll and departed.

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A lady in deep mourning some time ago called upon the proprietor of a Sydney waxworks show and asked to be allowed every Sunday morning to place a clean shirt on the figure of her husband (who had been hanged for murder). Her request was granted, and for close on six months she never missed a Sunday. Then the visits ceased, and no more was seen of the eccentric visitor, until one day the waxworks man was standing at his door, when she came along in gay apparel and explained that, as she had married again, hubby No. 2 objected to the little hebdomadal ceremony over No. 1.

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When he was young and poor he had
A monstrous appetite
His fare was plain and he was glad
To grab a hasty bite.
To-day he is a millionaire,
But oh his lot is tough—
He orders rich and costly fare,
And cannot eat the stuff.
—Chicago Times-Herald.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

CURE

Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

SICK

Headache, yet Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

HEAD

Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

ACHE

Is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.

Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold by druggists everywhere, or sent by mail.

CARTER MEDICINE CO., New York.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

COLD STORAGE EGGS.

They Are Good Enough for Ordinary Purposes, But Not Up to Fresh Laid Ones.

Cold storage of eggs opens opportunities for sales that would not otherwise be afforded. Objections may be made to them by some, but they are nevertheless a necessity at the present time, as they relieve the market of the surplus during certain seasons when the supply of eggs and poultry is unlimited. The eggs are kept at a temperature just above the freezing point, the object being not to allow them to become frozen, and at the same time to keep them in a condition which prevents any changes. The main objection to the system is that the eggs are sold as "fresh laid," which is an imposition on the purchaser, and there seems no way to overcome the difficulty. There should be a law compelling those who subject eggs and poultry to the cold storage process to label or mark them in such a manner as to make the fact known, the same as is done with bogus butter. If anyone wishes to purchase cold storage materials the right to do so should not be denied them, but to sell cold storage eggs as "fresh laid" is a fraud and imposition. When poultry is kept by the cold storage process decomposition begins as soon as the low temperature is removed, and the meat becomes flabby. Any person who has compared such poultry with that which is fresh can easily detect the difference, but the great army of buyers are ignorant of the fact that to a certain extent cold storage destroys the quality, and they willingly buy an article that has been preserved by cold storage, believing it to be strictly fresh, although they would not do so if they were informed of the facts by proper labels or marks.—Farm and Fireside.

RANGE FOR TURKEYS.

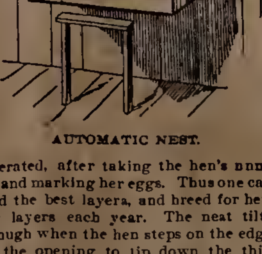
The Birds Should Not Be Confined, Except a Few Weeks Before They Are to Be Sold.

The turkey is a fowl that has been least time domesticated by man. The Indians never tried to tame them, and it is considerably less than 300 years since any attempt was made to domesticate this bird. One result of the wild nature of the turkey is that it will not bear to be confined. Even the domestic hen will not be so good a mother to the turkeys in their later stages as the turkey hen. She will take long jaunts in the fields catching grasshoppers and other insects, and when frost loosens the beechnuts on the trees the turkey hen will take her brood to the woods and live on what was in their wild state the main feed of the turkey during winter. A beechnut diet gives the turkey a better flavor than any other food. Buckwheat, which is an angular grain like the beechnut, is, perhaps, the next best grain for turkeys, but it lacks the oil with which the beechnut abounds. When turkeys are put up to fatten, which is the only time they should be confined, it is worth while to mix a few beechnuts with their feed. This will keep the other food from caking in their crops, and enable the turkey to fatten faster, besides improving the flavor of their flesh. To have good flavored meat the turkeys must be kept from indigestion, which always creates fever. For this reason the fattening of turkeys must usually be completed in ten days to two weeks after they have been confined in a dark place where they can do nothing but eat.—American Cultivator.

AN AUTOMATIC NEST.

It Acts Somewhat Like the Cash Registers to Be Seen in Many City Stores.

The cut shows a nest for confining each hen as she goes on to lay. Several times a day the nests can be examined and those hens which have laid can be liberated, after taking the hen's number and marking her eggs. Thus one can find the best layers, and breed for better layers each year. The nest tilts enough when the hen steps on the edge of the opening to tip down the thin door that will shut her in. The wedge behind slips down and holds the nest firm, so it will not rock back and forth. —Orange Judd Farmer.



AUTOMATIC NEST.

Killing Off Young Roosters.

The great plague of the beginner in poultry, whose object is to produce the greatest number of eggs, is the large proportion of non-layers that are found in every flock that were spring hatched. It is, we think, the rule that later hatches have a still larger proportion of cockerels. But be they few or many, all except the one or two that are to be kept for breeders should be killed and marketed when of broiler size. Their sex can then be determined easily by anyone used to poultry, and in the late summer the broiler will sell for eating for as much money as it would bring when fully grown, besides saving the feed and care required to keep until that time.—American Cultivator.

SYRUP of FIGS

ACTS GENTLY ON THE
KIDNEYS, LIVER
AND BOWELS
CLEANSES THE SYSTEM
EFFECTUALLY,
DISPELS COLDS HEADACHES & FEVERS
OVERCOMES HABITUAL CONSTIPATION
PERMANENTLY.
TO GET ITS BENEFICIAL EFFECTS.
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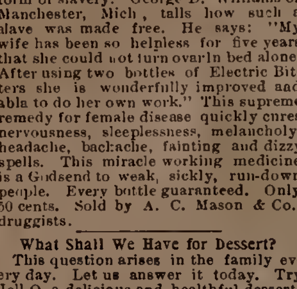
ONE OF THE FAMILY.



Arthur Q. Bunco—Where do you live when you are at home, Silas?

Silas Dewey—Ter hum, of curse. Where'd yer s'pose?—Harlem Life.

Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female disease quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a Godsend to weak, sickly, run-down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co. druggists.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! No baking! Simply add a little boiling water and set to cool. Flavors: Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cts.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called Grain-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit; 15c. and 25c. per package. Try it; ask for Grain O.

"Difficulties give way to diligence," and disease germs and blood humors disappear when Hood's Sarsaparilla is faithfully taken.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Would Dive for It.

Mrs. Chaffie—I don't know how I can get Johnnie to take his medicine. If I tell him what it is he won't take it, and if I don't tell him what it is he won't take it.

Mr. Chaffie—I'll tell you what to do. Just put it on the table and forbid him to touch it, and then he will take it sure.—Illustrated American.

CONSTIPATION

"I have gone 14 days at a time without a movement of the bowels, not being able to move them except by using hot water injections. Chronic constipation for seven years placed me in this terrible condition; during that time I did everything I heard of but never found any relief; such was my case until I began using CASCARETS. I now have from one to three passages a day, and if I was rich I would give $100.00 for each movement; it is such a relief. AYLMER L. HUNT.
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TRADE MARK REGISTERED
REGULATE THE LIVER

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— AND CONNECTIONS. —

EASTERN DISTRICT.

OCT. 22, 1899.

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Trains leave FRANKLIN for

BOSTON—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex.) 6 05, 9 38 p m; Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, 8 30 a m; 12 04, 3 36, 4 32, 5 18, 6 22, 6 57, 8 17, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 15 a m, 5 15, 7 10 p m.

BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 49, 4 10, 5 11, 6 01, 7 19 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7 54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 58, f5 21, 6 19, f7 25, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58, a m; f1 01, 5 25, 6 14, f7 28, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 20, 10 30 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

NEW YORK, all rail—9 15 a m; 4 23 p m. Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

New York, via Norwich Line, 7 45 p m. Return New Pier 36, North River, 6 00 p m.

Providence Extension.

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

PROVIDENCE—7 04, 9 04 a m; 1 08, 4 25, 7 04 p m. Return, 6 04, 8 10, 12 04 a m; 4 35, 6 04 p m.

MILFORD BRANCH.

Trains leave Franklin for

MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 35, 6 50 p m, S 6 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.

ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

Trains leave Unionville for

MILFORD—9 25 a m; 1 19, 4 37, 5 42, 6 57, S 6 44 p m

FRANKLIN—6 49, 8 41, 11 28 a m; 4 03, 6 19 p m. S 8 15 a m.

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Painless Removal of Corns, Bunions and Ingrowing Nails.
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Shop Work and Cases.

A Case of Grip

Pneumonia, Pleurisy or Bronchitis can be avoided at this season of the year by taking

Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine

For sudden chills and colds it is well to have a box on hand to prevent a more serious climax to the attack. Will cure a cold in the head in 24 hours. Do not affect the head, produce ringing or cause nervousness like the Sulphate Quinine. They move the bowels gently without griping.

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DANA BLOCK, FRANKLIN.

WRENTHAM.

Charles William Albert Dewey Pederson, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Neils Pederson, died Monday of marasmus. The interment was made at the center cemetery.——The Holly club had an interesting meeting at the residence of Mrs. Joseph F. Jenckes. The subject was "Local History." —— Monday morning Miss Abbie Ware, one of the oldest residents of the town, died at the residence of Charles Hamilton, with whom she had made her home for over fifty years, aged 95 years. The funeral was held from her late residence on Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. W. J. Minchin conducting the services. The deceased was very well known in town where she enjoyed the respect and friendship of all. ——The Cypress Aid society gave their entertainment in the banquet room in the Town hall Wednesday night to a good audience.——Wampum lodge contemplates giving an entertainment consisting of local talent sometime in the early spring.——Miss Hazel Messenger entertained a party of her young friends the first of the week.——Maud Young fell into the water while crossing the brook at the button hook factory last Saturday, but succeeded in getting out, though exhausted.

Young America Abroad.

Among the crowd of fashionable folk in Rotten row stood little Lois with her mother, eagerly watching the coming of the royal equipage—for the rumor had gone abroad that her majesty would drive in Hyde Park that day.

"Mother, if the queen sees me will she speak to me?" asked little Lois.

"Oh, no, dear."

"Why, mother? Is the queen so shy?" —Judge.

Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remidies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her, and she writes this marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and $1 00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason's drug store.

Jell-O, the New Dessert,

pleases all the family. Four flavors: Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. At your grocers. 10 cts. Try it today.

To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money

SHELDONVILLE.

Miss Eveline Outhouse is visiting friends in Attleboro.

Miss Beatrice Puvan has returned to her position with Whiting & Davis of Plainville.

Mrs. C. E. Thomas and daughter and Miss A. M. Bradford spent Saturday and Sunday in Plymouth.

Mr. Whitney of Attleboro Falls, a former resident here, was in town Monday visiting old friends.

There was a social in the vestry of the church Thursday evening given by the Ladies' Benevolent society.

George Heffron has severed his connection with D. B. Oliver and Burton W. Newell will supply the vacancies.

Mrs. E. E. Harris is ill with neuralgia and her daughter, Ruth, is ill with la grippe and the little daughter, Mary, is just recovering from a very severe cold.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3 Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10 Rev. M. J. Lee, rector; Rev. M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M Hodge, D. D, pastor, will preach at 10 30 on "The Slavery That Still Exists." Vesper service at 5; sermon on "Some Probable Conditions of Immortal Life." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. G. H. Horton of Blackstone. Sunday school at 12 Young People's meeting at 5 45. Preaching at 7 by pastor; theme, "Sowing Wild Oats," the second of a series on "The Prodigal Son."

Congregational church—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, at 10.30. Sunday school at 12. Y. P.S. C. E. at 6. Evening service at 7.

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor. Sermon will be one of a series on the general subject: "Lessons from Some Characteristic Incidents in the Life of Christ." Special subject: "The Resurrection of Christ" Junior league at 3. Epworth league at 6. Evening service at 7; subject, "Christ's Promise to Receive" Special singing morning and evening; solos by Mrs. C. L. Stewart.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

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BARGAINS FOR CASH.

Midwinter fortune for the alert and early buyers—just like finding money at our door with which to pay nearly half the bill.

LADIES' DESK $12.50, formerly $23.00. Displayed in our southerly window.

GRAND SQUARE PARLOR STOVE of superior make and quality...... $22.00 Formerly $32.00. Our loss is your gain.

OUR BOOK CASE, 47 inches wide, with double glass doors, reduced from $16.00 to $9.98

On Time! On Credit!

Parlor Suit $39.50, been asking $52 00

Forty Rockers at 25 Per Cent. Discount from regular price. Sold upon honor.

We ask one half down and give you two months to pay the balance Nothing so liberal and squarely liberal has ever been offered you in this city Beautify your parlor now and be cheerful

Austin S. Cook and Co

67 and 69 Main St.

WOONSOCKET, R. I.

Lowest Prices Ever Known

Were reached this season in Garment making. You will be surprised next autumn at the prices you will have to pay. Every item of material is steadily advancing and labor comes in for a ten or twenty per cent. advance. That must be added to this season's price. When we offer Ladies', Misses' and Children's Garments at less than half this season's price it should mean something to careful purchasers.

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $7.50 to $9.00, now **$4.25.**

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $5.00 to $6.00, now **$3.25.**

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $4.00 to $5.00, now **$2 25.**

Misses' Jackets, were $2.25, now **98c.**

Marston Sanborn,

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Agent for New Idea Patterns, 10c.

Agent for New Home Sewing Machine.

BUTTONS MADE FROM YOUR OWN CLOTH.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending Feb. 14, 1900:

Ladies—Miss R. A Evans

Gentlemen— Franklin Woollen Mills, W. E. Madden, Misto Matteo, H F. Maynard, J. B Maynard, Dennis McElroy, W. Hayward, Rev. J B. Woodland, Giovanni Puvafumarco, Martin Heier

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

A Comparison.

"You use a great many words that don't mean anything," said the political talker's manager.

"Did you ever take note of the bell ringing and steam puffing and general racket that occurs when an engine pulls out of the depot?"

"Yes."

"Well, that's how it is with me. It takes a lot of noise to get my train of thought started, but once under way I defy anybody to stop it."—Washington Star.

His Offense.

Visitor—I understand you are in jail for bigamy?

Convict—Yes; an overissue of the bonds o' matrimony.—Puck.

PIG-PEN POINTERS.

For a hog-pasture nothing equals a clover field.

Pigs need little or no bedding in summer; a dry, shady knoll is far better than a board straw bed.

It is quite a remarkable fact that the bite of a pig is dangerous; although comparatively rare, it takes a much longer time for such injuries to heal, than those of the horse or dog. Keep a safe distance between yourself and a cross hog.

Did you ever notice the little knots of worms in a hog's intestines at slaughtering time? Well, 15 drops of turpentine would rid the hog of the long stringy worms, and two ounces of quassia-chips in a pint of boiling water, injected, when cool, would kill the shorter ones.—Midland Farmer.

Hood's Pills

Are prepared from Nature's mild laxatives, and while gentle are reliable and efficient. They

Rouse the Liver

Cure Sick Headache, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, and Constipation. Sold everywhere, 25c. per box.

Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

OPEN TO CONVICTION.

The Husband—Haven't I told you again and again that I want you to trade at **Fales' Grocery Store?**

Wife—That's all right, but I saved a cent on a dollar's worth of sugar at another store.

Husband—That may be, but you said yourself that the sugar somehow didn't seem to sweeten the food like other sugar.

Wife—So I did; I forgot that. Tell Mr. Fales' man to stop here on his rounds tomorrow. His Groceries are good enough for me. after all.

Try FALES, the Grocer.

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QUINONE HAIR TONIC

HITS YOU.

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It stimulates the growth of tiny, new hairs and gives a refreshing glow to the scalp. We do not claim for it the absurdity that it will make hair appear where no roots are. but it will do just what we say it will—tone up the scalp.

It is 35c. per bottle.

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Each of the following articles means a **saving of 25 per cent.** on your Groceries. Every day at this store can be found prices on high quality articles that nowhere else can such inducements be offered.

GENUINE BARGAINS.

Fine Potatoes, bush.....	75	Steak Salmon, per can..	9
Common Crackers, lb...	5	4 packages Mince Meat..	25
4 lbs. best Creamery Butter...............	1.00	New Maple Sugar, 14c. lb., 2 lbs..............	25
4 quarts Onions...	10	4 1-2 lb. pakgs. Rolled Oats................	25
4 cans Tomatoes.......	25		

1-2 tin Cocoa.......... 15

SPECIAL---3 lbs. Prepared Buckwheat and bottle of fine Syrups, a 40c. deal, for this occasion to sell for **29c.**

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OUR SPRING LINE..

OF

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Butterick's Publications for March. Glass of Fashions. Metropolitan Fashions.

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FLETCHER BLOCK.

Turkeys, Chickens, Fowls, Etc.

13c. to 16c.

EVERYTHING AT

CHILSON'S.

Assignee's Sale.

Now is the time to buy your Winter stock of Groceries of the finest quality and at the lowest prices in town.

Sugar, 19 lbs. for $1.

Light Brown Sugar, 21 lbs. for $1.

Fancy Ponce Porto Rico Molasses, never sold before less than 50c gallon, now 40c gallon.

Fancy New Orleans Molasses, always sold at 60c gallon, now 50c gallon.

Good dark Molasses, 30c gallon.

Pure Maple Syrup, 25c quart.

Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.

Boiled cider, quart bottles, 20c.

5 lb. can Java and Mocha Coffee, 90c.

The best 50c, Tea 40c.

The best 60c Tea, 50c.

Fancy Table London Layer Raisins, 20c lb.

Four Crown loose Raisins, 12c lb.

Gilt Edge Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c lb.

Fancy Ribbon Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Chocolates, 15c lb.

Lowney's 40c goods now 35c.

We carry the finest quality Butter cut from the tub, 1 lb. prints, 5 lb. boxes, 10, 20 and 50 lb. tubs, at the lowest prices, quality considered.

J. P. Squire's Pure Lard, 8c lb.

10 lb. pails Lard, full weight, 75c.

J. P. Squire's Pure Leaf Lard in 5 lb. pails, 50c.

Mixed Nuts, English Walnuts, Oranges and Lemons in stock at the lowest prices.

Come in and leave your order with us and get the best for the least money.

Gentlemanly Dealing and Prompt Delivery is Our Motto.

McKinnon's Grocery Store,

CENTRAL SQUARE.

H. E. RUGGLES, Assignee.

Chamber Outfits

Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted. Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.

OUTFIT NO. 1.

This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.

$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 2.

This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs, rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.

$32—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 3.

This outfit is made up with one of our most popular selling chamber suits, including the 2 chairs, rocker, table, mattress, woven wire spring bed and toilet set.

$35—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

The Weeks Furniture Co.,

48 NORTH MAIN ST., Near Opera House.

WOONSOCKET, R. I.

☞ Store open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

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Collector's Notice.

The owners of the following described parcel of real estate in the town of Medway, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon assessed for the year within specified, according to the list committed to me by the Assessors of Taxes, remain unpaid, and that the said parcel of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Town Clerk's office in said Medway, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 1st, 1900,

at ten o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

The New England Food Co., or Owner—About one acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in the westerly part of Medway, bounded on the north by land of estate of Peter Foley, east by land of M. M. Fisher and Oakland cemetery, south by land of W. B. Hodges, west by open way. Or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.

Tax assessed, $42.00.

GEORGE F. MADDEN,

fe9,16,23 Collector of Taxes for 1899.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Phoebe R. Gerrish, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Robert L. McPherson, the administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county, on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this thirty-first day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

fe2,9,16

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Sarah B. Akerman, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Albert H. Martin, the trustee under the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first annual account of his trust under said will,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county, on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said trustee is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this thirty-first day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

fe2,9,16 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Matthew Mooney, late of Medway, in said county, deceased, intestate;

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to M. Richard Mooney of Medway without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of February. A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of January, A.D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To all creditors of the estate of Jesse B. Hopkins, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned commissioners of said estate will hold a meeting at the office of Rufus G. Fairbanks, in West Medway, in said county, on SATURDAY, FEB. 24 next, at 2 o'clock p. m., and all persons having claims against said estate may present them at said place and time for allowance.

RUFUS G. FAIRBANKS,
FRANCIS W. CUMMINGS,
Commissioners.

Medway, Feb. 1, 1900. fe2,9,16

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Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 6.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	6.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
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Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
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Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wadsworth street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, o the nearest box, unlock, pull down the ho and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the fire ..en arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Matrimony—

Man! Man!! Man!!!

Come! Admire our full, ripe beauty.

The Spinsters say they yearn for lovers.

The postoffice will be closed on Thursday from 10 to 5 and after 7.

P. A. Woodward has been wrestling with a severe cold the past few days.

'Tis said that one Spinster often visits the lunch cart and always orders "dog."

Howard Winters, an assistant at the SENTINEL office, is laid up with the mumps.

The Messrs. Whiting and their wives leave this week for New Orleans, Florida and Nassau.

Miss Ethel Woodman, the leading lady in "Shannon of the Sixth," this evening, is a former pupil at Dean.

The Lawrence Guild will meet at the rectory this evening instead of Wednesday evening, at 7.45 o'clock.

T. L. Martin has men and 10 horses engaged in drawing logs to the saw mill from North Franklin for Edward Cook.

It is understood that some of Franklin's capitalists are interested in the recent purchase of the Slatersville mill property.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rathbun are spending a few days at the Adirondacks, where Chester E. Smith is spending the winter for his health.

The bans of marriage between Peter Emsum and Miss Catherine Kearns were published at the 10.45 mass in the Opera house on Sunday.

An interesting article, from the pen of Rev. F. B. Sleeper, entitled "A Theological Explosion," appeared in the Christian Herald last week.

Mrs. G. A. Martin is interested in the "Sportsman show," which opens in Boston this week, and will have charge of some of the exhibits there.

There are 21 ladies registered as qualified to vote for school committee. The registration of voters will close Saturday evening, Feb. 24, at 10 p. m.

Walpole is considering the matter of an electric fire alarm system and has made some investigations at Franklin in regard to the system used here.

The Mothers' meeting will be held at Mrs. C. B. Johnson's on Friday afternoon, the subject being "The Law of Compensation," by Mrs. E. D. Daniels.

The grange will hold its regular meeting in Central Square hall on Thursday evening, when the district deputy will be present and the third and fourth degrees will be worked.

The regular meeting of the Y. P. C. U. will be Friday evening next. The committee in charge have a most pleasing programme in store. Everybody is cordially invited. All will feel repaid for coming.

As an illustration of the appreciation of our public library, over 611 persons patronized it last year, 10,265 books being taken out. This is an increase of 32 persons and 812 books over the record of last year.

Manager Partridge went to Hyde Park last evening to see the production of "Shannon of the Sixth," and pronounces it one of the finest of the kind he ever saw. The Opera house ought to be packed this evening.

Owing to the unsafe condition of the church building, the parishioners of St. Mary's attended mass at the Opera house on Sunday. Two masses were celebrated, at 9 and 10.45 a. m., Rev. Father Lee and Rev. Father Sullivan officiating.

Tomorrow night, at 7.45, the largest audience ever assembled in Morse Opera house will gaze in open mouthed wonder upon the array of beauty, yearning for expression, which will fill the stage. Oh, ye Franklin swains, can ye not be tempted thence?

The supper and entertainment at the Congregational church last Wednesday evening was an unqualified success, the diners appearing in such large numbers as almost to overwhelm the producers. In fact, the supply hardly equalled the demand. A generous sum was netted.

By a change in organization Hon. Joseph G. Ray has been elected president of the American Felt Co., and William H. Sweatt vice president. The former president, vice president and secretary have sold their stock and retired from the company. It was capitalized at $5,000,000.

The friends of Composer B E. Leavitt, who put on "The Frogs" and other plays here, will be pleased to learn that "Bell Rock," the new comic opera, by N. W. and B. E. Leavitt, received its first presentation on Tuesday evening, at the Broadway theatre, Norwich, Conn. The local press speak highly of the work and its production. The cast comprised 125 people.

A short time ago we noted the suit of the Rubber trust against George H. Hood, formerly interested in Franklin, but now of Watertown. This suit promises to have two very important and far-reaching sides to it. We learn also that Mr. Hood has secured A. B. Fletcher, Esq., of New York and Franklin as his counsel, and speaker J. J. Myers of the Massachusetts House of Representatives as his Boston lawyer.

There is unusual interest in the meeting of the Norfolk Christian Endeavor union at Walpole on Thursday, as excellent accommodations are to be had for getting there and returning. Quite a number of the Franklin Endeavorers are planning to go either afternoon or evening. All who have badges are requested to wear them, and those not so provided can secure them of Miss Lovering.

The corporation of the "King's Daughters and Sons for the Norfolk County Home for the Aged have not decided upon a location. Two members of the board of trustees visited Foxboro Feb. 12 to look at a fine old mansion there offered for sale. Nothing has been decided upon. It was thought at one time that the home might be located here and hopes are still entertained that this may be brought about.

It has been noticed that on the nights previous to the sitting of the police court here few tramps apply for lodging at the police station, but the nights before the court holds its session at Walpole the number of lodgers is very much larger. The court alternates between Franklin and Walpole and the fraternity seem to have recognized the fact that it is more trouble and expense to take them to court at Walpole than to invite them upstairs here.

One of the most punctual and seldom absent pupils in one of the schools did not find his name in the SENTINEL the other day, and feels naturally not a little disturbed over it. He is one of the scholars transported in a barge, and was on time the other morning, but the barge was not. Consequently all in the barge were late for school. They were all marked tardy, and they felt as if that stigma ought not to rest upon them. We think so, too.

The Republicans will hold their caucus in Music hall on Friday evening and the Democrats will join with the Citizens in a caucus in the town hall upon the same evening. There was a general impression abroad that the nominees of either party to have support at the polls would be the ones who were known to be friendly to the new electric road, but the action of the present board of selectmen in putting the matter through during their incumbency will make a rigid scrutiny of the ticket less probable.

Dean's basket ball team will play at the "Sportsman's show" in Boston on Saturday, and in the evening will play the Winchester Y. M. C. A. here. A rattling good game is expected. These games at Dean have been well sustained and the team is deserving of the excellent support it is receiving. Prof. Arnold, who looks after the athletic interests, is determined that the school shall take a meritorious stand in that matter in comparison with other institutions of similar character.

The storm which started on Saturday afternoon developed into the fiercest storm of the winter, almost preventing service at the churches on Sunday, though a few faithful ones of each denomination turned out. The snow fell from eight inches to a foot, though not uniformly; drifting quite badly. The snow plow on the electric line began work Sunday evening, no cars being run during the day, and by Monday morning they were running, though not regularly till noon. Telephone, telegraph and electric light wires were interfered with but little.

The Alden club will present to the public an exceptionally fine meeting next Monday evening to be given in Dean academy chapel through the courtesy of Prof. Peirce. The subject of the evening will be "Negro Slave Songs and Plantation Folk Lore," by Jeannette Robinson Murphy, a Southern lady well known in literary clubs and circles. Will not the people of Franklin show their interest in the Alden club as well as in a fine entertainment seldom given in country towns? Members are requested to present their membership tickets at the door.

H. A. Worthley, proprietor of the New Central hotel, and his clerk, Pearson H. Shattuck, were up before Judge Doe in the district court this morning charged with illegal keeping of liquor. A. H. Martin represented the state and H. E. Ruggles the defense. Officer Nickerson, J. H. Tyler, F. P. Martin of Boston and A. J. Gilmore appeared as witnesses. Messrs. Gilmore and Tyler denied that they ever procured any liquor there, but Mr. Martin admitted that he had upon several occasions. Both defendants swore that there had never been any liquor about the place. The case was adjourned till 3 this afternoon and is now on.

The lecture on "Egypt," by Mr. Bunker, in the Universalist church last evening was exceedingly interesting, and the views he showed were remarkably clear and illustrative. The speaker has a very easy stage manner, goes right to the heart of his subject, and compels attention throughout. He showed the various types of character one meets in travel there, gave many historical facts relating to this ancient land, taking his hearers back to an almost incomprehensible time. Their customs, costumes, manners, modes of living, places of worship, etc., were all clearly portrayed, making one feel quite well acquainted with these people who hold direct connection with ante-Biblical times. He showed that some of the discoveries there strangely bear out facts given in the Bible. The interest was maintained throughout and everyone felt amply repaid for coming out. He should have been given a wider hearing.

Which Do You Prefer?

You may urge that liquor is sold in town to a certain extent in spite of no-license, and that "prohibition does not prohibit." Granted, but the town is free from the open saloon, a drunken man is the exception except late at night and then he keeps off the main streets, liquor cannot be bought openly, nor sold except secretly by men who are traitors to law, good order and self esteem. No-license simply means that the town will not legally, and therefore knowingly, permit a liquor nuisance to be placed next to your door, with its hellish influences thrown about your children. You guard them carefully at home, why not upon the street?

In a word, why will you vote to curse yourself and your neighbor with that which has never been other than a curse to everyone who has in any way been connected with the sale or use of intoxicants? Think it over.

A Notable Issue.

There is throughout the entire country a great deal of interest in the proposed issue of the Topeka (Kan.) Capital, which is for six days to be in charge of Rev. Charles Sheldon, author of "What Would Jesus Do?" Commencing with the issue of March 13 he is to have entire charge of the paper, as if the actual owner, and the Christians and unbelievers are making their predictions as to the success of the experiment. The paper is supposed to be run for that period as nearly as possible upon the lines that Mr. Sheldon supposes the Master would have it conducted, as to matter, editorials, advertisements etc. Everything that goes into the paper will be closely scanned with that idea in mind. Such a thing has never before been attempted, though many publishers have worked within certain limits along those lines. A number from here have already subscribed for that special issue, and others can have the paper sent to their address for that period by conferring with Charles L. Stewart, the price being 25 cents for the six issues.

Declines Further Honors.

To the Voters of Franklin:

As the time is at hand for selection of candidates for the annual March meeting, I wish to give notice that I am not a candidate for any town office and must positively refuse further official honors at this time. I wish to thank the citizens of Franklin for their liberal support the past two years.

Your obedient servant,
HORACE W. HOSIE.

Dr. E. M. Faxon, Boston, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, will meet patients at hotel Briggs Thursdays from 9 to 12:30 o'clock.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Inspiring Words.

Every young man in town should have heard Rev. Mr. Albion's earnest words at the Founders' day exercises at Dean academy on Friday, as they were so filled with useful thought and helpful ideas that they must have carried weight and conviction to everyone who listened. Preceding the address the semi annual meeting of the trustees was held in the academy office.

At 2.30 the exercises proper commenced, with an exceedingly well rendered piano selection by Miss Helen Tappan, followed by prayer by Rev. Dr. Capen of Tufts college. Miss Mabel Goddard then sang the "Slumber Song," with great acceptance. Following the address Miss Voltmann sang three selections with rare taste and expression, making it a treat to listen.

The address by Rev. Mr. Albion was upon "The Ultimate Aim of Education." He first paid a graceful tribute to those whose names were so closely associated with Franklin, Dr. Emmons, Horace Mann and Dr. Dean. The Christian church has ever been found the patron of education. Why is it that we are giving millions to further the cause of education. We lead all nations in the amount per capita which we spend for that cause. France spends $4 on her army and only 70 cents for education; England $3.72 for her army and 62 cents for education; Prussia $2.04 and 50 cents; Italy $1.52 and 36 cents; Austria $1.36 and 62 cents; Russia $2.04 on her army and 3 cents for education, while the United States reverses the expense and spends 38 cents for her army and more than three times as much for education.

Education is the most important of human interests. It commences with the first cry of the infant, and develops through memory, observation, judgment and reflection. Different nations regard education differently. Sparta sought for physical courage, Athens to know beauty and truth, Jerusalem to be learned in the law; others sought for spiritual development. The true idea is to turn latency into potency, possibilities into powers. Our greatest school is outside of all schools. We need to know where to look for knowledge of facts.

Education is not simply a storing of facts. Its purpose is to dispel ignorance, which is the source of crime, poverty, disease and unhappiness. The ignorant man is the tool of the stronger mind. Ignorance makes social reform impossible. The dollar means the power back of it. There are three kinds of power, that over nature, our fellowman and ourselves. Man is a bundle of capacities. Teachers should study the latent forces in their pupils, which, developed, stand for humanity and civilization. The mind is the mightiest power in the world. Knowledge is worthless unless it calls forth the latent powers in man. Men with capacity are needed and can find ready employment. Men who can carry a "Message to Garcia" are in constant demand and too sadly lacking; men who can assume responsibility and can execute.

Observation is the basis of all knowledge. The men who talk are many; the doers are less; the thinkers are still less, while the seers are rarer still. Books are too much used in teaching; the eyes should be taught to observe. The ultimate aim, therefore, of education is character; all else is the servant and handmaid of character. If we could have character without education we should not need the latter. We should have the courage to live out our own destiny; dare to be true, honest, self-reliant, purposeful, noble. God has a message for every human soul to deliver, and each message differs as man differs. One man cannot do another's duty; each has his own and each should seek to follow out and do the right.

At the close of his address J. M. Gallison, on behalf of the graduating class of 1900, presented the school with a fine large picture, handsomely framed. In accepting it Prof. Peirce spoke appreciatively, and alluded to the gift of a large flag, once the property of Dr. Dean and recently presented to the school by his widow. It was made for the original owner by the Amoskeag company during the civil war. The picture and flag were spoken of as being gifts from the oldest and youngest friends of the school.

In the evening the hall was well filled to listen to the concert by the Tufts glee, mandolin and guitar club, whose appearance here before was pleasantly remembered. The concert they gave was, if anything, slightly superior to their former effort, evidenced in one respect by the finish of their work. The club this year included one Franklin young man, Joseph G. Ray, 2d. Mr. Foster was excellent, and the school is indeed fortunate in having among its membership so talented an elocutionist.

At the close the students and their friends, with quite a number of former members of the school, gathered in the gymnasium, where dancing was indulged in, Milliken's orchestra furnishing the music. This was a pleasing finale to the successful exercises of a profitable day.

For a clean shave and a good hair cut go to Ochee's barber shop.

The Franchise at Once.

The selectmen, at their meeting on Friday evening, granted the location on Main and Lincoln streets asked for by the Medfield and Medway Street Railway company, their action being unanimous. Further, it is learned that the board will at once draw up the terms of the franchise and the company will do the same, thus getting at the mutual desires in the matter. If amicable arrangements are made the franchise will be granted within ten days or two weeks, and the company will at once proceed to carry out its plans for laying the rails. Indeed, they are informally pledged to have the road in operation between here and Medway by Memorial day.

If they succeed in doing this they will doubtless catch a good deal of spring and summer travel, and our merchants are of the belief that they will bring into the town a good deal of business from Medway people.

One of the reasons why the matter of franchise is pushed through so quickly is because the selectmen are convinced that the sentiment of the town is decidedly in favor of granting it, and as the company does not wish any delay in the matter, so that they may get the cars running as soon as possible. They have their material already secured, so they do not anticipate any difficulty there. Among the provisions which will be put into the franchise in all probability will be the transfer of school children and teachers at half price, which will be quite a saving to the town in the matter of transportation.

About twenty five citizens on Saturday attended the hearing in Medway given by the Medway and Medfield Street Railway company to see what objection the citizens had to the granting of a franchise to the Medway and Medfield Street Railway company to extend its road through to the Franklin line, which is the other side of the Franklin bridge, near the Senior & Co. mill. The directors of the company were all present. Mr. Feeley was asked if the stone bridge over the Charles river was safe, and he stated that the civil engineer of the company had said it was perfectly safe for electrics. He said the company would make such repairs as are needed. Then the chairman asked all those present who were opposed to the granting of a franchise to the above company to make it manifest by a raising of hands. No hand went up.

That Merchant

Who is honestly desirous to know whether his business will be improved by license in town needs only to set off against possible profits therefrom the losses which must necessarily come through the bad debts of his purchasers and the loss of the money to him which the rumseller gets. Every store in town will suffer by just so much as goes into the saloon, and the open saloon catches many a dime which the dry goods men, the butcher, the grocer, the clothier, is now getting. It can't be otherwise.

Republican Caucus.

The Republican voters of the town of Franklin are requested to meet in caucus at Music hall on Friday, Feb. 23, 1900, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for town officers.

The town committee will be pleased to receive and consider any nomination for town offices upon written request of ten Republican voters.

F. P. CHAPMAN, Chairman,
O. B. CARTER, Secretary.

Notice to Voters.

The Registrars of Voters will be in session at town officers' rooms

Wednesday, Feb. 21, from 7 to 9 p. m.,
Saturday, Feb. 24, from 12 m. to 10 p. m.

Above dates are the only opportunities for registration before the annual March election.

Important to Orient Bicycle Owners.

All owners of Orient bicycles, purchased of the undersigned during the past three years, may have their wheels cleaned and put in perfect order by a practical workman free of expense by delivering the same to me between now and March 15. Broken or worn parts will be replaced at actual cost, the owners being notified before such expense is incurred.

CHARLES L. STEWRT,
Orient Agent.

Franklin, Mass., Feb. 20, 1900.

Monumental Work.

The undersigned informs the public that he represents one of the largest manufacturers and dealers in marble and granite monumental work of Vermont. He has an extensive line of photo designs to select from and prices to suit the times. A line addressed to L. S. Cheney, at Franklin, will meet with prompt attention.

Owing to Repairs

now going on in my Studio, I prefer that persons wishing sittings would postpone it a week or two, when I shall be in better shape than ever before to give you perfect satisfaction. Open for taking and delivering orders as usual.

CALKIN, Photographer, Depot St.

Business is opening up nicely for H. S. Dow of Boston, who has opened the White Star laundry in the rear of the Dana block. He does only high grade work, and bundles can be left at Mr. Dana's, if desired.

IN THE WAKE OF THE SWALLOWS.

A Southland Pilgrimage—The University of Virginia.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Feb. 12, 1900.

The charm of a long journey begins before it begins! There is the first conception of the idea, the suggestion of whether or no, the decision to go somewhere, the question "where?" the eager consultation of maps and railroad guides, the securing the literature of the chosen roads, the attractive booklets of the hotels, filled with illustrations, which can always be had for the asking, the final preparations and the start.

The enjoyment of anticipation and imagination half make the trip a reality in these days of luxurious advertising, for one can see himself at any point by means of the fine pictures, which bring a place vividly to the mind. For us, old

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"The Spinsters."

The cast of "The Spinsters' Matrimonial club, which will make its bow to a large and representative audience at the Opera house tomorrow (Wednesday) evening, at 7.45 o'clock, will be made up as follows: President, Maribah Loveman, Miss Frances E. King; secretary, Amarilla Haywood, Mrs. S. C. Bailey; treasurer, Prudence Priscilla Jones, Miss Laura E. Blake; Rachel Rebecca Short, Miss Linna M. Farrer; Penelope Gertrude Doolittle, Miss Rose F. Macdermot; Portia Olivia Bennett, Mrs. J. E. Duprez; Josephine J. Green, Mrs. H. M. H. Haydan; Betsey Bobbit, Mrs. H. E. Batchelor; Jerusha Matilda Spriggins, Miss Minnie E. L. Bowers; Ophelia Rebecca Pitkins, Mrs. J. A. Barnstead; Mary Angelina Corey, Miss Caroline F. Rockwood; Maria M. Huggins, Miss Amy B. Briggs; Sarah Maria Tubbs, Miss Florence S. Whiting; Neerisa Ethel Bodkins, Miss Eunice L. Crocker; Mercy Desire Adams, Mrs. J. R. Hosford; Jessica Juliet Smith, Miss Louise W. Gardner; Violet Ann Ruggles, Miss Vera A. Tourtellotte; Patience Snodgrass, Miss Eva A. Reed; Sophronia Araminta Long, Miss Frances D. Cosseboom; Charity Ann Smithers, Mrs. A. C. Mason; Prof. Makeover, J. C. Coseeboom; "Johnnie," Charles R. Whitaker; assisted by Miss Myrtie E. Whiting, Miss Alice J. Grover, Mrs. Nellie Dixon Cobb, Miss Lucy Snow; Miss Grace Holden, accompanist; J. R. Hosford, Roy M. S. Hartshorne, Walter C. Sherman, Lester P. Rich, Charles Bent.

Who Is Your Associate?

If you vote for license what kind of a crowd will you have with you? Will it be largely the manufacturers, the teachers, the pastors, the church members, the professional men, the reputable owners of property, the self-respecting members of society?

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In the Wake of the Swallows.

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travelers, the rapid run from Boston to Washington was still full of interest. This country grows by days and hours! Here, where six months ago was an open field, is a very village of beautiful little houses. Ah! the church spire is finished! Its glistening spire suggests the aspirations of a new group of worshippers. A wharf has been built far out into the river! A new steamer gay with fresh paint is being loaded! Here are seven fine apartment houses receiving their last touches. The magnificent city seen from the ferry is guarded by two more superb stone giants, which, facing all comers, protect the beauty and greatness of New York by their stately and splendid frontage.

There is no such sight on earth as New York from the Jersey side. No wonder foreigners stand in silent amazement as they see before them this wilderness of splendid structures, reaching to high heaven and mutely suggesting the financial, commercial, educational civilization which they are to realize when they touch foot to our hospitable soil.

But to the Northerner, anxious to escape to sun and sweetness, warmth and bloom, the preliminary trip is but the preface to that volume of delights which opens page by page from Washington to the South. Securing by good fortune the best seats in one of those rolling palace trains sent by the Southern railroad to New Orleans daily, with every luxury and convenience within and a varied panorama without, we first felt the real breath of a southern temperature as we drew out from the National city and began that series of historic pictures which make up the run to Charlottesville.

As we glide towards Alexandria we turn for a last look at that splendid white wonder, which points heavenward, its snowy needle nearly 600 feet in air, to forever honor the name of the father of our country.

Arlington, the many-columned and stately home of the Lees, stands fair and white on an eminence by the Potomac, and farther down the road we get a glimpse of the historical residence of Madison. Alexandria, once so filled with the wit, gaiety and fashion of the colonial society, is now but a "deserted village," a dead and alive suburb of the grand city, which has long towered above it, but every foot of ground around and beyond it, from Manassas to the Rappahannock and the Rapidan over to the Shenandoah Valley, guarded on the east by a very beautiful range of hills, inspires some memory of the Civil war or brings to mind some anecdote of those stirring days.

Now at the stations we begin to see hunters with their horses and toggery, and note how much luggage of that description goes off and comes on the train, for the whole country is a field of sport, where the fox, deer, wild turkey and smaller wild fowl attract people from all over the world. Flocks of quail, 200 in a bunch, rise as we rush by and race through cotton and cornfields now shorn of snowy bloom and yellow maize. From the windows as we approach this famous town we catch glimpses of "Monticello," the home of Thomas Jefferson. Seated on the highest elevation facing the western sunset, this beautiful structure, the Mecca of 10,000 American pilgrims, lifts its historical walls and stately columns in the pride of ancient memories.

Charlottesville is thoroughly characteristic and typical of Virginia in its hills and hollows, rambling streets and old-fashioned colonial mansions, surrounded with lawns and gardens bordered by box, and even in February sweet with pansies and violets, crocuses and tulips. The bright red soil, with dusky shadows of brown, the splendid old trees, and over-hanging the village at the west the artistic or quaint old building of the university lend a refined and reposeful grace to the atmosphere, lead to the contemplation of the past and bring to mind those early days when the great Jefferson, who founded this fine institution of learning, wrote as its motto and principle the famous words: "I have sworn upon the altar of God eternal hostility against every form of tyranny over the mind of man."

Albermarle county is rich in historical lore for the American patriot. On the grounds of the university once stood the law office of James Madison; just across the line is his residence. Here George Rogers Clark, with his little band of Virginians, suffered privations and trials to which were due the capture of the British ports in the northwest. One of the weirdest stories ever written by Edgar Allen Poe was conceived among the strange and lonesome heights of Ragged mountain, and here he spent some of those college days where his reserve, his love of mystery and the troubled changes of his singular spirit first began to be shown in his remarkable literary work.

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Crowning a western summit is the McCormick observatory and guarded by great stone ramparts like a fort stands the beautiful little chapel

Thus in all directions, wherever one may look, are to be seen buildings of such singular architectural and historical beauty or fame as to well entice the traveller to stay, and within are a thousand attractions of portraits, manuscripts, statues, relics, old letters and documents, maps and collections of interesting objects, well worthy the attention.

Nestled among hills whose verdure hardly deserts its enormous trees the year around; filled with the memories, anecdotes and reminiscences of our glorious past, characteristic with a population descended from old colonial dames and gentlemen, and served today by the grinning darkey whose grand, and great and still great grandmothers were the Aunt Chloes of the revolutionary kitchens, no wonder the place has become a favorite resting place in the trail of the swallow, bound south.

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Down the Road.

As you went down the road, dear,
  As you went down the road,
How chill the breeze began to blow,
  My heart took up its load;
The skies that had been blue and bright,
How fast they darkened into night!

And will you ne'er turn back, dear?
  And shall we never meet?
Do no glad cries come up the road?
  No swift returning feet?
Half way to meet you I would run,
Though long the way and set the sun.

Alas! the days go on, dear:
  How dulled the daylight seems
Since you went down the road, dear,
  And left me to my dreams.
Left me to bear my weary load
  As I toil after, down the road.
—Danske Dandridge, in N. Y. Independent.

The Harvester.

Sweet Death, that linger'st in the field
  When reapers' songs are heard no more,
And will not let the smallest yield
  Of sweetness miss the season's store!

Dear Death, whose dim, mysterious hand
  Permits no meanest flower
To bloom alone when all the land
  Has rendered up its dower!

True Angel of God's wiser ways,
  True friend of all that strive:
Shall we shrink from thee when the days
  Of ripening suns arrive?

When flowers fall and fruit is borne,
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Now.

I leave with God to-morrow's where and how,
And do concern myself but with the now.
That little word, though half the future's length,
Well used, holds twice its meaning and its strength.

Like one blindfolded, groping out his way,
I will not try to touch beyond to-day
Since all the future is concealed from sight,
I need but strive to make the next step right.

That done, the next! and so on, till I find,
Perchance, some day I am no longer blind,
And, looking up, behold a radiant Friend,
Who says: "Rest now, for you have reached the end!"
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox, in N. Y. Truth.

The Eternal Love.

In every human love, Love lives,
  God of the Apostles' Word;
Rooted in Paradise, it gives
  Life still to new life stirred.
Though wisdom nor great faith be mine
  The mountain's weight to move,
Still let me hear that song divine,
  The world's deep hymn of love.

Who never in the loved one's eyes
  Has seen life grow divine
Is blinded by care's earthly prize,
  Nor sees Heaven's pure love shine.
For Wisdom's proudest work shall fail,
  Earth's crumble to decay.
Love's triumph far exceedeth all—
  It lives in endless day.
—Mrs. Andrew Beattie, in N. Y. Observer.

When Spring Returns.

When spring returns with song and flowers,
  And fills the world with glee,
Then come to us the happy hours
  Of days that used to be;
Our childhood's grace again we trace
  In field and forest fair,
And bird and flower have magic power—
  Enchanting everywhere!

When spring returns with its new life,
  Beyond the bourne of time,
And we have passed the winter strife,
  And reached the heavenly clime,
Perhaps the grace of earth's old place
  May come with gladness there,
And memory true old scenes renew—
  In beauty fresh and fair!
—William Brunton, in Good Housekeeping.

Meadow Frogs.

Ere yet the earliest warble wakes
  Of coming spring to tell,
From every marsh a chorus breaks—
  A choir invisible—
As tho' the blossoms underground
A breath of utterance had found.

Whence comes the liquid melody?
  The summer clouds can bring
No fresher music from the sky
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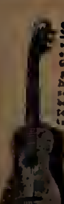

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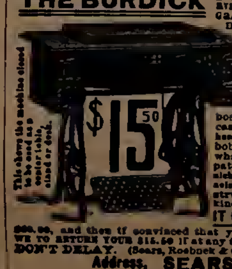

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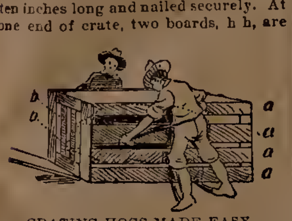

CRATING HOGS MADE EASY.

slid between the end boards and held in place by a bolt through top and bottom of each. From bottom up, side boards are nailed on three, four and five in apart respectively.

To handle hogs, take three planks one foot wide, place one end in rear of wagon, other on ground, as shown at c. Two men take the crate at each end, follow up and drop over the hog and then walk the hog under the crate, up the plank on the wagon. In this way I have loaded alone hogs that weighed 400 pounds. Keep crate close to ground or the hog will poke her nose under and crawl out. If hogs are wild, feed them and while eating set crate over them. I lead hogs from pen to pasture in this way. — C. A. Phoenix, in Farm and Home.

Both Would Be Broke.

Mrs. Hiram—Supposing, Bridget, I should deduct from your wages the price of all the china you broke?

Bridget Brittledish—Well, mum, I think I'd be loike the china.—Tit-Bits.

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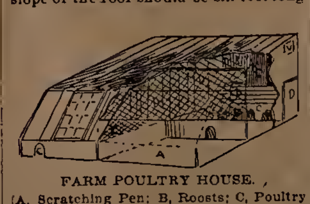
A subscriber at Sidney, O., asks for a plan for a house that will accommodate 50 hens, with a scratching pen attached. He says it must be cheap as well as convenient. I present the plan of a house that I think will be suitable. The scratching pen is under the same roof and is separated by only a wire or lath partition, shown at A. In this pen all feeding should be done. The size of the house is 16x20 feet and nine feet at the highest point of the roof. The front slope of the roof should be six feet long to accommodate a hot-bed sash, and would need three of them. The partitions should divide the house into four equal parts, a scratching pen and a roosting and nest room on each side.



FARM POULTRY HOUSE.
(A, Scratching Pen; B, Roosts; C, Poultry Doors; D, Inside Doors; V, Ventilator.)

Place the water, ground bone and grit in the roosting or nest room and do all of the feeding in the scratching room, and also keep the dust bath in this room right under the glass so that the sun will shine in it and keep it dry and warm. For cheapness and durability I would cover the roof with Neponset roofing and paint it well; board up the sides and ends and batten the cracks.

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A WORD ABOUT QUEENS.

Every Colony of Bees Should Receive a New One Before the Principal Flow Begins.

The bright apiarist requeens colonies of bees almost every year. While queens may live three or four years, and in some case even five years, yet they outlive their usefulness and are not near so prolific the second year as they are the first and seldom prove profitable the third year of their lives. It is true there are some exceptions, but the above is the general rule. Old queens usually quit laying eggs entirely at the close of the honey season during the fore part of the summer, and even if the honey flow continues well on in summer they will check up on egg production. While good young queens lay more eggs during the honey season than old ones, they continue to lay eggs all summer to some extent and in autumn months brood will be found in their combs, hence such colonies are in the best condition to successfully go through the winter, and always come out stronger in the spring. Old queens are more inclined to swarm, and will deposit eggs in the queen cell cups even when the colony is by no means strong enough. The result is that the colony will cast small swarms if allowed to swarm at all, and if prevented by the usual method of removing the queen cells the old queen seems to pout about it and persists in starting more queen cells and also seems to make a specialty of the queen cell business, neglects laying generally, and the result is a colony that will store but little if any surplus honey. Much larger crops would be the result if each colony of bees were to receive a newly hatched and fertile queen in the early spring and before the principal flow began. This method of management would in great measure prevent swarming and also add to the number of bees in the hive, which is the two prime requisites in the production of large honey crops. No queen over two years old should be retained in a hive and it will be better still to requeen every year, even if the queens have to be purchased at one dollar each, which is the usual price of them, but it is much cheaper for everyone who keeps bees to rear their own queens, which may readily be done even with a few hives of bees. Some queens are far superior to others and at the same time may be of the same race or variety.—A. H. Duff, in Prairie Farmer.

Combs in Cold Weather.

Every winter damages the birds more or less by injuring the combs. When a comb is frosted it turns black and often the points decay and fall off. It is very painful, and results in a loss of eggs, as the birds will not lay until the comb is thoroughly healed. The wattles also freeze, especially when wet, as is the case with birds that drink from an open vessel. The best remedy for frosted combs is to keep the birds free from draughts and anoint the combs with a few drops of glycerin and crude petroleum mixed. To prevent the difficulty, if necessary, cut off the combs and wattles with a sharp knife or shears, dip the head in alum water and put the birds in a dry, warm place. Should the weather be warm rub the cut surface with crude petroleum as a protection against flies.—American Gardening.

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With Apologies to A. Pope.

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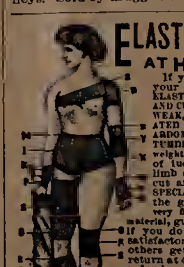

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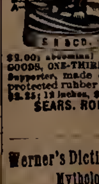

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don't be silly."

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much more than Jack
Came wooing the sweet maiden who had
pouted;
He looked upon her fondly, but she only
turned her back—
The love that he bestowed on her she
flouted.

The man who had the riches and the brains
forgot to say
That she was like a rose or like a lily;
Jack came again and flattered her in his
old, foolish way,
And she took him, still protesting: "Don't
be silly."
—Chicago Daily News.

Fame.

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glade,
Untrodden paths invite the fairest flowers,
The roughest stone, the purest gem has
made;
The faintest star could swing this world of
ours.
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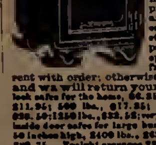

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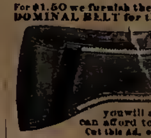

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A number of members of Wampum lodge, I. O. O. F., will visit King David's lodge at Franklin Wednesday night, at which time the grand officers will be present.——The W. R. C. of Plainville will open a fair today for the purpose of raising funds toward the erection of a monument in the cemetery in honor of the soldier dead.

Remedy for the Hornfly.

The hornfly is becoming troublesome in some sections, and the Kansas experiment station reports that they have found the following mixture to effectually prevent them from troubling the agricultural college herd: Two quarts fish oil, one pint crude carbolic acid, two ounces of oil of tar, one ounce oil of pennyroyal, one quart kerosene. All except the kerosene can be obtained at any good drug store, and the cost is but 85 cents a gallon. Put it on with brush, cloth, or in fine spray from atomizer, about once in two or three days. The cost is from one-half to one cent a head each day, and these flies and all others will carefully avoid it.

When to Buy Mill Feed.

At this time of year millers need all their spare store room to hold grain, and will sell bran and wheat middlings much cheaper than they can afford to do later in the season. There is often a saving of two or three dollars per ton, even though the price of grain does not advance if the mill feed needed for winter and spring use is purchased now. If farmers have spare room in their barns that can be kept always dry they can profitably use it for storing bran, though it is very bulky in proportion to its cost, and for that reason room for it cannot be afforded where storage is expensive.—American Cultivator.

The Modern Way

Commends itself to the well-informed, to do pleasantly and effectually what was formerly done in the crudest manner and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches and fevers without unpleasant after effects use the delightful liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs. Made by California Fig Syrup Co.

If the reader of this should chance to know of any one who is subject to attacks of bilious colic he can do him no greater favor than to tell him of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. It always give prompt relief. For sale by Albert C. Mason.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska

To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

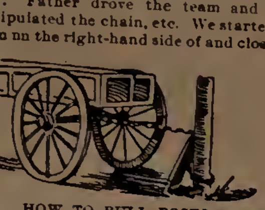
How to Begin Farming.

The beginner on a farm usually estimates the cost of the farm as the largest expenditure, but the farm is an incumbrance if the owner has not sufficient capital to derive the most from the land. There is a heavy outlay to be considered for buildings, horses, cattle, wagons, machinery, implements, seeds and labor. The cost for the first year may exceed the value of the farm itself. It is better to begin with a small farm where the capital is limited than to undertake too much and lose all by going into debt.

HOW TO PULL POSTS.

A Difficult Undertaking That Is Made Easy by the Exercise of a Little Stratagem.

We had a lot of old posts to pull and haul off. The ground was dry and the posts came up hard. We at first thought to take a long pole and yank them out by main strength and awkwardness while the team stood by; but decided upon a different plan and took with us merely a good length of chain and a piece of 2 by 8-inch stuff about 30 inches long. Father drove the team and I manipulated the chain, etc. We started down on the right-hand side of and close in the line of posts. In driving past a post he swung the team a little to the right, then slightly to the left, and backed a few feet, bringing left hind wheel of wagon about in line with post and within a few feet of it. One end of chain having been fastened around the axle near left wheel, I hooked the other end around post close to ground, then lifted chain and set the piece of 2 by 8 under it with top end resting against post and lower end resting on the ground some 18 inches from post. As the team started slowly the post started skyward, then fell prostrate and was at once loaded into the wagon. When the end of the line was reached, in a short time, the job was complete and we were ready to drive off with our load of posts.—George T. Pettit, in Ohio Farmer.

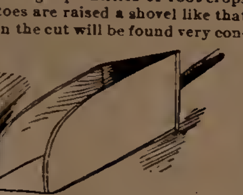


HOW TO PULL POSTS.

VEGETABLE SHOVEL.

Handy Implement for Farmers Where Large Quantities of Root Crops Are Raised.

Where large quantities of root crops or potatoes are raised a shovel like that shown in the cut will be found very convenient in handling the crop. It can be made new from the beginning or made in the way indicated—by screwing sides and a back to a common snow shovel. The thin edge in front slips in under the roots without bruising them, and as they are comparatively light in weight large numbers can be taken up at each shovelful.—N. Y. Tribune.



VEGETABLE SHOVEL.

One Dose

Tells the story. When your head aches, and you feel bilious, constipated, and out of tune, with your stomach sour and no appetite, just buy a package of

Hood's Pills

And take a dose, from 1 to 4 pills. You will be surprised at how easily they will do their work, cure your headache and biliousness, rouse the liver and make you feel happy again. 25 cents. Sold by all medicine dealers.

Not Neighborly.

"I notice a coolness between you and Mrs. Nexdore. What is the trouble?"

"She sent her little boy over yesterday for a stepladder we borrowed of her two years ago. The artful woman let it stay here all that time so she could send for it some day and make me feel cheap."—Chicago Tribune.

Educational Item.

Near-Sighted Old Gentleman — Can you tell me what inscription is on that board over there?

Irish Rustic—Sure, O'im in the same boat, sorr! It was moighty little schoolin' Oi had when Oi was a bhny mesilf, sorr!—Tit-Bits.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Don't Know it.

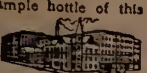
How To Find Out.

Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys, if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

What to Do.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of **Swamp-Root** is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in 50c. and $1. sizes.

You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful discovery and a book that tells more about it, both sent absolutely free by mail, address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper.



Home of Swamp-Root.

No. 1207

REPORT of the condition of the FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK, at Franklin, in the state of Massachusetts, at the close of business, Feb. 13, 1900.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$370,418 68
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		1,117 10
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		50,000 00
Notes of other National banks		2,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		51 78
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$7,800 00	
Legal tender notes	19,761 00—	27,561 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer .5 per cent. of circulation)		4,500 00
Total		$555,648 56

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$200,000 00
Surplus fund	00,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	41,162 25
National bank notes outstanding	87,950 00
Due to other National Banks (reserve agents)	14,156 36
Due to State Banks and Bankers	1,254 99
Dividends unpaid	1,164 00
Individual deposits subject to check	157,729 25
Certified checks	2,208 33
Exchange account	23 38
Total	$555,648 56

State of Massachusetts, county of Norfolk, ss:

I, F. H. Bartholomew, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. H. BARTHOLOMEW, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of February, 1900.

ORESTES T. DOE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JAMES F. RAY,
WILLIAM A. WYCKOFF,
HARRY T. HAYWARD,
Directors.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN

SAVINGS BANK.

FRANKLIN, MASS.

D. THAYER, Jr., President.
GEO. W. WIGGIN,
CHAS. J. McKENZIE, } Vice-Presidents.
JOSEPH G. RAY,
CHAS. W. STEWART, Clerk and Treasurer.

Dividends declared the first Monday in January and July, payable on and after the 15th of said months.

Money may be withdrawn at the option of the depositors. The treasurer may, however, require a notice if necessary, in accordance with the Statute Law.

Bank open daily from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and from 1 to 4 p. m.

BOARD OF INVESTMENT.

D. Thayer, Jr., E. H. Sherman, J. G. Ray, Chas. J. McKenzie, E. P. Chapman, Charles Stewart, George W. Wiggin.

STATEMENT JAN. 31, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors	$554,898 88
Guarantee Fund	27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account	15,811 27
Interest Account	637 60
Real Estate Income Account	22 70
	$599,123 24

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$22,073 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		29,182 62
Railroad Bonds		121,262 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		30,300 00
" " Mortgages		170,785 00
" " Personal Securities		186,696 75
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		116 26
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$4,298 79	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	5,783 10	
Mercantile Trust Co.	2,634 53	
		12,716 42
Cash on hand		2,695 44
		$599,123 24

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

E. P. CHAPMAN,
WALTER M. FISHER,
Committee of Examination.

Feb. 3, 1900.

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SHORT-LIVED ORCHARDS.

Why Fruit Trees Weaken and Die Sooner in the Western States Than in the East.

One thing that always strikes an eastern man on visiting the west or a western man visiting the east, is the great difference in the size of the trees and the age of the orchards. There are orchards in the eastern states with trees over a century in age that are still bearing. A tree at 25 or 30 is looked upon as just in its prime. In the west ten and 15 years of bearing is about the average life of a tree.

In size they do not grow so that anything but a short foot ladder is required in picking time. Most of the fruit can be reached from the ground or from a wagon. The trees early crack, become decayed in the trunk and the limbs split off. A tree 50 years old is a curiosity.

There is a cause for this which is evident to any thoughtful observer. It is the dry, hot winds and sun that play havoc with our orchards. In the great prairie country an orchard is wholly unprotected from the heavy winds which sweep unrestrained over the level country. The prevailing wind during the hot months is southerly. The limbs with the shading leaves are blown so that the hot sun shines directly on the body of the tree, drying it until the bark checks and peels loose from the wood. Water collects in this crack at the next and at every ensuing rain, and the death of the tree has begun. Decayed and weakened it cannot stand the strain of its heavy top and some windstorm leaves it a wreck, useful only as firewood.

We cannot hope to remove the cause. Our only remedy is in perfection. A windbreak of some hardy trees that can withstand both drought and wind along the south side of an orchard is of inestimable value to the owner. The man who contemplates putting out an orchard should also consider a windbreak.

There is one mistake that is made almost universally in the west. This is setting trees out too thinly. As most orchards are arranged, each tree is isolated from its fellows and must stand alone. Were they put in closer, so close in fact that the limbs will touch or even interlock, it will take a cyclone to injure them. As the wind cannot get a chance at them, each tree is protected from the hot rays of the sun by its foliage; or even if lifted and blown to one side the tree trunk will be shaded by its neighbor.

Even with the best of protection it is doubtful if trees will reach an advanced age in the west in comparison with the east. But there is no doubt that from ten to 20 years can be added to a tree's usefulness by proper protection.—Nebraska Farmer.

FALL PLANTED TREES.

They Have a Number of Important Advantages Over Those Planted in the Spring.

The fall-planted fruit or shade tree has a great advantage over the spring-planted tree. Our summers are hot, pretty much all over the country, and they are pretty long, too. The heat, with the long dry spells that we frequently have, makes the growth of the spring-planted tree very slow and uncertain. But if the planting is done in the fall, the hole dug large and deep, the top soil and suitable fertilizer placed at the bottom, over and among which the roots are carefully spread, and more rich soil added, with the clay subsoil which has been removed in making the hole, poked well about the young tree at the surface, the tree will be pretty well fortified for any kind of weather. The depth and width of the hole will enable it to retain much moisture about the roots, which become well set, and begin growth during the late fall, which is resumed at the very beginning of mild weather in the spring. There is no shock to the tree when the true growing season comes and it is ready to resume its growth. Having tried both fall and spring planting of trees, I shall hereafter, when I have occasion to plant trees, do it in the fall of the year.—Agricultural Epitomist.

TYPEWRITING done at THE SENTINEL office.

Read the Business Announcements

ON THE HEAD...

IS WHERE OUR

QUINONE HAIR TONIC

HITS YOU.

It stimulates the growth of tiny, new hairs and gives a refreshing glow to the scalp. We do not claim for it the absurdity that it will make hair appear where no roots are, but it will do just what we say it will—tone up the scalp.

It is 35c. per bottle.

ALBERT C. MASON, Druggist.

PUBLIC TELEPHONE STATION.

Turkeys, Chickens, Fowls, Etc.

13c. to 16c.

—EVERYTHING AT—

CHILSON'S.

Assignee's Sale.

Now is the time to buy your Winter stock of Groceries of the finest quality and at the lowest prices in town.

Sugar, 19 lbs. for $1.

Light Brown Sugar, 21 lbs. for $1.

Fancy Ponce Porto Rico Molasses, never sold before less than 50c gallon, now 40c gallon.

Fancy New Orleans Molasses, always sold at 60c gallon, now 50c gallon.

Good dark Molasses, 30c gallon.

Pure Maple Syrup, 25c quart.

Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.

Boiled cider, quart bottles, 20c.

5 lb. can Java and Mocha Coffee, 90c.

The best 50c, Tea 40c.

The best 60c Tea, 50c.

Fancy Table London Layer Raisins, 20c lb.

Four Crown loose Raisins, 12c lb.

Gilt Edge Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c lb.

Fancy Ribbon Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Chocolates, 15c lb.

Lowney's 40c goods now 35c.

We carry the finest quality Butter cut from the tub, 1 lb. prints, 5 lb. boxes, 10, 20 and 50 lb. tubs, at the lowest prices, quality considered.

J. P. Squire's Pure Lard, 8c lb.

10 lb. pails Lard, full weight, 75c.

J. P. Squire's Pure Leaf Lard in 5 lb. pails, 50c.

Mixed Nuts. English Walnuts, Oranges and Lemons in stock at the lowest prices.

Come in and leave your order with us and get the best for the least money.

Gentlemanly Dealing and Prompt Delivery is Our Motto.

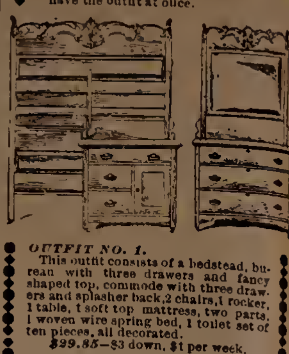
McKinnon's Grocery Store,

CENTRAL SQUARE.

H. E. RUGGLES, Assignee.

Chamber Outfits

Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted. Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.



OUTFIT NO. 1.
This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.
$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 2.
This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs, rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.
$32—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 3.
This outfit is made up with one of our most popular selling chamber suits, including the 2 chairs, rocker, table, mattress, woven wire spring bed and toilet set.
$35—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

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References and testimonials can be furnished on application by responsible parties.

This Pure Spring Water will be delivered to your house or office fresh from the spring every morning, at the following prices:

One gallon every week day, per month	$1 00
" " three times per week	50
Single Gallon	05

All orders left at Dean's will receive prompt attention.

HUBERT H. GATES,
P. O. Box 481.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

—OF—

REAL ESTATE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Daniel W. Moynihan to Abi L. Crofoot, dated May 9, 1899, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 842, Page 101, will be sold at public auction upon the premises on THURSDAY, the 8th day of MARCH, A.D. 1900 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:

A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in the southerly part of Franklin, also in part in the town of Wrentham adjoining, containing fifty acres, more or less, bounded as follows: Beginning at the town bound between Franklin and Wrentham, on the road leading from the Austin Woodward farm to West Wrentham, thence across said road by land of Samuel and Eugene Thaine north 88 3-4 degrees, 18 rods, 6 links to a stump a little south of said town line; thence north 72 1-2 rods to a stake and stones and corner of a stone wall; thence east in line of stone wall and by woodland formerly owned by Ellen A. Foster 9 rods, and 5 links to a stake and stones; thence north 8 degrees, east 18 1-2 rods to a stake and stones; thence north 15 degrees, east 3 rods to the end of a stone wall; thence same course and in line of stone wall 20 1-2 rods to a stake and stones; thence south 68 degrees, east 20 rods to a stake and stones and town road aforesaid; thence crossing said road and running in a northerly direction on said road 25 rods and 20 links to corner of road leading from Otis G. Cheever's to the first mentioned road; thence in an easterly direction on said road 92 rods to land of said Cheever, thence in a southerly direction on stone wall and land of said Cheever 4 rods, 3 links; thence north 80 1-4 degrees, west 5 rods; thence south 31 degrees, west 19 rods, 7 links; thence south 8 3-4 degrees, east 3 rods, 20 links to a stake and stones and land of said Ellen A. Foster; thence in a westerly direction 15 rods to a stake and stones near a ditch; thence westerly 12 rods to the end of the wall; thence on a line of wall 38 and 8 1-2 rods to a stake and stones and corner of swamp and woodland of said Ellen A. Foster; thence in a southerly direction on line of wall 52 rods, 5 links to a corner of wall; thence north 82 degrees, west 23 rods to town road first mentioned; thence on said road in a westerly direction 25 4-5 rods; thence on said road in a northerly direction 25 rods to bound first mentioned; subject to a prior mortgage for nine hundred dollars and reservations therein mentioned.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments, if any there are.

Terms: One hundred dollars down, balance in fifteen days.

ABI L. CROFOOT, Mortgagee.

Feb. 13, 1900.

Attorney, A. W. Dana, 40 Water St., Boston. 1f3

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Amos Ryder, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to William H. Brown, of North Providence, R. I., without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Brookline, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-eighth day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this third day of February, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

fe 13,20,27

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Frederick E. Aldrich, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

EMILY F. ALDRICH,
Administratrix.

Address: Franklin, Mass.
January 24, 1900. fe6,13,20

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GRAND SQUARE PARLOR STOVE of superior make and quality...... $22.00
Formerly $32.00. Our loss is your gain.

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On Time! On Credit!

Parlor Suit $39.50, been asking $52.00.

Forty Rockers at 25 Per Cent. Discount from regular price. Sold upon honor.

We ask one half down and give you two months to pay the balance. Nothing so liberal and squarely liberal has ever been offered you in this city.

Beautify your parlor now and be cheerful.

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Since its organization to January 1, 1899 it has paid on its policy contracts and holds for the benefit of its existing policy holders, $765,266,234, which amount is $77,797,764 in excess of the total premiums that have been received.

Assets January 1, 1899,	$277,517,325.
Annual Income over	55,000,000.

Send your address and date of birth to my address at FRANKLIN, MASS. and I will submit to you a proposition.

Herman M Fisher 1Jan00

The Franklin Sentinel.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	8.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, o the nearest box, unlock, pull down the ho and let go. The apparatus works automati a y. Close the box and remain until the fire arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Both party caucuses tonight.

Mrs. Mima Holmes of Somerville was home on Thursday.

Miss Mary Neelon has been the guest of her sister in Upton this week.

Dean will meet Winchester at basket ball here tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

F. V. Hussey of Brown university was in town to spend the holiday with his parents.

Mrs. Charles Healey of Lynn has been visiting her son, H. H. Gates, of the Sunnyside farm.

John Mahon has been recognized as administrator of the estate of James Mahon, in a bond of $400.

Rev. I. W. Sneath spoke on last Sabbath evening upon "The Curfew Law," advocating its adoption in Franklin.

A large party from North Attleboro attended the St. John's guild entertainment and dance Wednesday evening.

"Shannon of the Sixth" was finely presented to n rather small audience at the Opera house on Tuesday evening.

A meeting of the King's Daughters will be held next Tuesday evening at 7.30 at the home of Miss Myrtle Cook.

Judge Doe has secured a divorce for Frank E. Dudley from his wife, Alice Dudley of Revere, the ground being desertion.

John Pedan, clerk at Farrington's store, is at home with tonsilitis and will probably have an enforced vacation of a week or more.

Despite the storm there was a good attendance at the C. E. convention at Walpole on Thursday, a report of which will appear on Tuesday.

Rev. E.A. Rand has presented the Congregational Sunday school library with a copy of his latest published book, "The Whistle in the Alley."

Morris Shearin, clerk at Hotel Briggs, has resigned to take effect on Saturday. He has made quite a good many friends during his short stay here.

It is reported that the state officers have visited town lately to investigate the payment system in some of the manufacturing establishments.

Pond & Tingley have harvested 1,000 tons of fine ice from nine to twelve inches thick to sell at wholesale. Parties are already after the lot.

Ida E. Watkins of Walpole, who was married here in 1886, was given a divorce from her husband, Henry A. Watkins, at Dedham last week, the ground being desertion.

Fred Rogers, the blacksmith, who has been under treatment at the eye and ear infirmary in Boston, has lost his left eye. The operation was performed Tuesday.

The registrars of voters held a meeting Wednesday evening for the recording of new names for the voting list. The spring registration will close next Saturday at 10 p. m.

A fine lecture on "Child Culture" is to be given at the High school building on Friday evening, March 2, which every woman in town should hear, and men as well. More later.

Dr. C. A. Lougest, proprietor of the Mount Vernon kennels on the Mount, has been awarded several first prizes for mastiffs at the dog show which opened in New York this week.

Miss Elsie R. Metcalf and Miss Alice Nixon are guests over the Sabbath of the former's cousin, Miss Grace H. Raymond, North Abington; also Miss Clara Nixon of the Bridgewater Normal school.

Mrs. Lucina P. Guild, widow of the late James A. Guild, died on Thursday at City Mills, aged 80 years. She is the mother of Earl B Guild and leaves two sons and three daughters. Funeral on Monday at 11 a. m., Rev. Mr. Sneath officiating.

Grand Master Nathaniel J. W. Fish and Grand Instructor William M. Webber paid an official visitation to King David lodge, I. O. O. F., Wednesday evening. Visiting Odd Fellows from Wrentham and other places were present and a collation was served during the evening.

Republicans will go to Music hall tonight and the citizens caucus in the Town hall. It looks as if both caucuses would be largely attended, as the friends of the electric road are especially anxious in regard to town officers this year, the various selections appearing to turn upon that issue.

Mrs. St. John of Cottage street, who had been in the Massachusetts General hospital, Boston, since last Saturday undergoing treatment, died in that institution on Wednesday. The remains were brought here the same day and the funeral was held at 9 o'clock this morning at St. Mary's church.

A number of bright-looking Japanese were seen at the station here recently, en route for Milford. They are connected with the oldest spinning company in Japan. One of them is president and the other superintendent of the concern. They are here to study American weaving and spinning machinery.

Deputy Sheriff Fitzpatrick is attending the funeral of one of his official brethren at Hyde Park today, Deputy Sheriff Charles E. Jenney. Many Franklinites will remember him as court officer at Dedham, a gentleman with a full grey beard and afflicted with lameness. He was at one time Hyde Park's chief of police.

William Rockwood has just received his appointment as justice of the peace, bearing the signature of Governor Murray Crane. Mr. Rockwood has served continuously since 1865, and has the signatures of many of Massachusetts' governors as souvenirs. He naturally prizes them highly. The appointment is for seven years.

Middlesex and Norfolk Pomona grange will hold a session here Wednesday, Feb. 28. The forenoon meeting is for members of the grange. At 2 p. m. there will be an open meeting to which the public are invited. The subject of afternoon: Illustrated panorama, chalk talk, "Temperance," by Rev. W. N. Teuney, Swampscott. All are welcome.

The gospel feelingly sung is often more touching and powerful than when preached from the pulpit. The few who were privileged to hear Mrs. C. L. Stewart's wonderfully touching solos at the Methodist church last Sunday morning will be pleased to hear them repeated next Sunday; and all who love sweet singing should endeavor to be present.

Roadmaster G. H. Sullivan has resigned his position with the New Haven road, and accepted a more lucrative one with another road. Last evening his employes gave him a surprise visit, presenting him with a handsome gold watch suitably inscribed, with a neat presentation and acceptance speech. They with other friends here wish him every success in his new field of labor.

Plans are being consummated for a trolley ball league which, if completed, will "catch the town." The idea is to have Franklin, Milford, the two Attleboros, Woonsocket and Pawtucket in the circuit, every town being easy of access by electrics by summer. With such clubs as would be put into those towns there is absolutely no question as to support. Go on with the good work.

F. G. Saylor, of the Saylor Rubber company, is now interested in the manufacture of linoleum at East Taunton, and a company is forming to purchase the unused chemical factory at Walpole, which, with some slight alterations, is excellently adapted to manufacturing linoleum. These goods are made in different grades and are the result of Mr. Saylor's own ideas. There is an excellent outlook for his company.

Mrs. Richardson Metcalf died at the asylum in Worcester Sunday and was brought here for burial Tuesday. She was the second wife of Mr. Metcalf, who died a few years ago at an advanced age, having lived his long life here in his native town, and where he was prominent in church and town matters until the infirmities of age came upon him. Mrs. Metcalf was a member of the Congregational church. Rev. Mr. Sneath officiated at the funeral.

Rarely do Franklinites have an opportunity of attending so meritorious an entertainment as is to be given by the Alden club at Dean academy, next Monday evening, the subject being "Negro Slave Songs and Plantation Folk Lore," by Jeanette Robinson Murphy. The entertainment is a very expensive one, but is borne by the Alden club solely that our people may enjoy something of a really interesting and helpful nature. The hall should be full.

Manager Leathers, of Milford, who has charge of the telephone exchange here, is to have this field thoroughly canvassed shortly with the hope of putting in a good many more 'phones. It is indeed a shame that a town of this size has no more instruments than has Franklin. Doubtless with a good working exchange here communication with our near-by towns would be much more frequent and less "steep" in price. We hope something will be done and that shortly.

A letter received from Supt. A. L. Pierce of the Wallingford (Conn.) electric light plant announces that it is upon a most satisfactory basis, and is one of the finest plants in the state. The Electrical World will shortly produce a number of views of the place. Supt. Pierce feels very proud of being boss of a plant that is having such widespread notice as a successful municipal plant, and its success is in no small measure attributed to his untiring efforts to that end.

President J. G. Ray is one of the best known and most experienced men in the felt trade, and it is a foregone conclusion that he will make a great success of the work he has taken in hand. He was formerly of the City Mills company of Franklin, Mass., one of the concerns taken over by the American Felt company. It may be added that the business of this company will be conducted on the same lines as the American Woolen company, which company has been so successful.—Commercial and Financial World.

Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath preached on last Sabbath morning upon Psalm 43: 3. "Where is Thy God?" In answer to the question Materialism replies "Nowhere," Agnosticism "Somewhere," and Pantheism "Everywhere." The unfortunate fact about the Pantheistic theory is that it identifies God and the universe as one and inseparable. Christianity teaches the omnipresence of God. It declares his immanence but also asserts his transcendance. The Christian doctrine thus provides for a personal God who is free, for a true spiritual worship, for prayer and for the divine providence, which is ever near and helpful. The practical value of this doctrine is evident. We have a God who is not afar off but who is present to help and bless.

On Monday a Unionville man doing business here left his horse to eat his oats in a warm barn and came to the center on the electrics. He made ready to go home after 11 a. m., but missed the car, consoling himself with the thought that it was only an hour more to wait in anticipation of the good dinner his better half was cooking. But for some reason the next trip on the time-table was omitted, and the worthy citizen waited until after 1 p. m. and no car came. Then he started on foot, meeting the car coming toward him on the road, but before it returned he was at home and soothing the bitter pangs of hunger by demolishing the viands of a well-filled dinner table. Now he maintains that when he wants to come to town and be sure of getting home again he will depend on the old hay horse, even if he is a frisky beast less than 25 years old.

A Matter of Principle.

That is the light in which no license should be regarded, and the men who vote "no" on that ground can be relied upon every election. The man who votes for no license and still sees liquor sold, and votes for license next year, only to be disgusted with the evidences of free rum, free fights, not-free streets for ladies, and swings back to no license again, is not voting on principle. He is not to be relied upon, as his vote may be had by either party. Make it a matter of principle that the sale of liquor, illegal or permitted, is wrong and your town will be free and will be kept free.

There's Fish in the Sea.

Three popular young ladies of this town partook of a bountiful spread, prepared by themselves, on Feb. 22. While they were enjoying themselves from a table well filled with bluefish, salads, fancy puddings, fruit, etc., an orchestra in an alcove near by was playing the latest music.

Young men, don't despair, as there are other spinsters besides those seen on the stage Wednesday eve. F.

The Terms Agreed Upon.

The selectmen and the electric road promoters met last evening and arranged the terms of the franchise, subject to one or two slight alterations, and it is now given out that the franchise will issue within a few days, as the selectmen desire to finish up their part in the matter before going out of office.

Richardson's Market.

Last week we advertised a sale of roast beef and cleaned up every pound. The public got good worth for their money. This week our line of chickens, fowls, turkeys, meats, vegetables, etc., has been selected with unusual care, the price being as low as the lowest and the quality as high as the highest. We can't be beaten on canned goods. Try our butter.

Unappropriated Blossoms.

There was an abundance of expectancy on Wednesday evening before the curtain rose at the Opera house to know what the "spinsters" who really wanted a man would do to get one, and before the entertainment closed everyone's curiosity was satisfied, as there has been no such yearning after helpmates on the part of the twenty young ladies since the days of "Patience."

A large heart pierced with Cupid's dart hung from the centre of the stage, to which all the maidens deferred with becoming longings, and placards adorned the walls announcing the club mottoes, "While there's life there's hope," "The greatest of these is love," and "Love all men." As the spinsters assembled they were called to order by Miss Frances King, the president, in fitting words, their opening chorus being "Just One Man," sung with passionate fervor.

The members then responded to their names with appropriate quotations, showing the unappeased longings of their mature hearts, and the reports of the various officers were read and accepted. The market report by Miss Bowers was received with special demonstration, purporting to be an exact synopsis of the matrimonial condition of the respective "eligibles," including the widowers, the young "bloods" and even the "buds." The parties, many of whom were present, bore the "hits" apportioned out with remarkable stoicism.

The proposed trip to Oklahoma, where men were said to be a drug in the market, was warmly debated by Mrs. Duprez and Miss Macdermot, the sisters deciding in favor of the "clinging vine" in preference to the "new woman." Miss Crocker sang a solo which had unrequited love as its burden, and Mrs. Bachelor's original verses were in a similar strain.

The announcement of Prof. Makeover's arrival with his wonderful "remodelscope," which was to work startling transformations, making each one who tried it into whatsoever might be wished. Of course all were ready, and successively the spinsters were introduced to the modern transmogrificator.

They were "evoluted" into a soprano soloist, Miss Myrtie Whiting; into a violinist, Miss Alice J. Grover of Mansfield; into an elocutionist, Miss Cobb; into a male quartet, Messrs. Hosford, Hartshorne, Sherman and Rich, who, by the way, did remarkably fine work; into a baritone soloist, Roy Hartshorne; into a coon singer, Charles Bent. A dog put into the machine came out a string of sausages. The advent of a lady of large proportions finally broke the "machine." This paved the way very nicely for the introduction of Mr. Cosseboom and Miss Snow in the torch swinging, which is always well done and always well received.

John Cosseboom, as the professor, was excellent and completely filled his part, and the dignity and self-possession of Miss King justified the fitness of her selection to preside over so hysterical a body. Charles Whitaker assisted in running the machine acceptably.

The music was furnished by the Philharmonic orchestra, composed of Miss Bertha Rezee, L. W. Newell, George Farrington, Alphonse LeClair and Mrs. Mabelle Tracy and was of an unusually high order.

The audience was large and responsive and the local hits were appreciatively received. It was given under the auspices of the St. John's mission, for which Rev. Mr. Miner had worked indefatigably, and the treasury of the mission will be augmented by a very gratifying sum in consequence.

The Financial Benefit.

No theory is more often advanced than that of financial profit to a town through license, and that is the weakest argument that can be brought up. Else, why stop with the sale of liquor? Why not legalize other evils that are known to exist, but are usually spoken of sub rosa? If it's money that is needed, make out a list of permissable things and put them up for sale to the highest bidder. There is just as much color of right in licensing one evil as another. Why stop with liquor?

Special Revival Service.

This evening at 7.30 there will be another evangelistic service at the Methodist church. Short sermon by the pastor, S. A. Cook. Subject, "Divine Commands and Human Qualifications." This service will have in it a message for the sinner as well as the saint. Come and receive a blessing.

For a clean shave and a good hair cut go to Ochee's barber shop.

A Practical Discourse.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper gave his second sermon Sunday evening in the series on "The Prodigal Son." His theme was "The Temptations." He dwelt on the awful danger of sowing wild oats. Many young people think it impossible to reach a large and strong manhood until they have run a career of wildness. Habits of evil are thus formed that are very difficult to overcome, and many thereby are dragged down to ruin.

The prodigal in the "far country" is no worse than the prodigal at home. In the former case he is out of the way, where he cannot harm those who have been his nearest and truest friends. In the latter case he disgraces the home that kindly offers him protection and insults those who have known him from boyhood by his habits of wickedness.

There are four characteristics of this evil: (1) The infidel prodigal, who cares not for God or man. (2) The profane prodigal, poisoning the air with his blasphemy. (3) The intemperate prodigal, ruining himself and seeking to ruin others by strong drink. (4) The vile talking and vile acting prodigal. Such people hold nothing in life too sacred for them to contaminate. Their only purpose and pleasure in the world is incarnate wickedness, and when deprived of this their existence becomes an accursed vacuum.

Such men fearfully cheapen themselves in the sight of God and angels and holy men. The debauchee cannot look you honestly in the eye, but if possible will slink out of sight. His own soul condemns him. He has disgraced and ruined his manhood. He hears the decree concerning himself that he knows is just: "He is joined to his idols of wickedness; let him alone." If the influence of the prodigal could be confined to himself alone the evil would not be so great. But this is impossible; it goes on to future generations. Edward Bellamy's doctrine of "Atavism" in his book, "Looking Backward," is essentially true. The whisper of earth seems to affect the distant stars; and so the words and deeds of men of wickedness send their poison through the centuries that are to follow.

Free from the Law.

The case against Messrs. Worthley and Shattuck of the New Central hotel, charged with keeping liquor with intent to sell was concluded before Judge Doe in the district court on Tuesday afternoon, both defendants being found not guilty. Mr. Worthley was immediately rearrested on the charge of keeping a hotel without a victualler's license. He was put on probation, the claim being that he had inadvertantly allowed it to lapse, having once had such license.

Martin, the "spotter," from Boston, proved to be a most disreputable fellow, and his testimony was practically worthless from his own admissions and reflected not a little discredit upon the prosecution for assuming to rest a case upon such an untrustworthy source. Attorney Martin disclaimed all knowledge of the man, and recognized the valueless nature of his testimony fully as much as did the defense.

Same Here.

The make you rich man, soliciting advertisements for a thing that will be seen only by the people who pay to get into it, is finding patrons in Great Barrington, judging by the stay he has made here. Those who miss him need not despair. There'll be other chances for "blowing in" money along directly. Persons wishing to experiment in that line will always find rat holes waiting to be filled with water.—Great Barrington Courier.

Notice to Voters.

The Registrars of Voters will be in session at town officers' rooms

Wednesday, Feb. 21, from 7 to 9 p. m.,
Saturday, Feb. 24, from 12 m. to 10 p. m.

Above dates are the only opportunities for registration before the annual March election.

Emerson's Market.

On a turkey, chicken or fowl we can just suit you. Our list of "green stuff" is as complete as is to be found in Boston, radishes, lettuce, celery, dandeliona, spinach, etc. Of course, we have meats of all kinds, and we'd like to show you our brand of canned goods, the famous "Brunswick." Emerson, the Franklin marketer.

Monumental Work.

The undersigned informs the public that he represents one of the largest manufacturers and dealers in marble and granite monumental work of Vermont. He has an extensive line of photo designs to select from and prices to suit the times. A line addressed to L. S. Cheney, at Franklin, will meet with prompt attention.

Repairs Completed.

I am now ready for business again and hope to give more prompt attention to orders than I have been able to in the last two weeks. I shall have waiting orders ready within a few days. Thanking patrons for their patience,

Respectfully yours,
R. J. CALKIN, Depot street.

Wife Notice.

My wife, Caroline Gebharth, having left my bed and board, and her child, I shall pay no more bills of her contracting.

BRUNO H. SEIFERT.
Norfolk, Mass., Feb. 23, 1900.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

To THE EDITOR:—I believe it is the duty of every true citizen to uphold the liquor officer in his efforts to free the town of liquor. But—do we uphold him in allowing his imagination to hold such sway as to accuse anyone of buying liquor on the simple ground of having been seen to come out of the Central House office?

Has one not the privilege to step into the office upon an errand, (which I am free to tell anyone) without having a summons read to him a few weeks later to appear as witness on a liquor question?

As I have always voted for no-license, and have felt as interested as any voter could in this line, it seems to me rather unjust to be forced to appear as witness in a liquor case, of which I know as little as Queen Victoria herself.

We do not for a moment doubt the good intentions of our worthy officer, but we trust in the future he will curb that powerful imagination a trifle, and not allow himself to mistake breakfast coffee for liquor again.

A. J. GILMORE.
Franklin, Mass., Feb. 21, 1900.

The Money Goes Easy.

Many laboring men, if liquor is to be had easily, will spend $2 or $3 a week. What man of them can afford that outgo? What family can do without that which the $3 would buy? What storekeeper can let that sum be charged off against profit and loss? That is a practical view of it, and just that state of affairs will exist if the town votes license. Families, are you ready for it? Merchants, are you ready for it?

Coming March 3.

Bartlett's American Band of Providence, composed of the leading soloists of the best bands, including Gilmore's and Reeves', will appear at the Opera house on the above date in a grand concert, assisted by Miss Ada M. Greenhalge, soprano, and Miss M. I. Stewart, contralto, late of the Manhattan company, with illustrated songs. This will be one of the finest classical and popular musical concerts of the season. E. A. Scott, formerly of Gilmore's band, is the solo clarinet and bassoon player with this company.

Christian Citizenship Meeting.

The union meeting at the Universalist church Sunday evening will take up the general topic of "Christian Citizenship" and the different pastors will speak. The proposed Curfew by-law and other measures needed in Franklin will be discussed and the meeting will be of special interest. Let there be a large attendance.

Republican Caucus.

The Republican voters of the town of Franklin are requested to meet in caucus at Music hall on Friday, Feb. 23, 1900, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for town officers.

The town committee will be pleased to receive and consider any nomination for town offices upon written request of ten Republican voters.

F. P. CHAPMAN, Chairman,
O. B. CARTER, Secretary.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Sale Cheap.—Large covered delivery wagon, in fairly good condition. Address L., Box 197. 20,23*

A few cords of dry walnut wood; also oak, chestnut and pine dry under sheds, at Allen's wood yard.

To Let.—Cottage house No. 13 Summer street; nine rooms, steam heat; barn if desired. Apply at 29 Cottage st. 15 tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Round-trip tickets to Milford, 50c; Providence, 90c; Boston, $1.05. Get them of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office and save 33, 12 and 10c from regular fare charged for respective trips. Mileage books to let.

Important to Orient Bicycle Owners.

All owners of Orient bicycles, purchased of the undersigned during the past three years, may have their wheels cleaned and put in perfect order by a practical workman free of expense by delivering the same to me between now and March 15. Broken or worn parts will be replaced at actual cost, the owners being notified before such expense is incurred.

CHARLES L. STEWART,
Orient Agent.
Franklin, Mass., Feb. 20, 1900.

Business is opening up nicely for H. S. Dow of Boston, who has opened the White Star laundry in the rear of the Dana block. He does only high grade work, and bundles can be left at Mr. Dana's, if desired.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Dr. E. M. Faxon, Boston, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, will meet patients at hotel Briggs Thursdays from 9 to 12:30 o'clock.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

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Business and Professional Cards, to occupy one-half inch space, once a week, $5.00 per year; twice a week, $7.50 per year.

Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

FRIDAY, FEB. 23, 1900.

Preparing for Dewey.

Dewey days in New York will also be flag days, according to the Philadelphia Press: "It was said by the professional decorators that it would be impossible for New York city to be more completely swathed in flags or bewildering gay with bunting than it was during the presidential campaign of 1896. But it is probable that that beautiful spectacle of the fall months of 1896 will be surpassed on the occasion of Admiral Dewey's visit to this city. The decorators and the dealers in bunting and flags have already exhausted the supply in this city, and are sending throughout the United States either to buy or borrow. The city will be one vast, magnificent banner, and some of the artists who have been engaged by the committee on the scope and plan are of the opinion that this feature will be even more impressive than the proposed Dewey arch. Some idea of the magnitude of the expenditures for the celebration may be gained by the statement that already $300,000 has been secured by municipal and state appropriation and private subscription, and that it is expected that as much as $200,000 more will be raised. All of this money will be for no other purpose than decorating the land and water parade and the official entertaining of Dewey and other formally invited visitors."

There are few women who would prefer a comfortable competence to great wealth. The reason for this mistake in judgment, says the National Magazine, can easily be traced to a prevailing ignorance of the trials and tribulations surrounding a life of affluence. A rich woman is in many respects to be pitied; not entirely because she runs an especially poor chance of getting into the Kingdom of Heaven, even as the camel does in entering the eye of the needle, but principally because she is by right of her inherited or acquired wealth the center of multifarious, perplexing affairs, and the object of considerable persecution. The very rich woman seldom knows a restful, irresponsible hour, unless it comes in sleep. In America there are three distinct varieties of rich women—the one who spends money socially, the one that spends philanthropically and the one that does not spend at all.

At the old settlers' annual meeting at Shelbyville, Mo., the proprietors of a refreshment stand put up a sign offering "all the lemonade you could drink for a nickel." A lank farmer lad, apparently in the last stages of consumption or something equally unpleasant, walked up and laid down five coppers. The vendors thought they had a snap, says a local exchange, until the large glass was filled and emptied 19 times, when the customer was handed his money back and requested to complete the slaking of his thirst at the town pump. The sign was then removed.

An old sea captain writes to the Philadelphia papers and asks that the weather bureau be given credit for saving millions of dollars' worth of property and hundreds of lives in the recent hurricane that came up through the West Indies and along our eastern coast. Warned by the weather bureau, some 2,000 vessels remained in the safe harbors along the coast and escaped the fate that met many that paid no attention to the warning and put to sea.

Here are some of the terrible things which, according to a funny exchange, are likely to befall a delinquent. Last week a delinquent subscriber said that he would pay up Saturday if he lived. He's dead. Another: "I'll see you tomorrow." He's blind. Still another one said: "I hope to pay you this week or go to the d—l." He's gone. There are hundreds who ought to take warning by these procrastinators and pay up their subscription now.

THE WEIGHT OF HOGS.

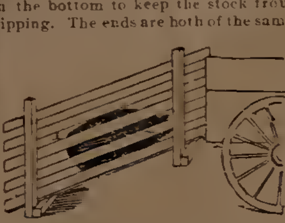
Packers Now Prefer the 150-Pound Animal to the Heavy Porkers of Other Years.

We are told and impressed by the authorities in the provision trade that there is no possible chance that heavy hogs will be in favor for a considerable time, if ever again, says Texas Stock Journal. This view we are informed is based upon the requirements of consumers and the retail and export trade. Formerly a packing hog was heavy at 350 to 450 pounds; now packing hogs are considered heavy at 250 pounds. Packers get all the lard they can possibly handle without buying a single lard hog. The best marketable weight now is about 150 pounds, and the best all-around porker does not exceed 225 pounds, although that weight is too heavy to-day to sell well. Farmers who make their hogs too heavy to suit the buyers must expect to get low prices, as the light weights bring the most money. The sides are manipulated into breakfast bacon, canvased and sold for eight to ten cents per pound, shoulders converted into "California hams" and retailed for ten cents per pound; the hams are small and sell readily for 12½ cents, and some with an extra finishing touch retail for as much as 15 cents per pound. Then, isn't it strange, taking into consideration the above facts, that our farmers and feeders will continue to feed after their pigs are thoroughly ripe for market, while with every breath the packer is saying to them: "If you feed another feed, I'll dock you." What is to their interest, the same is to our interest. Then it behooves us to reach out for quick, growthy, fatten-at-any-age pigs, and six months after the pig is farrowed turn him over to the packers, who in return will pay you more than if you had fed it seven months, so far as profit is concerned.

LOADING LIVE STOCK.

A Device That Is Easy to Handle and Is Rapidly Adjusted to Suit Any Wagon.

The accompanying illustration shows a device for loading hogs and sheep that are too heavy to lift. The figure represents one side only. The bottom is a two-inch plank one foot or 16 inches wide, or as wide as the wagon box, if you want it, with slats nailed crosswise on the bottom to keep the stock from slipping. The ends are both of the same angle, so that when set up on the hind end of the wagon it will fit the box, and the end on the ground is perpendicular. By means of a few portable panels we can load stock almost any place where there is a fence for one side. The device can be adjusted to suit the wagon, unlike one that is stationary. We have scales, and a breeding pen for pigs, and it comes handy to unload sows, and at the scales for loading fat hogs and sheep.—A. S. Forsman, in Ohio Farmer.


LOADING LIVE STOCK.

The Bees in Winter Quarters.

Bees should be kept in a temperature ranging from 42 to 45 degrees above zero, and the hives should be dry. The light should be excluded as much as possible, and the hives should not be exposed to sudden changes of temperature. An ample supply of honey should be left for the support of the bees during the winter. It is not necessary to put the hives under cover until winter approaches, and if the colony in each hive is not strong, it will be of but little service until it recovers in the spring. Too much warmth in winter is not conducive to success.

The Element of Beauty.

The element of beauty should not be lost sight of in the breeding of poultry. Certainly the good-looking hen is not likely to lay any more eggs than the unsightly one. Nevertheless, there is a real value in having a flock uniform in color and marking, and withal beautiful. The young especially are stimulated by the beauty of the fowls to take an interest in them. This interest may develop into something of value to the ones that are moved by it.—Farmers' Review.

Advantages of Rotation.

The value of rotation of crops in preventing plant diseases has been strikingly shown in some experiments with egg-plants. One plat of ground had been grown with this crop for three successive years, when the crop was compared with that of another plat on which eggplants had been previously grown. Rot was prevalent on the old path. There were five times as many sound fruits upon the new as upon the old land. The percentages of decayed fruits were only 16 per cent. against 61 per cent.—Farmers' Review.

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Working Young Horses.

A colt should be thoroughly broken the winter before he is two years old, and should be driven occasionally, both singly and with another horse, to keep in practice what he has learned, as well as to furnish the exercise required to keep his muscles in good condition. If put to work it should be only of the lightest character, and especial care should be taken at first not to gall the shoulders where the collar presses. All the work a two-year-old colt will do without injury costs about as much as it is worth in extra care given to the young animal that it does not injure him.

Good Horses in Demand.

For good horses there will always be a good price going, for if a man cannot sell them in this country, he can sell them in some other country, and the dealers in that country are only too glad to send their representatives to the United States to buy them; but it is only horses of great excellence that they will always surely buy, and to raise this sort should be the aim of every breeder, no matter what sort of stock he has his money in. For one really high-class horse there will always be two buyers.—Rural World.

Some Other Malady.

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Regret.

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Till quick misstep half of its wealth should spend
On barren rocks, and evermore should bend
Her long regretful glances back to where
Her treasure so was lost, with little care
For what was left, or where her steps might tend—
So thou, O Heart! who mournest waters sweet,
Thy cup hast wasted in unheeded ways:
Who gropest onward, turning wistful gaze
Forever back, unguiding still thy feet,
Though over treacherous path thy footstep strays,
And ever grows thy treasure's waste complete.
—Annie Steger Winston, in S. S. Times.

Working, Waiting, Hoping.

There are no easy ways that lead
To heights held by the great:
But what of toilsome paths if one
Has found out how to wait?

There is no road to anything
Worth having here below
Where climbing is not lonely work
And difficult and slow.

But he that strives in loneliness
Is paid e'en at the start
For all the years of toil and all
The aches that reach his heart:

For he would never choose the way
Up o'er the toilsome slope
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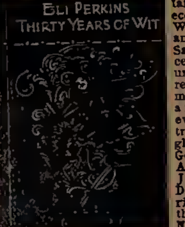
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When you learned the art of swimmin' in that "old-time swimmin' hole,"
Where the sunshine dripped and tingled through your very heart and soul,
You were storing up a handy art to have in other days—
And it's brought you, Col. Funston, to the hero's wreath of bays
For your swimmin' with a purpose, with the old flag o'er your head.
As your pistol picked a pathway for the livin' through the dead.

When the Tagals heard your warwhoop and your ringin' chorus swell,
As you leaped upon the trenches with your reef-upliftin' yell.
Your country also heard it, and they've heard it round the world
Wherever Valor's flag of glorious purpose is unfurled.
You've won the nation's plaudits in your own peculiar way,
And you've won it like a soldier, in the forefront of the fray.

You're a mighty good example of the men from out the west,
With a heart of dauntless courage buttoned up within your breast.
There are others who are daring, but to make the foeman run
Seems to strike your understanding like a dandy piece of fun.
You're a credit, sir, to Kansas—to the red and white and blue:
Oh! Funston, Col. Funston, here's your country's health to you!
—Baltimore News.

Her Little Game.

Two years ago we played upon
The graded tennis court,
And, since it kept me near to her,
I found it splendid sport;
I used to hunt the balls she lost,
And, oh! 'twas sweet to see
Her happy look when I contrived
To let her vanquish me.

Last year we rode upon our wheels
And talked of hubs and spokes
And frames and handle bars and laughed
At stupid cycle jokes;
I used to pump her tires up
And clean her chain, and she
Would render ample payment in
Sweet smiles bestowed on me.

This year we flirt upon the links.
Our lanterns are unlit;
We talk of foozles, tees and cleeks
And cannot play a bit;
I wonder when the thing will end;
When next year comes will she
Still, as the cat plays with the mouse,
Be playing on with me?
-Chicago Daily News.

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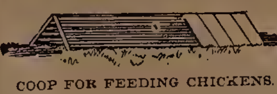


COOP FOR FEEDING CHICKENS.

AMONG THE POULTRY.

The Java fowls are the same size, shape and about the general make-up of the Rocks, but they mature earlier, commence to lay earlier, and lay more eggs.

Changing quarters during the laying season will check egg-production. There is nothing gained by it if the fowls are always accommodated with clean quarters.

Give your fowls lime. Bury a few large lumps of lime in the moist earth where the hens frequent. Allow the lime to project a little above the surface to attract them. Lime in the shape of old plaster is also excellent.

Do not forget that the hatchet is the best remedy for sick fowls, but do not apply it in very mild cases. A little cold in fowls may terminate in roup, but a free use of coal oil applied to the nostrils, mouth and throat will usually keep it in check.

The male birds are half the flock. Scarcely anyone now thinks of going through the poultry season without stocking up with thoroughbred roosters of the variety they prefer, or the different varieties, if they prefer an assortment. It is truly wonderful the change that can be made on any flock thus.—National Rural.

Care of Young Chicks.

Never keep any more feed before young chicks than they will eat up clean, when confined in brooder, but after you let them outside the brooder always keep dry grain food in the brooder, in a little trough, so as to entice them to return to the brooder, their only home. See that their feed trough in brooder is full before sundown. Chicks must not be overfed, especially when young. Chicks must be kept warm. Chicks must be taught correct habits in the first days of their youth. Chicks must have more attention than wheat or corn. These rules apply to chicks, ducks and turkeys.—Agricultural Epitomist.

The Cause of It.

"I noticed a decided coolness between you and Blanche last night."

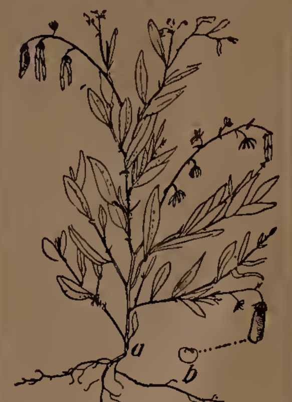
"Yes; she sat on one side of her cousin from Boston and I on the other."

FARM & GARDEN.

THE RATTLEBOX WEED.

Its Poisonous Constituent Is Unknown, But Resides Both in Its Leaves and Seed.

The Latin name of this weed is Crotalaria sagittalis. It is popularly known as rattleweed and wild pea. A government bulletin has this to say of it: It is a hairy annual three to eighteen inches high, with simple undivided leaves one to two inches long and small yellow pea-like flowers appearing in July. The seed pods are about an inch long when mature and are nearly black. They are much inflated, and, as the walls are stiff and thin and very resonant, they make excellent miniature rattles when the seeds have become detached from their fastenings inside the pod. The rattlebox is native in low sandy soils from the Atlantic westward to Minnesota and eastern Kansas. It is also found in New Mexico. It is common in Connecticut, New Jersey and North Carolina, and in some years is very abundant in bottom lands along the valley of the Missouri, in South Dakota and Iowa.



RATTLEBOX PLANT.
A, Whole Plant; B. Section of Seed Pod—Both One-Third Natural Size.

The poisonous constituent is unknown, but it resides both in the leaves and in the seeds. Horses, and sometimes cattle, are killed by eating grass mixed with the plant. They are not poisoned so often by eating the plant in the fields. Public attention was first called to the poisonous nature of the rattlebox by Dr. Stalker, of Iowa, who, in 1884, while investigating the cause among horses in Iowa, was led to believe that it was mostly, if not altogether, attributable to this plant. Experiments were made that proved the supposition to be correct.

The percentage of rattlebox in meadow hay will be much reduced if the fields are burned over when the seeds mature the preceding summer. The growth of perennial grasses will not be materially affected thereby.

THE BEST PAYS BEST.

Farmer Who Grows Something Better Than Can Be Found in the Market Makes Money.

The great difficulty in making farms pay is that most farm crops cannot be assorted into good, better and best. They must be sold at so nearly a uniform price that there is no money in it. In stock growing and in fruit growing such wide differences in value can be made that it is possible to charge the very rich, who always want the best, whatever the best is worth more, and if it be not too easily produced, than this. So long as a man grows only for the universal market, he must sell at prices which even the poorest can pay. But let him grow something better than can be found in the market, and he can get enough higher prices to pay him double for all his extra trouble. This is the secret of getting rich in all kinds of business. Money is to be got from those who have it, and not from those who have it not. Does this forget the poor? Not at all. The struggle to improve quality is always changing its ground. The best of one year is thus placed within the reach of all a few years later, and another best has taken its place.

Barring accidents from untimely frosts, it is the best fruit that pays the most profit and that can be grown most cheaply if the average of years is considered. The labor of spraying with insecticides and with fungicides to make the fruit fair, and the further labor of thinning it, produces so much more fruit every year that it can be sold with profit at rates within the reach of all. The very rich will still get the best and pay for it, but the poorest will get more and better fruit than they ever before enjoyed.—Massachusetts Ploughman.

How to Retain Fertility.

A farmer may be successful and grow large crops, yet become poorer because the land has lost its fertility. Everything sold from the farm is taken from the land, and the supply must at some time become exhausted. Rotation of crops, plowing under of green food and the saving of manure will assist in retaining fertility, but nevertheless much leaves the farm that is never returned unless the farmer buys something in its place. Fertilizers should therefore be used on every farm in order to keep the farm to its highest degree of fertility.

Leghorns and Brahmas do not thrive well together. So far as can be done, have the flocks uniform.

A Wholesale Sinner.

Sunday-school Teacher — Johnnie, who do you think was the greatest of sinners?

Johnnie—I reckon it must have bin Moses.

Sunday-school Teacher—Moses?

Johnnie—Well, he broke the whole of the ten commandments at one clip.
—Judge.

Struck in Self-Defense.

Bill—I met that fellow Boggs, yesterday.

Jill—Did he borrow anything from you?

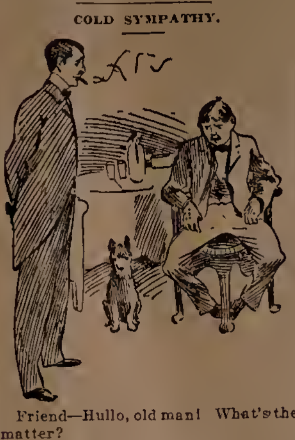
"Not on your life! Before he had a chance I asked him to loan me a dollar."

"I see; you struck him in self-defense."—Yonkers Statesman.

Doesn't Help Him Out.

The mule who gets stuck where the mud's deep and thick,
And simply does nothing but rear up and kick,
Though he shows all the world he's a chronic old kicker,
He doesn't get out of the mud any quicker.
—L. A. W. Bulletin.

COLD SYMPATHY.



Friend—Hullo, old man! What's the matter?

Gilded Youth—Just proposed to a girl—been refused. Think I shall blow my brains out.

Friend—Congratulate you, old chap.

Gilded Youth—What do you mean?

Friend—Didn't know you had any.—

Working Night and Day.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Every pill is a sugar coated globule of health that changes weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fag into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.

Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

Seeing and Hearing.

Watts—I like to see a fellow be happy and whistle at his work.

Potts—Seeing him is better than hearing him.—Indianapolis Journal.

How She Sung.

Belle—How did Edith sing last night?

Edith—She was a howling success.—Musical America.

That Cough Hangs On

You have used all sorts of cough remedies but it does not yield; it is too deep seated. It may wear itself out in time, but it is more liable to produce la grippe, pneumonia or a serious throat affection. You need something that will give you strength and build up the body.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

will do this when everything else fails. There is no doubt about it. It nourishes, strengthens, builds up and makes the body strong and healthy, not only to throw off this hard cough, but to fortify the system against further attacks. If you are run down or emaciated you should certainly take this nourishing food medicine.

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"I have used your valuable CASCARETS and find them perfect. Couldn't do without them. I have used them for some time for indigestion and biliousness and am now completely cured. Recommend them to every one. Once tried, you will never be without them in the family." Edw. A. Marx, Albany, N. Y.

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... CURE CONSTIPATION. ...
Sterling Remedy Company, Chicago, Montreal, New York. 321

NO-TO-BAC Sold and guaranteed by all druggists to CURE Tobacco Habit.

FEEDING THE BEES.

If This Task Is Not Performed Properly Weakening of Colonies Is Sure to Result.

Feeders must be arranged so the bees can get the sirup properly. Ordinary receptacles will not answer, unless partitions or floats of some kind are used to keep the bees from drowning, which they will do in open pans, etc. Wooden feeders are the best, and a thick piece of board guttered out in deep grooves one-half inch wide, with partitions left, which may be very thin, or a heavy block of wood, with holes bored not quite through and filled with the same, answer very nicely. A good frame of old, tough honeycomb may be filled with the sirup from some distance above it with something like a common sprinkler, except that the holes are larger. This drives the sirup to the bottom of the cells, and expels the air, and when filled it may be turned over without the sirup running out, and the other side treated likewise.

All feeding should be done in the night time with the above kind of feed; that is, the feed may be given the bees late in the evening, between sundown and dark. If given them during the day it will cause a great uproar among them and may result in robbing and fighting generally. Upper stories should be used to place the feeders, and should be closed so that bees cannot pass in or out of the same from above.—A. H. Duff, in National Rural.

How to Destroy Vermin.

Do not try to poison rats until you first bait them. To do so place choice food where they can get it. After awhile they will cease to be suspicious and will anticipate the regular time for feeding. After they have found out that you are their best friend, go to a drug store and get some phosphorous paste. Give them a double mess of food with the phosphorous paste well mixed in, and the chances are that you will kill everyone in the neighborhood. Lice, however, must be fought at all times, as they multiply rapidly, and delay is in their favor.—Farm and Fireside.

Owes No Man Anything.

Sheep are unlike all other stock, if decently managed. A good sheep can never die in debt to a man. If it dies when weaned it has consumed nothing. If it dies the first winter the wool will pay for its keep up to that period. If it lived to be sheared once, it brings its owner in debt to it, and if the ordinary course of wool production and breeding goes on, that indebtedness increases with great rapidity as long as the sheep lives. If the horse or steer dies at three or four years old or the cow before breeding, the loss is almost a total one —Free Press, Ontario, Canada.

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Mr. R. P. Olivia, of Barcelona, Spain, spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head. On using Electric Bitters, America's greatest Blood and Nerve Remedy, all pain soon left him. He says this grand medicine is what his country needs. All America knows that it cures liver and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens the nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life into every muscle, nerve and organ of the body. If weak, tired or ailing you need it. Every bottle guaranteed, only 50 cts. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co. Druggists.

Dyed in the Wool.

Brown—Smith is a crank, isn't he?

Jones—A crank? Why, if he should ever find that he wasn't in a minority he'd change his opinions at once!—Puck.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your grocer today to show you a package of Grain-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. Grain-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress; one fourth the price of coffee; 15c. and 25c. per package. Sold by all grocers.

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Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Ask for Allen's Foot-Ease, A Powder

To shake into your shoes. It rests the feet. Cures corns, bunions, ingrowing nails, swollen and sweating feet. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Sample free. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

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Oct. 22, 1899.

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Trains leave Franklin for

Boston—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex.) 6 05, 9 38 p m; Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, 8 30 a m; 12 04, 3 36, 4 32, 5 19, 8 22, 6 57, 8 17, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 15 a m, 5 15, 7 10 p m.

Blackstone—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

Walpole—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 49, 4 10, 5 11, 6 01, 7 19 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7 54 p m.

Norfolk—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 pm. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 58, f5 21, 6 19, f7 25, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 8 25 p m.

City Mills—5 15, f8 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58, a m; f1 01, 5 25, 6 15, f7 28, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

Putnam—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 20, 10 30 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

Hartford — 9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

Woonsocket Junction—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

New York, all rail—9 15 a m; 4 23 p m. Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

New York, via Norwich Line, 7 45 p m. Return New Pier 36, North River, 6 00 p m.

Providence Extension.

Trains leave Franklin for

Providence—7 04, 9 04 a m; 1 08, 4 25, 7 04 p m. Return, 6 04, 8 10, 12 04 a m; 4 35, 6 04 p m.

MILFORD BRANCH.

Trains leave Franklin for

Milford—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 35, 6 50 p m; S 6 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.

Ashland—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

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Milford—9 25 a m; 1 19, 4 37, 5 42, 6 57, S 6 44 p m

Franklin—6 49, 8 41, 11 28 a m; 4 03, 6 19 p m. S 8 15 a m.

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For sudden chills and colds it is well to have a box on hand to prevent a more serious climax to the attack. Will cure a cold in the head in 24 hours. Do not affect the head, produce ringing or cause nervousness like the Sulphate Quinine. They move the bowels gently without griping.

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WRENTHAM.

James W. Powers has gone to Newark, N. J., to work in a straw factory, whose superintendent is O. J Squire, formerly of this town.——Tuesday night Wampum lodge, I. O. O. F., worked the second degree on two candidates from Rebecca lodge of Walpole.——A colonial supper was held in the banquet room in the Town hall Thursday evening by the ladies of Trinity guild.

Away Ahead.

"My wife," said the minister, "often helps me out with my sermons."

"Hum!" said Henry Peck; "my wife preaches all the sermons in our house."—Philadelphia North American.

Placing the Responsibility.

"I don't see why you aren't a good little girl," said her mother.

"Oh, now, don't blame me," she replied. "I'm just as good as God made me."—Chicago Post.

There Is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called Graino O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over one-fourth as much. Children may drink it with great benefit; 15c. and 25c per package. Try it; ask for Grain O.

To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money

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Dr Hobbs' Sparagus Pills cure all kidney ills. Sample free. Add. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

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Clover Stimulates Growth.

There are more elements for producing growth in clover than in corn, as clover is richer in both lime and nitrogen than corn. The feeding of corn and clover, or a variety of food produces better results than when only a single kind of food is allowed, because there is then a balance in the elements required for support and less waste, the animal making more growth of bone when young and increasing more rapidly in weight when matured.

By sprinkling a little salt on obnoxious weeds the sheep will be induced to completely destroy them at some stage of growth, which, without their aid, would be extremely difficult to eradicate.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "Helping to Save the World" Union Citizenship meeting at 7. Y. P. C. U. at 6.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10 Rev. M. J. Lee, rector: Rev. M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Congregational church—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, at 10.30; subject, "Why Seek a Sign?" Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. No evening service.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 Rev. Frank B. Sleeper, pastor. Theme, "Skillful and Efficient Work for Our Lord." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5 45.

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor. Sermon will be one of a series on the general subject: "Lessons from Some Characteristic Incidents in the Life of Christ." Special subject: "The Ascending Lord. Junior league at 3. Epworth league at 6.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending Feb. 21, 1900:

Ladies—Miss Charlotte M. Brigham, Grace R. Daniels, Miss M. E. Salisbury.

Gentlemen — Bigelow Woolen Mills, Proprietor of Durby House, Franklin Mills (2), M. R. Henderson, Albert Knott, Earnest Thompson, Al Signor Merchiore Luccarim.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

The Moth and the Flame.

He called her, once, the light of his existence,
But a change in their affairs has come about.
Unto his suit she entered no resistance
And so the court could only "blow her out."
—Chicago Daily News.

Constipation, Headache, Biliousness, Heartburn, Indigestion, Dizziness,

Indicate that your liver is out of order. The best medicine to rouse the liver and cure all these ills, is found in

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25 cents. Sold by all medicine dealers.

SHORT SALE OF LONG RUGS

While they last now in progress at the bargain headquarters near the Post Office.

SMYRNA RUGS,

6 by 9 ft., 3 yds. long by 2 yds. wide, reduced in price from

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Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $7.50 to $9.00, now **$4.25.**

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $5.00 to $6.00, now **$3.25.**

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $4.00 to $5.00, now **$2.25.**

Misses' Jackets, were $2.25, now **98c.**

Marston Sanborn,

POST OFFICE BLOCK.

Agent for New Idea Patterns, 10c.
Agent for New Home Sewing Machine.

BUTTONS MADE FROM YOUR OWN CLOTH.

Making Use of Weeds.

A crop of weeds that are nearly matured, but which have not produced seeds, is one that will pay if it is plowed under. Even weeds can thus be put to good use if rightly handled but the farmer who allows a single weed to produce seed multiplies his work in the future. There is no waste of time in killing weeds, as no work on the farm pays better if future labor is considered.

Generally Is.

The Pill Peddler—Ah! I'll soon put you on the road to recovery!

The Patient—And I'll bet it'll be the "high" road, too!—Puck.

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While the soda and chlorine of salt have no manural properties, there is often a decided effect from using salt as topdressing for land that has organic matter. Only very small amounts are used per acre, and thus the salt hastens decomposition, and this sets free whatever carbonic acid gas or ammonia the organic matter contains. Salt is usually thought of as a preservative. It is so when in amounts large enough to pickle what it is applied to. When carbonic acid gas is liberated, that acts as a solvent on the inert potash and phosphate that the soil contains, thus often serving in place of those minerals at much less cost than if they were bought and applied.

OPEN TO CONVICTION.

The Husband—Haven't I told you again and again that I want you to trade at **Fales' Grocery Store?**

Wife—That's all right, but I saved a cent on a dollar's worth of sugar at another store.

Husband—That may be, but you said yourself that the sugar somehow didn't seem to sweeten the food like other sugar.

Wife—So I did; I forgot that. Tell Mr. Fales' man to stop here on his rounds tomorrow. His Groceries are good enough for me, after all.

Try FALES, the Grocer.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John McGinnis, late of Norfolk, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

AUSTIN E. GREENE, Administrator.

Address City Mills.
Feb. 12, 1900.

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That if you do not trade at this store you should do so at once and gain a benefit many others are now sharing. At all times at this store we have special sales going on that are money-savers for you if you would but take advantage of them. Hesitate no longer to pay cash and you can readily see the benefit you gain by doing so.

THIS WEEK WE OFFER FOR SAVERS OUR *BIG 4* TRADES

4 cans Tomatoes.......	25	4 pkgs. Mince Meat....	25
4 cans String Beans....	25	4 cans Potash.........	25
4 cans Lima Beans.....	25	4 bottles Parlor Pride...	25
4 cans early June Peas..	25	4 lbs. Prunes..........	25
4 pkgs Grated Pineapple.	25	4 Lantern Globes......	25

SPECIAL.—Success Coffee, put up in 1 lb. fancy coffee cans, a fresh roasted Java and Mocha, the finest coffee obtainable, for this occasion to sell for **31c.**

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Turkeys, Chickens, Fowls, Etc.

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Now is the time to buy your Winter stock of Groceries of the finest quality and at the lowest prices in town.

Sugar, 19 lbs. for $1.
Light Brown Sugar, 21 lbs. for $1.
Fancy Ponce Porto Rico Molasses, never sold before less than 50c gallon, now 40c gallon.
Fancy New Orleans Molasses, always sold at 60c gallon, now 50c gallon.
Good dark Molasses, 30c gallon.
Pure Maple Syrup, 25c quart.
Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.
Boiled cider, quart bottles, 20c.
5 lb. can Java and Mocha Coffee, 90c.
The best 50c, Tea 40c.
The best 60c Tea, 50c.
Fancy Table London Layer Raisins, 20c lb.
Four Crown loose Raisins, 12c lb.
Gilt Edge Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c lb.
Fancy Ribbon Candy, 10c lb.
Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.
Fancy Chocolates, 15c lb.
Lowney's 40c goods now 35c.
We carry the finest quality Butter cut from the tub, 1 lb. prints, 5 lb. boxes, 10, 20 and 50 lb. tubs, at the lowest prices, quality considered.
J. P. Squire's Pure Lard, 8c lb.
10 lb. pails Lard, full weight, 75c.
J. P. Squire's Pure Leaf Lard in 5 lb. pails, 50c.
Mixed Nuts, English Walnuts, Oranges and Lemons in stock at the lowest prices.

Come in and leave your order with us and get the best for the least money.

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McKinnon's Grocery Store,

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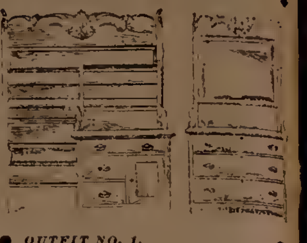
Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted. Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.



OUTFIT NO. 1.
This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.
$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 2.
This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs, rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.
$39—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 3.
This outfit is made up with one of our most popular selling chamber suits, including the 2 chairs, rocker, table, mattress, woven wire spring bed and toilet set.
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Collector's Notice.

The owners of the following described parcel of real estate in the town of Medway, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon assessed for the year within specified, according to the list committed to me by the Assessors of Taxes, remain unpaid, and that the said parcel of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Town Clerk's office in said Medway, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 1st, 1900,

at ten o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

The New England Food Co., or Owner—About one acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in the westerly part of Medway, bounded on the north by land of estate of Peter Foley, east by land of M. M. Fisher and Oakland cemetery, south by land of W. B. Hodges, west by open way. Or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.

Tax assessed, $42.00.

GEORGE F. MADDEN, Collector of Taxes for 1899.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.

FRANKLIN, February 23, A. D. 1900.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

TUESDAY, the TWENTY-SEVENTH day of MARCH, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse Block, in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Hugh Lyons of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the fifth day of December, A. D. 1899, at two o'clock in the afternoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process) in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land situated on the corner of West and Alder streets, in the westerly part of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, containing about 40 acres, more or less, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the northeasterly corner of the premises at the corner of said West and Alder streets; thence running westerly on the line of said Alder street to land of E. L. and O. F. Metcalf; thence southerly and westerly to land of Charles Wight; thence southerly by land of said Wight to land of Cyrus M. Hill; thence easterly by land of said Hill to West street; thence northerly by said West street to land of the heirs of Luther Daniels, deceased; thence westerly, northerly and easterly by land of said heirs to said West street; thence northerly on said West street to the corner first mentioned, being the same premises conveyed by John Bradley to Hugh Lyons by deed dated April 10, 1878, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 509, page 309.

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK, Deputy Sheriff.

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The Franklin Sentinel.

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Norfolk C. E. Union.

The February meeting of the Norfolk C. E. Union which was held at the Congregational church at Walpole last Thursday proved one of the very best ever held by the union. The attendance at both afternoon and evening sessions was remarkable considering the extremely inclement weather. At once on entering the church the visitor was impressed with the hospitable atmosphere of the house itself, and with the additional warm greeting from the pastor and his people all were made to feel perfectly at home and glad to be there. The profuse decorations of our national colors with which the organ and altar were draped were exceedingly attractive and effective, and deserve special mention.

The exercises by the Juniors of the church showed conscientious work on the part of those having them in charge and gave evidence of a most flourishing society. The only speaker of the afternoon was Rev. W. J. Minchin of Wrentham, his subject being "Our Country's Glory." Mr. Minchin touched upon the subject of our nation's peril, but dwelt at length upon the names of Washington and Lincoln, men to whom we own much of our country's glory. His remarks were made in a most earnest manner and the audience could not fail to feel the force and power of his words.

The consecration service was marked by a deep spiritual sentiment and was a helpful and inspiring service. Next followed the conference of committees and the social hour, the latter taking place in the vestry at the well spread tables which the hospitality of the society had provided to meet the needs of the inner man.

After a half hour's praise service by the choir and congregation and a solo by Mrs. C. L. Stewart, the speaker of the evening, Rev. E. I. House of Dorchester was introduced, and in a few exceedingly witty introductory remarks at once won the attention and interest of his audience. The theme of Mr. House's oration was "My Country and I," and not only did the speaker wax eloquent over his subject, but the power of his words came home with force to the hearts of every loyal Christian citizen present. Altogether the convention was in in its character most inspiring and uplifting and a blessed season of enjoyment and profit to all who were present. L.

"Fritz In a Mad House."

Just about ten years ago Lottie Gilson appeared in New York city on the stage of Tony Pastor's theatre and made what is known as a "howling hit." She received encore after encore, and the following day the New York World gave to her the credit of being the most magnetic artist before the public and christened her "The Little Maget." In a tour of the continent Miss Gilson appeared with great success at the following places: In Europe, Hamburg, Colon, Leipsig, Dresden; Prague, Geneva. She was a tremendous success in Great Britain, and appeared at the Crystal, London, Tivoli, Oxford and Royal Holborn, London. In Paris she appeared with great success at the Foles Berge. All through the German Empire Miss Gilson sang her songs in German, and so won the hearts of these lovers of music that she was spoken of by them as the American gestinger. She then returned to America and late last season joined hands with J. K. Emmet, known throughout the country for his impersonation of the ever popular series of plays, entitled "Fritz." Their success was instantaneous, and this happy combination of mirth and music bids fair to become one of the strongest aggregation in the country. Surrounded by a company of incomparable players, Miss Gilson and J. K. Emmet will appear at the Morse opera house March 3 in a careful revival of the famous comedy success, "Fritz in a Mad House," with Mr. Emmet in his character of "Fritz" and Miss Gilson as "Collie Parker." Seats on sale at Dana's.

A Rich Treat.

Invite your friends to attend the illustrated lecture to be delivered by Rev. T. J. B. House of Boston on Sunday evening, March 4, at the Opera house, of which the Cambridge Chronicle says: "On the evening of April 6 the Cambridgeport W. C. T. U. had the pleasure of listening to Mr. House's illustrated lecture. The hall in which it was held was full to overflowing and a number were obliged to go away, unable to obtain seats. A minister who was present said 'It was the best piece of missionary work that had been done in Cambridge for some time.' Another said, 'Such lectures do more good than it is possible to tell.'"

William Rockwood this year declined a renomination as assessor after about 20 years' service in that capacity and as collector of taxes. His long experience was a means of valuable aid on the boards where he served, and he was renominated at the Republican caucus in spite of his request not to use his name.

A NOTABLE LIFE ENDED.

[CONTRIBUTED.]

The lives of few men are so interwoven in the life of a community as was that of Joseph Gordon Ray in all that pertained to the business, social and moral life of the town of Franklin. The news, therefore, of his unexpected death last Saturday morning came as a shock to the whole community, which lost in his death its leading citizen. For some days he had been ill, but seemed to be returning to health, and even on Saturday morning expressed himself as feeling much better. The end came very suddenly and painlessly about 7 o'clock, the cause being an affection of the arteries of the heart, called arterial sclerosis. The shock of his death shadows the whole town, bringing sorrow to a wide circle of relatives and friends, as well as to those who knew him only as the upright, public-spirited citizen. He was the last of three brothers whose names have been for years prominently identified with the manufacturing interests of Massachusetts and Rhode Island—men who were the pioneers in this vicinity in the manufacture of woolen goods. His two older brothers were James P. Ray, who died in 1894, and Francis B., who died in 1892.

Mr. Ray was born in Mendon, now East Blackstone, Mass., Oct. 4, 1831, the son of Joseph and Lydia (Paine) Ray. His education was obtained in the schools of his native town, with one year in the public schools of Nashua, N. H., and his fifteenth year in the schools of Walpole, N. H. He began to work in the mill of his brother, James P., in Unionville, at an early age. In 1850 he was employed by his two brothers in their mill in the same village, and during his first year of service started the first "rag-picker" and manufactured the first "shoddy" in this section. The next year he became a member of the firm, now taking the name of Ray Brothers. In 1860 Francis B. retired and the business was then carried on for many years under the firm name of J. P. & J. G. Ray. By successive purchases they added to their original plant at Unionville, the Bartlett mill in Woonsocket, the North Bellingham mill, and in 1870 built their first mill at Franklin, which was followed by another in the same place in 1877. These holdings were the beginning of what later became the Rays' Woolen company, so long and so well known to all Franklin people. In 1876 they purchased also the mill of the Putnam Manufacturing company, Putnam, Conn., and with others the City Mills, Franklin. Beginning with lower grades of work in both cotton and woolen goods, they have advanced to the highest grades and their goods have won an enviable name in the markets of the country. In recent years others have been associated with Mr. Ray in his mill business, and very recently the woolen mills have passed into the control of the American Woolen company, and the felt mills, with which he was associated, have become a part of the American Felt company.

With the lapse of years his business interests grew wider and wider and the mere enumeration of those concerns with which he was connected will show how far his business insight reached, and in how many interests he was a leading and active spirit. He was president of the American Felt company, an organization which is due largely to his foresight and energy; and also vice president of the American Woolen company, one of the largest corporations in the country; president of the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket Street Railway company; formerly president and large owner of the Massachusetts and Rhode Island Railroad company; president of the Franklin National bank; director of the Boston and Montana Copper company; vice-president of the National and Providence Worsted company; director of the Old Dominion Copper company; director of the Citizens' National bank of Woonsocket; director of the Woonsocket and Pascoag railroad; director of the Charles River Woolen company, now operating the North Bellingham mill; large owner in the Woonsocket Electric Light and Power company—all these positions and many others made his business life an unusually active and far-reaching one.

With these large business activities he still had time always to be interested in everything that pertained to the well-being of the town in which he lived. He resided in East Blackstone until 1861, and for several years was assessor and chairman of the selectmen. At the age of 28 he represented this town in the House of Representatives and was the youngest member of that body. Removing to Unionville, he first began that active interest in the life of Franklin that has continued from that day to this. In 1870 he bought a place in Franklin proper, a part of the old Emmons farm, and built the house which he has occupied till his death. He represented this senatorial district in the legislature of 1869 and was a delegate to the national Republican convention held in Chicago in 1884. He was a member of Excelsior lodge, A. F. & A. M., of this place and also of the Woonsocket commandery.

JOSEPH GORDON RAY.

He married in 1854, Emily, daughter of Col. Joseph and Anne Rockwood of Bellingham, who, with two children, Lydia P. and Mrs. A. D. Thayer, survives him.

It is rare to find a man who so thoroughly exemplified the qualities of a good citizen as did Joseph G. Ray. For more than forty years he has been actively identified with everything that would make for the prosperity of the town and its citizens. No man has been more earnest in seeking to bring business to the town; no man has given steadier and wiser support to home enterprise than he. He has been the trusted counsellor and the financial supporter of every considerable activity in all these years. In company with his brother, he entered upon the building of railroads that should connect Franklin with outside points, not because he was sure of financial profit, but because they seemed to him to be a public benefit. He had only recently become the owner of the Franklin Water Works in order that this corporation might be under the control of those interested rather than under the control of outsiders. If we study any phase of town development, we are sure to find his money, his hand, and his heart behind the work. He was early interested to bring the Worcester County National bank, then located at Blackstone, to Franklin, and through his efforts a congressional act was passed allowing this to be done and changing its name. He has been president of this institution since the death of James P. Ray and has been active also in the Franklin Savings bank and the Co operative bank. He was also president of the Franklin Library association and the Franklin Cemetery association. Though averse to holding public office, he gave to every detail of municipal affairs his time and attention as a good citizen should. Officials looked to him always for advice and support and never failed to find in him a firm supporter. The moral welfare of the town was even closer to his heart, than its financial prosperity, and his time and money were given freely to anything and everything that looked to the uplifting of the community life. He was a politician in the best sense of the word, active and earnest in his Republicanism and a generous contributor to the success of that party through all his life. He never sought office and even declined to become a candidate for congressional honours, but his voice was a potent one in the councils of the party, and few men in Massachusetts were more influential in his own quiet way than he. His word of recommendation has been a powerful influence in appointments and elections—a word that was given only with caution and foresight. He had an eye single for the best good of his party, his town and his country.

As a business man Mr. Ray had exceptional qualities. The mere mention of his official positions indicates how widely his business abilities were in demand. His success in these varied directions were due to qualities inherent in the man himself. He was a hard worker, desiring always to master thoroughly every enterprise in which he embarked. He was gifted with a marvelous memory for the details of a business that enabled him to keep ready in his mind matters which would baffle most men. His success was helped, too, by a wonderful foresight as regards business conditions; there have been few changes that his alert mind has not anticipated, and thus he has been able to take advantage of conditions rather than to follow in their wake. A man of sterling integrity and business honor, he has expected and generally found the same qualities in those with whom he had business dealings and those whom he has trusted as subordinates. He has been an indefatigable worker always and his business successes have been due to this as well as the other traits mentioned. With all his success he was never a man who begrudged success in others. In fact it may be truly said that he was always glad to see others succeed and to help them in any way that he could. In quiet, unostentatious ways he has helped many young men to start in life, giving them means to enter on business, and his wisest counsel. If he could help any man who was in financial trouble, or who needed the benefit of his advice, it seemed a pleasure to him to lend a helping hand, and there was no trait of envy or jealousy in any of his business dealings with his fellows. It certainly is not true of him, as it is of so many, that success made him hard and intolerant of those who fail in their endeavors. His name stands as a synonym of business honor, business fair dealing and business charitableness, as well as of business [illegible].

To the Universalist church in this community Mr. Ray was always a loyal and devoted friend; its interests were always dear to his heart. Ever since the church was established he has been actively engaged in its work in every department and has been its most generous supporter. For many years he has been a member of the church organization and has given to it constant service. As chairman of the parish committee and trustee of the church fund he has served the parish wisely and well, and it will miss a consecrated and generous friend. His interest extended to the denomination at large, in which he has been a leading laymen, giving freely of his counsel and of his means to support the undertakings of the general church.

Dean academy has had no stauncher friend than Mr. Ray. As the counsellor and helper of Dr. Dean, he was actively interested in the inception of the school and was a member of the building committee. From that time to the present hour his zeal has neither flagged nor wavered. In the darkest times of its history he has always supplied courage; in times of financial trouble he has been the stay and support. It is hardly too much to say that Dean academy would not exist today if it had not been for his wise and devoted friendship. His name will be indissolubly connected with the school. Few can realize how much time and effort he has put into its work. Busy as he was, he was ready to give his attention to the smallest details and to spend money freely in anything that pertained to the well-being of the academy. The administration of the school, the investment of its funds, the care of its buildings, the welfare of its students have been constantly on his mind and heart; it was his expressed desire to be useful to it in every way possible. He took much pride in it and was such a friend as few institutions ever have.

Few men had so large a circle of friends and it will be as a friend that the community at large will best remember him. There was a large-heartedness about him and a kindliness toward his fellowmen that drew all toward him. It was natural to turn to him for help or for advice and no deserving person ever went to Mr. Ray for either without coming away satisfied that in him they had a kind friend. The instances of this kindness are innumerable and no one but himself and the recipients of his help can tell how wide-reaching was his benevolence. Many a young man has been helped in his education; many a poor family has received aid and comfort; many business men have been started in life by his influence or support. If any man found himself overwhelmed with financial troubles, it was Mr. Ray's counsel, or loan of money that tided over the crisis. With a life brimful of activities, he found time to listen patiently to every call that came to him and listened as if your trouble was his trouble. All classes of people found in him a trusted counsellor. He had a remarkable knowledge of men and insight into character and to a marked degree was a lover of his fellowmen. This made life always worth living to him and made him love to live and to do. It can be said of him as was said of Longfellow that when "men came to his door, his love met them at the threshold."

> "His greeting smile was pledge and prelude
> Of generous deeds and kindly words."

It was this aspect of his life that brings his death close home to so many hearts of our community. He was never weary of doing for his neighbors and friends. To know the need was to him a call of duty. One of his last acts was of this nature. Reading in the SENTINEL during his sickness, of the settling of the foundation of the local Catholic church and the need of repairs, and knowing how much effort the Society had put into their new building, he sent a generous and unsolicited check to Father Lee. This is but one instance of many similar good deeds. We mourn for a kind, true friend:

> "For the warmest of hearts is frozen,
> The freest of hands is still;
> And the gap in our picked and chosen
> The long years may not fill.
>
> No duty could overtask him,
> No need his will outrun;
> Or ever our lips could ask him,
> His hands the work had done."

It was in the home and the home life that Mr. Ray lived most. Even those outside can realize how strong were the ties of love and loyalty that bound him to the home circle. Home and family were sacred to him and to them he gave the best of his heart and life. Keen as is the loss to the community and deeply as we miss the honored man and the kindly friend, our loss is little in comparison to that of those who were nearest and dearest to him. To that home and its inmates, the hearts of the whole community go out in loving sympathy in this their great sorrow.

> "Such was our friend. Formed on the good old plan—
> A true and brave and downright honest man!
> Loathing pretense, he did with cheerful will
> What others talked of while their hands were still.
> His daily prayer—far better understood
> In acts than words—was simply DOING GOOD.
> So calm, so constant was his rectitude,
> That by his loss alone we know its worth,
> And feel how true a man has walked with us on earth."

Condolence.

The officers and directors of the Franklin National Bank desire to express their deep sorrow over the death of their president, the Hon. Joseph G. Ray. His sudden removal from the activities of earth and from the position in our bank which he so ably held for many years plunges us into the deepest grief. While we can no longer avail ourselves of his rare advice, or follow his wise counsel, we rejoice that his brilliant example will remain with us forever. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to his bereaved family and contribute our note of sadness to the vast chorus of grief that follows him in his departure from the busy scenes of earth.

DIRECTORS FRANKLIN NAT'L BANK.

The death of the Hon. Joseph G. Ray came as a stunning blow to the trustees of the Benjamin Franklin Savings bank, upon whose advice they had always leaned in the management of its affairs.

To his fidelity to the trust committed to him, and his wise counsels, has been largely due the safety of its funds.

Most highly esteemed as a courteous gentleman, a true friend, and a wise counsellor, we, his associates, wish hereby to express our deep grief at his sudden loss.

Davis Thayer	Chas. J. McKenzie
Calvin Fairbanks	A. D. Thayer
E. H. Sherman	Dr. J. C. Gallison
L. L. Burrington	Jos. P. Bassett
Chas. W. Stewart	Henry R. Jenks
Geo. W. Wiggin	Wm. Rockwood
B. M. Rockwood	Chas. Stewart
H. M. Bullock	Dr. Geo. King
E. P. Chapman	Walter M. Fisher

Alden Club Postponement.

The entertainment to have been given at Dean academy last evening by Jeanette Robinson Murphy has been postponed.

It seemed neither fitting nor possible to allow it to take place there on the evening preceding the funeral of our most prominent citizen, and one whose life has been so interwoven with the academy. I had neither time nor strength to call or attend a board meeting, and so assumed the responsibility of postponing the program, feeling that our club members would be in harmony with me. It will be given later, as soon as details can be arranged.

MARGARET L. RAY, President.

Important to Orient Bicycle Owners.

All owners of Orient bicycles, purchased of the undersigned during the past three years, may have their wheels cleaned and put in perfect order by a practical workman free of expense by delivering the same to me between now and March 15. Broken or worn parts will be replaced at actual cost, the owners being notified before such expense is incurred.

CHARLES L. STEWRT,
Orient Agent.

Franklin, Mass., Feb. 20, 1900.

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

For other Local News see Second and Fourth Pages.

Republican Caucus.

One of the largest assemblages in a long time met in Music hall on Friday evening, unusual interest being manifested in the selection of candidates. Chairman Chapman read the call and the meeting selected Bradley M. Rockwood as presiding officer and J. E. Barber as secretary.

Immediately upon opening Attorney Ruggles desired to know why certain names handed to the committee were not placed upon the ballot. Mr. Chapman, speaking for himself, said the committee had acted according to its best judgment in presenting the names to the party. Mr. Ruggles insisted that a preceding meeting had instructed the board to do so, but Mr. Chapman replied that the board did not so interpret it, but had simply requested it. The matter rested there.

The electric road matter appeared to have been made the direct issue. Word had been passed around that Dr. Abbott and Mr. Clark were pledged to the road and Dr. Gallison was considered favorable, owing to his action on the present board; therefore, the voters cast for them the bulk of the votes.

C. F. Nye, E. D. Daniels, W. C. Sherman and C. B. Johnson were appointed tellers, and after about an hour's work reported as follows:

Selectmen—	
*Alfred Clark, Jr.,	97
*E. C. Abbott,	85
*J. C. Gallison,	81
Amos P. Woodward,	48
Fred P. Chapman,	48
H. W. Thayer,	32
Clerk—	
*O. T. Doe,	146
Treasurer—	
*N. E. Newell,	147
Assessors—	
*J. O. Chilson,	107
*Elisha P. Chapman,	103
*William Rockwood,	86
Eugene F. Ware,	66
L. J. Kelley,	27
H. E. Ruggles,	14
Overseers of the Poor—	
*G. E. Emerson,	111
*F. M. Richardson,	103
*E. A. Mason,	63
S. Y. Reed,	61
H. M. Bullock,	45
Marston Sanborn,	35
Auditor—	
*P. A. Woodward,	147
Collector—	
*E. H. Sherman,	147
School Committee—	
*W. A. Wyckoff,	115
J. H. Knapp,	21
Board of Health—	
*Marston Sanborn,	136
*G. A. Martin,	101
Constables—	
*F. L. Davis,	109
*L. R. Whitaker,	106
*K. R. Jewett,	85
S. W. Nickerson,	55
C. R. Gowen,	45
Tree Warden—	
*Dwight M. Hodge,	46

*Nominated.

The Fitchburg Sentinel's Report.

"At 6.45 Thursday evening crowds were waiting for the gates to be opened at the Opera house, and at 7.45 the house was was filled to its utmost capacity. Nothing that has been said in praise of Mr. House's lecture is too strong. The views are simply life-like in their clearness. The beautiful wife, the sad-faced child, the unfortunate drunkard are real, living characters as they are brought before the audience. As for the dissolving views nothing approaching them in beauty has ever been seen in Fitchburg."

Do not miss hearing Dr. House at the Morse opera house on Sunday evening, March 4, at 7.30 o'clock. All seats free and no collection.

The Lowell Morning Citizen Said:

"An old story was told in a new way at Huntington hall last night by Rev. T. J. B. House. Many plans have been tried by the advocates of temperance to extend the work, but that used by Mr. House is, in its way, unique. He makes no direct appeal or exhortation, but tells a story, a tragedy of every day life, and illustrates it by stereopticon views from life."

Everyone should make a special effort to attend this lecture which is to be delivered at the Morse opera house Sunday evening, March 4, at 7.30 p. m. Admission free. No collection.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

House to Rent—Ten rooms, one or two tenements. Inquire of L. R. Whittaker T 30tf

Wanted—Someone to board a child three years old. Address SENTINEL office.

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

A capable girl for housework will be paid the best of wages. Call for F. at the SENTINEL office.

To Let.—Cottage house No. 13 Summer street; nine rooms, steam heat; barn if desired. Apply at 29 Cottage st. 15-tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Potted plants and cut flowers; all kinds of funeral work made up; special rates for all societies in town. Slade's Greenhouse, Central street, Franklin, Mass. P. O. Box 179. 2T

Business is opening up nicely for H. S. Dow of Boston, who has opened the White Star laundry in the rear of the Dana block. He does only high grade work, and bundles can be left at Mr. Dana's, if desired.

Dr. E. M. Faxon, Boston, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, will meet patients at hotel Briggs Thursdays from 9 to 12:30 o'clock.

For a clean shave and a good hair cut go to Oches's barber shop.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Report of the Good Citizenship meeting on Friday.

Charles Fiske spent the Sabbath at his father's, Orrin Fiske.

Samuel Earle of Oxford has been visiting his brother, Henry Earle.

The funeral of the late Joseph G. Ray is occurring as we go to press.

St. John's guild will meet at the rectory tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

Alfred Clark, jr., is on a trip to New York state and expects to return this week.

A slight fire occurred in Contractor Grant's carpenter shop this morning, soon extinguished.

Mrs. George E. Mondy of Osage, Ia., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Drown at the Crescent House.

Ash Wednesday service with address by the rector at St. John's rectory tomorrow, at 7.30 p. m. All are invited.

Dr. C. A. Longest has again been very successful in securing prizes at the dog show which closed in New York last week.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper preached in the chapel at Unionville Sunday afternoon and a number of the Baptist people attended.

The warrant for the annual town meeting contains thirty-three articles. One town in Massachusetts had over eighty articles.

Lawrence guild will meet at the rectory this evening, 7 o'clock, for its monthly business meeting. All members are asked to attend.

Charles E. Ryan, who has been spending a couple of weeks at his cousin's, Mrs. George E. Bacon, on Central street, has returned to his home in Idaho.

The Ladies' Social Circle of the Universalist church, will meet tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock with Mrs. Arthur W. Kilburne, Central street.

It is expected that the Town Report will be ready for distribution either Thursday afternoon or Friday morning, which is somewhat earlier than preceding years.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Briggs are to have their silver wedding at their home at the Franklin house on Thursday evening, at which time it is expected that many of their friends will be present and enjoy the occasion.

Friday afternoon the Mothers' section of the Alden club was entertained by Mrs. Carl B. Johnson, Union street, with an address by Mrs. E. D. Daniels on "The Law of Recompence," which was treated fully and broadly.

Mrs. Ellen Murphy passed away at her late home on Summer street yesterday, aged 50 years. She leaves two daughters, one of whom is the wife of Postmaster Conroy, and one son. The funeral will be held Thursday morning.

The Singleton Worsted company is bound to have an abundant supply of water. Since the completion of the artesian well 450 feet deep, the company has put down two other pipe wells, about 25 feet deep and in both cases found an apparently unfailing supply of from 30 to 40 gallons a minute.

We are authorized to state that "the idle rumor that the present board of selectmen are not a unit in favor of the new Medway and Medfield Electric road is utterly unfounded. If Messrs. Gallison and Clark should be elected at the coming town meeting they will most certainly favor the location and construction asked for by the new electric road.

The Emorian band of Providence, R. I., is said to be one of the best musical organizations in the concert line, composed, as it is, of soloists from the late P. S. Gilmore's and Reeves' bands. They will appear at the Opera house, Saturday evening, March 3. The program will consist of popular music, and will be assisted by Miss Greenhalch, soprano, and Miss Stewart contralto, making one of the best concerts of the season. Tickets on sale at Dana's Saturday morning. Prices 25, 35, and 50 cents for the balcony.

There were 700 people at the reunion of St. Mary's parishioners in the Opera house Friday evening. From 8 to 9 a concert was given by members of St. Mary's choir, assisted by pupils of Miss Griffin, a fine program being rendered. After the concert dancing was the order until 2.30 next morning, and the floor was well filled with dancers until the close. Supper was served in Foresters' hall at 11 o'clock. A large number of guests from the surrounding towns were in attendance. Music for the occasion was furnished by the American Band orchestra.

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WARRANT

For the Annual Town Meeting, March 5, A. D. 1900, at 7 o'clock, A. M.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Franklin,

GREETING:

You are hereby required, in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to notify and warn the qualified voters of the Town of Franklin to assemble in their town hall on Monday, the fifth day of March, A. D. 1900, at seven o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 1. To choose by ballot a Moderator to preside over said meeting.

ARTICLE 2. To choose by ballot the following town officers for the year ensuing, viz.: Three Selectmen, a Town Treasurer, a Town Clerk, an Auditor, three Assessors of Taxes, three Overseers of the Poor, a Collector of Taxes, a member of the Board of Health for three years, one School Committee for three years, and three Constables, all to be voted for upon one ballot; also upon the same ballot to vote upon the question: "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquor in this town?"

ARTICLE 3. To choose a Tree Warden for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 4. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the town will hereafter choose its Tree Warden by the use of the official ballot.

ARTICLE 6. To see in what way and manner the town will collect its taxes the current year.

ARTICLE 7. To hear a report of the town officers and act thereon.

ARTICLE 8. To see what action the town will take in relation to a pound.

ARTICLE 9. To vote a suitable number of names of persons into the jury box for the year ensuing.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer, under the direction of the Selectmen, to borrow such sums of money in anticipation of taxes for the current year as may be necessary to meet the current expenses.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors in town for the current year.

ARTICLE 12. To see what sums of money the town will appropriate and raise for the repairs of roads, bridges and sidewalks; for the support of schools, including the salary of a Superintendent and the transportation of scholars; for repairing school-houses, for school books, supplies and miscellaneous school expenses; for the support of the poor: for the support of the Fire Department; for water supply; for street lights, for the payment of the town debt and interest; for the payment of town officers; for the abatement and collection of taxes; for printing and stationery; for the suppression of illegal liquor traffic; for payment of police; for State and military aid; for support of the library of the Franklin Library Association; for the decoration of soldiers' graves; for soldiers' aid; and for miscellaneous town expenses.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the town will appropriate any and what sums of money to construct concrete sidewalks in town, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 14. To hear a report from the Selectmen on guideboards, and act thereon.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the town will authorize the School Committee to employ a Secretary at a salary not to exceed $50.

ARTICLE 16. To see what rate of interest the town will fix to be charged on taxes after December 1st next.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the town will vote to require the School Committee to employ a Superintendent of Schools, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 18. To hear the report of any committees chosen at previous town meetings, and act thereon.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the town will vote to sell the engine on Pleasant Street, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $250 for repairing the furnace in the William M. Thayer Schoolhouse, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 21. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $100 for lettering the Horace Mann and William M. Thayer Schoolhouses, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 22. To see if the town will vote to sell the South Franklin and Northwest Schoolhouses, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the town will accept the report of the committee appointed last year to draft a by-law relating to the so-called "curfew regulation," and adopt such by-law, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 24. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate fifty (50) dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Tree Warden in the care and planting of shade trees in the public grounds, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the town will vote to establish and maintain an incandescent or arc light at the corner of Oak and Church streets, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the town will raise and appropriate $100 for the purchase of a working set of weights and measures, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 27. To see if the town will vote to establish and maintain an electric arc light at or near the cemetery gate on Union street, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 28. To see if the town will vote to exchange lands with George C. Dauphinee in the rear of the schoolhouse at the Four Corners, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 29. To see if the town will vote to consider a proposition to allow the extension of the water supply of the Franklin Water Company to the village of Unionville, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 30. To see if the town will appropriate any and what sums of money to improve the Common, or act or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 31. To see if the town will appropriate any and what sums of money to repair the guideboards and erect new ones, or act or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 32. To see if the town will vote to appropriate any and what sums of money to grade and otherwise improve that part of the Franklin Cemetery owned by the town at or near the corner of Central and Union streets.

ARTICLE 33. To see if the town will ratify the sale of the Williams gravel pit as made by the Selectmen.

The polls may be opened at 7 o'clock A. M., and may be closed at 11 o'clock A. M.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk on or before hour of said meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-second day of February, A. D. 1900.

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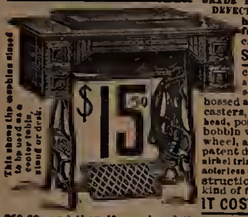

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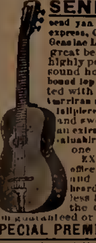

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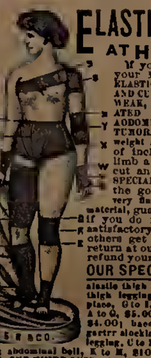

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The usual course pursued in changing queens, or introducing the same is, first remove the old queen; and it is preferable to place her in a cage and preserve her until the new queen is safely introduced and laying. If any mishap occurs to the new queen the old one can be returned. In frame hives it is an easy matter to find the queen by simply lifting out the frames and carefully looking them over; the queen being much larger than the worker bees, is readily detected. In other hives that are not movable frame, or in common box hives, it is not impossible, but they may be Italianized also.—National Rural.

Some farmers have wives whom they work like slaves, and soon these once fair specimens of God's work grow gray and wrinkled. If the drudgery continues, death follows and the farmer is left wifeless. There is something in this life to work for besides money. Wealth is a nice thing to have, but health is far greater and more necessary. A man or woman in good health is a millionaire though penniless. At the rate some farm women go about their endless tasks they are quite likely to lose the latter and miss the former. Their should be rest, recuperation and enjoyment in the farm home. It can be made the happiest place on earth if its owner so elects.—Farmers' Voice.

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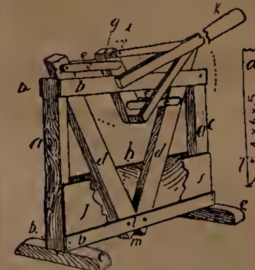

POULTRY STONE CRUSHER.

The handle part is made as follows: The central block, gg, is of 4x4 inch lumber and two feet long. It is attached by a bolt through the middle of the handle, k, which is five feet long and strengthened by side pieces fastened to the main block by tight bolts at i, passing through small blocks 2x2x2 inches at g. The four connecting strips, e, are of 1x2 inch stuff bolted at one end loosely to g, but at the other end tightly to d. The machine is now complete except to nail boards, jj, on the sides to keep in the stones.—American Agriculturist.

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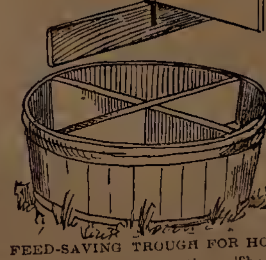
Description of a Trough That Is Sure to Keep the Hogs from Crowding Each Other.

Where several hogs are quartered in an orchard or other pasture they must be fed out-of-doors. To keep each one from crowding and fighting his neighbor when eating, make such a trough as is shown in the illustration.



FEED-SAVING TROUGH FOR HOGS.

The bottom part of a barrel is sawed off and two narrow strips of board are fitted together and nailed firmly into the trough, as in the drawing. A flour barrel can be made to answer this temporary purpose, but a trough from a stouter barrel will prove more lasting. — American Agriculturalist.

"It Micht Ha' Been Waur."

When failures becloud the blue of your sky
And troubles begin in torrents to pour,
Just think of the floods that others have whelmed
And say to yourself: "It micht ha' been waur."
—You're drenched but no droon'd; it micht ha' been waur!

When out on life's sea your vessel is wrecked,
Beyond the relief of a humanly shore,
Cling fast to the spar God's put in your hand
And say to yourself: "It micht ha' been waur."
—Some haven't a spar; it micht ha' been waur!

When Death, blanching Death, stalks into your street
And knocks with appalling hand at your door;
Hold fast to the hope God's put in your heart
And say to yourself: "It micht ha' been waur."
—What if you'd nae hope! It micht ha' been waur!

And when you shall stand before the great Judge,
Who'll open the book and scan your life o'er,
May He in His love forgive where you've tried,
And say to your soul: "It mich ha' been waur."
"Gang ye wi' the sheep, it micht ha' been waur!"

—John H. Finley, in Chicago Interior.

June.

The bumblebees delve in the thick red clover,
Tousling and tumbling it over and over;
The far sun shines and the winds go by,
And a sparrow-hawk poises above in the sky.

There is little to learn from the flight of the swallow,
Who leads where his gathering comrades follow;
The stream runs slow and the hills are high,
And the sparrow-hawk poises above in the sky.

And a clear, sweet note from the ground is ringing,
Where a bird in the silence now is singing;
Like drifts of snow do the white clouds lie,
And the sparrow-hawk poises above in the sky.

In the pasture's breadth is a brown song-sparrow—
There's a rush of wings like a whistling arrow—
Forever and aye must the sweet notes die,
And a sparrow-hawk poises above in the sky.

—Ernest McGaffey, in Woman's Home Companion.

Compensation.

O little curly head of mine, you play about all day,
You've many a lark out in the park while I must work away;
You never have a single care to mar your childish joy—
Your little sphere is far more fair than mine was as a boy.

O little curly head of mine, there are no cows that you
Must go to bring just when there's something else you'd rather do;
There is no churn for you to turn, no hoeing to be done,
No pump to work, no wood to burn that you must chop, my son.

O little curly head of mine, it sometimes grieves me that
You should be shut up here in town to languish in a flat,
But still there are no briers here to scratch your legs to-day—
There are no weeds to pull, my dear, when you would rather play.

—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

When Virtue Triumphed.

There was a man who tried to do
The very best he could;
He held that being rich was not
As fair as being good;
Sly tempters tried to pull him down,
Their schemes were all in vain;
He would not turn from righteous ways
For power or for gain.

Full many a snare was laid for him
By men of evil minds;
He passed unsmirched through troubled scenes
Of many various kinds;
Where others would have faltered he
Still held to honor's course,
Unhindered by chicanery,
Unterrified by force.

He was a good man through and through,
A better never was;
He always scorned unlawful means,
No matter what the cause:
With honor as his watchword he
Pursued his righteous way,
And won out at the end, but, but ah!
This man was in a play.

—Chicago Daily News.

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Or whistle from the maple's swaying bough;
The robin builds her nest among the leaves,
And countless swallows twitter 'neath the eaves.

The plowboy walks behind his smoking team,
And guides aright the plow's unwieldy beam;
The coal-black furrows rising fall and break,
And lie like billows in his journey's wake.

The woods have flung their banners to the world—
Green flags of leaves to every wind unfurled;
And in the fields, by thicket and by fence,
The rabbits hide in grassy cover dense.

Pertly and saucily the old cock quail
Whistles "Bob White" from off the topmost rail;
And when the evening flutters out her cloak,
From roadside ponds the deep-voiced bullfrogs croak.

And jingingly along the country lane,
With broken chords of rustic, rude refrain,
As sinks the sun from his high, ruddy dome,
In Indian file the cows come trooping home

—Ernest McGaffey, in Woman's Home Companion.

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And other dogs heard the little dog bay,
And, smiling, each trotted upon his way,
Thinking: "What a fool is there?"

A man sat down and grumbled at fate,
But fate didn't seem to care;
And other men heard what he had to say,
And, scoffing, each passed and pursued his way,
Saying: "What a fool is there."

—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Daily News.

A Song of Truth.

Life is not long enough for idle dreaming,
For sighs sent out to unresponding hearts;
Soon have the shadows fallen, all too soon
The light of life departs.

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—Annie L. Perkins, in Washington Star.

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Enough to fill his cabin and to stock his bloomin' hold;
They're buyin' city houses and a-givin' 'em to him,
In such a way as I should think would make his thinker swim.

But I—I ain't got nothin' for to show him what I think,
But you can bet I'll not set by and get the rinky-dink!
An' what I kin do I will do, and sort of kinder teach
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So I have written Dewey just a single little line
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—Washington Star.

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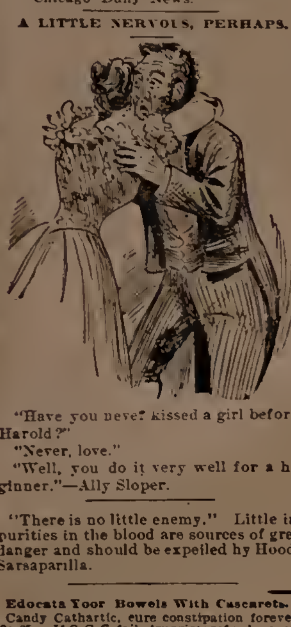
If all the girls would love you,
And smile as you pass by,
Would clouds ne'er form above you,
To hide the distant sky?
Ah, yes! If you were treated
To boundless love, my friend,
You'd think that you were cheated,
And search on till the end
For some cold-hearted creature
Who, after she was found,
Would ne'er relax a feature
While you were mooning round.
—Chicago Daily News.

A LITTLE NERVOUS, PERHAPS.



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"Just my luck," he said, disconsolately. "I can't even be sick with any appropriateness."

"What's the matter?"

He shook for a minute before replying.

"Chills in winter and fever in summer," he answered when he had time.—Chicago Post.

Saved by His Horse.

Colonel—Ah, my boy, that faithful old horse there was the means of saving my life.

Friend—Really, colonel?

Colonel—Yes; he kicked me in the weskit so that I couldn't fight, and the other chaps got shot while I was in the hospital.—Tit-Bits.

A Wrong Title.

Aspiring Author—What do you think of my latest novel?

Publisher—The title is not in consistency with the plot. You call it "Sealed Lips," and then you make the heroine a woman of the present day.—Judge.

His Time Was Limited.

Winks—What did your wife say to you when you got home at four o'clock this morning?

Blinks (wearily)—Say, old man, I've got some work to do to-day.—Boston Courier.

Blasting Fond Hopes.

Mrs. Newlywed — We are going to name our new baby after you, Uncle Josh!

Rich Uncle—That's a good idee; he'll have to start out in life without a cent, jes' the same as I did!—Puck.

A few cords of dry walnut wood; also oak, chestnut and pine dry under sheds, at Allen's wood yard.

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RAISE GOOD HOGS.

Well-Bred Rangy Animals Are the Most Ready Sellers and Bring the Best Prices.

If a person who knows anything at all about hog feeding was given a chance between a hog that would gain 23 pounds in six weeks and one that would gain 90 pounds in the same time on the same feed, he would not be long in choosing. During the past ten months the Kansas experiment station has fed 190 hogs that were bought of the farmers in the vicinity of Manhattan without regard to breed or breeding, just as they were, thrifty and weighing in the neighborhood of 100 or 125 pounds. This class of hogs is used because those experiments are for the highest benefit of the farmers, and by taking the stock they raise we stay within their conditions. A few conclusions may be drawn from the following facts taken from observations of feeding 80 head of hogs which were just finished. These hogs were nearer of the same age than size, and ranged from the long, big- boned bacon hog, to the short-boned chunk, according to the care or carelessness of the farmer who raised them. First, as to point of gain: The comparisons are between hogs fed the same in every respect. The best and poorest five out of twenty have the following showing: Best five, weight at beginning of test 596 pounds, gain 416 pounds, 70 per cent.; poorest five, weight at beginning of test 579 pounds, gain 235 pounds, 40 per cent. This was for a period of 42 days, and from observations made from week to week, this difference of gain from a little over one pound to practically two pounds a day was largely due to the breeding. A short, small-boned chunk will make good gains for a few weeks and then stop. It will be fat and ready for market, while a well-bred rangy hog will fatten and continue to grow and make good gains for a much longer period. Then as to the demand of the market: The three-rib shoulder is now one of the most profitable cuts that is made for export trade. Hogs from which these cuts are made must be large and muscular, long and rangy. The short, small-boned chunk will not answer the purpose. The bacon hog is also of the latter description and brings the best price on the markets. Well-bred rangy hogs make the most profitable gains, are the most ready sale and bring the best price on the market. — J. G. Haney, in Prairie Farmer.

Producing Early Peaches.

Mr. J. H. Hale, the great American peach grower, is reported to have said that he gets peaches two weeks earlier by the following method: In the middle of the growing season put a strong wire around a large arm of a tree and twist it fairly tight. This checks the flow of sap and causes fruit buds to form early and in great number. The fruit on the branches of this arm will ripen two weeks earlier than that on the untreated branches and will be much more highly colored. But this part of the tree will be so weakened by the treatment that it should be cut away after fruiting, that new shoots may come and take its place. Thus one large arm or limb of a tree may be forced each year.

Sunning the Dairy Pails.

The good old practice of sunning the dairy pails should not be forgotten, even though in many cases we have laid aside the shallow pans. The sun is a microbe killer of the first magnitude. He not only kills the microbes, but so thoroughly dries out the pails and other utensils of tin that the process of rusting is stopped. Wooden pails and utensils are also improved by being submitted to the solar rays. This of course should be done in the open air, where the atmosphere is not poisoned or impregnated by foul odors, and where the wind can have a full sweep.—Farmers' Review.

A Promising Infant.

"Science," said the first man, "is only in its infancy."

"Possibly," said the other party; "but it is a pretty bright baby."—Puck.

A Contrary Lot.

A woman seems a stubborn thing
And hard to manage till
You learn that when she will she won't
And when she won't she will.
—L. A. W. Bulletin.

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Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.
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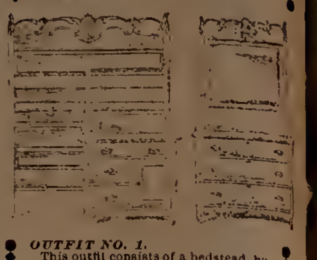

OUTFIT NO. 1.
This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.
$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

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This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs, rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.
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STATEMENT JAN. 31, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$554,898 88
Guarantee Fund		27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account		15,811 27
Interest Account		637 60
Real Estate Income Account		22 70
		$599,123 24

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$22,073 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		29,182 62
Railroad Bonds		121,363 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		30,300 00
" " Mortgages		170,785 00
" " Personal Securities		186,095 75
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		166 26
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$4,298 79	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	5,783 10	
Mercantile Trust Co.	2,634 53	
		12,716 42
Cash on hand		2,695 44
		$599,123 24

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

E. P. CHAPMAN,
WALTER M. FISHER,
Committee of Examination.

Feb. 3, 1900.

Mortgagee's Sale,

—OF—

REAL ESTATE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Daniel W. Moynihan to Abi L. Crofoot dated May 9, 1899, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 842, Page 101, will be sold at public auction upon the premises on THURSDAY, the 8th day of MARCH, A.D. 1900 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:

A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in the southerly part of Franklin, also in part in the town of Wrentham adjoining, containing fifty acres, more or less, bounded as follows: Beginning at the town bound between Franklin and Wrentham, on the road leading from the Austin Woodward farm to West Wrentham, thence across said road by land of Samuel and Eugene Thaine north 88 3-4 degrees, 18 rods, 6 links to a stump a little south of said town line; thence north 72 1-2 rods to a stake and stones and corner of a stone wall; thence east in line of stone wall and by woodland formerly owned by Ellen A. Foster 9 rods, and 5 links to a stake and stones; thence north 8 degrees, east 18 1-2 rods to a stake and stones; thence north 15 degrees, east 8 rods to the end of a stone wall; thence same course and in line of stone wall 20 1-2 rods to a stake and stones; thence south 68 degrees, east 20 rods to a stake and stones and town road aforesaid; thence crossing said road and running in a northerly direction on said road 25 rods and 20 links to corner of road leading from Otis G. Cheever's to the first mentioned road; thence in an easterly direction on said road 92 rods to land of said Cheever, thence in a southerly direction on stone wall and land of said Cheever 4 rods, 3 links; thence north 80 1-4 degrees, west 5 rods; thence south 31 degrees, west 19 rods, 7 links; thence south 8 3-4 degrees, east 3 rods, 20 links to a stake and stones and land of said Ellen A. Foster; thence in a westerly direction 15 rods to a stake and stones near a ditch; thence westerly 12 rods to the end of the wall; thence on a line of wall 38 and 8 1-2 rods to a stake and stones and corner of swamp and woodland of said Ellen A. Foster; thence in a southerly direction on line of wall 52 rods, 5 links to a corner of wall; thence north 82 degrees, west 23 rods to town road first mentioned; thence on said road in a westerly direction 25 4-5 rods; thence on said road in a northerly direction 25 rods to bound first mentioned; subject to a prior mortgage for nine hundred dollars and reservations therein mentioned.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments, if any there are.

Terms: One hundred dollars down, balance in fifteen days.

ABI L. CROFOOT, Mortgagee.

Feb. 13, 1900.

Attorney, A. W. Dana, 40 Water St., Boston.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Amos Ryder, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased, to William H. Brown, of North Providence, R. I., without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Brookline, in said County of Norfolk, on the twenty-eighth day of February, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this third day of February, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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The Franklin Sentinel.

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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

The Town Reports are out.

"Fritz in a Madhouse" to night.

Mothers, fathers, go to the High school tonight.

Mrs. J. W. Clark has returned from a visit to Providence.

Report of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Briggs' silver wedding on Tuesday.

Contractor G. H. Grant, who has been sick for two weeks is recovering.

Clark Bros. have occupied the new addition to their machine works.

E. B. Sherman's three-year-old child is critically sick with pneumonia.

The A. O. U. W. will hold a special meeting this evening. Let all be present.

The Farmers' club will meet at Irving Trentham's, Lincoln street, Monday evening.

The concert to have been given in the Opera House Saturday evening has been postponed.

Miss Minnie L. Eaton of Oakland, R. I., is to sing at the Universalist church Sunday morning.

Harry M. Bates, class 1902, Somerville English High school, visited friends in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Clarkson of Glendale is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Copeland of Peck street.

William Rockwood wishes us to say that, having been nominated, he proposes to stand as assessor.

Miss Lydia M. Dudley of Ballston Spa, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. William E. Mosher, of Lincoln street.

Dr. C. H. Randall has been entertaining his brother-in-law, J. F. Fuller, an officer at the Concord reformatory.

Edwin A. Mason has declined to run as overseer of poor, much to the regret of friends. S. Y. Reed takes his place.

Go early if you would secure a seat at the illustrated lecture to be delivered by Dr. T. J. B. House at the Morse Opera house.

Vocal selections will be rendered by Walter C. Sherman and Mrs. Chas. L. Stewart at the illustrated lecture at the Opera house Sunday evening.

The selectmen signed the franchise for the Medway road yesterday, and it is already in the hands of the company, who propose to commence work as soon as possible.

Hugh Lyons was fined $50 before Judge Doe Saturday, and in default of payment was sent to Dedham. The offense was illegal liquor keeping at Hotel Dewey, West Medway.

Despite the cold weather Monday evening a large party from here attended the apron and necktie party, which was held in Sanford's hall, Medway. They report a very enjoyable time.

The case of Henry A. Worthley for keeping a hotel without a license was placed on file; it is understood that this disposition of the matter was made by request of two of the board of selectmen.

Arrangements are being made for a series of Lenten orations in the Congregational church. The services are to be union in character and for the welfare of all the churches. Further communications later.

It was announced last Sunday that President Capen of Tufts college would preach at the Universalist church the coming Sunday. After the closing of the academy, however, Dr. Hodge preferred to postpone the contemplated exchange. Dr. Capen will preach here at a later date.

Miss Katherine Kearns and Peter Emsum of this town were married by Rev. M. J. Lee at the parochial residence Monday morning at 9 o'clock. Charles McCarthy of Franklin and Miss Mary E. O'Connor of Boston acted as best man and bridesmaid. The happy couple will spend a short honeymoon in New York.

The selectmen will meet Saturday evening to attend to any business required before the election Monday, when a new board of town fathers will take the helm of the municipal ship, but as two of the present board are candidates for re-election, it is not supposed the pilots for the coming year will be entirely new to the business.

Franklin Hall was crowded last Sunday evening to hear the illustrated lecture given by Rev. T. J. B. House. The large audience was held spell-bound during the recital, and at the most pathetic parts of the story the sobs of the spectators were audible in all parts of the hall. The views were clear, large and life like. They would have told a pitiful story if no words had been added.—Abington Argus. Dr. House will deliver his lecture at the Opera House, Sunday evening, March 4, at 7.30 o'clock. Special lecture for the children at 5 o'clock.

THE CLOSING SCENES.

A Remarkable Clerical, Floral, Musical and Personal Tribute Paid.

> "This was a man; God send us more. To poverty and humble station born, he knew no bar to progress. By toil he carved his way to manhood's strength. when Fortune saw his efforts, smiled and led him on. With counsel wise, discretion keen and action prompt, his place amongst the foremost men he took and held; none said him nay. Of kindly nature, generous withal, a smile, a word of cheer, and aid substantial oft he dealt to sufferers' needs. His face, his form, his deeds will ever live in hearts appreciative and full."—PIERSON.

To no one in Franklin has ever a more fitting tribute of respect, esteem and love been paid than that to Joseph G. Ray on Tuesday. The general cessation of business, both manufacturing and mercantile, the closing of the schools, the large number of mourning friends and acquaintances at the house and church, the magnificent floral remembrances, the touching music, and the tender yet glowing words of the reverend gentlemen, all combined to make it a testimonial rarely paid to one holding absolutely no official position, but to one whose hold upon the hearts of all was simply that of a friend and brother gone.

From 12 o'clock till 1 at the house an opportunity was given to the operatives in the different manufacturing establishments with which he had been connected to look upon his face once more, a large number availing themselves of it. A number of intimate friends gathered there later for a prayer by the Rev. Dr. Hodge, a musical selection by Mrs. H. R. Jenks, and reading the Scriptures by Rev. Mr. Selleck.

At 2 o'clock the ceremonies began at the church. So large was the number of those who desired admission that every seat was taken, and many were obliged to wait upon the outside. The body was borne into the church by the bearers, Messrs. F. P. Chapman, George R. Winsor, A. B. Palmer, Joseph P. Bassett, Charles F. Nye and Charles Stewart, the honorary bearers being Charles J. McKenzie, Lester L. Burrington, George W. Wiggin of Franklin, Albert W. Smith of Providence, Matthew Luce, William Manning, Richard Bolles of Boston, William Bloodgood of New York city.

Succeeding the dirge by Organist Martin the scriptures were read by Rev. Dr. Hodge, the Harvard quartette chanting the responses meanwhile. During the service they sang with exquisite tenderness, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," "Nearer, My God, to Thee," "Meet Me There," "Passing Out of the Shadow" and "Into the Silent Land," moving the hearts of all with the beautiful sentiments and the perfection of melody.

The remarks of Rev. Dr. Hodge and Rev. Mr. Selleck, which we append, came direct from the heart and appealed in an especially forceful manner to all the listeners, as they recalled the wonderful influence which Mr. Ray had exerted upon all with whom he came into contact, in a business way, socially or politically. Not a few who listened had been the recipients of his generous benefactions, and the remembrance of his kindly deeds, done unostentatiously and without regard to the praise of men or a personal reward, appealed not less forcibly than did the words of the speakers.

As to the arrangements within the church, these were in charge of Wm. A. Wyckoff, who had been connected with Mr. Ray for nearly forty years as confidential clerk, and to whom was accorded the especial privilege of performing this last loving service for the deceased. Although the Masonic fraternity did not have charge of the funeral, they were represented by George R. Winsor, the worshipful master, who rendered efficient assistance and counsel, and to whom no little credit is due.

The ushers were Messrs. Herbert W. Thayer, Nathan C. Nye, Fred H. Bartholomew, Fred L. Davis, Charles Frazer and George F. Grant. Notwithstanding the large number present, distinguished guests from out of town, friends and others, so perfect had been the attention to details that the occasion was marked by the entire absence of friction or anything which might mar the deep solemnity of the services.

Those present will never forget the magnificence and elaborateness of the floral display. Most of the pieces were costly and beautiful in the extreme. Professional florists from Boston arranged them in most attractive groupings as to harmony of colors and blending of tints, the entire platform being a profusion of conservatory products in emblematic funereal designs. So complete was the display that individual mention would be impossible, and simply destroy the floral picture by which the eye was enchanted and the mind impressed. Two of these pieces, elaborate and beautiful creations of floral skill, touched the hearts of the family in a peculiar manner, as they were contributed by the former employes of Mr. Ray, evidencing their feeling toward the deceased and their tender sympathy toward his loved ones.

At the close of the services the body was borne to the grave, where the exercises were simple and brief, the burial service being read by his pastor, Rev. Dr. Hodge, and prayer being offered by Rev. Mr. Selleck. The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Dr. Sneath of the Congregational church. The remains were interred in the family lot on Central street.

We cannot refrain from referring to an incident which spoke comfort to aching and sorrowing hearts, just before the body was removed from the church. None but the family remained. Suddenly a beam of sunshine came through the window, softened and mellowed by the colored glass, and falling full upon the casket glorified the face of the sleeper with a touch of almost divine radiance and life-likeness. Thus was their last fond farewell hallowed by the memory of that sweet rest into which no cares or perplexities of earth could ever come.

REV. DR. HODGE'S ADDRESS.

We endeavor to give the substance of Dr. Hodge's remarks. We cannot wholly reproduce that which was spoken, not only so extemporaneously, but with so much of earnest and tender feeling. Dr. Hodge said in substance:

"It is peculiarly difficult for one who has known Mr. Ray as a pastor of this church must have known him to choose the words most fitting on an occasion such as this. There is so much to say; such crowds of thronging memories come pressing in on mind and heart; he touched so many interests, many of them high and sacred, some of them tender and precious, all of them good; one can recall so many deeds of courtesy and kindness, so many things which tell us what he was to these torn and sorrowing hearts, to this community and the world, that one knows not how to choose the things most appropriate to be said now. There is much, however, of which I must not speak. Those who have known him best will understand that of the help he has given, the encouragement bestowed, the sympathy shown in times of misfortune and trouble to so many of those about him he would have no word here spoken. It would seem a betrayal of his confidence to say all one's heart would dictate on such an occasion, even, as this. There are some things, however, which cannot be forbidden since they are the natural characteristics of this man's life. They are the testimony of the years of his pilgrimage. So, while were we to say all that respect and friendship might prompt we should see the sun go down upon our unfinished testimony, it may be permitted me to speak, all too poorly, of that which beyond all question he has been.

"Mr. Ray was a successful man. Make your definition of success just as high and just as broad as you please, he yet fulfilled it. Make it include not only the accumulation, through honorable and manly struggle, of this world's goods, but also the building up in full measure of no elevated character, the living of a broad and useful life; make it involve a just and true concern for the things of the spirit, and yet one can well say he lived a successful life. The man was more than all his possessions. Great as has been his success as a business man, intense as the battle with the world has been, he was not absorbed by it. One does not know how he found time, with the many business cares that pressed upon him, to do so many things, care for so many things, to live so much upon the spiritual side, the domestic side, the social side. But we all know that he did do this. For many years a member of this church, always present if possible at its services on Sunday, its interests lay very close to his heart. He found time to think about and serve the church; to interest himself in the cause of education, to take a loyal citizen's interest in politics, in whatever moral reform our modern life demands. And this large success in life was his own achievement. He succeeded in life in large ways and with large results, not because of any fortunate accident, not because he began life with any advantage, but by his own native energy and force of character.

"He began his fight with the world at eight years of age, a time when most of us are thinking nothing about it and do not have to think about it; and from that time on, by his own sagacity, prudence, wisdom, force of will, he has been making his large success. He was a strong, firm, positive man. We knew where he stood, in religion, in politics, in his relation to reform in society and state. I have said this devotion to a strong man's work did not absorb him, as it does so many smaller souls. With all this interest in a man's work he was social, generous, courteous, kind. He took an interest in men. Hating what was low and unworthy, he loved his friends; he greeted all, rich or poor, high or humble, with the same grace and courtesy and kindliness. He was in truth a gentleman. I know that as I say this each one in this great audience will call to mind that kindly and pleasant smile, that unfailing remembrance, that cordial grasp of the hand which we, alas! shall now experience no more in this world from him.

"O, there is so much of which I must not speak! There are so many tender and sacred things, so many things that must rest still in the sweet silences of friendship; yet how can one pass over in wholly unspoken remembrance what he was in his own domestic life. God help one who would respect all the privacies of the home life to say without indelicacy the brief, inadequate word it seems permitted one to say about the home life of this dear friend. His home was to him the very centre of the earth. Never was the warfare of life so hot and so intense that his greatest interest was not always there. His own were so much to him, notwithstanding his interest in so many! He was, as he deserved to be, greatly beloved. And that is what makes it so hard to let him go from amongst us. That is what makes these mourning hearts realize so deep and so lasting a sorrow. His home was indeed a home. The atmosphere of it was good, and high, and hospitable, and sympathetic.

"He loved life. He knew how to enjoy this world and did enjoy it. His was a knightly nature. There was so much to lose in his departure, how can we be comforted? But it is comfort to feel that he has been all this. It is comfort to have this large, strong, gentle, tolerant, useful life to think of and to remember. He is not all lost to you, dear friends. Such a life as this cannot perish even from the earth. Its beneficence will spring up like flowers of spring in fulness of blessing. His man's work will speak for him for many days. Even in the midst of deepest sorrow, even when our sense of loss seems deepest and most abiding, even amidst many tears we know we must be thankful to have known him. It makes the sorrow deeper to remember all he was, but it gives it an undertone of blessedness. And then we are able to look to the strength of a comforting faith, beyond.

"The book, indeed, is closed, but the last chapter here is not the conclusion. The sequel is beyond. Let his life be not only an encouragement, an example in its interest in the highest and best things of life, and in its generosity and courtesy and goodness, but also a bond of silent influence drawing our hearts up to the immortal life. There shall we be with him. There, not here, shall we know all that this good life means, all the potential glory of it. In the inevitable mingling of love and sorrow, hope will be ennobled and transfigured into the sweetness of serenity and trust. Not here shall we see him more—here there is no abiding city—but there we shall know this precious, dear and kindly soul again."

REV. MR. SELLECK'S ADDRESS.

It is a sad privilege to participate in these services. My relations with our friend have been at times somewhat intimate, and I am grateful for being permitted to stand here today and lay the flowers of my esteem and love upon his bier. No man could be taken out of this town whose going would affect so many interests, and whose departure would be felt by so many people as a personal loss. He has led a wonderfully useful life; and if a man's strength may be measured somewhat by the lives he draws around him and by the responsibilities he sustains, then was Mr. Ray a very strong man; and I am thinking today of his enriching life,—of the ways in which he has helped multitudes of his fellowmen by reason of the great business enterprises which he has so successfully carried on. To a large extent the social and industrial welfare of this community has rested upon him; the government has been upon his shoulders; and God has used him, with all his talents to benefit the world. We had hoped that he might have several years in which to enjoy the fruits of his labor, and to do some of the many things it was doubtless in his heart to do. But God has kept him at his task and his unfinished labors are left for others to complete.

But it is not chiefly of these things that I want to speak. The sense of loss, which we all feel, and which Dr. Hodge has so well expressed, weighs us down. I want to lift a little, if possible, the overhanging shadow—to let the cloud grow thin which spreads above us, so that we may feel that the eternal sunshine is upon it. I want to speak as a Christian, in order that we may not sorrow as those who have no hope. For we are the children of God, who loves us with an everlasting love; and this world is not our only home, our only abiding-place, in our Father's great house. This faith grows stronger and clearer with me every year; and so I think of death as merely going through an open door, through "the gates ajar," into another of those rooms or mansions; or it is merely passing through the valley of the shadow, up onto the sunlit heights of the morning land." I will not try to follow out this thought, for I do not wish to speculate about it; but I do believe that our dear friend has been lifted out of the limitations of the physical life and set free into the beauty, glory and joy of that blessed world which is our eternal home.

"I am going to prepare a place for you," he said to his life-companion just a day or two before the end. Let us believe this; let us think of the circles of acquaintance and love that await those who go from us; and, oh, how many friends have been gathered out of this community into that bright realm within the last few years! They are not dead, but living and loving, growing and rejoicing amid the fair scenes of that better country. Let us think of them thus; let us lift up our eyes to see them there walking in the light; and today, as we lay gently away in the bosom of mother earth this worn out body, let us hear the voice of the Spirit saying unto us, as the angel spake on that first Easter morning, "He is not here, but is risen."

Among some of the prominent gentlemen present from out of town were the following: From New York: Schuyler Ingham, Matthew Hinman, Frank H. Southwick, A. B. Fletcher, Robert E. Weise, William L. Nichols, Edward M. Andrews, Hermann S. Rawitzer, David Kaplan, Morris Herrman; from Boston: Eben Draper, A. S. Bigelow, Edward S. Grew, Edward P. Ricker (also of Poland Springs, Me), Homer V. Snow, Jesse L. Nason, Alvah McKean, E. Frank Lewis, Frank Hallowell, Matthew Luce, Jr., Blakeley Smith, Frank Pegram, Mr. Woodbury, John T. Lodge, I. Klous, A. W. Gleason, Frederick J. Brand; from Providence: Charles E. Fletcher, Leander Peck, Frank W. Tillinghast, ex-Mayor Olney; from Uxbridge: Silas M. Wheelock, Edgar Murdock, Richard H. Dewing, Herbert Foster, William P. Vaughn; David Thornton of New York; from Woonsocket: John W. Ellis, ex Mayor George E. Batchelder, Charles E. Darling, Leroy L. Chilson, Wm. A. Robinson; from Milford: L. H. Cook, Clifford Cook, Eben Bancroft, Clinton Scott, I. N. Davis; the trustees of Dean academy: Rev. E. H. Capen, president Tufts college; Rev. Henry I. Cushman, Providence, R. I.; Benj. B. Whittemore, Boston; David Cummings, Boston; Rev. C. J. White, Woonsocket; Bernard J. Merriam, South Framingham; also H. S. Ballou, president Universalist club, Boston.

Resolutions of Franklin Post, No. 60, G. A. R.

First—Resolved, That the death of the Hon. Joseph G. Ray of Franklin is a sorrowful reminder that we have lost not only a zealous and patriotic citizen, but a sincere and liberal friend of our Order, manifested by his kindly regard for our welfare and his liberal and frequently repeated pecuniary aid and other generous and valuable gifts.

Second—Resolved, That in further expression of our regard the Post flag is ordered to be placed at half-mast during his funeral services.

Third—Resolved, That our sincere sympathies be tendered to his bereaved family.

Fourth—Resolved, That these resolutions be entered on the Post records and that an official copy be sent to his family and also published in the FRANKLIN SENTINEL.

At a regular meeting of Franklin Post, No. 60, G. A. R., on the evening of Feb. 26, 1900, the above resolutions were unanimously adopted.

WM. H. JACKSON, Com. pro tem.
Official: A. C. DANA, Adj't.

A Wise Precaution.

A case of scarlet fever appearing at Dean it seemed wise to close the school for the spring vacation at once, instead of two weeks later. Accordingly, the students left for their homes on Wednesday morning. There is but one case and that not a severe one. The patient, Miss Myrtis Lougee, is improving.

Of Vital Importance.

The lecture in High school hall this Friday evening by Miss Lelia A. Flagg on "child culture" promises to be both interesting and valuable. The lady has spent a great deal of time upon the subject, and is thoroughly posted. She handles facts and theories in a most capable manner and makes it especially helpful to all. She should have a large hearing. The admission is fifteen cents.

Washburn's Minstrels.

Those who attend the performance of "The Great Southern Minstrels" at the Morse Opera House on Tuesday, March 6th will find it an effervescent fountain of joy and incessant laughter. The comedians are all up-to-date, and they make you laugh in spite of yourself. The entertainment is full of superb vocal and instrumental numbers, the comedians are bright, witty and funny, the dances are revelations of what can be done in artistic ensemble. The sketches are refined and new. The songs of the quartette and the soloist are rendered in such an effective and brilliant manner that they always succeed in gaining the enthusiastic applause of the auditor. The specialties are of the best, and most marvellous, that an unstinted outlay of money could procure. The costumes are rich and gorgeous in the extreme, and the special scenery magnificent. In fact, it is a clean bill of fare and a splendid antidote for a fit of the blues.

Emerson's Market.

On a turkey, chicken or fowl we can just suit you. Our list of "green stuff" is as complete as is to be found in Boston, radishes, lettuce, celery, dandelions, spinach, etc. Of course, we have meats of all kinds, and we'd like to show you our brand of canned goods, the famous "Brunswick." Emerson, the Franklin marketer.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

MR. EDITOR:—I was very much surprised at the action of the Town committee in leaving off certain names from the Republican ballot. My remembrance was that the caucus a year ago voted that the committee place upon the ballot such names as were asked for by ten Republican voters, and I also notice that the call published in the SENTINEL requested that any petition must have ten names signed. Could not the committee "consider" a name unless ten men requested it? Was not the word ten used because the caucus had voted it? As the committee is a creature of the voters I cannot see how a request differs from an order. The committee may have acted in its best judgment, but hardly in accordance with its instructions.

ONE OF THE SIGNERS.
Franklin, Mass., Feb. 24.

Citizens' Caucus.

The Citizens' caucus was held Friday evening in the town hall with the following result: Selectmen, Alfred Clark, Jr., Jeremiah McCarthy, Amos P. Woodward; overseers of poor, F. M. Richardson, Bernard W. McCabe, C. Milton Allen; assessors, Eugene F. Ware, L. J. Kelley, George W. Bacon; constables, William Redpath, J. B. Fitzpatrick, Silas W. Nickerson; clerk, O. T. Doe; auditor, P. A. Woodward; treasurer, Nelson E. Newell; tax collector, E. H. Sherman; school committee, James W. Desmond; board of health, Marston Sanborn; town committee, C. R. Russell, chairman; J. N. Blanchard, secretary; Everett S. Messenger, Bernard W. McCabe, John B. Collins, Edward S. Richardson, C. E. Moody, M. J. Feeley, Herbert F. Monroe.

License Will Increase Business.

Startling as it may seem license will increase business. It will increase the business of the rum seller; it will increase the business of the overseers of the poor; it will increase the business of the hard-working woman who has as she can do as it is to make both ends meet, with the small wages, large families and many bills to pay; it will increase the business of the rum drinker; he will find much business about the streets at night, in the saloons and elsewhere that he would not have under no-license; he will have more business at brawling, rioting, money-spending and bill-evading than ever before. It will improve every business that is disreputable, dishonest and illegal, but no thinking man for a moment can believe that it will make honest, legitimate business about town any better. It does not elsewhere and it cannot here.

Needham Chronicle.

"The stereopticon lecture of Rev. T. J. B. House on "An Every Day Tragedy in City Life," at the Town hall Sunday evening, was well attended and proved to be one of the most effective presentations of the evils of intemperance that we have ever heard. It made a deep, and we trust a lasting, impression on the minds of the audience."

Everyone should listen to Dr. House at the Opera house Sunday evening. Go early to secure seats.

Special Evangelistic Service.

At the Methodist church this evening, at 7.30, there will be a special revival service. These services from week to week are proving of great interest and benefit. This week the pastor will preach a short sermon on the subject, "The Mission of Christ, and Our Attitude Toward it." A general and cordial invitation is extended.

Not Withdrawn.

In view of the statements that have gained credence that I have withdrawn as candidate for selectman I desire to state that as the town committee has seen fit to place my name upon the ticket, and it having received the support of the caucus, I see no reason for withdrawing, and if elected shall do all in my power to serve the town faithfully, without fear or favor, and enforce the law. Thanking you for past support, I remain,

Very sincerely,
J. CUSHING GALLISON.
Franklin, Mass., March 2.

A Personal Statement.

In justice to myself I desire to deny the rumors about town that I am in favor of license. I have always voted for no license and propose to continue so doing, and my vote and influence may be counted on for an honest enforcement of the law.

AMOS P. WOODWARD.
Franklin, March 2.

Richardson's Market.

Recently we advertised a sale of roast beef and cleaned up every pound. The public got good worth for their money. This week our line of chickens, fowls, turkeys, meats, vegetables, etc., has been selected with unusual care, the price being as low as the lowest and the quality as high as the highest. We can't be beaten on canned goods. Try our butter.

Having relinquished my Boston business, I can hereafter be found at my office daily from 8 to 6 o'clock.

DR. M. E. POND.

[FOR OTHER LOCAL NEWS SEE 2d PAGE.]

FRANKLIN NEWS.

Next Sabbath will be temperance Sunday and all the pastors are to preach on this theme. No license has the unqualified support of all of the churches in Franklin. Is not this a very strong argument in its favor. What all of the churches conscientiously desire must be quite right. It is a splendid good company to be in. Do you doubt it? Or will you vote with the bummers.

Arrangements have been made for Rev. T. J. B. House to deliver his illustrated lecture "An Every Day Tragedy in City Life," for the special benefit of the children, at 5 o'clock, Sunday afternoon, at the Opera house. A thousand tickets have been distributed in the schools so every child should have one. Any who may have been skipped can be supplied by calling at the Opera house at 4 30 o'clock.

The sumptuous private palace car, Robert E. Lee, in which travels the celebrated organization known as "The Great Southern Minstrels," which appears here next Tuesday evening, is said to be the finest railway carriage ever constructed for any kind of an amusement enterprise. Its beauty of design and elegant furnishings are only on a par with everything else pertaining to this modern leader of burnt cork opera.

Those who were present at the Y. P. C. U. meeting at the Universalist church last Sunday evening enjoyed a rare treat in the address of Charles Stewart on "Professional Ideals." Mr. Stewart pointed out the ideals, higher than those of wealth or power, which, fulfilled, alone constitute the successful man. He illustrated his definition of success in many practical and forceful ways. Those who heard him will be glad to hear him on any future occasion when he may be induced to speak.

The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Murphy, who died on Monday, took place yesterday morning from St. Mary's church. Rev. Father Lee celebrated a requiem high mass at 10 o'clock, and the services were attended by a goodly number of friends of the deceased, who was one of the earliest members of St. Mary's parish. The interment was in the family plot in St. Mary's cemetery. The bearers were Henry W. Granger of Franklin and Patrick Markey, James S. Dunn and Michael Reilly of Pawtucket, R. I.

William Splain of Cambridgeport was arrested in Bellingham last Monday by Officer Bishop and Motorman Henry Simler of the M., A. & W. Street railway for raising a disturbance on the Franklin car. He was arraigned in court Tuesday morning and fined $5 and costs for disturbing the peace and $5 and costs for fighting. Conductor Daniel Colton, Motorman Simler and Officer Bishop testified that he was using profane language in the car, and when told to stop by the conductor began fighting. He attacked the conductor and it took three men to arrest him.

The Good Citizenship meeting at the Universalist church on Sunday evening was well attended and very helpful. Music was furnished by Messrs. Sherman and Hartshorne and Misses Crocker and Whiting. Dr. Hodge spoke upon the effect of no-license in town, and especially upon Dean academy and the necessity for a clean home. Mr. Sleeper spoke of the curfew law, the dangers of the street at night; Mr. Cook upon the youth taking the place of the drunkards and the influence of woman, and Mr. Sneath spoke upon the necessity for a good law and its enforcement. Every one felt encouraged and strengthened by the earnest words.

Important to Orient Bicycle Owners.

All owners of Orient bicycles, purchased of the undersigned during the past three years, may have their wheels cleaned and put in perfect order by a practical workman free of expense by delivering the same to me between now and March 15. Broken or worn parts will be replaced at actual cost, the owners being notified before such expense is incurred.

CHARLES L. STEWART,
Orient Agent
Franklin, Mass., Feb. 20, 1900.

Repairs Completed.

I am now ready for business again and [illegible] give more prompt attention [illegible] orders than I have been able to in the last [illegible] weeks. I shall have wagons [illegible] delivery within a few days. Thanking [illegible] patrons for their patience,

Respectfully yours,
R. J. CALKINS, Depot street.

Advertising is business news. It tells of things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Dr. E. M. Faxon, Boston, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, will meet patients at Hotel Briggs Thursdays from 9 to 12:30 o'clock.

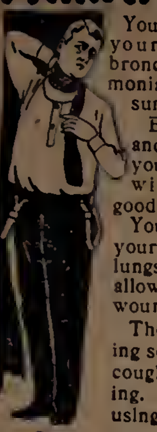
For a clean shave and a good hair cut go to Ochee's barber shop.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

"Every Man is the Architect of His Fortune."

"An architect designs, and his plans are executed by a builder. The greatest builder of health is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It lays a firm foundation. It makes the blood, the basis of life, pure and strong. Be an architect of your fortune and secure Hood's as your health builder.

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Never Disappoints



THROAT REST

You can cough yourself into bronchitis, pneumonia, and consumption.

Bandaging and bundling your throat will do no good.

You must give your throat and lungs rest and allow the cough wounds to heal.

There is nothing so bad for a cough as coughing. Stop it by using

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

Even the cough of early consumption is cured. And, later on, when the disease is firmly fixed, you can bring rest and comfort in every case.

A 25 cent bottle will cure new coughs and colds; the 50 cent size is better for settled coughs of bronchitis and weak lungs; the one dollar size is more economical for chronic cases and consumption. It's the size you should keep on hand.

"All families ought to be on the watch for sudden attacks of croup or acute lung troubles. Every country home in the land should keep Cherry Pectoral constantly on hand to provide against an emergency."
JOSIAH G. WILLIS, M.D.,
Dec. 14, 1898. Holland, Mich.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Sale—A good oak roller-top desk. Call and examine at Sanborn's dry goods store. 2tf

A capable girl for housework will be paid the best of wages. Call for F. at the SENTINEL office.

A few cords of dry walnut wood; also oak, chestnut and pine dry under sheds, at Allen's wood yard.

To Let —Cottage house No. 13 Summer street; nine rooms, steam heat; barn if desired. Apply at 29 Cottage st. 15 tf

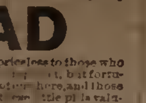
Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

All railroad tickets bought, sold and let on a margin. Save money on your Boston trip by getting tickets of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office. Milford and Providence tickets at a saving of 12c on the round trip. Mileage books to let.

Wisdom Lingers.

"A man is never too old to learn," said Willis.

"That's all very true," replied Wallace, "but he never finds it out until it's too late to do him any good."—Town Topics.



CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.
TRADE MARK.

CURE

Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

SICK

Headache, yet Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

HEAD

Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

ACHE

Is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.

Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold by druggists everywhere, or sent by mail.

CARTER MEDICINE CO., New York.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.
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Seeing's Believing.

The Customer—Why, dear me! This isn't cider'

The Clerk—Well, it's marked down —N. Y. Journal.

Without a Base of Supply.

Hewitt—Have you heard the latest news?

Jewett—No, my wife is away.—Town Topics.

Has Him Well Trained.

Hewitt—Does your wife always have the last word?

Jewett—Yes, and the next to the last, too.—Town Topics.

WARRANT

For the Annual Town Meeting,

March 5, A. D. 1900, at 7 o'clock A. M.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Franklin,

GREETING:

You are hereby required, in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to notify and warn the qualified voters of the Town of Franklin to assemble in their town hall on Monday, the fifth day of March, A. D. 1900, at seven o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

ARTICLE 1. To choose by ballot a Moderator to preside over said meeting.

ARTICLE 2. To choose by ballot the following town officers for the year ensuing, viz.: Three Selectmen, a Town Treasurer, a Town Clerk, an Auditor, three Assessors of Taxes, three Overseers of the Poor, a Collector of Taxes, a member of the Board of Health for three years, one School Committee for three years, and three Constables, all to be voted for upon one ballot; also upon the same ballot to vote upon the question: "Shall license be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquor in this town?"

ARTICLE 3. To choose a Tree Warden for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 4. To choose all other necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

ARTICLE 5. To see if the town will hereafter choose its Tree Warden by the use of the official ballot.

ARTICLE 6. To see in what way and manner the town will collect its taxes the current year.

ARTICLE 7. To hear a report of the town officers and act thereon.

ARTICLE 8. To see what action the town will take in relation to a pound.

ARTICLE 9. To vote a suitable number of names of persons into the jury box for the year ensuing.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer, under the direction of the Selectmen, to borrow such sums of money in anticipation of taxes for the current year as may be necessary to meet the current expenses.

ARTICLE 11. To see if the town will instruct the Selectmen to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors in town for the current year.

ARTICLE 12. To see what sums of money the town will appropriate and raise for the repairs of roads, bridges and sidewalks; for the support of schools, including the salary of a Superintendent and the transportation of scholars; for repairing school-houses, for school books, supplies and miscellaneous school expenses; for the support of the poor; for the support of the Fire Department; for water supply; for street lights, for the payment of the town debt and interest; for the payment of town officers; for the abatement and collection of taxes; for printing and stationery; for the suppression of illegal liquor traffic; for payment of police; for State and military aid; for support of the library of the Franklin Library Association; for the decoration of soldiers' graves; for soldiers' aid; and for miscellaneous town expenses.

ARTICLE 13. To see if the town will appropriate any and what sums of money to construct concrete sidewalks in town, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 14. To hear a report from the Selectmen on guideboards, and act thereon.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the town will authorize the School Committee to employ a Secretary at a salary not to exceed $50.

ARTICLE 16. To see what rate of interest the town will fix to be charged on taxes after December 1st next.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the town will vote to require the School Committee to employ a Superintendent of Schools, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 18. To hear the report of any committees chosen at previous town meetings, and act thereon.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the town will vote to sell the engine on Pleasant Street, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $250 for repairing the furnace in the William M. Thayer Schoolhouse, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 21. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate $100 for lettering the Horace Mann and William M. Thayer Schoolhouses, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 22. To see if the town will vote to sell the South Franklin and Northwest Schoolhouses, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the town will accept the report of the committee appointed last year to draft a by-law relating to the so-called "curfew regulation," and adopt such by-law, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 24. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate fifty (50) dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Tree Warden in the care and planting of shade trees in the public grounds, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the town will vote to establish and maintain an incandescent or arc light at the corner of Oak and Church streets, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the town will raise and appropriate $100 for the purchase of a working set of weights and measures, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 27. To see if the town will vote to establish and maintain an electric arc light at or near the cemetery gate on Union street, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 28. To see if the town will vote to exchange lands with George C. Dauphinee in the rear of the schoolhouse at the Four Corners, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 29. To see if the town will vote to consider a proposition to allow the extension of the water supply of the Franklin Water Company to the village of Unionville, or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 30. To see if the town will appropriate any and what sums of money to improve the Common, or act or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 31. To see if the town will appropriate any and what sums of money to repair the guideboards and erect new ones, or act or do anything relating thereto.

ARTICLE 32. To see if the town will vote to appropriate any and what sums of money to grade and otherwise improve that part of the Franklin Cemetery owned by the town at or near the corner of Central and Union streets.

ARTICLE 33. To see if the town will ratify the sale of the Williams gravel pit as made by the Selectmen.

The polls may be opened at 7 o'clock A. M., and may be closed at 11 o'clock A. M.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk on or before hour of said meeting.

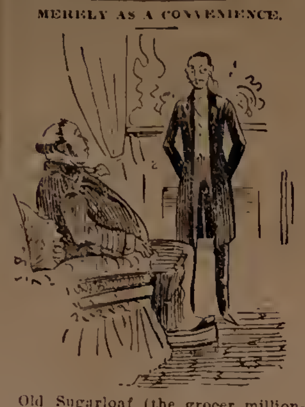
Given under our hands this twenty-second day of February, A. D. 1900.

J. CUSHING GALLISON,
HORACE W. HOSIE,
ALFRED CLARK, JR.,
Selectmen of the Town of Franklin.

The Clubman at the Keyhole.

The night has a thousand eyes, still I don't care—
It isn't the night I fear:
But wouldn't there be some hair in the air
If my wife were to meet me here!
—Chicago Record.

MERELY AS A CONVENIENCE.



Old Sugarloaf (the grocer millionaire, to Lord Neverpenny, to whom he has just engaged his eldest daughter)—But why do you want my consent to the marriage in writing?

Lord Neverpenny—Oh, I just wanted to show it to my tailor.—Ally Sloper.

"The Noblest Mind

The best contentment has." Yet, however noble in mind, no man or woman can have perfect contentment without physical health. The blood must be kept pure and the stomach and digestive organs in good order. The best means for this purpose is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It promptly cures all blood humors and eruptions and tones up the system.

The favorite cathartic is Hood's Pills. 25 cents

Height of the Florida Social Season.

With increased hotel accommodations at the winter resorts of the South, and the improved service of the Southern railroad, travel to that section was never greater. This popular line operates three daily palatial trains to the Florida resorts, with direct steamship connections for Havana, Key West and Nassau, via either Tampa or Miami.

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Not Much Difference in the Yields from the Six Kinds Standing at the Head.

The comparison of new and standard varieties of wheat by the Pennsylvania State College Agricultural Experiment station has been continued through the present season. The six varieties giving the highest yields were:

	Bushels.
Royal Red Clawson	26.8
Forty-Fold or Gold Coin	26.81
Dawson's Golden Chaff	26.4
Century	25.71
Rochester Red	25.4
Reliable	25.14

Twenty-two varieties were tested, the average yield being 22.02 bushels. There was an average difference of 3.12 bushels between the smooth and bearded varieties, in favor of the smooth. About one-fourth of the grain was winter killed, which accounts for the small average yield, it being only about two-thirds of our usual crop. The average yield of straw was 2,450 pounds and the average weight per bushel 62.04 pounds. Turkish Red was the poorest variety, yielding 15.37 bushels of grain and 1,590 pounds of straw. The yields of ten varieties that have been tested for nine and ten years show no tendency to run out except a slight decrease in the yield of straw.

A bulletin giving a complete record of all the varieties for a series of years is in preparation and will be distributed free of charge.—Enos H. Hess, in National Stockman.

From Potatoes to Rye.

The land that was devoted to potatoes this year should be seeded to rye, limed in the spring and corn grown on the same land next year. Such a plan gives the land two weedings and cleans it thoroughly. It is also an advantage not to grow potatoes on the same land oftener than one year in four as a precaution against disease. Rye should cover all land that is plowed in the fall, as it prevents loss of fertility, and when turned under in spring it will add fertilizing material to the soil, the lime being used to neutralize any acidity that may exist.

Planning for a Good Time.

Mr. Biggins—So you want ten dollars with which to go shopping? What do you intend to buy?

Mrs. Biggins—I don't know, dear. If I did there would be no use of my going shopping. I could have you stop in somewhere and get it. — Chicago Daily News.

Was Only Trying.

Penman—Did you say that agent who called on you to-day was selling some of my books.

Denman—No. I didn't say that. I said he was trying to sell them.—Boston Traveler.

A Frivolous Metaphor.

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If we go on and win
The numerous islands now in sight
'Twill be a cluster pin.
—Washington Star.

No Right to Ugliness.

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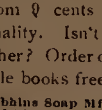

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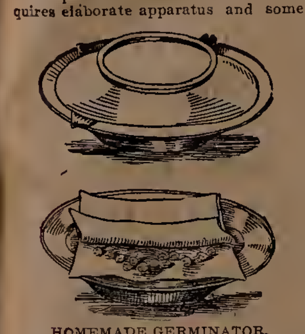
Department of Agriculture Tells Farmers How to Make a Germinator at Home.

Most seed dealers now make germination tests before putting their seeds on the market, and extensive work of this class is done by the department of agriculture. Consumers will also find it much to their advantage to test the viability of seeds, but as a rule they have the impression that seed-testing requires elaborate apparatus and some complicated scientific process to conduct it successfully. That this opinion is inaccurate is shown by the homemade germinator seen in cut, reproduced from Circular No. 18, issued by the division of botany, United States department of agriculture. A piece of moist flannel is placed on a plate, the seeds put on the flannel, a second piece of moist flannel being laid over them, and a second plate is then inverted over the whole. A certain number of seeds should be carefully counted out, and the germinating ones removed and counted as fast as they appear. In testing crimson clover, if the seed is good, 80 to 90 per cent. should sprout within three days. The government seed expert, A. J. Pieters, especially advises tests before sowing crimson clover. Most failures with it are due to old seed, but even fresh seed may be of poor quality. This seed should test 85 to 95 per cent. viable.



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LICE HERDED BY ANTS.

Parasites Pastured on the Roots of Peach Trees for the Honey Dew They Furnish.

Many Ohio peach orchards have been suffering from the attacks of the wood louse or aphis, as it is more correctly known, and complaints were sent in from all over the state to the agricultural experiment station at Wooster asking what should be done to get rid of the pest. The lice were found on the roots of the trees, where they had stripped off the bark in order to get at the sap more readily. The authorities tried a number of insecticides, but without success, for whenever the insecticide was strong enough to kill the lice it also killed the tree. And, after a long series of experiments, the conclusion has been reached that the only way of getting rid of the lice is to exterminate the ants which carry them about, for without the aid of the ants the aphis will be utterly unable to get to the roots of peach or any other trees.

The aphis occupies a queer place in the insect world, for the ants, Lasius Americanus, use them for milch cows, herding and caring for them very much as a man tends his cattle. In the fall the ants collect the eggs of the aphides, carry them to their homes and care for them through the winter. As soon as spring opens and the eggs hatch out, the ants start out to find suitable peach tree pastures. The younger and more tender the tree the better. The ants burrow down into the ground close to the bark of the tree and then run a series of galleries out along the roots. After the galleries have been completed the ants carry the young aphides to the pasture ground, and, gnawing away the bark on parts of the roots, place the aphides around the edge in order that they may suck the sap freely. Here the the lice are kept prisoners for the terms of their natural lives, the ants taking turns at herding them and keeping plenty of fresh roots exposed.

Of course, the ants do not go to all this trouble without reward. From the back part of the abdomen of the louse project two glands which produce sugar or honey dew, as it is called. This is greedily devoured by the ants, and the lice are carefully tended in order that they may produce as much of it as possible.

The depredations of the lice are not confined to the orchards. The corn fields also suffer. The ants burrow down to the roots of the corn stalks and place the lice there just as they do on peach trees, and the crops suffer in consequence.—N. Y. Sun.

Cucumbers for Pickles.

Pickled cucumbers are sold by count, and the small ones are generally preferred. Hence close picking and frequent picking, so as to prevent any from growing too large, is necessary to secure large crops. Sometimes, however, a stray cucumber will hide under the leaves until it has almost ripened its seeds. It is astonishing how this lessens the yield of the vine. Yet it is not to be wondered at, for the perfection of seed in almost all plants exhausts their vitality very rapidly. The cucumber vines should be handled carefully so as not to loosen the roots which some of them send into the soil from the joints. These are great helps to the vine. If the vine is turned up to see what is under it some of these rootlets will be destroyed.

Not Good at Guessing.

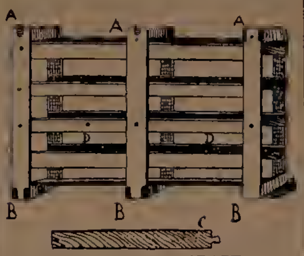
Mrs. Passee (sweetly)—Do you think you could guess my age?

Mr. Goodfello (honestly)—I'm not good at guessing ages. I couldn't come within 40 years of it.—N. Y. Weekly.

HANDY HAULING CRATE.

Convenient When a Single Hog, Sheep or Calf Has to Be Moved or Carted Away.

It is often convenient to have a crate in which to haul a single hog, sheep or calf. It is not necessary to have it so large or so heavy but what it can be easily lifted into the wagon, or even taken in the light wagon, where the animal to be hauled is not too large and heavy. The frame should be made of 2x4's, strengthened by rods and bolts.



MODEL STOCK CRATE.

Four-inch slats are nailed horizontal on the inside of the sides, and perpendicular on the end. Three slats, dropped from above and retained in position by the mortised end, will retain the animal when inside.

The crate is about 3 feet wide, 4½ feet high and 5 feet long. The three frames are mortised at top and bottom, and have a rod (A) at top, and at the bottom two 2x4's are bolted at B. The floor is spiked down to these. The slats are nailed on from the inside to prevent crowding off. To give strength, substitute a 2x4 in place of slat (D) which should be bolted to the frames. The slats for retaining the animal are made of 2x4's. They are made to slip down between the rod and outside 2x4 brace across the top of the rear frame, the bottom of the slat (C) mortised to fit a square hole cut on the floor and the top held in position by a pin fitting into holes bored through the top of slat and braces of frame (E). The cut shows the crate complete.—J. L. Irwin, in Ohio Farmer.

GRANULAR BUTTER.

How to Produce an Article That Will Keep Well for a Considerable Length of Time.

The following method is employed for making butter which it is desired to keep for a considerable time. When the butter has reached the granular condition in churning, that is, when the particles are about the size of barley grains, the buttermilk is drawn off and ice-cold water added. The butter is then washed with cold water and removed from the churn to a stone jar without packing or mashing the grains. The jar is then filled with brine. This brine will soon dissolve some of the casine in the butter and so acquire a cloudy aspect. A change of brine will leave the second solution clear on the butter. A plate should be used to cover the butter, allowing the brine to come up over it. The brine, of course, intermingles freely about each granule of butter throughout the mass, which will preserve for weeks in this way. It can be taken out any time and worked into rolls or prints. If too salty it may be washed out with clear water.—Guy E. Mitchell in Farm and Fireside.

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During the month of May the cow should be on the grass, but as calving time draws near she should be in the stable at night. In June, when the grass should be at its best, look out for milk fever. If you have a lot where the grass is short and not too plentiful, that is the best place for her. The main idea that I would impress is when the cow is fat and has been fed high for about three weeks before calving, the rich feed must be taken away or scours in the calf will follow. You may think it an epidemic or call it what you will, but I am satisfied this is the cause that kills many a calf and what will kill one will kill more. I think the idea here advanced applies to horses and hogs as well. As to the sheep, I know nothing about them.

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Pneumonia, Pleurisy or Bronchitis can be avoided at this season of the year by taking

Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine

For sudden chills and colds it is well to have a box on hand to prevent a more serious climax to the attack. Will cure a cold in the head in 24 hours. Do not affect the head, produce ringing or cause nervousness like the Sulphate Quinine. They move the bowels gently without griping.

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WRENTHAM.

Mrs. Edson W. George died at her residence on South street Tuesday morning after a short illness of two days. She was apparently in good health on Sunday morning when her husband left for church. On his return he found her suffering considerable pain and from that time until Tuesday morning she grew rapidly worse. An operation was performed on Tuesday, but she did not rally from the result of it. The immediate cause of death was the rupture of a blood vessel. The deceased was in her 33d year and had only been married about 11 months. Mrs George had been a resident of Sheldonville for 10 years before her marriage and was a woman beloved by all who came in contact with her and was highly esteemed in the neighborhood as an exemplary Christian woman. The funeral was held on Thursday, Rev. Wm. J. Minchin conducting the services.——Miss Matilda Cottrell, who has made her home with Herbert Bennett for four years, died at his residence Saturday of old age. The funeral was held on Tuesday, Rev M. J. Minchin officiating. The deceased was the oldest resident of the village, being in her 97th year. Miss Cottrell had no immediate relatives in town, a nephew who resided in Cumberland being her only surviving relative.——The Holly club met Tuesday afternoon with Miss Alice Carpenter. The subject under discussion was the poet Bryant. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Charles E. Brown and the subject is on "Local History."——The ladies of Trinity Guild held their postponed supper in the banquet room from Thursday to Friday night. It took the form of a Washington tea, the ladies wearing appropriate costumes of "ye olden tyme." The menu consisted of salmon and vegetable salad, cold ham, bread and butter, tea and coffee, vanilla and chocolate ice cream, Washington pie and Lafayette cake.

To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

May Be So.

Tommy—Paw, what does the paper mean by calling Mr. Bugghaus an eight-by-ten politician?

Mr. Figg—I presume it means he is not exactly square. — Indianapolis Journal.

Tonight

If your liver is out of order, causing Biliousness, Sick Headache, Heartburn, or Constipation, take a dose of

Hood's Pills

On retiring, and tomorrow your digestive organs will be regulated and you will be bright, active and ready for any kind of work. This has been the experience of others; it will be yours. HOOD'S PILLS are sold by all medicine dealers. 25 cts.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10 30 on "A Very Common Mistake in Life. No afternoon service. Y. P.C. U. at 6.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10 Rev. M. J. Lee, rector; Rev. M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 Rev. Frank B. Sleeper, pastor. Theme, "An Unhallowed Bargain." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45.

Congregational church—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. f. W. Sneath, at 10.30; subject, "A Gethsemane Lesson." Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. No evening service.

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor. Sermon will be one of a series on the general subject: "Lessons from Some Characteristic Incidents in the Life of Christ." Special subject: "Christ in His Present Relations to Us, as Saviour and Intercessor." Sacrament of Lord's Supper. Junior league at 3. Epworth league at 6.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from rectal fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest pile cure on earth and the best salve in the world. 25 cents a box. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co., druggists.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

No Escape.

Mrs. Chinner—Ernestine, my darling, do you expect Constant to-night?

Ernestine—Of course, mamma. Why do you inquire?

Mrs. Chinner—If he asks you to marry him, tell him to come and speak to me.

Ernestine—And if he doesn't ask me?

Mrs. Chinner—Tell him I am coming to speak to him.—Brooklyn Life.

His Identity Established.

Merchant—Have you collected that bill of J. Smith?

Collector—Have I collected it? I called at the house and found that seven J. Smiths lived there. Six declared they owed nothing, and the seventh kicked me out of the house.

Merchant—That's the one! Go right back and get the money!—Boston Globe.

SHORT SALE OF LONG RUGS

While they last now in progress at the bargain headquarters near the Post Office.

SMYRNA RUGS,

6 by 9 ft., 3 yds. long by 2 yds. wide, reduced in price from

$10.00 to $7.75, size 6x9
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A dozen patterns from which to select today, fewer tomorrow and fewer each day following until closed out.

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Lowest Prices Ever Known

Were reached this season in Garment making. You will be surprised next autumn at the prices you will have to pay. Every item of material is steadily advancing and labor comes in for a ten or twenty per cent. advance. That must be added to this season's price. When we offer Ladies', Misses' and Children's Garments at less than half this season's price it should mean something to careful purchasers.

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $7.50 to $9.00, now **$4.25.**

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $5.00 to $6.00, now **$3.25.**

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $4.00 to $5.00, now **$2.25.**

Misses' Jackets, were $2.25, now **98c.**

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Agent for New Idea Patterns, 10c.
Agent for New Home Sewing Machine.
BUTTONS MADE FROM YOUR OWN CLOTH.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending Feb. 28, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs Labad', Mrs. Jno. Morrill, Mrs. A. Morse, M. E. Salisbury (2), Mrs. Amy Weller.

Gentlemen — George R. Fessenden, Alex Graham, Snow & Farrington, Henry Thicbault.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

How Are Your Kidneys?

Dr Hobbs' Sparagus Pills cure all kidney ills. Sample free. Add Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

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ACTS GENTLY ON THE
KIDNEYS, LIVER
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CLEANSES THE SYSTEM
EFFECTUALLY,
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FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS. PRICE 50c. PER BOTTLE.

Help Wanted.

SIX SEWING MACHINE GIRLS

wanted by the Worcester Textile Co., Unionville, Mass. Can earn $7.50 per week.

OPEN TO CONVICTION.

The Husband—Haven't I told you again and again that I want you to trade at **Fales' Grocery Store?**

Wife—That's all right, but I saved a cent on a dollar's worth of sugar at another store.

Husband—That may be, but you said yourself that the sugar somehow didn't seem to sweeten the food like other sugar.

Wife—So I did; I forgot that. Tell Mr. Fales' man to stop here on his rounds tomorrow. His Groceries are good enough for me, after all.

Try FALES, the Grocer.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Nancy J. Roper, late of Medway, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by James A. Snow of Medway, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of March, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this 26th day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

mh2,9,16 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

AGENTS WANTED.

Liberal contracts to intelligent men of good character and address. Can earn in commissions from $3000 upwards per year by applying to Wm. F. Bache, Gen'l Agt. NORTHWESTERN MUT. LIFE INS. CO., 7 Water st., Boston, Mass., from 9 to 10 A. M.; from 12 to 1 P. M.

ANNUAL STATEMENT JAN'Y 1, 1900.

Assets	$126,646,728 45
Liabilities	121,112,030 .71
Surplus	5,534,697 .74
Insurance in force	$437,006,125 .00

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Cold in the head is the preliminary stage of Catarrh, which is the most distressing of all inflammatory diseases. It hurts eyes, ears, nose and throat.

MAZALINE

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THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW.

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That if you do not trade at this store you should do so at once and gain a benefit many others are now sharing. At all times at this store we have special sales going on that are money-savers for you if you would but take advantage of them. Hesitate no longer to pay cash and you can readily see the benefit you gain by doing so.

THIS WEEK WE OFFER FOR SAVERS OUR *BIG 4* TRADES

4 cans Tomatoes	25	4 pkgs. Mince Meat	25
4 cans String Beans	25	4 cans Potash	25
4 cans Lima Beans	25	4 bottles Parlor Pride	25
4 cans early June Peas	25	4 lbs. Prunes	25
4 pkgs Grated Pineapple	25	4 Lantern Globes	25

SPECIAL.--**Success Coffee,** put up in 1 lb. fancy coffee cans, a fresh roasted Java and Mocha, the finest coffee obtainable, for this occasion to sell for **31c.**

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Bresnahan Grocery Co.

WATCH OUR DAILY AD. PAINTED ON OUR WINDOWS.

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Turkeys, Chickens, Fowls, Etc.

13c. to 16c.

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Assignee's Sale.

Now is the time to buy your Winter stock of Groceries of the finest quality and at the lowest prices in town.

Sugar, 19 lbs. for $1.

Light Brown Sugar, 21 lbs. for $1.

Fancy Ponce Porto Rico Molasses, never sold before less than 50c gallon, now 40c gallon.

Fancy New Orleans Molasses, always sold at 60c gallon, now 50c gallon.

Good dark Molasses, 30c gallon.

Pure Maple Syrup, 25c quart.

Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.

Boiled cider, quart bottles, 20c.

5 lb. can Java and Mocha Coffee, 90c.

The best 50c, Tea 40c.

The best 60c Tea, 50c.

Fancy Table London Layer Raisins, 20c lb.

Four Crown loose Raisins, 12c lb.

Gilt Edge Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c lb.

Fancy Ribbon Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Chocolates, 15c lb.

Lowney's 40c goods now 35c.

We carry the finest quality Butter cut from the tub, 1 lb. prints, 5 lb. boxes, 10, 20 and 50 lb. tubs, at the lowest prices, quality considered.

J. P. Squire's Pure Lard, 8c lb.

10 lb. pails Lard, full weight, 75c.

J. P. Squire's Pure Leaf Lard in 5 lb. pails, 50c.

Mixed Nuts, English Walnuts, Oranges and Lemons in stock at the lowest prices.

Come in and leave your order with us and get the best for the least money.

Gentlemanly Dealing and Prompt Delivery is Our Motto.

McKinnon's Grocery Store,

CENTRAL SQUARE.

H. E. RUGGLES, Assignee.

Chamber Outfits

Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted. Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.

OUTFIT NO. 1.

This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.

$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 2.

This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs, rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.

$32—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 3.

This outfit is made up with one of our most popular selling chamber suits, including the 2 chairs, rocker, table, mattress, woven wire spring bed and toilet set.

$35—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

The Weeks Furniture Co.,

48 NORTH MAIN ST.,
Near Opera House.
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Watches, Clocks, Jewelry.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

FRANKLIN, February 23, A. D. 1900.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

TUESDAY, the TWENTY-SEVENTH day of MARCH, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse Block, in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Hugh Lyons of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the fifth day of December, A. D. 1899, at two o'clock in the afternoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process) in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land situated on the corner of West and Alder streets, in the westerly part of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, containing about 40 acres, more or less, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the northeasterly corner of the premises at the corner of said West and Alder streets; thence running westerly on the line of said Alder street to land of E. L. and O. F. Metcalf; thence southerly and westerly to land of Charles Wight; thence southerly by land of said Wight to land of Cyrus M. Hill; thence easterly by land of said Hill to West street; thence northerly by said West street to land of the heirs of Luther Daniels, deceased; thence westerly, northerly and easterly by land of said heirs to said West street; thence northerly on said West street to the corner first mentioned, being the same premises conveyed by John Bradley to Hugh Lyons by deed dated April 10, 1878, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 509, page 309.

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
fe23,mh2,9 Deputy Sheriff.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John McGinnis, late of Norfolk, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

AUSTIN E. GREENE,
Administrator.

Address: City Mills.
Feb. 12, 1900. fe23,mh2,9

AN ADVERTISEMENT

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
"	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Minstrels tonight.

Selectman Alfred Clark has returned from his trip to New York.

The grange will work the third and fourth degreee on Thursday evening.

Ernest F. Schlusemeyer of Westwood has been the guest of friends in town.

Miss Lougee, the student at Dean ill with scarlet fever, is rapidly improving.

Mrs. Frank Prince of Danielson, Conn., visited her son Charles H. Prince. Union street, last week.

Bert Sheldon is at the Massachusetts general hospital to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Prof. Peirce attended the meeting and banquet of the Tufts College club in Boston on Friday evening.

On the license question Medway voted yes 265, no 217; majority, yes 48. Last year, yes 261, no 202; majority, yes 59.

Griffin court, M. C. O. F., will hold an important meeting tomorrow evening, and all members are urged to be present.

Lawrence Guild will meet this Tuesday evening at the Rectory for Business and Work. All members are asked to attend.

Miss Marjorie Ray is confined to the house with a mild form of scarlet fever, physicians terming it scarlatina simplex. She is improving.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin entertained last week S. W. Conrad, of Vanceboro, Me. He has an exhibit at the Sportsman's show in Boston.

The Gloucester Times says the curfew law is proving beneficial in that city and the city of Lawrence has finally decided to try the law. A wise conclusion.

Melvin A., brother to Marston Sanborn of this town, has been engaged by Rev. M. J. Lee to do some fancy carpentering on the interior of St. Mary's new building.

Miss Louise Morse, a student at Wheaton seminary at Norton, and daughter of ex-Representative S. F. Morse of Holden, was the guest of Mrs. C. B. Johnson over the Sabbath.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Chamberlain, who have been spending the winter with their daughters, Mrs. Arnold and Mrs. Hammond, have returned to their home in Putnam, Conn.

George B. Chandler, a former principal of our High school in '91, has been in charge of the interests of Ginn & Co., school book publishers, in Minnesota, but has just been transferred to Illinois, with headquarters in Chicago.

F. F. Holbrook, who works for the Adams Express company, is confined to the house with scarlet fever, though in a mild form. His place is taken at the express office by E. Lovell Metcalf.

George E. Daniels, who is at the Harvard law school, has just been elected an honorary member of the Pi Eta society, a rather unusual honor to be conferred on one not in the academic department.

James McPherson died at the alms house yesterday of old age, aged 86 years. In health he was a regular attendant at the Methodist church. The funeral will be held at the almshouse tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

In the district court Thursday morning Officer Bishop of Bellingham had a French boy about twelve years of age belonging in Woonsocket, charged with stealing pigeons and rabbits from a citizen of Bellingham. The matter was placed on file.

Neither absent or tardy during the month of February at primary school, No. 2: Carlston Corbin, Ervin Cummings, Irvin Daniels, Edwin Ferrer, Harry Gray, Herbert Gray, George Joyce, Esmah Metcalf, Grace Russell, Walter Bristow, Chester Ledbury.

Ladies' Auxiliary, No. 12, A. O. H. is arranging for a reception at the Opera House on Easter Monday evening, April 16. The Savoy orchestra of Providence has been engaged to furnish music and the event promises to be one of the most successful affairs of the early spring.

The next regular meeting of the Alden club will be held on the evening of March 12. The meeting will be in charge of Miss Blake, who will have as a subject "Banks and Banking." The recital by Mrs. Jeannette Robinson Murphy has been arranged for April 9, at Dean academy.

Many residents of Franklin will be pained to hear of the death of Mrs. James M. Freeman, which occurred on Saturday at Dorchester, as the result of pneumonia. Her funeral took place at Dorchester this morning, Rev. Dr. Hodge officiating. She was buried at Franklin cemetery this afternoon.

The Drs. Gallison are deeply interested in a new hospital which is planned for Milford for the benefit of the towns of this section. It is really a much-needed institution, and the project will doubtless have the aid of all the physicians of this neighborhood, as the electric road will open easy and rapid means of communication with our sister town.

There is a movement started to have the north common renovated, as the band stand and seats placed there some years ago have been nearly destroyed by boys or other persons intent on malicious mischief. Unless some means of protection to property and punishment of those who seek to destroy it can be put in force it is not worth much to have the park beautified.

Evening Services will be conducted at St. John's Rectory Wednesdays during Lent at 7.30 o'clock. The Penitential Office will be said and an address delivered by the Rector on the following subjects: March 7, "The Mystery of Birth;" March 14, "The Mystery of Being;" March 21, "The Mystery of Growth;" March 28, "The Mystery of Fruitage;" April 4, "The Mystery of Death." All are welcome.

Some time ago it was announced that real estate owners near the center were preparing for a land boom on the line of the electric railway. The land has been surveyed and the prospective settlement looks exceedingly well on paper. As a matter of fact the locality has many natural advantages which money can make available to embellish the town and afford artistic delight to human souls.

The members of Middlesex and Pomona grange met here Wednesday in Central Square hall with a good attendance of members. There was a morning session, opening at 11 o'clock, for the transaction of business, and at 2 p. m. there was a public meeting, when Rev. W. N. Tenney of Swampscott gave an illustrated lecture on "Temperance" before the members and a goodly number of their friends.

Base ball is awakening hereabouts. In North Attleboro LeStage has become identified with the team either as manager or captain. It was decided that the Attleboros and North Attleboros play a series of seven games for the championship. Four games won are to decide the issue. The games between the clubs are scheduled for July 7 and 21, Aug. 4 and 18, Sept. 1, 8 and 15, providing one or the other of the nines has not won four games.

A series of Lenten services will begin in the Universalist chapel Thursday evening of this week, when the Rev. Dr. Bollee of Melrose will preach. Dr. Bollee will be remembered as having preached one of the ablest sermons in the series last year. He is one of the most scholarly men in the country and has recently been appointed to the chair of English and American history in Tufts college. The service will be at 7.30 and will be followed by a special church meeting.

All honor to the senior class at Brown university, of which Fred. V. Hussey is a member. The class has just voted not to have any intoxicating liquors served at the class banquet. The present senior class is the first to totally disapprove of the custom. This is really a step in the right direction. While the banquets have never degenerated into drunken revels by any means, yet there are always some students in a class to whom a little liquor acts as fuel to the fire and "wine inflames them."

The electric car barn at Unionville is nearing completion. The big steel girders, in waiting for which there was a long delay, are in place and the roof has been built over. The roofers are this week putting on the finishing touches. The windows will be put in in a few days, and then when the wires are strung overhead the shed will be ready for occupancy. It will probably be all completed in two weeks, and a place for the cars now in the open at the Millerville car barn will be provided.

There was a slight hitch in the Medway electric matter before the Medway selectmen last week, but it was speedily adjusted and the franchise granted. The board of railroad commissioners have also granted the company the right to cross the New Haven's tracks at grade at Medfield. This means that the last thing in the way of double-track car service between Milford—and possibly Franklin—and Forest Hills is done away with, and the early summer should see passengers traveling over twenty miles of track without change of cars.

Capt. J. B. Crocker arrived in town on Saturday, after a most successful cruise, taking ice to Martinique and returning with a load of lumber, which is now discharging in New York. He will remain here about a week. He is arranging for a new and larger vessel, which will be ready in the summer, and will admit of his doing a larger coastwise and foreign business. His present boat, the Charles L Davenport, is of 1,500 tons burden, while the new boat will be 2,000. There is an almost unprecedented demand for vessels, and he has no difficulty in getting cargoes. He thinks he got back into the business at just the right time.

Officers Connor and Hutchinson were assaulted by a railroad man named Smith on Sunday evening, an altercation having arisen over an order of the night police for Smith to "move on" as he was standing in front of the Opera house at the close of the temperance lecture. Officer Connor received a black eye and Mr. Hutchinson's face was bruised. Smith was placed in the lockup and later bailed out. He was tried this forenoon before Judge Doe, Attorney Ruggles appearing for the defense. After hearing the testimony the court adjudged the accused guilty and imposed a fine of $30 for assault on the officers and $1 for loitering.

Charles L. Stewart went to Boston last week as a witness in the case of John McGinnis of Medway, on complaint of Omifrey Andozenjenzlsl, a Polish resident of the same place, for false pretences in the sales of property. It was charged that Mr. McGinnis sold to the former a house and small piece of land in West Medway for $700, $500 of which the complainant paid to him. McGinnis claimed to own the property, but simply had a bond for a deed from the Franklin Savings bank. The bank sold it to another party and he had to leave the place and lose the $500 that he paid McGinnis. The court found McGinnis probably guilty and ordered him held for the grand jury in the sum of $2,000. He recognized with sureties.

Norfolk Lodge No. 257 N. E. O. P. had the pleasure of receiving twenty seven new members at the regular meeting last Wednesday evening. The work was finely executed by the officers of Puritan lodge of Cambridge. They comprised one of the best degree teams in the state. At the close of the initiation the visitors and members were escorted to the dining room of Hotel Briggs. The committee of Norfolk lodge took charge of the kitchen and dining room and served a turkey supper, which was very appetizing and enjoyed by all. After refreshing themselves the party returned to the hall where dancing was enjoyed until the midnight hour. The following visitors were entertained: Grand Warden James H. Flint, Grand Treasurer Daniel Frazier, Grand Trustee J. Albert Richardson, Deputy Grand Warden Mary E. Bucknam, twenty three members of Puritan lodge of Cambridge, seven members of Neponset lodge of Norwood.

A most entertaining lecture upon "Child Culture," by Miss Leila Flagg of Roxbury, was given in the High school room last Friday evening, under the auspices of the Mothers' Section. Being connected with kindergarten work, Miss Flagg was thoroughly conversant with her subject and appealed to the sympathies of all in that idealistic training for children. Illustrations were given of the "finger plays" adapted to the understanding of the very little ones, and of the "motion songs" for those a little older. These were especially melodious and could not fail to create a taste for the best in music. Other subjects dwelt upon were: The love of Nature developed by the study through observation of the birds and flowers; the encouragement of the taste for humor in the child; the sense of reverence aided by music and art; and the necessity for parents to guard against a misuse of the love-force. A piano duet by Mrs. Talbot and Mrs. Chilson, and several sweet lullabyes and kindergarten airs sung by Miss Flagg, accompanied by Miss Marion Gould, were delightful interspersions.

Having relinquished my Boston business, I can hereafter be found at my office daily from 8 to 6 o'clock.

DR. M. E. POND.

For a clean shave and a good hair cut go to Oches's barber shop.

A Glorious No-License Victory.

Even the friends of temperance were astonished at the magnificent expression of the voters on the matter of no license yesterday, and the good work that has been done the past few weeks has borne glorious results. Franklin is further away than ever from the curse of the liquor traffic. Out of a total vote of 639 over 400 registered their protests against the sale of liquor in this fair town of Franklin. Thirty-eight failed to vote, for which neglect of an honest duty they must answer to their own consciences.

Now that the voters have so emphatically registered their determination in this matter it remains for the selectmen to see to it that the will of the voter is carried out. The board is thus assured of a vigorous public sentiment that will sustain any and every effort to reduce the sale of liquor in this town to a minimum, and the board, and the board alone, will be held responsible, as the liquor officer is simply the agent of the board. Franklin can congratulate itself that the board is composed of men whose views on the liquor question are so pronounced. Individually and collectively they stand for temperance and their hands will be upheld.

Messrs. Gallison and Clark have been found tried and true men, and honestly earned a re-election, an honor which would have willingly been accorded Mr. Hosie had he desired to stand. Mr. McCarthy is a strong acquisition and is not new to the work, as he has served with manifest acceptance upon a previous board. This is everywhere acknowledged a good working board, and Franklin ought to enjoy an era of good government, wise legislation and practical results. The following is the result of the balloting:

Selectmen—	
*Alfred Clark, Jr., Rep.-Cit.,	442
*Jeremiah J. McCarthy, Cit.,	338
*J. Cushing Gallison, Rep.,	329
Amos P. Woodward, Cit.,	259
Edward C. Abbott, Rep.,	252
Town Clerk—	
*Orestes T. Doe, Rep.-Cit.,	536
Treasurer—	
*Nelson E. Newell, Rep. Cit.,	525
Assessors—	
*Elisha P. Chapman, Rep.,	321
*James O. Chilson, Rep.,	323
*William Rockwood, Rep.,	305
Lawrence J. Kelly, Cit.,	301
Eugene F. Ware, Cit.,	211
George W. Bacon, Cit.,	125
Overseers of Poor—	
*F. M. Richardson, Rep.-Cit.,	425
*Samuel Y. Reed, Rep.,	359
*George E. Emerson, Rep.,	296
C. Milton Allen, Cit.,	295
Bernard W. McCabe, Cit.,	203
Auditor—	
*Palmer A. Woodward, Rep.-Cit.,	539
Collector of Taxes—	
*Edward H. Sherman, Rep.-Cit.,	556
School Committee for three years—	
*William A. Wyckoff, Rep.,	393
James W. Desmond, Cit.,	186
Board of Health for three years—	
Marston Sanborn, Rep.-Cit.,	515
Constables—	
*Lewis R. Whitaker, Rep.,	344
*Fred L. Davis, Rep.,	326
*Kervin R. Jewett, Rep.,	265
Jerome B. Fitzpatrick, Cit.,	260
Silas W. Nickerson, Cit.,	217
William Redpath, Cit.,	209

*Elected.

The vote on the license question resulted: Yes, 199; no, 402. Majority against license, 203.

	Total	Yes	No	Blanks	Per cent.
1898	565	203	306	50	54
1899	626	246	317	63	50
1900	639	199	402	38	62

The extreme closeness of the votes for some of the officers may lead to a recount, which, if permitted, will work no injustice to anyone. The vote was an unusually large one, 639, as against 626 last year and 565 in 1898. As near as can be ascertained the Democratic vote is about 210, and the Republican about 425, though party lines were quite generally eliminated, a number of the candidates being supported by both parties. The polls were kept open an hour later, till 5 o'clock, and the adjourned meeting will not be held till March 19, instead of March 12, giving a better opportunity for the committee to consider the various articles. Prof. L. L. Burrington presided. The committee is as follows: George W. Wiggin, Horace W. Hosie, George E. Emerson, Joseph P. Bassett, Henry E. Ruggles, George R. Winsor, Harry T. Hayward, Charles Stewart, Charles F. Nye, Jeremiah J. McCarthy, Lawrence J. Kelly, C. Milton Allen, Fred P. Chapman, Bradley M. Rockwood, George W. Bacon.

Repairs Completed.

I am now ready for business again and hope to give more prompt attention to orders than I have been able to in the last two weeks. I shall have waiting orders ready within a few days. Thanking patrons for their patience,

Respectfully yours,
R. J. CALKIN, Depot street.

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An Enjoyable Affair.

Notwithstanding the storm last Thursday evening there was a goodly company assembled at the Franklin house to celebrate the silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Briggs. Guests were present from Attleboro, Providence, Middleboro, New Bedford, besides many from Franklin and Unionville. The tables were very daintily set, calling forth the admiration of all, laden with salads, fancy crackers, olives, Neapolitan cream, cakes, macaroons, candy and coffee. Miss Crocker poured the coffee and Miss Sherman served the cream. W. S. Johnson was master of ceremonies and H. W. Thayer and N. C. Nye were ushers. Charles Frazer, Carl Emerson and Walter Hancock also assisted as waiters. Mrs. Tracey and Prof. Spence furnished excellent music, and Mrs. Stewart and Miss Whiting sang solos and duets very acceptably. Many beautiful gifts were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Briggs as testimonials of esteem and regard. The occasion was essentially social and pleasant.

Mr. Briggs was born in Rochester and Mrs. Briggs in Middleboro, their marriage taking place in Attleboro, where where Mr. Briggs was a jeweler, their home being the old Briggs homestead in Norton, where their daughter, Amy Pierce, was born. Previous to coming to Franklin he was engaged in farming. They came to the Franklin House just twelve years ago the first of March, that day also being the anniversary of their marriage. He has had charge of the hotel six years and was at the Hotel Briggs for three years. Both Mr. and Mrs. Briggs are highly esteemed, and Miss Briggs is an active worker in all benevolent and church affairs.

The SENTINEL on behalf of many friends hereby extends hearty congratulations at the successful passing of the twenty fifth milestone.

Memorial.

Dr. Charles Kingsley was born in East Machias, Me., March 6, 1869. He fitted for Bowdoin college at Washington academy, but on deciding to study medicine he gave up the college course, and spent three years with a preceptor. He then attended Jefferson Medical college in Philadelphia, from which he graduated in March, 1891. In July of the same year he located in Franklin, and at once became a member of the Thurber Medical association, of which he remained an active member up to the time of his death. He also became a member of the Massachusetts Medical society in 1897. He married Miss Mary Elliott in 1892. He remained in Franklin until January, 1896, enjoying a large practice, which was also very laborious. At this time his health gave out, and he sold out his practice and took a much-needed rest of six months, a part of which was spent in travel. He then located in Marlborough, where he remained until his death, which took place on Dec. 27, 1899.

Dr. Kingsley was one of the most valued members of our society. A thorough physician, of good intelligence, having a large measure of native good sense, he was decided in his own convictions, while at the same time respecting those who differed from him. His presence at our meetings was always helpful to the members, and he was always ready to do his part. He was president of the association in 1892-3, and delivered the annual address in 1895, taking for his subject "Heredity and Education."

Cheerful, vivacious, a pleasant companion and associate, he was sincere and honest and free from jealousy. In his profession not superficial, but inclined to go to the root of things, and willing to extract help for his patients from any source, he was respected, appreciated and loved by his brother physicians with a sincerity and tenderness not soon to be forgotten.

Resolved, That in the untimely death of Dr. Charles Kingsley, the Thurber Medical association and the general brotherhood of the medical profession have sustained an unusual loss. Thus stricken down upon the threshold of professional life, with bright prospects in his immediate future, his developing talents and thorough equipment seem an inscrutable loss. In this apparently severe dispensation we discern the ways of a power and knowledge far beyond mortal ken. To us of limited vision, the shaft seems untimely broken. We bow in reverent submission to the will and decree of One who sees us as never man sees, and whose inscrutable way leads upwards and onwards to vistas far too glorious for mortal sight.

Resolved, That with heads bowed in reverent submission, we commend our brother's ashes to waiting dust, and his weeping relatives to the unfailing source of consolation, while his professional brothers mourn with them his untimely departure.

J. M. FRENCH,
WM. L. JOHNSON,
A. J. GALLISON.
Committee on Resolutions.

Milford, Mass., March 1, 1900.

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea-food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

Dr. E. M. Faxon, Boston, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, will meet patients at hotel Briggs Thursdays from 9 to 12:30 o'clock.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Recent Additions.

The following books have recently been added to the Franklin library:

In the Child's World, Poulsson	195 B
Raphael, Hurell	225
Rembrandt, Hurell	224
Power of Silence, Dresser	148 C
History of American Privateers, Maclay	394 D
Dutch and Quaker Colonies in America, Fiske	408-9
Life and Letters of Lewis Carroll	645 E
Kate Field, Whiting	644
Many-Sided Franklin, Ford	646
Ballads and Miscellanies, Thackeray	372 K
Land of Contrasts, Muirhead	374
Letters of Sidney Lanier	373
Tramping with Tramps, Flynt	375
The City Wilderness, Woods	107 H
Hester Stanley, Spofford	798 F
Jersey Boy of Revolution, Tomlinson	804
Resolute Mr. Pansy, Trowbridge	801
Story of Magellon, Butterworth	806
Teddy, Her Book, Ray	803
Treasure Ship, Butterworth	805
Twixt You and Me, Le Baron	797
Wabeno, Wright	799
Wannolasset, Plympton	800
Wild Animals I Have Known, Thompson	802
Young Puritans in King Philip's War, Smith	796
Adventures of Philip, Thackeray	1323 I
A Local Habitation, Sawyer	1346
Bronze Buddha, Daniels	1326
Children of the Mist, Philpotts	1343
Chronicles of Aunt Minervy Ann, Harris	1354
Corner of the West, Fowler	1350
Country of the Pointed Firs, Jewett	1345
Denis Duval, Thackeray	1324
De Willoughby Claim, Burnett	1348
Dionysius, the Weaver's Heart's Dearest, Howard	1328
Etchingham Letters	1338
Herald of the West	1352
In His Steps, Sheldon	1335
Janice Meredith, Ford	1330
Little Red School House, Raymond	1353
Mr. Dooley and His Countrymen	1337
Mr. Dooley in Peace and War	1336
Mrs. Keats Bradford, Pool	1340
Plantation Pageants, Harris	1355
Prisoners of Hope, Johnston	1329
Red Pottage, Cholmondeley	1347
Roweny in Boston, Pool	1339
Ship of Stars, "Q"	1341
The Gam, Robbins	1327
Vestry of the Basins, McLean	1334
Via Crucis, Crawford	1325
Voyage at Anchor, Russell	1351
Young April, Castle	1344

Are You Going?

The entire performance of "The Great Southern Minstrels" this evening is reported to be entirely novel in conception and execution from start to finish. The musical excellence of the first part is shown by the names of such vocalists as Tommy McKenna, the celebrated boy baritone; Chas. P. Van, S. J. Bennett, Joseph Le Clair, A. L. Comstock, W. B. Fretse and Paul Hickman. The olio as presented by this company is also said to be a skillful kaleidescopic melange of great worth and merit.

Minstrelsy is well liked here and the promise of anything new in this popular amusement is a pleasure looked forward to with a great deal of anticipation. "The Great Southern Minstrels" come heralded as being up to date and of a novel order, as well as the most complete and largest entertainment on the road.

Sure to Do Good.

The Opera House was packed to the doors and many were obliged to stand at the illustrated temperance lecture by Rev. T. J. B. House on Sunday evening. In straightforward, earnest language the speaker described the course of the young man downward through drink, and his final reformation through conversion, the subject matter being appropriately accompanied by views especially taken for the purpose. He held the closest attention of the large audience, the truthfulness of the story appealing to all who listened. Mrs. Chas. L. Stewart and W. C. Sherman sang a number of duets with effectiveness and rare musical expression. In the afternoon over 500 children saw the pictures and heard the story, and it is hoped a lasting impression was made upon their youthful hearts.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Bring your work to the White Star laundry, rear Dana block, for best work. 6tf

For Sale—A good oak roller-top desk. Call and examine at Sanborn's dry goods store. 2tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Heggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

A capable girl for housework will be paid the best of wages. Call for F. at the SENTINEL office.

A few cords of dry walnut wood; also oak, chestnut and pine dry under sheds, at Allen's wood yard.

To Let —Cottage house No. 13 Summer street; nine rooms, steam heat; barn if desired. Apply at 29 Cottage st. 15-tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Potted plants and cut flowers; all kinds of funeral work made up; special rates for all societies in town. Slade's Greenhouse, Central street, Franklin, Mass. P. O. Box 179. 2T

All railroad tickets bought, sold and let on a margin. Save money on your Boston trip by getting tickets of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office. Milford and Providence tickets at a saving of 12c on the round trip. Mileage books to let.

Important to Orient Bicycle Owners.

All owners of Orient bicycles, purchased of the undersigned during the past three years, may have their wheels cleaned and put in perfect order by a practical workman free of expense by delivering the same to me between now and March 15. Broken or worn parts will be replaced at actual cost, the owners being notified before such expense is incurred.

CHARLES L. STEWRT,
Orient Agent.

Franklin, Mass., Feb. 20, 1900.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 1900

Forged Without Hands.

The skill of "Jim the Penman" seems very ordinary by the side of that of Charles L. Borg, who confessed, a few days ago, to Post Office Inspector Joseph Farrell, of Chicago, that although he has no hands, he forged a postal money order. The prisoner explains the fact that he forged without hands by his skill in writing with a pen or pencil held in his mouth. All the movements necessary to good penmanship he is able to make with his head. He can even put in the flourishes, it is said, and to the astonishment of his friends inscribes in this way these chirographic horrors—birds and fishes and scrolls—of which writing experts are so proud. When evidence which came to his notice pointed to the handless man as being guilty of forgery, the post office inspector was loth to believe the statement, but when the man was arrested he gave an exhibition of his "mouth-writing" which astonished his captors and led them to believe he might be culpable. His confession is said to have followed the charge.

It is quite the fad nowadays to study "bird life." This is one of the after effects, no doubt, of the birdless bonnet movement. The out-of-door clubs are becoming numerous. The middle-of-the-winter season will be spent in reading up for the spring and autumn practical studies, when the members actually "take to the woods," and study the birds in their native homes. The method of study is to start early in the morning with an instructor who has become learned in bird lore and can tell all about any twittering little creature that is courageous enough to light on a bough near enough to be observed. The plumage of this bird, its habits, its quality of song, its particular style of nest building and all of its little life are unfolded to the wondering student.

Perry Hutchinson, of Marysville, Mo., recently went out into his hog pasture on a visit of inspection. Down near the creek he found an old sow with a litter of pigs and near her was lying the dead body of a huge wildcat which had been killed by the sow in fair fight. Perry says that while he was looking at the strange sight the old sow said: "Woof!" whereupon he lit out for a fence. That old sow had a perfect right to say "woof" or anything she pleased.

Some humorous things are found in petitions to congress, but the assertion of Daniel M. Page, of Missouri, is delightful in its way. Mr. Page says: "At the battle of Corinth I was surrounded by 8,000 Yankees, but I bravely escaped and was never again captured." For his bravery in thus eluding the Yankees, Mr. Page wants to be restored to his rank and title of first lieutenant in the regular army, which he held before the war.

A poor widow who was arrested in Wilkesbarre, Pa., charged with assaulting a constable, won much sympathy in the courtroom when she said that the officer, in levying on her household good on a landlord's warrant, tried to remove her baby from its cradle and take the cradle. The jury found her not guilty and placed the costs on the constable, and the justice of the peace who issued the warrant. The court struck off the latter clause.

"Hell and Who Will Be There" was the title of a sermon delivered recently by a Colorado Springs minister. It is understood that he is still hiding from the people whose names figured in his discourse.

A Rossville (Kan.) woman died lately just after filing a suit for divorce. What a warning this should be to other women who are wincing beneath the chafing of the marital harness.

Nature's Efforts.

My friend's colored maid came in one day after her regular weekly outing, looking as if she had enjoyed herself.

"Well, Susan," said my friend, who is sympathetic, "I suppose you saw all the pretty things in the stores downtown?"

"No'm, not z'actly. I ben lookin' at de handiwork ob de Lawd."

"Indeed? So you took a little trip to the country to see the fields and flowers?"

"N'm; no, indeedy. I be'n at de dime museum. They has a hairy boy there and a two-headed man." — Waverly Magazine.

As It Soon Will Be.

The walking delegate of the Amalgamated Association of Poultry Raisers shook his head.

"I will have to take away your union card," he said.

"What's the matter?" asked the farmer.

"That speckled hen of yours insists upon working overtime and lays more eggs than are allowed by the union rules."—Chicago Post.

Getting There.

"I hear that your son is having quite remarkable success in literature lately."

"Yes. If things keep going as well for him as they are going now he expects soon to have earned as much with his pen as he spent for stamps before he had anything accepted."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Personal.

Snobley—Society is—aw—so terribly mixed nowadays, it's—aw—quite distressing, don't you know. I assure you I should nevah be surpwised to meet my tailah anywhere.

Bluntboy—Perhaps not. The surprising think would be if you ever met his bill.—Ally Sloper.

Conjugal Taunts.

Charlie—You never cared for me.

Jenny—Why did I marry you, then?

Charlie—From motives of gratitude.

Jenny—Gratitude! Gratitude for what?

Gratitude for having made you your only proposal of marriage.—Harlem Life.

Just the Naked Truth.

Mrs. Jones—Men never know how much they owe to their wives. Now there's Mr. Blank, who is praised by everyone as a successful man, but what would he have been if he had never married?

Mr. Jones—A bachelor, dear.—Tit-Bits.

Partly Emancipated.

Mrs. Lakeside—I don't see how you eastern ladies live—no divorces, no alimony, no nothing.

Miss Lonecash—It is rather hard scratching, but then we manage to rake in a little boodle now and then on a breach of promise suit.—N. Y. Weekly.

Superstitious.

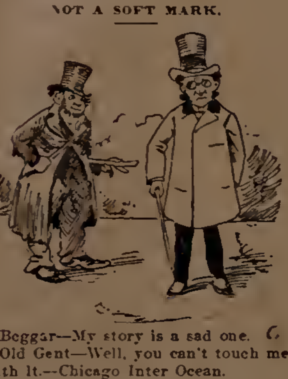
Mistress—Bridget, are you superstitious?

Bridget—Well, mum, Oi t'ink it's unlucky to break a lookin' glasses. Oi broke de parlor mirror in de lasht place Oi lived in, an' lost me job.—Philadelphia Record.

The Debtor's Soliloquy.

'Twere sweet to be a merry bird
  And carol, day by day;
He sings his notes, as you have heard,
  But hasn't one to pay.
—Washington Star.

NOT A SOFT MARK.



Beggar—My story is a sad one.

Old Gent—Well, you can't touch me with it.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Merely a Conjecture.

No doubt 'tis from the wondrous command
  Of speech the fair sex among,
That the language of our native land
  Is known as the mother tongue.
—N. Y. World.

Not Out Anything.

Sillicus—He is rather liberal with his religious views, isn't he?

Cynicus—Of course; any man can be. They are about the only things that never cost anything.—Philadelphia Record.

His Sentiments.

Uncle Abner—If we build a canal across the isthmus of Panamar the gov-er'ment oughter own it.

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—Judge.

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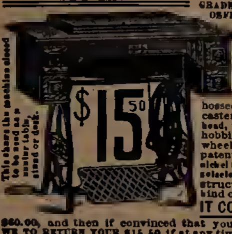

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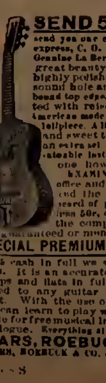

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John J. Walker, who is now justice of the peace and police magistrate in Wilkinsburg, Pa., enlisted in the Seventh Pennsylvania volunteers, but later joined the One Hundred and Thirty-ninth, in which he was captain of company E.

"Squire McMullen was in the bodyguard of Gen. Patterson when we first marched toward Philadelphia," he said "and I shall never forget one remark he made.

"We were crossing the Potomac when McMullen turned around and shouted to us: 'Boys, if you can't get any horses here in Maryland you had better go back to Philadelphia.'

"I served considerably over four years in the army, was at Antietam, Gettysburg and the Wilderness, but I must say that no experience that I had in any battle can compare with the horror of the 11 months I spent in Libby prison.

"I was captain of company E in the Wilderness, and some of us had managed to get a little too far ahead.

"It was in the second day's fight, and the rebs, after wounding a good many of us—and unfortunately I was one of that number—managed to cut us off from our comrades and make us prisoners.

"We, none of us, knew exactly what was going to become of us, but finally I was sent to Libby prison.

"No man who did not live through that hell can realize the horror of it; no man can have enough command of language to express what we went through.

"When I went into that prison I was a big, strong man and weighed 192 pounds; when I came out 11 months later I weighed 117 and was a physical wreck.

"There were about 2,500 of us in the place at the time, and the famous tunnel through which some escaped was built while I was there.

"All of the men, unfortunately, could not be trusted. They were all members of the union army, but some were traitors, and if they had learned of the work that was being done on that tunnel would immediately have betrayed the conspirators and delivered them up.

"It was a pretty anxious time for those of us who were in the secret.

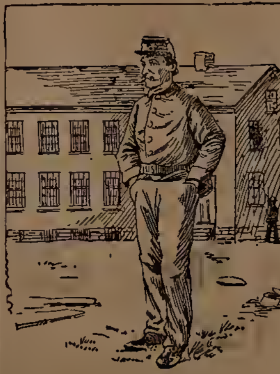
"Discovery meant certain death for all of us, but to stay where we were seemed also to be death, and so we had, as we thought, simply a choice between two evils.

"When the tunnel was finished the men drew lots and those who were lucky enough were permitted to join the escaping party.

"My luck was against me, and I was compelled to remain where I was.

"Each morning the guards used to come in and announce the men who had been exchanged by calling out their numbers and leading them out.

"My number was 218, and never in my life shall I forget the thrill that went through me when after 11 months I heard the guard call it out.



LIBERATED FROM LIBBY PRISON.

"When I got out of that prison and saw once more the skies above me and felt once more the sunlight and the fresh air around me, I was the happiest man in the world, and I can say to-day that though I have had many blessings in my life, and have many things for which to be thankful, the happiest day I ever spent was the day I was liberated from Libby prison.

"I have a nephew who was with the Tenth Pennsylvania at Manila, and when he came home I asked him how he liked soldiering.

"'It was awful, Uncle John,' he said; 'it was simply awful. They treated us well and fed us the best they could, but the meat was not always as fresh as it might be, and some of the other food could have been improved on.'

"I had to laugh at that. These men who, I believe, are just as brave as any of us were, complain because their meat is not always fresh.

"Why, in the army of the Potomac I don't believe we had beef three times a year, and even when we did get it it was not always recognizable.

"No, the boys who went out to this Spanish war were brave enough, no doubt, but after all is said and done they were 'feather-bed' soldiers.

"When they have four or five men killed they call it a battle. If we didn't have half a dozen men killed before breakfast we concluded that the 'rebs' had overslept themselves.

"And, besides that, these boys had no Libby prison."—Philadelphia Press.

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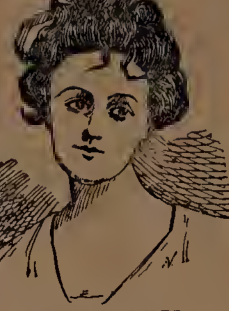
Miss May Goelet, who, it is reported, may some day be the wife of Prince Henry of Orleans, is one of the richest heiresses of New York. When she reaches the age of 25 Miss Goelet will come into possession of $20,000,000 left her by her father, the late Ogden Goelet. As the wife of a royal prince of France she could use her immense fortune with more advantage in a worldly social way than if she were to marry any other nobleman, not royal, in all Europe.

Young Prince Henry is the heir of whatever glory remains to the royalty of France. He is the eldest son of the Duc de Chartres, but in spite of the fact that his blood is as blue and as kingly as that of any king in the world he is a poor man—a fact which many tradesmen in Paris and other continental cities know to their sorrow. Henry has been long looking for a wife who would supply him with funds. Everybody knows this, and everybody knows, too, that he has been "paying attention" in the most assiduous fashion to the beautiful young New Yorker. The Goelets live in fine style in superb apartments at a hotel in the Place Vendome. They have been entertaining in a lavish manner, and at every one of these affairs Prince Henry has been the principal guest and has never attempted to conceal the fact that he has eyes only for Miss Goelet's beauty and for none besides.



MISS MAY GOELET.
(American Heiress Who May Marry Prince Henry of Orleans.)

French royalty is at low ebb, and thrones are not eager to ally themselves with dead hopes. So it came about that when Austria declined to pay Prince Henry's debts by such an alliance with one of its princesses the possible French king turned to the untitled but fabulously wealthy American girl.

One fact that seems to strengthen the theory that a royal wedding is in sight is found in Mrs. Goelet's preparations to buy a beautiful home in Paris, where, it is said, she will live permanently. Is it not possible, people are asking, that Mrs. Goelet has an ambition that her fascinating daughter shall outshine Comtesse Castellane, who was Miss Anna Gould? But Mother Goelet may not succeed, even if this theory be true, for Miss May has a will of her own, and may not be persuaded to marry for social glory.

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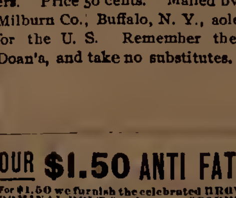

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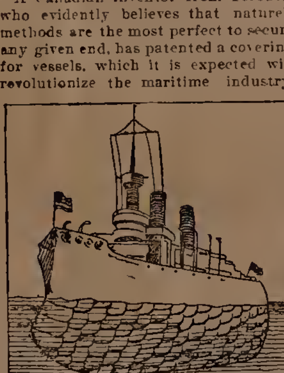

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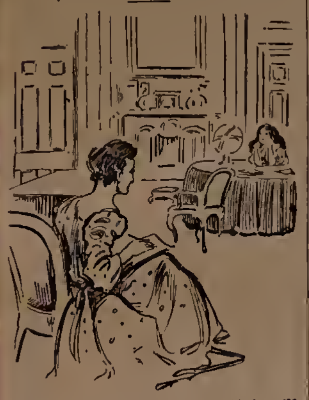

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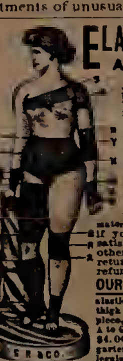

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WRENTHAM.

The funeral of L. F. Mesdell, who committed suicide last Thursday, was held from his late residence Friday and was attended by an escort from the G. A. R. post, of which he was chaplain. ——Miss Zilkala Sa, the young Sioux Indian, left Monday for Washington, D. C., where she will give some readings in native costume in that city in connection with the Carlisle school for the education of the Indians.——Miss Eliza Atwood of Smith college, whose home is in Chicago, Ill., is visiting her cousin, Mrs. J. E. Chamberlin.——A citizens caucus will be held in the banquet room of the town hall Wednesday evening to nominate town officers for the coming year.

SHELDONVILLE.

Charles E. Nash has bought the Holman place on Arnold street.

B. M. Follett will shortly move his family into the house owned by Alfred Nash of Charlestown.

Rev. E. E. Harris was unable to return to his studies at the Newton Theological school last week on account of a sprained ankle.

Like a thunderbolt from a clear sky came the news on Tuesday afternoon of the death of Mrs Edson George of Wrentham. The deceased was well known and highly respected by all here, having been a resident of this place for eleven years before her marriage, less than a year ago. Much sympathy is expressed for the husband, brother and aged mother, who are left to mourn her loss

It is very hard to stand idly by and see our dear ones suffer while awaiting the arrival of the doctor. An Albany, (N. Y.) dairyman called at a drug store there for a doctor to come and see his child, then very sick with croup. Not finding the doctor in, he left word for him to come at once on his return. He also bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which he hoped would give some relief until the doctor should arrive. In a few hours he returned, saying the doctor need not come, as the child was much better. The druggist, Mr. Otto Scholz, says the family has since recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their neighbors and friends until he has a constant demand for it from that part of the country. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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Mr. McGroarity—Chase the pig out av th' parlor and invite him in, Biddy. Oi would not have Finnegan go away wid the imprission thot we are not high-choned here.—Judy.

Calm Confidence.

"Don't you think," said the friend, "that Marc Antony's oration is a magnificent specimen of its kind?"

"Yes," answered the statesman. It's pretty good. But you ought to read the speech I am going to print in the Congressional Record before long."—Washington Star.

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An Octopus Plague.

A correspondent writes as follows from Rivage de Questichou, a small watering place on the coast of the Cherbourg promontory: "For the last two or three months this coast has been visited by a perfect octopus plague. They have ruined the fisheries, and many men have laid up their boats in despair. They devour everything, even the crabs and lobsters and oysters and all shell fish. The other day a man employed at the large oyster beds near here told me he had that day found one that had eaten 18 oysters that tide. The shore is strewn with octopi, and the other morning along high-water mark I counted 68 in a distance of 200 yards. A friend here measured one, and it was 5 feet 7 inches across the tentacles, but there are far larger ones than that. Some of the suckers are as large as a two-shilling piece. They are most loathesome beasts. Unless the cold winter destroys them there will be no bathing next summer along the coast."—Pall Mall Gazette.

Where the Hand-Organ Is a Favorite.

One place at last has been discovered where the hand organ grinder is appreciated. It is the Congo Free State, and the people there are so fond of the music that the missionaries have turned it to excellent account. When they first went there they found that the natives had a decided antipathy to the marital yoke, but they overcame it by announcing that at every wedding a hand organ should play. The innovation was accepted with enthusiasm, and the rush to the hymeneal altar was tremendous. So infatuated were some couples with the music of the ceremony that they insisted upon being married daily for several successive days. The Congo Free State appears to be the organ grinder's paradise, and if widespread publicity is given to the fact, it may induce an emigration in that direction, which will not only multiply marriages in that region, but relieve this from the tortures of the much-abounding barrel organ.—Chicago Tribune.

The Editor's Mistake.

Editors have their troubles. One of these men who presides over the destinies of a western newspaper is mourning the loss of two subscribers. No. 1 wrote asking how to raise his twins safely, while the other wanted to know how he might rid his orchard of grasshoppers. The answers went forward by mail, but by accident the editor put them into the wrong envelopes, so that the man with the twins received the answer:

"Cover them carefully with straw and set fire to it, and then the little pests, after jumping in the flames for a few minutes, will be speedily settled."

And the man with the grasshoppers was told to "give castor oil and rub their gums with a bone."—Columbian.

Those Loving Girls.

Nellie—Charlie says I grow more beautiful every time he sees me.

Maude—If that's the case, you ought to have him call twice a day.—Chicago Evening News.

A Last Resort.

Client—According to your showing, both the law and the facts are clearly against us.

Attorney—Yes; I shall be obliged to weep copiously before the jury.—Judge.

Strange But True.

It is a curious fact that the best way to make both ends meet is to pursue a straight and honorable career.—Chicago Daily News.

Cold Time of Day.

The coldest time of day is rising time. —Chicago Dispatch.

Remarkable Girl.

"Adelaide has such a fine mind."

"She has?"

"Yes; she can keep up her interest in a man after she knows he's engaged."—Chicago Record.

The Old Man Growls.

She—Did you just see daughter sweep out of the room?

He—Yes; but I never happened to see her sweeping in any room.—Yonkers Statesman.

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Husband—I don't know. A man will do foolish things when he's in love.—N. Y. Journal.

Usually.

"What does it mean when they say an army is decimated?"

"Oh! that's when ten per cent. are killed or wounded and 90 per cent. run."—Puck.

Has Serious Intentions.

Sadie—Do you think he is sincere in his intentions?

Clara—I do; I've had lots of men make love to me, but he's the biggest fool yet.—Town Topics.

Why He Swore Off.

Soke—Well, I've stopped drinking.

Goodleigh—I am glad to hear it. It is much to your credit.

Soke—No—it's because my credit has run out.—Baltimore American.

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Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Lydia P. Ray and Annie R. Thayer, both of Franklin, without giving a surety on their bonds,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of March. A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this fifth day of March, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

mh6,13,20

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Amos Ryder, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and appointing Stephen M. Bennett of Atlantic, Mass., his agent, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber,

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IN FASHION'S REALM.

Hints for the Ladies on the Modes for the Winter Season.

Stylish young women are wearing with their winter shirt waists of silk, satin or cloth, in cream, cherry-red and other colors, the stiff stock of our revolutionary ancestors seen in miniatures and in larger portraits. The style has been repeated not quite literally, but effectively, in black satin, to wear with every sort of waist, in black and white effects and in pretty bright color melanges, with gray, tan and similar waists of neutral fabric. It has the appearance of a scarf carried twice around the neck and tied in a bow in front above the high collar band, which is stiff enough to keep the folds of the bias silk or ribbon in place.

There is nothing in practical millinery this season that is more stylish, unobtrusive and ladylike than the toques and English walking hats, particularly in black, with their fashionable decoration of sable plumes. Another satisfactory and becoming choice is the medium-sized round hat with all lace, buckle and floral garniture eliminated, and nothing used but velvet loops and full, handsome ostrich feathers. Those shown in the shops for conservative wearers are notably attractive, as they present no erratic dents or startling outlines, neither do they swoop low on one side of the face and curve to the top of the head on the other after the style of some of the astonishing but very fashionable shapes now worn. When not wholly straight and flat of brim the hats arch gracefully on each side above the temples, and this slight lifting allows for some artistic bits of decoration under the brim just above the waves of hair —a becoming touch of color always relieving the dull, somewhat heavy appearance of a black hat, particularly with a woman of pale or dark complexion. Exception, however, can very often be made in ordering a black velvet hat, which is almost invariably improving in its effect.

This year there appear to be quite as many attractions among exhibitions for the matron as for her youthful daughter. She has no need, therefore, to look longingly upon the dainty, exquisite gowns, wraps and picture hats not meant for her, when the rich materials and stately, elegant garments are quite as attractively and far more appropriately set forth for her special benefit. All the prevailing styles can with perfect propriety be worn by gray-haired women if the fabrics and shades are carefully toned and selected. Single rich colors and but few decorations are the best choice for elderly women, and it is well to add that careful attention to the minor details of the toilet and extreme neatness are the very first requisites in the attractive ensemble of a toilet or costume for young or old.—N. Y. Post.

Under Certain Circumstances.

"Do you think a young man should marry on a small income?"

"Oh, I can see no objection to it, if he has reached an understanding with her father."—Philadelphia North American.

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The Midnight Stew.

Yeast—Do you ever take your wife home a stew in a box when you're out late at night?

Crimsonbeak—No, I don't have to; I generally find her in one when I get home.—Yonkers Statesman.

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"What was the date of your marriage?" asked the friend of her childhood days.

"Which one?" inquired the emotional actress.—Chicago Post.

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LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$555,180 31
Guarantee Fund		27,752 19
Profit and Loss Account		15,811 27
Interest Account		2,018 62
Real Estate Income Account		69 99
		$600,832 98

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$22,143 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		28,517 62
Railroad Bonds		133,012 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		30,300 00
" " Mortgages		171,735 00
" " Personal Securities		187,049 75
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Note		5,000 00
Expense Account		218 02
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$1,566 47	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	249 65	
Mercantile Trust Co.	442 74	
		2,258 86
Cash on hand		1,851 98
		$600,832 98

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

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Assets	$126,646,728.45
Liabilities	121,112,030.71
Surplus	5,534,097.74
Insurance in force	$497,606,125.00

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MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
"	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	8.40 "
Boston and East	8.40 "
Milford	8.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
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Being sure that a fire actually exists, [illegible] o the nearest box, unlock, pull down the ho[illegible] and let go. The apparatus works automati[illegible]y. Close the box and remain until the fire [illegible] arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Milford has adopted the curfew law.

Mrs. T. M. Turner is visiting relatives in Gurleyville, Conn.

Nearly all of the newly-elected town officers have qualified.

Mrs. Willard Wilcox died at her home on Alpine street today.

It is expected that the new board of selectmen will organize this evening.

Leon Mayshaw is able to be out again after having quite a siege of sickness.

C. W. Stewart was able to get to the bank yesterday for the first time in five weeks.

Miss Razee's juvenile class will resume their lessons in Central Square hall March 17.

Mrs. William M. Thayer, who has been quite ill for a number of weeks, is now slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cleveland attended the funeral of her father in Charlestown yesterday.

Aurtbur A. Dean has been away from business for some days on account of illness, but is better.

C. M. Allen went to Millis Wednesday evening, where he addressed the grange upon agricultural matters.

Rev. M. J. Lee was called to Boston Monday evening to the bedside of his father, who is seriously ill.

Lewis Levin of Woonsocket has opened a shoe store in the rear of the Munrooney bakery on Central street.

A meeting of the King's Daughters will be held next Tuesday evening at 7.30 at the home of Miss Linna Ferrer.

A petition has been in circulation asking the legislature to pass a law making a longer closed season for wild birds.

License seems to stand as poor a show in the town of Franklin as Roberts had of clutching a seat in congress.—Milford Journal.

The Ladies' Benevolent society will furnish a Pussy-Will-O supper on next Wednesday evening at the Congregational church.

An operation was performed upon Bert Sheldon for appendicitis at the Mass. General hospital on Saturday and he is doing nicely.

Mrs. C. M. Daboll, who has been afflicted with an affection of the eyes for the past ten days, has recovered sufficiently to attend to business.

Mrs. S. W. Squire, who went west last fall to remain through the winter with relatives, has been sick with pneumonia. She is expected home this spring.

Rev. I. W. Sneath attended the funeral services of Mr. McPherson at the almshouse Wednesday. The deceased was a member of the Methodist church.

The Epworth league will hold a fancy sale and entertainment at Odd Fellows' hall Friday evening, March 16. Fancy articles, cake and ice cream will be for sale.

"The Missouri Girl," with Fred and Sadie Raymond in the caste, is coming soon. It is a domestic comedy drama, with fine specialties. Look out for the date.

The graduating class of the High School have arranged a dramatic entertainment for Friday evening, March 23, for the benefit of the class. Particulars later.

The notable issue of the Topeka Capital will appear next Tuesday, and C. L. Stewart reports a large number of subscriptions among interested Franklin people.

The ministers, who have been agitating the question of no license in town, did not feel downhearted the morning after town meeting when they looked over the items.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church will meet in the parlor Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Supper served at 6.30; tickets usual price. Social and entertainment in the evenin

Clark & Gaskill have made partial arrangements for a supply of ice for the coming year. Camp of Bellingham will supply them with 1,000 tons or more if needed. It is said that many offers to sell are to be found.

Rev. Mr. Sneath will speak on Sunday evening upon "Some Lessons from the Life of Mr. Ray." The organist and chorister, Mr. Johnson, will provide music for the service.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper will give the third discourse Sunday evening, at the Baptist church, in his series on "The Prodigal Son." His theme will be "The Prodigal's Repentance and Return."

Sabin Hubbard died at his home on Central street last night about 10 o'clock of erysipelas, in his 77th year. The funeral will be held on Sunday, at 2 o'clock, in charge of the Odd Fellows. Obituary on Tuesday.

W. A. Pond has sold the Benj. F. Guild place at Sheldonville, containing 37 acres, to John Schriber of Boston, and also the Rachel Follett farm of 35 acres at West Wrentham to Mrs. Jennie A. Lloyd of Bridgeport, Conn.

Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath will speak next Thursday afternoon at a temperance conference in Webster, called by the Mass. Total Abstinence society, delegates being present from the towns of Webster, Douglas, Dudley and Oxford.

At a special meeting of the selectmen held Tuesday evening Anthony Connor was appointed a special policeman. The newly elected member of the board was in New York, so no steps toward a permanent organization were taken.

Dr. Hodge's last sermon on "Immortality" having been given on the Sunday of the storm which made church attendance so impracticable for many, he will yield to many requests and speak upon the same subject next Sunday afternoon.

Fidelity lodge, A. O. U. W., held an interesting meeting last evening. Master Workman George W. Green of Ames lodge and guide, C. E. Miller, of Woonsocket were present and delivered addresses on the good of the order. One candidate was initiated.

The no-license vote Monday was a surprise to a good many, but proved what has long been claimed, that when a large majority expressed their preference in the matter it would show that the sentiment against the open saloon was not an uncertain factor.

There has been great complaint about the crowd that gathers around the exit to the Opera house when audiences are coming out, and Manager Partridge proposes to have it attended to. The arrest the other day is the beginning of an attempt to abolish the practice.

Hoag's pond in Bellingham, the property of the M., A. & W. street railway company, is to be fitted as a summer as well as a winter resort, and arrangements are now under consideration for various attractions for the entertainment of the crowds expected during the hot months.

The next regular meeting of the Alden club will be held next Monday evening, March 12. The meeting will be in charge of Miss Blake, who will have as a subject "Banks and Banking." The recital by Mrs. Jeannette Robinson Murphy has been arranged for April 9, at Dean academy.

C. M. Allen decided not to ask for a recount in the matter of overseer of the poor, but Lawrence J. Kelly has done so, as his vote was but four behind Mr. Rockwood's. The counting will be done on Saturday evening at 7.30. Attorney Ruggles looking after Mr. Kelly's interests in the matter.

Washburn's minstrels played to a good sized house on Tuesday evening in spite of the storm, and gave manifest satisfaction. Nothing was mediocre and a number of the specialties were unusually good. Manager Partridge has arranged to play a return date later, when the house will be filled.

At the semi-annual business meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Congregational church the following officers were elected: Pres., Miss Ida M. Brown; vice pres., George M. Sneath; sec., Bernard M. Rockwood; treas., Miss Laura E. Blake; cor. sec., Miss Olive M. Lovering.

The probate court at Dedham has granted administration on the estate of Amos Ryder to W. H. Brown of North Providence in $4,000; estate of Alfred Whiting to Flora Whiting, in $1,000, and she has been appointed guardian of Edna J., Flora A., Martha, Amy E. and Helen E. Whiting in $1,000.

This quarantine is funny business, says Uncle Silas. Everybody that is in when the flag is unfurled is kept in and everybody that is out is kept out, except the doctor, who goes in and out and everywhere like en immune. A case happened the other day when the father and two of his children were out of the house when a flag was put up for scarlet fever and now they can't get home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Singleton attended the wedding of her sister, Miss Bessie May Buckland in Woonsocket Wednesday to Dr. Robert L. Davis, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Mr. White. The bride is prominent in social circles and blessed with a host of friends. Dr. Davis is known in Woonsocket as a successful dentist, and is associated with Dr. A. W. Buckland, father of the bride. Dr. Davis is a member and an ex-president of the Rhode Island state board of dental registration, a special lecturer at the Philadelphia dental college and chairman of the executive committee of the Rhode Island Dental association.

Each day now makes the prospect of filling the icehouses less certain, and while there is a chance left that a cold snap will come and continue long enough to help the icemen out of their trouble, it is only a chance. The lumbermen have improved the winter and much wood and lumber for this section will come into the market as the result of the winter's work. During the past three months the straw goods business has not had the snap and go that makes it highly beneficial to employes, although a considerable amount of goods have been produced. The prospect for spring building is good, but the greater amount of promise in this line of trade is at Unionville.

Will Interest His Friends.

MONTROSE, COL.

MY DEAR FRIEND JOHNSON:—The improvements in our church building we have made include a new Sunday school room, infant class room and kitchen; a tower sixty feet high and a new furnace. The total cost is about $1,600. Among the many improvements is the new pulpit set for which my Franklin Y. P. S. C. E. gave us the money. This has given us a very neat and convenient church building and we all rejoice in its completion.

This has been one of the pleasantest winters so far that I have ever seen. Since the middle of December we have hardly had a cloudy day, and the temperature has not been down to zero any time this month. A day or two ago I went down to the postoffice and saw a man without coat or vest on, another in his shirt sleeves, and overcoats are but very few. While the people on the Eastern slope have had a considerable amount of wind, we have had none, and I presume it is true that the climate in this valley is as pleasant as in any part of Colorado. The days are simply perfect.

I am feeling nicely and enjoy my work in the West very much. I can do as much as I ever did without fatigue. I weigh as much as I have in ten years and look upon myself as a strong man.

Yours truly,
C. W. LONGREN.

Franklin Is Interested.

For a number of months experiments have been going on at the A. D. Thayer mill by John M. Hathaway of New Bedford making linen cloth, from flax waste or spike-cylinder thrash straw product from Mr. Hathaway's patents. A company has been formed called the National Flax Fibre Co., of which Mr. Hathaway is superintendent The company is negotiating for the purchase of all of the town of Slatersville, R. I., the estimated value of which is over $500,000.

It will turn out linen goods, such as toweling, table cloths, etc. The flax comes from the far northwest, where the company has several fine fibre mills for preparing the raw material. The company comprises Franklin, Boston and New Bedford citizens. Mr. Snyder of Boston and Franklin is manager of the syndicate. Supt. Hathaway says the syndicate will acquire other properties and is capitalized at $10,000,000.

The plan, if fully carried out, is a good one, as the waste used is obtained from the West and can be bought very cheaply. In some sections the farmers burn this waste to get rid of it. Supt. Hathaway hopes to have the mills at Slatersville so that they will be turning out linen toweling and crash some time in April, and that 500 hands will be employed.

Again We'll Roast You.

The success of our last sale of roast beef leads us to try again, and this time we can beat our former price. We offer for Saturday 500 pounds of fine roast beef for 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 cents per pound. This is an unheard-of price for such roasts. Further, we have a fine line of fresh-killed native veal and pork, home made sausage, all the vegetables in the Boston markets, canned goods in soups and vegetables, choice creamery butter, famous coffee, in fact, everything you want. RICHARDSON, the Marketman.

An Interesting Address.

An audience that filled the Universalist chapel listened last evening to a fine and helpful sermon by the Rev. John Clarence Lee, D. D., late president of St. Lawrence university. Dr. Bolles, who was to have preached, had sent a telegram saying he was not well enough to preach and Dr. Lee had been secured at short notice. Dr. Lee spoke from the text "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness and all these things shall be added unto you." He spoke of various misapplications of the doctrine of the text; the millennial idea of the kingdom of God which was most prominent in the first three centuries; the monastic idea of the kingdom; the Protestant mistake of conceiving it as an after death kingdom to the exclusion of this world, in the main, from its reign. He said the kingdom of God is here. It is realized, first, individually, by each one making his own life holy, and this is an expansion of the truth that was in monasticism, and was in many souls realized under that form of religious life; and then in the social coherences of men. He looked for a time to come when it would not be said that "the love of money is the root of all evil," but when each man striving for gain, for an earthly immortality, for power, would have a living interest in other men.

Dr. Lee's sermon was full of the spirit of an earnest and manly religion, of which he himself seems to be such a modest and engaging example. The sermon next Thursday night will be by the Rev. F. A. Bisbee, D. D.

Will Bloom in the Spring.

The silver mine in Sheldonville is to be opened up again in the spring as the owner still thinks there is evidence of a rich deposit in the mine. It is under the management of very successful business men who do not usually put money into wildcat enterprises. During the last summer for a period of three months ver. extensive borings were made at considerable expense to endeavor to satisfactorily determine the vein. Seven holes were worked, from 40 to 317 feet deep. In the number six hole a large zone of mineral was struck, 130 feet wide, in talc and red granite, which assayed $6 4-100 per ton. This ore is low grade but there is such an extensive body that it may pay handsomely. The extensive outcropping or volcanic blow up, as some call it, which is some 200 feet wide by 5 feet thick, the crystaline matter is very heavily mineralized. It assays from $5 to $80 in gold, from 23 to 360 oz in silver and from $10 to $28 in copper, which is a good showing for New England or even in the West.

It has been demonstrated that there is quite a deal of ore, also cheap fuel, proximity to two railroads, good roads, plenty of timber, etc., which will reduce the expenses of mining to a minimum.

Mrs. Mary C. Freeman.

Mrs. Mary C. Freeman, widow of the late James M. Freeman, for most of his life a resident of Franklin, and one of its most respected citizens, passed from this life at Dorchester Saturday last and was buried at Franklin cemetery on Tuesday. Most Franklin people will recall the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman a few years ago, which brought together so many friends and testified of the great esteem in which both were held. Mrs. Freeman was a woman of gentle and quiet ways and even disposition, estimable in character and unassuming in manner. Both Mr. and Mrs. Freeman were members of the Universalist church and Mrs. Freeman was for many years a very active worker in the Ladies' Social circle of that church. Since Mr. Freeman's death Mrs. Freeman had resided with her daughter and son-in law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Baker, at Dorchester. Pleasant as her home there was, and much as was done to make her last days happy she was not sorry to pass on. She missed her life-long companion so much, her life with him had been so long and blessed, she dwelt daily with the thought of being with him in the great beyond, and when the call came she was ready.

Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., her pastor here, conducted the funeral service at Dorchester on Tuesday and spoke of her honorable and womanly life in fitting terms. And so another of the well-known and respected citizens of Franklin has gone to the eternal home.

Special Evangelistic Service.

Tonight, at the Methodist church, at 7.30 o'clock, there will be another special revival service. A short sermon by the pastor; subject, "The Light of Life." All are welcome to come and share the blessings of this hour.

Mrs. Charles Rand is meeting with excellent success in selling the "Life of Moody, the Chapman edition. Before this was published Mr. Moody's son wrote Mr. Chapman that he considered him just the man to write of his father, as they had been associated so long. Although the son has also written a book his relations with Mr. Chapman are still cordial and pleasant. Mrs. Rand will call and show the book if you desire.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

In Memoriam.

Joseph G. Ray had almost lived out the allotted three score and ten years. They were years full of industry and fruitfulness. One of the most beautiful residential towns in New England is a constant reminder of his labors and his interests, telling in its churches, its academy, its factories, its charming homes, its general air of comfort, intelligence and civic pride, in its steam and electric railroads, of the manifold forms in which the watchful interest of Joseph G. Ray for the town of Franklin found constant expression. A keen and successful business man, he could not selfishly close himself to the interests of others, and many young men found his part in their business was that of encourager, counselor and well-wisher as well as financial assistant. Joseph G. Ray will not want for a monument while the town of Franklin remains where he helped place it—an example of the village beautiful, the abode of affluence, taste, culture, religious and intellectual life and prosperity for all classes.—Editorial in Woonsocket Reporter.

Resolutions of Respect.

At a special meeting of the Investment Committee of the Benjamin Franklin Savings bank of Franklin, Mass., held at their banking rooms March 6th, 1900, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

The announcement of the death of the Hon. Joseph G. Ray has brought us the deepest pain, and we wish to testify to our profound sorrow at the great loss which our institution has sustained. As officers of this corporation, in which he was so marked a figure, we feel keenly how much we have lost, and grieve that our beloved associate and adviser has been so unexpectedly summoned from us. We miss and shall continue to miss the encouragement and cheer of his presence and the aid of his wise counsel.

Therefore, resolved, That we deeply sympathize with the family of the deceased in their extreme affliction and assure them of the confidence and esteem in which he was held by the officers and members of this association, for whose best and most far-reaching interests he had ever a watchful eye.

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered upon the records of the institution and a copy of them be forwarded to the family of the deceased and also published in the Franklin SENTINEL.

DAVIS THAYER,
GEORGE W. WIGGIN,
CHARLES J. MCKENZIE,
EDWARD H. SHERMAN,
ELISHA P. CHAPMAN,
CHARLES STEWART,
Committee of Investment.

Will You Assist?

The William M. Thayer school is in need of appropriate pictures for its wall decoration. The pupils of the three highest grades have been earning money (about ten cents each) and presenting it to the school. Miss Reilly's room has already purchased a beautiful picture, "Pharaoh's Horses," and Mr. Frazer's room is about to do so; but what is one picture on a large, unsightly wall? To be sure, it relieves part of the bareness of one wall, but three other walls remain. In order that the William M. Thayer school may stand favorably with schools of like grades in our most progressive towns a benefit entertainment will be given in the Horace Mann hall on Friday evening, March 16. The entertainment will consist of two parts. The first will be rendered by the pupils of Miss Reilly's and Mr. Frazer's rooms and the second by some of the best talent Franklin affords. (See Tuesday's paper.) The admission will be only 25 cents. Tickets will be on sale by the pupils Monday.

It is sincerely hoped that there may be a large attendance. The cause is a worthy one. Come and help us by your patronage to beautify our school rooms, thereby sweetening the school environment and transforming the school rooms from homely lesson places to pleasant, restful and truly helpful study halls.

FRIEND OF THE SCHOOLS.

Emerson's Market.

Nobody can beat us on meats of standard quality, whatever the price, and we continue to be the headquarters for turkeys, chickens and fowls that are right in price, in tenderness and flavor. Our pork and veal is secured about Franklin and is "all right." All the vegetables obtainable that will suit you we carry, with fancy print butter, canned goods, etc.

Card of Thanks.

Fidelity lodge, No. 41, A. O. U. W., desires to take this method to publicly extend its thanks to its retiring janitor, John D. Hatch, for his uniform courtesy, untiring faithfulness, as well as his devotion to the order.

By vote of the lodge,
W. G. CODY, Master Workman,
DANIEL MCLAUGHLIN, Recorder.
Franklin, Mass., March 8, 1900.

Repairs Completed.

I am now ready for business again and hope to give more prompt attention to orders than I have been able to in the last two weeks. I shall have waiting orders ready within a few days. Thanking patrons for their patience,

Respectfully yours,
R. J. CALKIN, Depot street.

Having relinquished my Boston business, I can hereafter be found at my office daily from 8 to 6 o'clock.

DR. M. E. POND.

Read the Business Announcements.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far a possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

MR. EDITOR:—Amid all the rumors of license before election, and the agitation of the curfew law there are some things difficult to understand. For instance, when a man says "I shall vote no-license and for the curfew law" his position is easy to understand. He believes in the home, believes in defending it, believes the best place for children is in the home. But when a man tells me he shall vote for license, and for the curfew law his mental condition is incomprehensible. What! Vote to compel children to go home at a certain time, and then vote to license a man to use all his best efforts to destroy that home? What kind of sense is that? There are homes that are not as safe for the children as the public streets. The man who votes for license is the enemy of the children though he votes for all the foolish curfew laws that ever were invented. I would not be understood as thinking that it is a good thing to let children run wild on the streets, but when government assumes the duties belonging to the parents it is well to consider how the duties are to be performed, and what the effect upon the children is likely to be. As far as my experience goes, children have the same disposition as "grown ups" and resent any oppressive interference with their rights or liberties that older people do. If you desire to incite a people to revolution enact oppressive and tyrannical laws; if you wish to make children rebellious and disobedient restrict their liberties beyond the point where you have any real right to do it, and you will accomplish the work just as sure as human nature is what it is.

Suppose we pass a curfew law, what is to be the penalty of breaking it, and who is to suffer the penalty, the child or the parent? Have we a right to make it a penal offense to be on the public streets without in any way menacing the public welfare? Who is going to enforce the law? One police officer, whose chief duty consists in walking up and down a small part of Main street? Is the police officer going to have the right to walk up to any young man or woman that he thinks is under sixteen and ask them their age? And must they tell him, and what would be the penalty of making a false statement in regard to it? O, but then, "any fool can ask questions," and the idea of reviving an old regulation of the time of William, the Conqueror, when people didn't have an clocks, and a bell was rung to tell them when to cover up their fires and go to bed, makes even a fool want to ask them.

H. B. HASLAM.

MR. EDITOR:—In view of the opinion common among many of the citizens in Franklin that merely an elementary preparation, such as given by the grammar schools, is sufficient for a business course, will you kindly print the following letter?

The commercial teachers of the Boston high schools sent a circular letter to the leading merchants of Boston asking their opinion about the length of years and subjects desirable to be taught. From the many answers returned, one well known as representative of the whole has been selected:

"The prime object of the course should be to fit pupils to prepare for the more general duties of business life, and should be a four years' course. The greater portion should not be given to strictly commercial subjects. English is very important. Less stress should be laid upon the study of literature than composition. French and German, if practicable, should be taught. Algebra and geometry should be included as a desirable part of a thorough mathematical training. Chemistry, physics, botany, zoology, commercial geography may be important, but only a part of a thorough general training. Practical economics, including civil government and commercial law are desirable but not essential, and American or general history should be included."

C. F. HOVEY & CO.,
Boston, Mass.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Bring your work to the White Star laundry, rear Dana block, for best work. 6tf

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Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

White Plymouth Rocks, also White Wyandottes eggs for hatching. Fifty cents per sitting. W. E. Corbett. m9,6t

Dr. E. M. Faxon, Boston, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, will meet patients at hotel Briggs Thursdays from 9 to 12:30 o'clock.

Ochee, the barber, will call at the house to do shampooing. Drop a postal to box 210 or call at his shop.

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1900.

NAHANT had better look out. Senator Lodge evidently has his eye on Manila.

THE gypsy moth has proved to be a pretty good sized "bug," with hum as a prefix.

WITH Cronje and his brave Boers off for St. Helena it looks like the beginning of the "hundred days."

EXPERTS are now busy discussing whether marriage results in 90 per cent happiness or 90 per cent. unhappiness, Whichever it is, it won't be stopped even on proof.

SOME good may come to Ireland out of the Boer difficulty. Queen Victoria has a kind heart, and Irish soldiers are laying down their lives for her. What an opportunity she has!

THE supreme court of Illinois has decided that if the United States flag does not of itself compel sufficient respect as not to deface it for advertising purposes no law will supply the lack of respect. That's sound logic.

NOW you see it and now you don't. First Quay is to be seated and then he isn't. The present turn of the wheel shows him slowly climbing toward the top, with good prospects of getting there. What will John Wannamaker do than?

NEWSPAPER costs nearly 100 per cent. more than it did some months ago, and it is charged that the paper trust is responsible for it. If this is so, the "trust" should be denied the present governmental "protection" that is given it.

ONE Vermont town, having a town liquor agent, is going to publish a list of all patrons of the establishment, the amount procured, the kind and purpose. That will discourage the sale as a beverage and may work well, though no-license is better.

A LIQUOR dealer has been mulcted in the sum of $3,000 as a result of injuries received by a man who had become helplessly drunk in his establishment. If they could also be held pecuniarily responsible for all moral as well as physical injuries their victims receive they could soon be put out of business.

WHAT a surprise the Bell telephone people gave the public when they came out and asked the legislature that all telephone matter be left to a commission, in direct opposition to their previous attitude. Wonder if the growth of the Independents and tha advent of Erie had anything to do with the change of front? Who knows?

"FOR a certain man named Demetrius, a silversmith, which mada silvar shrines for Diana, brought no small gain to the craftsmen, whom ha called together and said: 'Sirs, ye know that by this craft we hava our wealth, but Paul hath persuaded and turned away much peopla, so that our craft is in danger to be set at naught.' And when they heard these things they wera full of wrath and tha whole city was filled with confusion." Biblically that is the condition of tha managers of tha salacious stage today over the supprassion of "Sappho" in New York. They fear to lose their wealth.

"THESE are my sentiments, gentlemen, and if you don't lika them—I'll change them," appears to be the present attitude of President McKinley in the Porto Rico tariff matter. Indeed there seems to be a growing sentiment among Republicans that he should not have yielded his convictions and changed his policy after he had positively declared that this island should enjoy the same privileges as the states of the Union. If it seamed necessary to put on a tariff as a matter of principla, one per cent. would have answered. No less a personage and experienced politician than ex-President Harrison asserts that it was both a political mistake and unjust to Porto Rico.

HEALTHY HAIR

A man with a thin head of hair is a marked man. But the big bald spot is not the kind of a mark most men like.

Too many men in their twenties are bald. This is absurd and all unnecessary. Healthy hair shows man's strength. To build up the hair from the roots, to prevent and to cure baldness, use—

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Dec. 14, 1898. Chicago, Ill.

We have a book on The Hair and Scalp which we will send free upon request. If you do not obtain all the benefits you expected from the use of the Vigor, write the Doctor about it. Address,
DR. J. C. AYER,
Lowell, Mass.

Relieved.

All this time the great railway magnate had sat silent, listening.

At last he spoke.

"Young man," he said, "I am not sure I understand you. Please be a little more explicit."

"I am asking you, sir," said the young man, reddening, "for the hand of your daughter."

"Oh, is that all?" rejoined the magnate. "Why, certainly. If she has no objections I haven't. I thought you were striking me for a pass."—Chicago Tribune.

Prudent Precautions.

"Hello, Foresyte, what on earth are you doing with those overalls and that blouse on?"

"Going to call on Mrs. Hazem."

"What is it, a masquerade, or does she make you carry out the ashes when you call?"

"Neither; but she said that I could hold the baby for a little while the next time I called."—N. Y. World.

A Wish.

"I wish I were rich," said the young man.

"How rich?"

"Oh, rich beyond the dreams of avarice. I'd like to be so rich that I could afford to put in my time lecturing people about the illusions of wealth and the placid delights of poverty."—Washington Star.

A Wise Woman.

Wifie—I bought you a box of cigars to-day, dear.

Hubbie—Great Scot, you don't know what kind of cigars a man ought to smoke?

Wifie—I guess I do. These cost $25 a hundred, and I had them charged to you.—Detroit Free Press.

Making It Pleasant.

Mr. Wiggles—Mrs. Bjohnson spoke of you when I met her yesterday.

Mrs. Waggles—Did she? What did she say?

Mrs. Waggles—Oh, if I had thought you would ask me that, I would never have said anything about it.—Somerville Journal.

Could Get No Further.

"'My dear!' was all that he could say," said the husband, reading from a story paper.

"And why do you suppose that was all he could say?" asked the partner of his joys and sorrows.

"Oh, I suppose because his wife was around."—Yonkers Statesman.

Give It a Wide Berth.

Sandy Pikes—Strike Denver off our visitin' list, pard.

Pellucid Pete—What fur?

Sandy Pikes—Why, dis paper says dat enuf soap has arrived in dat city to supply 150,000 people fur a year.—Chicago Daily News.

"Brevity is the Soul of Wit."

Wit is wisdom. Blood is life. Impure blood is living death. Health depends on your blood. Disease is due to bad blood. The blood can be purified. Legions say Hood's Sarsaparilla, America's Greatest Blood Medicine, purifies it. A brief story but it tells the tale.

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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

How to Cover the New Toques and the Materials That Are Now Being Used.

Variety is often attained for toques and small hats by the manner of arranging the material with which the shape is covered, be this velvet or piece felt, or a combination of the two, and is best explained by descriptions of the most typical among the latest models. Our general remark applies to a whole class; the covering is in one piece, say a square or a circle cut out of a square measuring at least double the diameter of the brim. A sailor hat is covered as follows with national blue velvet. One point is placed at the back so that the velvet lies flat on the brim at the back and sides. The center of the square is then folded so as to form two wing-shaped flutes jutting out on either side of the crown; the three corners remaining provide the loops and cross-piece of a large bow for the front. The trimming proper consists of four wings made of green lophophore feathers, two of which are placed beneath the wing-shaped flutes and one behind each loop of the bow. For a toque turned up at the side a circular piece of castor velvet is chosen. The center of this is placed over the low crown, molding it closely; groups of narrow tucks have previously been stitched in the velvet so as to radiate from the base of the crown nearly to the edge of the brim; other groups of tucks—set double as closely together and running in the same direction—begin about five inches further on, so as to adapt this portion of the velvet to the under side of the brim, the plain interval forming a loose bouillonne over the edge. One pale blue wing is placed on the left side against the crown, and a second against the upturned side of the brim, and a little below it is a small pouf of liberty to match. Another way of covering toques is to gather a circular piece of material half way round its outer edge and draw it up nearly to the size of the opening of the crown to which it is tacked, and to leave the remainder to be plaited in a large double box plait; the box plait comes on the left side exactly, or just over the left brow. Once this is accomplished, the covering may be left as it is in a loose sort of beret (when this is the case a smaller circle of material is required), or plaited or fluted more or less so as to adapt itself to the form underneath.

The former style is chose[illegible] toque of pale beige angora [illegible] with mounts made of the h[illegible] wings of the tawny owl s[illegible] among the folds of the box plait; th[illegible] latter for an elegant toque of dahlia-covered velvet. Three folds are formed in the velvet, so as to give the effect of a triple border to the brim, save where the box plait rises in a high crest resting on a pouf of mauve satin. The whole is surmounted by three double dahlias in three shades, running from mauve to purple, fixed to the crown behind the plait.

A piece of navy blue felt, the covering of another toque, is arranged in straight flutes lying on the brim, while the plaited portion of the material slants back over the crown, and in the center of the low pouf so formed is placed a handsome fan-shaped arrangement of small palette feathers surrounding the head of a bird.—Millinery Trade Review.

FAITHFUL MARRIED MAN.

Fear of His Wife Is the Beginning of Wisdom with Him in Rainy Weather.

In one of the most frequented of the haunts of men and the marts of trade there appeared one day a well-known business man carrying with firm grip an umbrella with a slender, oval-shaped handle touched with silver. He clearly had something on his mind.

It was the umbrella. Neither cocktail, funny story, oysters on the half shell, cigars as your mother used to make them, nor any other of the seductive wiles of the electric light contingent could induce him to relax his hold on that umbrella. Finally one of the others, for there were others, asked:

"Hadn't you better put that umbrella down for a minute?"

"Not on your life," said the married man. "I value my domestic happiness too much for that."

"Your domestic happiness!" they cried, all together. "What's domestic happiness got to do with umbrellas?"

"It's this way," responded the married man. "This is my wife's umbrella. I've lost six of my own in the past month, but I borrowed this on the express condition that I shouldn't lose it, and I shan't. No man gets this umbrella, except over my dead body. You hear me?"

And they saw the reason of the strong grip.—Philadelphia Record.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to tha public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, bronchitis, hoarseness and all diseases of the throat, chest and lungs are surely cured by it. Call on Albert C. Mason & Co. druggist, and get a trial bottle free. Regular size 50c and $1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded.

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New Arrival (smilingly)—Would yer lynch a feller fer killin' a dog?

Native—Would we? Why, say, I've knowed a feller to be lynched fer killin' a Chinaman.—Town Topics.

Important Business Change.

Altogether the most important movement in the business world of Boston since the year came in is the change of the great carpet firm of John H. Pray, Sons & Co. to a corporation known as the John H Pray & Sons Company. The real estate owned by the firm changed hands at the valuation of $1,010,000, while the new corporation has a capital of $825,000 fully paid in.

The Pray corporation, as it now exists, is the result of a beginning made in the carpet business as long ago as 1817 by Mr John H. Pray. The growth which succeeding years have shown has been due to the exercise of those qualities of economy, foresight and intelligent effort, which are invariably associated with all conspicuous business success.

For many years past the old firm handled vastly more carpets and rugs than all other Boston establishments combined, and from the very fact of its extensive business has been enabled to keep selling prices always at the most moderate point, since it is well known that the larger the amount of the transactions of any firm the smaller is the percentage of profit at which the business can be successfully conducted.

In changing its form from a firm to a corporation the house is simply following the accepted line adopted by the best business judgment of the day in all large enterprises. Undoubtedly the new corporation will impress itself upon this community more forcibly than ever before, and will extend its already high reputation for straightforward dealing with its customers.

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What Do the Children Drink?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called Grain O? It is delicious and nourishing and [illegible] he place of coffee. The more [illegible] give the children the more [illegible] istribute through their sys[illegible] ain O is made of pure grains [illegible] en properly prepared tastes like [illegible] e choice grades of coffee, but costs about one fourth as much. All grocers sell it; 15 and 25c.

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"And which are they?"

"Blondes and brunettes."—Washington Star.

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Ralph—Suppose a fellow's best girl gets mad when he asks for a kiss?

Curtis—Take it without asking.

Ralph—Suppose she gets mad then?

Curtis—Then he's got some other fellow's girl.—Harlem Life.

Kept His Word.

Whene'er he said he'd do a thing
He never hedged nor tarried.
So when he said he'd go to war
He went straightway and married.
—N. Y. Evening Journal.

A Philosopher.

Hopewell—I expect to make $20,000 out of that deal within six months.

Glumbird—I wouldn't count my eggs before they're hatched.

"That's a poor maxim. If you can get any fun out of counting them, it's so much gain. What you don't want to do is to discount them."—Brooklyn Life.

Knew What Was Coming.

She—Reggie, dear, there is something of the old-time love light in your eyes to-night—something about you that reminds me of those sweet days of long ago. I hope you have—

He—Yes, I have a little left. How much will let me out this time—ten or twenty?—Boston Globe.

Proved His Innocence.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak — I understand they found a shirt button in the contribution box, to-day. I hope you didn't put it there, John?

Mr. Crimsonbeak—Me? You ought to know I haven't had a shirt button on a shirt for six weeks!—Yonkers Statesman.

Matchmaker's Problem.

Hicks—It is hardly possible that a marriage should come out of it between two such persons.

Wicks—I don't know. He is a regular stick, and she has got enough brimstone in her to make a match.—Boston Transcript.

Bits of Fashion.

Corsages are cut in front like stays with a Louis XV. yoke.

The double turned-down linen collar prevails just now for men and women.

The newest skirts are entirely without lining and worn over silk skirts with frills.

Fetching neck bands of white velvet with applications of heavy guipure lace are being worn.

Stitched bands are much used in trimming tailor frocks and should be lighter in color than the habit cloth.

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The lace shawls that have passed through one or more generations are now being used in the beautiful lace frocks that fashion decrees.—Detroit Free Press.

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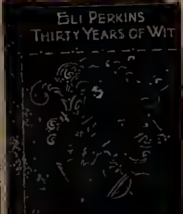

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You'll find that the busy rushing throng
Will catch the strain of the glad refrain;
That the sun will follow the blinding rain;
That the clouds will fly from the blackened sky;
That the stars will come out by and by;
And you'll make new friends, till hope descends
From where the placid rainbow bends;
And all because of a little song—
If you'll sing a song as you plod along!

If you'll sing a song as you trudge along,
You'll see that the singing will make you strong;
And the heavy load and the rugged road,
And the sting and the stripe of the tortuous goad
Will soar with the note that you set afloat;
That the beam will change to a trifling mote;
That the world is bad when you are sad
And bright and beautiful when glad;
That all you need is a little song—
If you'll sing the song as you trudge along!
—Sunshine.

Mr. Jobson Gets Dinner

WHEN Mr. Jobson got home from his office at five o'clock the other afternoon he found the front door locked. Concluding that the catch had accidentally dropped, he got out his latch key and opened the door. He was surprised to find the vestibule door locked, too. Mumbling something about the inefficacy and imbecility of modern patent locks, he used his latch key on the vestibule door also, and entered his abode. He had hung his coat and hat on the rack before he noticed the queer, lonesome silence that broods over a house the occupants of which are all out. Mr. Jobson was visibly rattled.

"Jane!" he called to his wife, somewhat commandingly from the bottom of the stairs, at the same time muttering something about women who stay upstairs primping all the afternoon. But there was no reply. Mr. Jobson went to the head of the basement stairs.

"Lily!" he called to the black servant. Lily replied not.

"Well, here's a deuced pretty note!" ejaculated Mr. Jobson, spreading his legs out in the hall and looking savage. "What's the meaning of it, I'd like to know? Man comes home from toil and drudgery at his regular daily hour and finds his home as deserted as a northwestern boom town church. Wife gadding the streets, servant off attending some five o'clock tea and parlor social, and no more sign of dinner than of elephant tracks! And I'm so hungry that I could eat a burro stuffed with firecrackers! Now, this is the worst yet. I'm willing to do as much and to stand as much as the next man for the sake of peace and a quiet life, and to keep my home together, but I'll be eternally flibbertgibbeted if this isn't too—"

The situation bore so heavily upon Mr. Jobson's spirits that he couldn't finish the sentence. He set to work thinking out schemes whereby he could exhibit his displeasure. He was in two minds as to whether he would receive Mrs. Jobson upon her return with fiery and sarcastic allusions, or greet her with solemn, martyr-like dignity, displaying evidences of grief and disappointment too profound for adequate expression. Mr. Jobson felt very much abused. He looked around to see if there was any note of explanation tacked to the top of the bureau, or resting on the mantel, or stuck in an easel on the piano. There was no note.

"Nope," mused Mr. Jobson, when he had finished his search; "there's not even a line of explanation. Just a plain case of heartless, callous indifference. And after the way I have toiled and moiled—"

The thought was almost too much for Mr. Jobson's composure. He collected himself, however, with a great effort, and decided upon a course to pursue. At first he reflected that it would be a good scheme for him to write a short, jerky note addressed to Mrs. Jobson, stick it up in some prominent place, and then depart for a wild, tumultuous time of it downtown, returning at three o'clock in the morning in a night-liner and an aggressive frame of mind. But he remembered that the last time he had chosen this method of exhibiting his displeasure over a fancied grievance he had hardly been able to drag himself around for a week afterward.

"Too much of a boomerang that way," thought Mr. Jobson, deciding not to have recourse to the tumultuous plan.

"I know just what I'll do!" he suddenly thought, and he proceeded immediately to put his scheme into operation. He took off his coat and elaborately rolled up his sleeves. Then he descended to the basement kitchen. He lighted all the burners in the gas range, coming perilously close to blowing himself to eternity in the operation, and started in to cook dinner for himself. First he dumped about half a pound of coffee into the pot, and, filling it up to the top with water, put it on to boil. Then he dug around for materials wherewith to make himself some corn bread. He ranged all the materials about him on the kitchen table, and within five minutes he was in corn meal, molasses and other things up to his elbows. He put a great many ingredients in the corn meal, and even looked at the Worcestershire sauce and the cayenne pepper. He managed to get the pan into the oven after 30 minutes of exhausting labor, by which time he was a sight, as, in fact, was the whole kitchen. Then Mr. Jobson carefully sharpened the bread knife and hunted

His Way Out.

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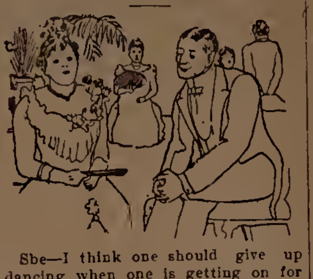
Man builds tall castles! storms sweep by
And blot their towers from the sky:
He digs deep cellars, bound to win,
But, as he triumphs, they cave in!
—Puck.

NOT HAPPILY EXPRESSED.



She—I think one should give up dancing when one is getting on for 30. We none of us grow younger, you know!

He—Ah! Miss Lambkin, you can't say that!—Moonshine.

Compensation.

Here and there, along life's journey,
Facts arise which gloom appease;
For the pump can't help the milkman
When it comes to making cheese.
—Chicago Record.

A Good Reason.

Mrs. Bronxborough—Your cook left you rather suddenly, didn't she?

Mrs. Richmond—Yes. Her best beau wanted to borrow my husband's dress suit, and when my husband refused, the cook left.—N. Y. Journal.

Why Not?

Mr. Doe—Do you give that count who married your daughter a regular allowance?

Mr. Boxe—Oh, yes. You see we bought him on the installment plan.—N. Y. Journal.

One on St. Louis.

Pearl—That St. Louis girl writes that she is in the upper ten. Wonder what she means?

Ruby—She probably means that she is in her No. 10 uppers.—Chicago Daily News.

Previously Damaged.

"Ann, you have broken the nose of this beautiful Venus."

"Yessum—but you needn't think goin' t' pay fer her; her arms chopped off when I come."—Detroit Free Press.

Something After Death.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—Do you believe that death ends all, John?

Mr. Crimsonbeak—Well, no; there's the fight over the will, you know.—Yonkers Statesman.

Era of Universal Peace.

Customer—Have you a copy of "Fifteen Decisive Battles?"

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Similar But Different.

Miles—Where is your friend Jaggs now?

Giles—He's gone to the spirit land.

Miles—Indeed! It's strange I never heard of his demise.

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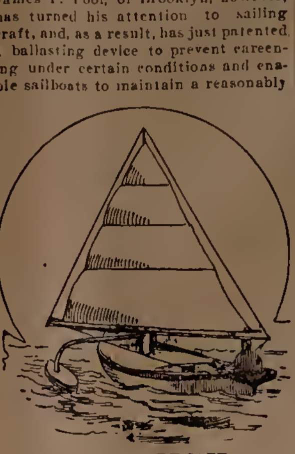

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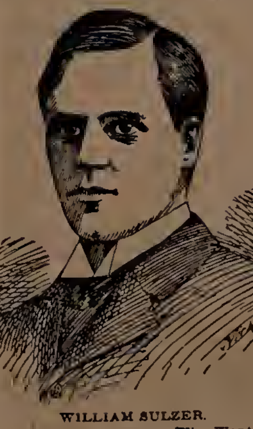
WANTS TO BE LEADER.

Congressman Sulzer, of New York, Ambitious to Succeed to Joseph W. Bailey's Honors.

Among the younger democratic leaders none is more popular than Congressman William Sulzer, of New York. He has for some years played quite an important part in New York city and state politics, and now is ambitious to be minority leader in the national house of representatives. In this position he desires to succeed Joseph W. Bailey, who is likewise a representative of the younger democracy. The truth of the matter is that Mr. Sulzer has been almost as much of a "boy wonder" in politics as the noted Texan. He represents the Eleventh district of New York (a city district). At 21 he was admitted to the bar. At 27 he was elected a member of the New York legislature. This was in 1890, and he continued to serve in that capacity in 1891, 1892, 1893 and 1894. In 1893 he was intrusted with the speakership of the assembly. He was a delegate to the Chicago convention of 1896, and was elected to the Fifty-fourth congress and reelected to the Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth. Should he be chosen in the house he will have no lack of experience. Mr. Sulzer is a loyal Croker man.



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In this way there has come about a race feud which has ended in a war for the control and possession of the Transvaal with its goldfields.—Youth's Companion.

She Knew.

Squildig—"Yankee Doodle" is an absurd song. Who on earth was Macaroni, anyway?

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If you have a cold in your head we have remedies that are not to be sneezed at, as they always prove efficacious and are sure cures for influenza Try our

Syrup Tolu, Tar and Wild Cherry

for your cough and you won't be troubled long Try

HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE.

Will cure a cold in 24 hours.

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WRENTHAM.

Charles W. Follett, aged 83, died at his residence at Wampum Tuesday morning. He leaves a son and daughter. ——Mrs. Benjamin Hawes, who is in her 87th year, is in feeble health.——The citizens' caucus was held in the banquet room last Wednesday night H. A. Cowell was chosen chairman and David T Stone, secretary. The same old board of officers were nominated, with H. V. Hall as tax collector in place of L. F. Mendell who died last week ——The sewing circle of Trinity church met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Osgood Page.——A delegation from The Little Wanderers' Home will sing at the Congregationalist church next Sunday morning.——A new club of ladies, called the Sunlight club, has been formed to meet once a week in the afternoon and play whist. Five o'clock tea is served ——Lewis Fisher has moved into W. H. Fuller's tenement, off Dedham street.——Miss Charlotte Hawes, the well-known musical critic of Boston, is visiting at her home on East street.

Both Were Sold.

Wife (bitterly)—You deceived me when you married me.

Husband—I did more than that. I deceived myself.—Tit-Bits.

Reversed.

"When duty calls us we must go,"
Would seem as plain as day.
Yet many people don't think so—
They go the other way.
—Brooklyn Life.

A Frightful Blunder.

Will often cause a horrible Burn, Scald Cut or Bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures Old Sores, Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns, all skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. On 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co. Druggists.

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Her New Coat.

She is charming in her natty golfing suit.
She is charming in her graceful evening gown,
But in candor I must say
That her charms had fled away
When I saw her yesterday
In a box coat that was cut straight up and down.
—Chicago Times-Herald.

Hood's Pills

Are prepared from Nature's mild laxatives, and while gentle are reliable and efficient. They

Rouse the Liver

Cure Sick Headache, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, and Constipation. Sold everywhere, 25c. per box.

Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

NORFOLK.

The attendance at town meeting was small and only 68 votes were cast. The following town officers were elected: Moderator, Nathan H. Fales; selectmen, overseers of poor and board of health, John F. Wall, Frank O. Pierce, William E. Mann; town clerk and treasurer, Silas E. Fales; school committee for three years, John E. Fales; assessors of taxes, William W. Gove, Austin E. Greene, Nathan H. Rockwood; road commissioner for three years, Elmer E. Ware; trustee of public library for three years, John R. F. Love; tree warden, Andrew R. Jones; collector of taxes, John E. Fales; constables, William E. Mann, Orlando McKenzie, George F. Pierce, Andrew R. Jones, George B. Sims, Willard C. Putnam; auditors, William M. Gallagher, Henry W. Thayer, Eugene E. Codding; license, yes 10, no 40. The following appropriations were made: Schools $1700, school books $225, transportation of scholars $650, mileage to higher grade scholars $100, highways $1500, paupers $1500, public library $100, memorial services $50, general expenses $1600, security bonds for treasurer and collector $60, electric lighting from City Mills to Danville road $60, house for ladder truck $500, reducing grade on hill in road near Highland Lake $225.

His Experience.

"Have you ever played football?" she asked.

"No," he replied, "but when I was a cowboy I was once run over by a herd of stampeded steers."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Coffee for Breakfast.

Doctor—Dyspepsia, eh! You want to drink a cup of hot water first thing every morning.

Patient—I always do. My boarding mistress invariably serves coffee for breakfast.—Philadelphia Record.

Better Than Love Drops.

Miss Long—In this cold and practical age nobody seems to have the least confidence in love potions.

Mr. Quick—No; diamonds have been found infinitely more potent.—Jewelers' Weekly.

On the Boulevard.

First Bicyclist—Mamma says I must not get engaged to every Tom, Dick and Harry I meet.

Second Bicyclist—Oh, that's all right My name is Bob, you know.—Judge.

A Slow Process.

Nodd—Has your boy got over his college course yet?

Todd—Not yet. I imagine it will be some years before he learns to treat me as an equal.—Broklyn Life.

Quite Right.

The Gossip—When two or three are gathered together—

The Guyer—Then Heaven help their friends'—Puck.

SHORT SALE OF LONG RUGS

While they last now in progress at the bargain headquarters near the Post Office.

SMYRNA RUGS,

6 by 9 ft., 3 yds. long by 2 yds. wide, reduced in price from

$10.00 to $7.75, size 6x9
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A dozen patterns from which to select today, fewer tomorrow and fewer each day following until closed out.

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Lowest Prices Ever Known

Were reached this season in Garment making. You will be surprised next autumn at the prices you will have to pay. Every item of material is steadily advancing and labor comes in for a ten or twenty per cent. advance. That must be added to this season's price. When we offer Ladies', Misses' and Children's Garments at less than half this season's price it should mean something to careful purchasers.

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $7.50 to $9.00, now **$4.25.**

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $5.00 to $6.00, now **$3.25.**

Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, were from $4.00 to $5.00, now **$2.25.**

Misses' Jackets, were $2.25, now **98c.**

Marston Sanborn,

POST OFFICE BLOCK.

Agent for New Idea Patterns, 10c.
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BUTTONS MADE FROM YOUR OWN CLOTH.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector; Rev. M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "When Knighthood Was In Flower" Vesper service at 5; by request Dr. Hodge will again speak on "Some Conditions of the Immortal Life." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 Rev. Frank B. Sleeper, pastor. Theme, "The After Thought and the After Work." Sunday school at 12 Young People's meeting at 5 45. Preaching at 7; third in series on "The Prodigal Son," theme, "The Prodigal's Repentance and Return." Short after service in vestry.

Congregational church—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, at 10.30; subject, "The Song of Songs" Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E at 6. Special missionary service on India. Evening service at 7; address by pastor, "Some Timely Lessons from the Life of Mr. Ray." Chorus choir.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor. Sermon will be one of a series on the general subject: "Lessons from Some Characteristic Incidents in the Life of Christ." Special subject: "The Second Coming of Christ." Junior league at 3. Epworth league at 6 Evening service at 7; subject, The Conquering Christ, or The Attraction of the Cross."

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending March 7, 1900:

Ladies — Miss Sarah Richard, Miss Maggie Ross, M. E. Salisbury.

Gentlemen—Wm. M. Frost, Franklin Woolen Mills, D. F Hussey, A. C. Long, Walter McCullen, Rev. H. C. McDougall, Fredi Moris, Richard Peterson, Rev. W. S. Richardson, Charles Smith, Henry Thibodeau, C. C. Willier, John McLelaud.

"The Strength of Twenty Men."

When Shakespeare employed this phrase he referred, of course, to healthy, able-bodied men. If he had lived in these days he would have known that men and women who are not healthy may become so by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine, by making the blood rich and pure and giving good appetite and perfect digestion, imparts vitality and strength to the system.

The non irritating cathartic— Hood's Pills.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

How Are Your Kidneys?

Dr Hobbs' Sparagus Pills cure all kidney ills. Sample free. Add. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.

Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

Another Man Made Happy.

Harry—I have about decided not to get married next month.

Herbert—What's the matter, old man? Getting shaky?

Harry—No; but I don't want to bother about the groceries.

Herbert—Oh, that is easy enough. All you have to do is to have the **FALES** order team call and your wife won't have a particle of bother about the amount or the quality of the goods.

Harry—That's all right, and it's just what I'll do. Much obliged.

Try FALES, the Grocer.

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Experienced Hands in both Hardening and Fulling Departments of a large Felt Mill. Steady work; good wages.

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AGENTS WANTED.

Liberal contracts to intelligent men of good character and address. Can earn in commissions from $3000 upwards per year by applying to Wm. F. Bache, Gen'l Agt. NORTHWESTERN MUT. LIFE INS. CO., 7 Water st., Boston, Mass., from 9 to 10 A. M.; from 12 to 1 P. M.

ANNUAL STATEMENT JANY. 1, 1900.

Assets	$126,645,728.45
Liabilities	121,112,030.71
Surplus	5,534,697.74
Insurance in force	$497,606,125.00

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One Simple Request.

CURE THAT COLD BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE.

A neglected cold or cough may and probably will kill the sufferer. Is it right, therefore, to neglect it? You can cure it in a very short time by promptly using

Comp. Syrup White Pine and Tar
And KOLD KILLER.

They never fail to relieve in a very short time. Try them.

ALBERT C. MASON, Druggist.

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Small Profits...

AS FOLLOWS:

Flannelette Wrappers,	75c
Flanelette Night Robes,	50c

SPECIAL VALUE IN WHITE DOMET REMNANTS, **5c.** Yard.

Butterick's Patterns.

N. C. NYE,
FLETCHER BLOCK.

WHERE YOU SHOULD TRADE

Is where you can save on a purchase enough to enable you to procure another. This can be done by you as well as others if you take advantage of trading with the **Leaders of Low Prices.** Hesitate no longer; delays are dangerous. Trade here with the **Originators of Low Prices.**

GENUINE TRADES.

1-2 lb. tin Cocoa	15	1 lb. Common Crackers	5
1-2 can Chocolates	15	3 1-quart bottles Catsup	25
20 oz. tin Baking Powder	10	3 bottles Worcestershire Sauce	25
Fine Eating Potatoes, bush.	75		
Package Shredded Codfish	5	15 Fancy Naval Oranges	25
Chocolate Creams, lb	12½		

FOR THE BOYS.--Given away, FREE, a Silver Watch, Chain and Charm with 12 packages of Blueing. This is an opportunity for all the boys to own a watch. Entire deal for this occasion, $1.10.

Bresnahan Grocery Co.

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Turkeys, Chickens, Fowls, Etc.

16c. to 18c.

EVERYTHING AT

CHILSON'S.

Assignee's Sale.

Now is the time to buy your Winter stock of Groceries of the finest quality and at the lowest prices in town.

Sugar, 19 lbs. for $1.

Light Brown Sugar, 21 lbs. for $1.

Fancy Ponce Porto Rico Molasses, never sold before less than 50c gallon, now 40c gallon.

Fancy New Orleans Molasses, always sold at 60c gallon, now 50c gallon.

Good dark Molasses, 30c gallon.

Pure Maple Syrup, 25c quart.

Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.

Boiled cider, quart bottles, 20c.

5 lb. can Java and Mocha Coffee, 90c.

The best 50c, Tea 40c.

The best 60c Tea, 50c.

Fancy Table London Layer Raisins, 20c lb.

Four Crown loose Raisins, 12c lb.

Gilt Edge Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c lb.

Fancy Ribbon Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Chocolatea, 15c lb.

Lowney's 40c goods now 35c.

We carry the finest quality Butter cut from the tub, 1 lb. prints, 5 lb. boxes, 10, 20 and 50 lb. tubs, at the lowest prices, quality considered.

J. P. Squire's Pure Lard, 8c lb.

10 lb. pails Lard, full weight, 75c.

J. P. Squire's Pure Leaf Lard in 5 lb. pails, 50c.

Mixed Nuts, English Walnuts, Oranges and Lemons in stock at the lowest prices.

Come in and leave your order with us and get the best for the least money.

Gentlemanly Dealing and Prompt Delivery is Our Motto.

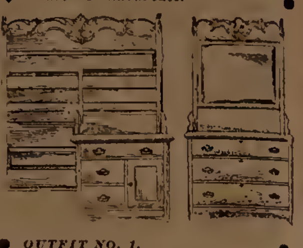
McKinnon's Grocery Store,

CENTRAL SQUARE.

H. E. RUGGLES, Assignee.

Chamber Outfits

Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted. Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.



OUTFIT NO. 1.
This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.
$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 2.
This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs, rocker, table; mattress, spring bed and toilet set.
$32—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 3.
This outfit is made up with one of our most popular selling chamber suits, including the 2 chairs, rocker, table, mattress, woven wire spring bed and toilet set.
$35—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

The Weeks Furniture Co.,

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Orders leave Franklin at 8.05 and 9 a.m. Goods returned by freight at 2.30 same day.

Franklin Office at Razee & Son's old stand, Post Office Block.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.

FRANKLIN, February 23, A. D. 1900.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

TUESDAY, the TWENTY-SEVENTH day of MARCH, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse Block, in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Hugh Lyons of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the fifth day of December, A. D. 1899, at two o'clock in the afternoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process) in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land situated on the corner of West and Alder streets, in the westerly part of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, containing about 40 acres, more or less, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at the northeasterly corner of the premises at the corner of said West and Alder streets; thence running westerly on the line of said Alder street to land of E. L. and O. F. Metcalf; thence southerly and westerly to land of Charles Wight; thence southerly by land of said Wight to land of Cyrus M. Hill; thence easterly by land of said Hill to West street; thence northerly by said West street to land of the heirs of Luther Daniels, deceased; thence westerly, northerly and easterly by land of said heirs to said West street; thence northerly on said West street to the corner first mentioned, being the same premises conveyed by John Bradley to Hugh Lyons by deed dated April 10, 1878, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 509, page 309.

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
Deputy Sheriff.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Nancy J. Roper, late of Medway, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by James A. Snow of Medway, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of March, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this 26th day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

mh2,9,16 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John McGinnis, late of Norfolk, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

AUSTIN E. GREENE,
Administrator.

Address: City Mills.
Feb. 12, 1900.

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Herman M Fisher 1Jan00

The Franklin Sentinel.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	8.40 "
Boston and East	8.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Town meeting Monday evening.

Mrs. George Keefe of Pond street is ill with pneumonia.

Bert Sheldon is improving and expects to be home on Saturday.

Dr. Stetson's funeral will be held at Lexington, at 3 o'clock, Wednesday.

Division 8, A. O. H., has voted not to parade in Woonsocket on St. Patrick's day.

The King's Daughters will meet with Miss Linna Ferrer of Ruggles street this evening.

Don't forget the William M. Thayer school benefit Friday evening at the Horace Mann hall.

Clifton Emerson expects to be located at Slatersville in the employ of the new flax concern there.

Don't fail to attend the fancy sale and entertainment at Odd Fellows' hall Friday evening, March 16.

The clock in the tower of the Congregational church has been repaired and once more sounds forth the hour of day.

Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath preaches this evening in Milford at the Congregational church, where revival services are being held.

Dr. John S. Stetson, well known here, died at the Everett hospital in Boston on Sunday of diabetes. An obituary will appear on Friday.

The infant son of Joseph Moreau died last Friday and the funeral was held Sunday afternoon, the interment being in St. Mary's cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Calkin were called to Franklin, N. H., last week to attend the funeral of his brother's wife. They return tomorrow.

The Rev. F. A. Bisbee, D. D., editor of the Universalist Leader, will preach at the Universalist Lenten service Thursday evening, at 7.30.

Col. George W. Nason was unable to attend the meeting of Franklin post last evening in consequence of being again confined to the house with the grip.

Owing to the town meeting on Monday evening, March 19, the meeting of the Farmers' club will be on Tuesday evening, March 20, with Horatio Metcalf, Sheldonville.

C. M. Allen addressed the grange at Millis very interestingly last Wednesday evening on "Farming as a business, with profits compared with those of other occupations."

The estate of James Mahon has been appraised at $2,184.25 and Bridget Mahon has been allowed $384 from the personal estate left by her deceased husband, James Mahon.

The children are working hard on their part of the program for the picture benefit at the Wm. M. Thayer school. Of course you will encourage them by a large attendance.

The school committee has organized with Dr. Ambrose J. Gallison chairman and W. A. Wyckoff secretary. Silas W. Nickerson and N. E. Newell were appointed truant officers and N. E. Newell census enumerator.

The suicide of L. F. Mendell, former tax collector of Wrentham, is believed to have been due to a shortage in accounts, alleged to be about $4,500. A number of Franklin people were acquainted with him.

The committee of fifteen will meet on Thursday evening at 7.30 at the selectmen's rooms, when they will be pleased to hear from persons interested in any of the articles of the warrant to be acted upon next Monday evening.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church will meet in the parlor Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A "Pussy-Will-Oh" supper will be served at 6.30; tickets usual price. Social and entertainment in the evening.

Mrs. Willard Wilcox died at her late home on Alpine street Friday. She had been ill with consumption for the past two years. She was forty-eight years old. The funeral was held Monday, the interment being at City Mills.

"Personally, we are acquainted with the 'white man's burden,'" Papa Hampton, of the Kingston (Mo.) Mercury, confidingly informs readers. "Its average weight is about ten pounds, but it gets heavier about two o'clock a. m."

Franklin Woman's Relief corps will hold an Easter sale of useful and fancy articles on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, April 10 and 11. On Tuesday evening supper will be served from 6.30 to 8 o'clock. Wednesday evening dancing from 10 to 12 o'clock.

Although 1,000 copies of the Town Report were printed, yet that number was insufficient, as some persons must have taken more than they were entitled to. Persons having spare copies are requested by the Selectmen to return them to the town officers' rooms.

The senior class of the High school have prepared a dramatic entertainment to be given Friday evening, March 23, in the Horace Mann building. Music will be furnished by the High school orchestra, and two plays, "A Chinese Dummy" and "A Rank Deception" will be given.

The postmaster general has perfected a plan to sell postage stamps in book form. Two cent stamps will be offered for sale in books of twelve stamps at twenty five cents. The books will be of a size convenient to slip into the vest pocket, with wax paper between the stamps.

The matter of having one man keep all the books for all the boards of town officers is being agitated in Millbury and other places upon the claim that it would make the work of auditing the books much easier, and better for the officials. The same idea is being advanced in Westboro.

Capt. J. B. Crocker went to New York yesterday and will sail from there to Galveston, Texas, with coal. Before coming home he may take freight across to Florida, and from some point then find a charter home to New York or Boston. He expects to be about three months on the trip.

The Young People's society have provided a most pleasing entertainment in the Universalist chapel for tomorrow evening, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, etc. Miss Kimberly, the famous flutist from Boston, who has been heard here, will also play. An admission of 15 cents will be charged.

Fifteen years ago the present March as one of the sober-minded citizens recalls the weather, the temperature fell to zero, where it remained several days with a foot or more of snow upon the ground. It was the coldest part of the winter and such weather as brought to mind the saying, "Going out like a lion.

There are two methods of extending the water works to Unionville, and either is a matter of considerable expense. One is to extend the pipe and pump direct from the pumping station, and the other to supply from the standpipe. The latter method would require more tearing up of the streets than the former.

The regular Friday evening meeting at the Methodist church is changed to Thursday evening for this week only. An interesting service, evangelistic in character, will be held, to which a general invitation is extended. The pastor will preach a short sermon; subject, "The Church's Call to Those Who Are Without."

Owing to the condition of St. Mary's church the school rooms in the basement have been closed. The teachers in these rooms are Sisters Mary Agnes, Euphemia and Sabina. The scholars will continue their studies as soon as the rooms in the new building can be arranged for their accommodation, which will probably take eight or ten days.

The Epworth league will hold a sale of fancy articles, also aprons, sofa pillows, home-made candy, cake and ice cream in Odd Fellows' hall Friday, March 16. A fine entertainment of home and out-of-town talent has been provided, also twelve young people will tell "Why they were never married." Doors open at 3 o'clock. Entertainment begins at 3.

Representatives of the National Flax Fibre company were at Slatersville again last week looking over the mill property. A gentleman familiar with the situation says that the price the concern above mentioned agreed to pay for the Slatersville property is $162,000, and that $10,000 has been deposited to bind the deal and as a forfeit in case the option is not taken up.

A stranger without money or friends was found suffering with a chill on Main street Friday afternoon by Officer Connor. The latter brought the man to a physician, who pronounced the case one of malaria, and after the doctor prescribed for him the officer put the stranger in the care of Overseer of the Poor Reed, who had him cared for at the poor farm.

The N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad company is making a record of poles and wires along their line which are used by companies or individuals for telephone telegraph or other electrical purposes with a view, it is surmised, of requiring rental if on railroad property. In this vicinity that question of railroad bounds, however, is one of those things that are hard to find out.

The selectmen met Saturday evening and organized with J. Cushing Gallison as chairman. Nelson E. Newell was chosen secretary for the board. Several applications for appointment were received and laid on the table for future consideration. It was voted to employ L. J. Morrissey to keep the sewer in condition. A partial number of special policemen and other minor officers were appointed, and the list will be published Friday.

Christian Endeavorers will be interested to know that Rev. F. E. Clark and Mrs. Clark and son, have been heard from several times since reaching Japan. They stopped at Honolulu on the way, but were not allowed to land nor receive anyone on board, because of the bubonic plague. There was a crowd of Christian Endeavorers on the wharf to greet them, and as the vessel sailed away the company on the wharf sang "God be with you till we meet again," which was heard some distance out to sea.

Rev. Dr. Perrin of the Everyday church in Boston has been heard here a number of times and always with pleasure. His little daughter objected to going to sleep in the dark, so he spent half an hour or so in explaining to her how God's love and care surrounds us in darkness as well as light, and then, bidding her goodnight, started to leave the room. At once came the little voice: "Oh, papa, I don't want to be left in the dark." "But, Dorothy dear, I have told you how God is with us at all times." "Yes, papa, but I'd rather have gas than God."

Rev. John B. Koehne of Chicago will begin a course of six lectures on Friday evening, in the Congregational church, upon "The Nazarene, or the Reasonableness of Christianity," to which all are invited. The admission is free. Mr. Koehne is a "vigorous combination of scholar, poet, philosopher, orator and prophet." He interests large audiences wherever he goes, and those who hear him once desire to hear him again. This week he will speak on "The Preparations for Christianity Through the Gentile World." Come and hear him.

The recount of votes for assessors took place on Saturday evening in the town officers' room, and the second count showed no change in the result as between Lawrence J. Kelly and William Rockwood, although Mr. Kelly, with two of the leading candidates, gained one vote, while James O. Chilson gained two votes. The work of recounting the ballots was begun at 7.30 and was not completed until 11 o'clock. George W. Wiggin was present in the interest of Mr. Rockwood and Henry E. Ruggles represented Mr. Kelly. The counting was done by the board of registrars, composed of O. T. Doe, James W. Deemond, John B. Collins and Bradley M. Rockwood.

Lovers of base ball will be interested to know that the principal changes in the base ball rules this season are to the effect that a batsman no longer gets a base on a balk, but only the base runner, and the rubber home plate will be turned so as to squarely face the pitcher and catcher, instead of being diamond shape as heretofore. It was thought that the umpires would find less difficulty in gauging the delivery of a pitcher by this innovation and there would be less kicking about the calling of balls and strikes. This change will work to the manifest disadvantage of pitchers, as the effectiveness of their work lays in "cutting the corners," and fewer strikeouts will result.

Mr. Partridge, who is a member of the American Brass Band Veteran association, attended the funeral of the late D. W. Reeves yesterday. The band and veterans met at the residence, on Doyle avenue, at 9 o'clock, and after short services escorted the remains to the First Baptist church on North Main street. The casket was opened and for one hour there was a steady stream of people passing through the church to take a last look at the dead band master. Services were conducted by Rev. Dr. King and by the Calvary commandery, Knights Templars. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful, among which were 200 bride roses from John Philip Sousa. The full National band of Providence escorted the remains to Swan Point cemetery, his last resting place.

One by One.

The funeral of the late Sabin Hubbard was held from his residence on Central street on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Sneath officiating. The services were in charge of King David lodge, I. O. O. F., and quite a generous representation were present. The remains were interred in the Union street cemetery.

He had been sick but a short time, as he was about the street the Friday before his death, but was taken sick that night. His disease, erysipelas, was exceedingly painful, at times seeming more than he could bear, requiring the attention of three persons to minister to him. Death only brought relief.

Mr. Hubbard was one of Franklin's oldest and most respected citizens, born here June 20, 1823. He was the eldest son of Elisha and Amelia (Turner) Hubbard. He was married March 24, 1847, to Almira, youngest daughter of Asa and Polly Ball Sargent. His entire life has been spent here, with the exception of a couple of years which he spent in Woonsocket, where he pursued his vocation as carpenter and builder.

For many years Mr. Hubbard lived on the Holbrook farm, now the property of E. K. Ray, but later built a house on Central street, where he had resided for the past twenty years. When engaged in box making he for a time had the saw mill and box factory which stood on Depot street and afterwards burned and also rented for a year or two the Metcalf mill that was burned two years ago.

He was never prominent in politics, though he served his party and his town on several boards of overseers and assessors. In 1883 he represented this district in the legislature. He joined King David lodge at its institution in 1878, and remained actively interested in its affairs till his death. The prosperity of the lodge and the order was ever near his heart, passing through the various offices here and into the Grand lodge. He was the secretary of the lodge here for many years, until the infirmities of age compelled him to lay down the burden.

He leaves a widow and two sons, Adin S., an instructor in the Providence Bryant & Stratton's business college, and Ernest E., in the real estate business in Boston. Two brothers also survive him, Capt. William E. Hubbard of Woonsocket and J. G. Hubbard of Derry, N. H.

A Timely Discourse.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper at the Baptist church last Sunday forenoon gave an important sermon on "The After Thought and the After Work." He spoke of the splendid victory gained at our last town meeting for no-license. Yet the work is not ended. Our great success will prove our saddest defeat if we rest easy on our arms assured that the prize is forever ours. Pure and undefiled religion is needed in our shops, on our streets and in our homes. There is an evil that slinks and grovels and will run like a coward before the searching light. We need brave men for integrity and for nobility of speech acceptable unto God. It is easy to drift with the world in their coarseness and reckless slang. But that is not religion. The divine pureness of Jesus Christ should be in every word and action. If not, we shall transform the young men and boys into infidels and unworthy citizens and haters of God. The curfew law is needed in two places: (1) In the home. If fully and sweetly carried out there then every possible requirement will be met. (2) Upon the streets. There are homes that are careless, and worse. And no greater evil can be visited on this noble town so free from roughness than street education at night.

Benefit Entertainment.

At the Horace Mann hall, Friday evening next, a concert will be given to provide pictures for Mr. Frazer's and Miss Reilly's rooms. The first part will be rendered by some of the pupils of Miss Reilly's and Mr. Frazer's classes. There will be chorus, duet and solo singing and recitations, closing with the short dialogue, "Mice at Play." The second part will be furnished by Dr. Hodge, Ray Wyckoff, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Tompson, the Misses Bly, Misses Gould, Whiting and Ferrer. They have kindly consented to give their services, and with such talent the entertainment cannot fail to be a success.

Will you not encourage us by your presence in our work of making the school rooms attractive and helpful places for the children of Franklin? Tickets are only twenty cents and are on sale by the pupils. They also can be purchased at the door. Doors open at 7 o'clock; entertainment commences at 7.45 sharp. Come and you will feel repaid. S.

Half-Hour Trips.

The Woonsocket electrics will run on Saturday at half-hour intervals, commencing at 8.15 a. m. and continuing till 11.15 p. m., when the last car will leave Woonsocket for the car barn. On Sunday the cars will also leave on half-hour time, commencing at 12.15 p. m. This will accommodate the public as the pleasanter days come on.

IN THE WAKE OF THE SWALLOWS.

Biltmore and Asheville, N. C.—A Sky Flight.

KENILWORTH INN, BILTMORE.
February, 1900.

Have you ever noticed the sunset dance of the swallows? As dark draws on they circle and swing, balance and meet, dip and sway, leap and fall, in wonderful entanglements of graceful motion! I could but think of this as the upward flight of the train lifted us over the peaks and valleys, hills and hollows, gorges and pinnacles, tunnels and trestles that make up the amazing approach to this "strip of herbage sown" in the wilderness of huge mountains and forests of North Carolina!

I have traveled somewhat, but not even in the grand, the stupendous stretches of the Rockies, have I seen more interesting features of landscape than between Salisbury and Asheville. At one point the train travels nine miles to advance three, and we look back again and again upon the track, wondering and not believing our own eyes as we see the steel loops glistening below and the snow white fountain of a beautiful geyser spring leaping into the air like a rocket only to tumble in a snowy cascade fifty feet below. The interest of the trip alone is well worth the coming, but the arrival is a crowning satisfaction both to body and soul.

This great castle-like caravansary is like a home and a place of well being, for its situation precludes the idea of illness, care, or the remembrance of the outer world of weary things. It is on a high eminence, the very center of all the breezes that blow clean and clear from mountain ranges on every side; sheltered from heavy winds, yet "set tip-toe upon a little hill," with Keats "a thing of beauty and a joy forever."

For who can deny a joy to the soul that can love God for his beauty, when the eye, turning north-east, sees blue Mount Mitchell looming in solitary grandeur many hundred feet higher than Mount Washington, surrounded by a body-guard of sentinel mountains but little lower than himself; or southward, Pisgah, which lifts its glory above the grand estate of Biltmore, whose palace-like walls rise in stately assurance that America has begun to place here and there, evidences of her wealth, her artistic discrimination and her substantial enterprise, in homes that shall descend to many unborn generations.

Westward "the great Smoky Mountains," made immortal in literature by the pen of Charles Egbert Craddock, hold for an instant the setting sun upon their sturdy shoulders, while at the same moment, opposite, over the Blue Ridge, the moon, pale with jealousy, rises to shine above his going.

Billows of forests everywhere, broken on every hill by beautiful residences, attest the constantly growing popularity of this vicinity as a health resort in winter—an escape from the severities of a northern climate, or a cure for those disorders bred in cities. Nature in the fullest scope of hills, rivers and forests, airs and waters clarified by distance from great manufactories or smoky centres, lures the tourist to become a visitor and then a resident, until half of the little thriving city of Asheville is made up of charming homes, surrounded by those evidences of good taste which bespeak culture as well as means.

We Northerners are rapidly finding out why such gentlemen as have lavished millions within a fifty mile range, should have come so far from the centre of civilization to spend time, thought and unlimited resources upon what we had dreamed to be a wild and unattractive country! It proves to be in all respects an ideal spot—so beautiful and healthful that strenuous efforts are being made to induce congress to take five hundred thousand acres for an "Appalachian National Park," thus preserving to the people the forests and their denizens, and to bring nearer to the East a national play ground, that which not even the

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Every Precaution Taken.

Prof. Peirce has sent out the following: "Dean academy will reopen Tuesday, March 20, and will continue in session till the close of the school year in June. The one case of scarlet fever which caused the earlier vacation proved very mild, and the patient has fully recovered and is now at her home. No cases have been reported among students who returned to their homes. Wishing to use every precaution we have thought best to extend the vacation a few days beyond the ordinary time, so that there may be absolutely no danger of any other case.

"Every precaution known to the best experts has been taken, under the direction of competent authority, to thoroughly fumigate and disinfect the school buildings, so that every germ of the disease may be destroyed. Parents can be assured with confidence of complete safety in the return of pupils."

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea-food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far a possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

MR. EDITOR:—Are our children growing up profane? Passing a group of lads coming home from school the other day, I was horrified at hearing the profanity which was uttered, though I could not tell by whom. Every parent should find out if their children use profane language. It has been said that "Profanity is not necessary to make language effective. It is the weapon of the coward and bully. Profane language is going out of fashion, and in the same manner as the drinking of intoxicants is decreasing. Public opinion is the public conscience. When public opinion as to profanity becomes more refined, profanity will cease to be. Training the conscience of the rising generation to perceive the evil of profane language will help a great deal. B.

The Shut-Ins.

Verily, we agree with Uncle Silas that the quarantine business and everything connected with it is funny. It is amusing, as well as ridiculous, to see the care with which the butcher, the baker and the candlestick maker approaches a quarantined house to leave his wares. He reaches eagerly after the money, being very careful not to touch the hand extended toward him. Then speeds away to the next customer there telling them that he has not been inside the door of the quarantined house, and at the same time perhaps making change with the money taken from the infected house. V.

Lessons from Life.

Rev. Mr. Sneath spoke on Sunday evening to a large audience upon "Some Timely Lessons from the Life of Mr. Ray." He said: Franklin has given to the history of literature three names, Emmons, Mann, Thayer. It has also given a name to the history of business, the name of Ray. The death of Mr. Joseph G. Ray should leave three forceful lessons upon the minds of the young men of Franklin. First, the lesson of diligence. The Bible does not sanction laziness. Mr. Ray was "diligent in his business." So should all business men be. This is the age of "hustle." It should be the aim of all young men to be at the front and not at the rear of the business procession. Second, Mr. Ray was interested in the material, intellectual and moral welfare of Franklin. He was a leader in many movements. Upon whose shoulders will his mantle fall? It is a time for young men to interest themselves for the welfare of our community. There were grounds of encouragement for aggressive movements. By cooperative methods the young men could increase the business welfare of our town. It may require some sacrifice, some venture, but the efforts ought to be made.

Third, what is to be done should and must be done now. Life is uncertain. The time may not be ours later, and whatever planning is done should be done in connection with God. Men should plan for the spiritual as well as the material welfare of a community. The churches of Franklin should be supported by the young men. They are the conserving forces of the moral and spiritual welfare, and "what shall it profit a man if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul. I appeal to the young men to join with others who have already entered the work to push forward zealously the material and spiritual welfare of our beloved town.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Found—A chiffon ruche for the neck. SENTINEL office.

Girl wanted for store work. Apply at Fisher's candy store. 18

Bring your work to the White Star laundry, rear Dana block, for best work. 6tf

For Sale—A good oak roller-top desk. Call and examine at Sanborn's dry goods store. 2tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

A few cords of dry walnut wood; also oak, chestnut and pine dry under sheds, at Allen's wood yard.

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

White Plymouth Rocks, also White Wyandottes eggs for hatching. Fifty cents per sitting. W. E. Corbett. m9,6t

Potted plants and cut flowers; all kinds of funeral work made up; special rates for all societies in town. Slade's Greenhouse, Central street, Franklin, Mass. P. O. Box 179. 2T

Mrs. Charles Rand is meeting with excellent success in selling the "Life of Moody, the Chapman edition. Before this was published Mr. Moody's son wrote Mr. Chapman that he considered him just the man to write of his father, as they had been associated so long. Although the son has also written a book his relations with Mr. Chapman are still cordial and pleasant. Mrs. Rand will call and show the book if you desire.

Having relinquished my Boston business, I can hereafter be found at my office daily from 8 to 6 o'clock.
DR. M. E. POND.

Oobee, the barber, will call at the house to do shampooing. Drop a postal to box 210 or call at his shop.

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IN THE WAKE OF THE SWALLOWS.

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Yellowstone could in many respects claim advantages, and which, instead of being 2,500 miles at least from the "Hub of the Universe," or a little less from New York, could be reached from that latter city in twenty-four hours. For a letter posted me at Madison Square yesterday, at 2 o'clock, reached me at this hotel at 2 o'clock today!

Asheville, a congregation of 12,000 inhabitants, nestles in a sort of cup a mile or two away and presents some astonishing features to the traveler. It reminds me somewhat of my feelings when I arrived at Golden, Colorado, which after a series of similar loops and whirls, flights and bird like liftings of the railway came into sight—a city in the hollow of huge hills, out of sight and bearing of the world, a nun, a novice, an innocent village maiden, one would suppose—but no! Bless me! Exquisite costumes, fine equipages, tigers and footmen, dainty and elegant women, very finely tailored men, shops that would not look out of place on Broadway, and here, for instance, a window full of gems!

These prove to be native North Carolina gems, mined in Mount Mitchell, and so new, so rare in color and quality that they are pronounced hardly inferior to the superb green demantoids of Siberia. They are garnets, but of a true rose or rhododendron hue, so different from the ordinary garnet that they have been given the scientific name of rhodolite, and are an utterly new variety, brilliant, hard and of so rich shades that I can see no preference between them and the ruby.

Here we find very substantial and wholly modern business buildings and many public buildings wholly up to date, while the trolley, electrics and the other necessities of our life of today are all provided. Probably the great attraction to many will always be the drive to Biltmore, the Vanderbilt estate, and the inspection of its 125,000 acres, containing not only the splendid residence so often described, but forty miles of the most perfect driveways, a dairy with cattle whose pedigrees are longer than many a lord who carries off a rich American girl as a prize and who have themselves won unnumbered prizes; the stables where speed and breeding, beauty and intelligence have won the approval of the master of horse to this American esquire. Again, the piggeries are by no means to be neglected, since here is the proof that pigs do not love dirt and are as self-respecting an animal as any and as fond of a bath as a duck. The guests of this house are supplied with fresh tomatoes, cucumbers, radishes, peas and early strawberries from the truck farm and hot houses of the Vanderbilt estate, while the rich cream, poultry and many other supplies have proved a really lucrative investment for this "fancy farmer."

Magnificent stretches of scenery are ever present from any point in this princely domain, and around it is growing up the village of Biltmore, arranged in cottages that may be had at a very reasonable price, or in villas, chalets or more expensive residences for the "better to do." These are the natural extension of the great enterprises which are emanating from a wise young head and a free hand, and from the kindly and admiring expression of people about I fancy they are deeply appreciated.

We find the amusements here, for both in and out of doors, of the most varied character. Every one seems in gay spirits. Every one seems busy. The golf links are extremely interesting and call for clever play as they run around the hills and give a new inspiration at every tee. Horseback riding is ideal and the young ladies with their escorts or grooms canter away every morning. The short skirt and alpen stock are in evidence, as mountain climbing is in great favor, for there are twenty-five points to gain from this center.

But to return to a still higher flight—up to the thought of the grandeur and greatness to be seen here, there and everywhere in our noble country. If Americans wish to see the world let them view it from the top of an American mountain first. There is no foreign peak that will invoke nobler memories or lift them to more exalted aspirations than those which rise above the splendid landscapes of their native land.

CORA LINN DANIELS.

"He That Any Good Would Win"

Should have good health. Pure, rich blood is the first requisite. Hood's Sarsaparilla, by giving good blood and good health, has helped many a man to success, besides giving strength and courage to women who, before taking it, could not even see any good in life to win.

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Never Disappoints

We try to get as near as possible to the man who drinks the Coffee.

To find the best coffee in this country a woman needs only two qualties. She can use a dozen, but she can do it on only two. They are Intelligence and Courage.

Ten women have intelligence and no courage where one has courage and no intelligence. Courage is really what the average woman needs if she wants coffee way up in G.

Now it doesn't require much courage to buy a pound of Chase & Sanborn's High Grade Coffee if you set about it right. The grocer will give it to you in a parchment-lined bag with our seal and signature attesting its high quality. You have really only to drink it.

Even here you run no risk. The man who ate the first oyster took terrible chances. But the only chance you will take is the probability that never again will you be willing to drink any other kind of coffee.

Even then, you will thank us. Ask your grocer for a pound of this coffee to-day.

CYANIDE'S ATTRACTION.

Those Who Handle the Deadly Drug Are Drawn Almost Irresistibly to Swallow It.

"Just now we are engaged in the making of tons of cyanide of potassium," said a member of a firm of manufacturing chemists, "and of all poisons, this, to my mind, is the most dangerous, because of a singular quality it possesses. It is in appearance so very attractive to those who handle it that they are often seized with an almost overwhelming desire to eat it. To one man it probably suggests sugar, if he have a fondness for saccharine substances, and to another snow newly fallen; but to both it is so alluring that they may only overcome the temptation to put it in their months by great force of will power.

"The very men who make it and who are most familiar with its deadly properties are pursued by an unreasonable desire to eat the poison, and as long as they remain in its vicinity this extraordinary craving endures. They know that to give way to the craving means death almost instant and horrible, and as a consequence are usually able to resist the strange temptation, but during the last ten years we have been engaged in the manufacture of the drug four of our most intelligent and steady workmen have committed suicide in this way."

"Ever feel like eating it yourself?" asked the reporter.

"Yes," the manufacturer replied. "Many times when in contact with the cyanide fumes, and have had to leave work precipitately in consequence. So well is this curious fact known in all works where cyanide of potassium is made that there are always two men at work together, and a jar of ammonia, which is the antidote to the poison, is kept at hand.

"Potassium is one of the most interesting substances known to chemical workers. The metal itself is scarcely used at all in the arts, but its many salts are of immense practical value, being used largely in the production of gunpowder, fertilizers, medicines and dyeing compounds. Cyanide is a compound of cyanogen with a metallic agent. Cyanogen is a colorless, poisonous liquefiable gas which has the odor of almonds and burns with a purple flame. Cyanide of potassium is made by burning potassium, an alkali metal, in cyanogen gas, and is really a prussiate of potash. It is produced also in blast furnaces in which ore is smelted, with coke or coal, and is permanent when kept dry, but decomposes readily in moist air. It crystallizes in dry, octagonal blocks, and is extremely soluble in water. It has the odor of prussic acid and kindred bitterness of taste. Cyanide of potassium is also used in electro-metallurgy and photography to a considerable extent. It will remove metallic oxides, the juices of fruits and indelible ink."—N. Y. Sun.

The Reason.

Mr. Jones—Here is a man who tried to kill himself by eating the heads off of phosphorus matches. What an insane idea!

Mr. Sharpe—Not at all. Very logical. He wanted to light out, you know.—N. Y. World.

His Way.

Young Mother—Arthur Oidbeau is always paying queer compliments.

Friend—What's his latest?

Young Mother—To-day he congratulated the baby on having such a pretty mother to look like.—Puck.

The Cart Before the Horse.

Cox—What does [illegible] have in that trailer behind his automobile?

Nixon—A reserve power.

Cox—Some electrical contrivance?

Nixon—No. It's a good, old-fashioned horse.—Harlem Life.

ON THE MISSISSIPPI.

Quaint Sights and Incidents of Travel and Traffic Along the Great River.

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Political Ornithology.

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Missus—Why, the 'usband of an Afrigoose, o' course!

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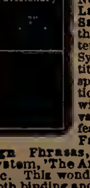

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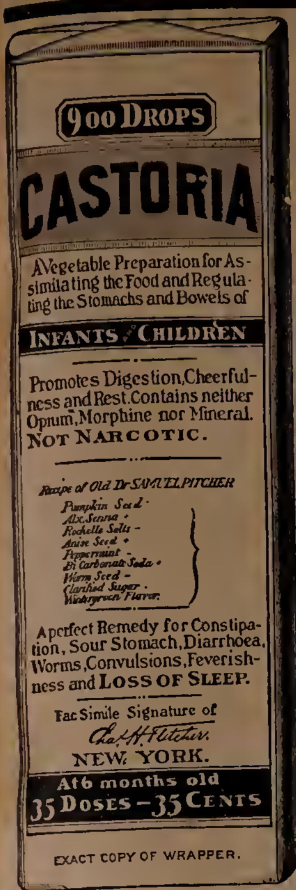
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Will catch the strain of the glad refrain;
That the sun will follow the blinding rain;
That the clouds will fly from the blackened sky;
That the stars will come out by and by;
And you'll make new friends, till hope descends
From where the placid rainbow bends;
And all because of a little song—
If you'll sing a song as you plod along!

If you'll sing a song as you trudge along,
You'll see that the singing will make you strong;
And the heavy load and the rugged road,
And the sting and the strips of the tortuous goad
Will soar with the note that you set afloat;
That the beam will change to a trifling mote;
That the world is bad when you are sad,
And bright and beautiful when glad;
That all you need is a little song—
If you'll sing the song as you trudge along!
—Sunshine.

Mr. Jobson Gets Dinner

WHEN Mr. Jobson got home from his office at five o'clock the other afternoon he found the front door locked. Concluding that the catch had accidentally dropped, he got out his latch key and opened the door. He was surprised to find the vestibule door locked, too. Mumbling something about the inefficacy and imbecility of modern patent locks, he used his latch key on the vestibule door also, and entered his abode. He had hung his coat and hat on the rack before he noticed the queer, lonesome silence that broods over a house the occupants of which are all out. Mr. Jobson was visibly ratfled.

"Jane!" he called to his wife, somewhat commandingly from the bottom of the stairs, at the same time muttering something about women who stay upstairs primping all the afternoon. But there was no reply. Mr. Jobson went to the head of the basement stairs.

"Lily!" he called to the black servant. Lily replied not.

"Well, here's a deuced pretty note!" ejaculated Mr. Jobson, spreading his legs out in the hall and looking savage. "What's the meaning of it, I'd like to know? Man comes home from toil and drudgery at his regular daily hour and finds his home as deserted as a northwestern boom town church. Wife gadding the streets, servant off attending some five o'clock tea and parlor social, and no more sign of dinner than of elephant tracks! And I'm so hungry that I could eat a burro stuffed with firecrackers! Now, this is the worst yet. I'm willing to do as much and to stand as much as the next man for the sake of peace and a quiet life, and to keep my home together, but I'll be eternally flibbertgibbeted if this isn't too—"

The situation bore so heavily upon Mr. Jobson's spirits that he couldn't finish the sentence. He set to work thinking out schemes whereby he could exhibit his displeasure. He was in two minds as to whether he would receive Mrs. Jobson upon her return with fiery and sarcastic allusions, or greet her with solemn, martyr-like dignity, displaying evidences of grief and disappointment too profound for adequate expression. Mr. Jobson felt very much abused. He looked around to see if there was any note of explanation tacked to the top of the bureau, or resting on the mantel, or stuck in an easel on the piano. There was no note.

"Nope," mused Mr. Jobson, when he had finished his search, "there's not even a line of explanation. Just a plain case of heartless, callous indifference. And after the way I have toiled and moiled—"

The thought was almost too much for Mr. Jobson's composure. He collected himself, however, with a great effort, and decided upon a course to pursue. At first he reflected that it would be a good scheme for him to write a short, jerky note addressed to Mrs. Jobson, stick it up in some prominent place, and then depart for a wild, tumultuous time of it downtown, returning at three o'clock in the morning in a night-liner and an aggressive frame of mind. But he remembered that the last time he had chosen this method of exhibiting his displeasure over a fancied grievance he had hardly been able to drag himself around for a week afterward.

"Too much of a boomerang that way," thought Mr. Jobson, deciding not to have recourse to the tumultuous plan.

"I know just what I'll do!" he suddenly thought, and he proceeded immediately to put his scheme into operation. He took off his coat and elaborately rolled up his sleeves. Then he descended to the basement kitchen. He lighted all the burners in the gas range, coming perilously close to blowing himself to eternity in the operation, and started in to cook dinner for himself. First he dumped about half a pound of coffee into the pot, and, filling it up to the top with water, put it on to boil. Then he dug around for materials wherewith to make himself some corn bread. He ranged all the materials about him on the kitchen table, and within five minutes he was in corn meal, molasses and other things up to his elbows. He put a great many ingredients in the corn meal, and even looked at the Worcestershire sauce and the cayenne pepper. He managed to get the pan into the oven after 30 minutes of exhausting labor, by which time he was a sight, as, in fact, was the whole kitchen. Then Mr. Jobson carefully sharpened the bread knife and hunted up the bacon. He cut off three half-inch-thick slices of the bacon with the bread knife, incidentally gashing his left forefinger pretty badly. After going upstairs and binding up his slithered finger, he doggedly returned to the job of getting his dinner.

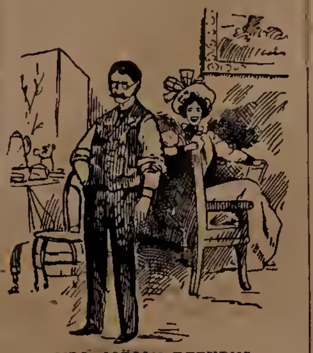
"Might as well learn now as any other time," he growled to himself. "I can see how things are going in this camp, and the sooner I learn how to bustle for myself, why—"

Then Mr. Jobson searched around for ten minutes for the eggs before he concluded to look for them in the ice box. (He hadn't put any eggs in the corn bread). Then he got the hugest pan he could lay his hands to, put it on the range, dropped about a quarter of a pound of butter in it, threw the three half-inch-thick slices of bacon into the pan, and looked somewhat reassured when he heard the sizzling and saw the smoke. He cracked three eggs, breaking them all in the operation, and dumped them into the pan beside the bacon. Then he went upstairs to get another bandage for his cut finger. When he returned to the kitchen the coffee had boiled all over the range and floor, the kitchen was full of smoke, and the bacon and eggs were burned to a cinder. Mr. Jobson set his jaw down hard. He cut three more slices of bacon and broke three more eggs, and this time he watched the mess vigilantly. Then he set a place for himself at the dining-room table, and, in just one hour and forty minutes after he had started to get dinner for himself, he sat down in state, with his sleeves still rolled up to his elbows, and corn meal paste all over his face, although he didn't know this. When Mr. Jobson suddenly recollected the corn bread in the oven, by the way, and got it out, it was no more like corn bread than plantains are like onions. It was of about the same consistency as basalt. Mr. Jobson, however, set the pan beside him on the table, chopped into it with great exertion, and partook of it anyhow.

"I'm no quitter," said he to himself, doggedly, as he filed his teeth on the weird corn bread.

Mr. Jobson was wading into his butter-cooked bacon and eggs, his alleged corn bread, and his turbid coffee, when he heard the click of the latch key in the basement door. Mrs. Jobson had seen the light in the basement, and wondered greatly thereat.

When she stood in the frame of the dining-room door and saw Mr. Jobson, corn meal paste from his chin to his hair, solemnly partaking of his personally-conducted meal — and when Mr. Jobson saluted her in a sepulchral tone with a haughty "good evening, madam"—Mrs. Jobson reeled toward the dining-room couch and rolled on it in a burst of uncontrollable laughter, Mr. Jobson regarded her stiffly. Every time Mrs. Jobson raised her head from the couch pillows she broke into renewed laughter.


MRS. JOBSON RETURNS.

"Am I to suppose, madam," inquired Mr. Jobson, in his deepest and most impressive bass, "that you have been partaking of the stimulants of the season to such an extent that you're—"

The rest of it was drowned by another outburst of merry laughter from the couch.

"Mrs. Jobson," said Mr. Jobson, "I am, as you know, a just man, and before I take any steps in this matter I will permit you to vouchsafe an explanation of your conduct, if you can."

Mrs. Jobson found her handkerchief and dried the tears of laughter from her eyes.

"Why, you ridiculous old thing, you!" she said to Mr. Jobson.

"Ridic—Mrs. Jobson, I venture to advise you to have a care—have a care!" exclaimed Mr. Jobson, pushing away his plate and looking as ferocious as he could, considering the corn meal that adorned his face.

"I don't suppose we agreed at breakfast this morning," said Mrs. Jobson, as calmly as she could for the mirth that bubbled within her, "to meet downtown at half-past four this afternoon, purchase the new rugs for the parlor and sitting-room, look over the field with a view to Christmas gifts and then take dinner at a restaurant? You don't remember, of course, that we talked over the plan for ten minutes this morning?"

"Wha—wha—er—"

What Mr. Jobson was going to say will never be known. His incoherent remarks simply ended in a gurgle. But he gathered himself sufficiently to look at Mrs. Jobson with deep sorrow and reproach. Then he went upstairs to their bedroom, slammed the door after him and declined to show himself for the remainder of the evening.—Washington Star.

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Health and Wealth.

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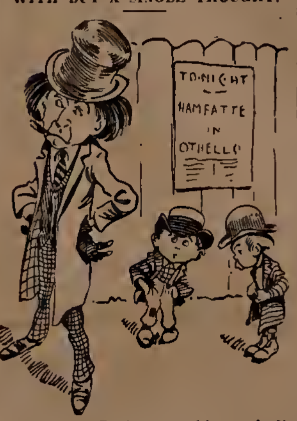
Invested all his health,
With madly avaricious aim,
To win the goal of wealth;
And when the same he had attained,
With all his might and main,
He vainly lavished all his wealth
To get his health again.
—Tit-Bits.

WITH BUT A SINGLE THOUGHT.



The Kids—Perhaps we kin work dis actor feller fer passes to de show.

Actor—Methinks I'll work one of the urchins for the price of a sandwich.—Philadelphia Press.

Love's Achievements.

O love may make the world go round,
As poets like to say,
And love reduces bills for gas
That people have to pay.
—Chicago Times-Herald.

A Miscalculation.

The Father-in-Law (sarcastically)—Isn't it pretty soon in the day to borrow money from me? Why, you've been back from your wedding trip only three days.

The Bridegroom—I know it, sir, but when we started out I had no idea that the wedding trip would fall so near the end of the month.—Detroit Free Press.

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"These neckties," went on the salesman, as he exhibited some striking samples, "need no praise; they simply speak for themselves."

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Benedict (with glance at the heavens as they are leaving the club at two a. m.)—I feel it in my bones that there is a storm brewing.

Bachelor—That's a sensation that we bachelors know nothing about.—Boston Courier.

His Little Joke.

Mrs. Stubb—John, I wonder why in the world did that man send up a watering pot with the new range. I never ordered it.

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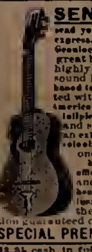
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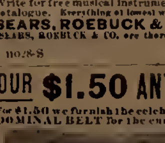
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WRENTHAM.

The one topic of conversation in the village, excluding all else, was the discovery of the embezzlement of town funds by Tax Collector L. F. Mendell, who hung himself last week at his barn in Plainville. The selectmen are still at work on the book, and the exact sum cannot be definitely settled, but it will exceed $4,000.——The Republican caucus at Plainville held Thursday night nominated the same board of officers for the coming year, O. F. Goodspeed being nominated in place of the late L. W. Mendell.——There is a talk of a new line of electric cars from Walpole to this village.——Follett & Waite have leased the Bush factory and will commence work manufacturing building paper, having just received a $2,000 order from a Philadelphia firm.——Miss Annie M. Sullivan and Miss Helen A. Keller have been guests at Joseph E. Chamberlain.——Mrs. Benjamin Hawes died Sunday afternoon in her 87th year. She was a member of the Congregational church and much respected. She leaves two daughters, Misses Charlotte W. and Elizabeth J. Hawes, and four sons, Dr. Nathaniel W., Cornelius, Benj. Oliver and Horace J., the three latter being residents in California.

Conflicting Recollections.

"Never talk with more than one old settler on a subject."

"Why?"

"They always contradict each other."—Chicago Record.

Comfort for Smokers.

The London Lancet says it is doubtful whether any nicotine ever reaches the mouth of the smoker except that present in the moistened tobacco which is in contact with the lips. The smoke products of tobacco do not contain any important quantity of nicotine, the chief toxic bodies before related to that interesting series of organic bases known to chemists as pyridines.

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HUMAN BODY'S ODOR.

It Enables Animals to Trace Men Through the Densest Jungles.

The fact that certain animals, and especially the dog, will recognize the propinquity of their masters or friends although it may have been impossible for them to have seen them or heard their voices has long since suggested to physiologists and others the idea that every human being has a distinctive odor peculiar to himself, and which remains more or less constant. Otherwise, how would it be possible for the bloodhound, for instance, to take the trail of an individual and follow it for miles through crowded thoroughfares, as well as through open country, and unerringly pick out the individual from among hundreds of others?

This idea has recently received a signal verification, as we are told by Dr. Bett in the Archiv der Gesammten Physiologie. The doctor states that a friend of his, with bandaged eye and every precaution against collusion, was enabled by the sense of smell alone to recognize persons with whom he was acquainted, and to call their names the moment they came into the room and at the distance of several paces. The experiments were varied in a number of ways, but with the unerring faculty of the bloodhound, this man detected the identity of every individual presented. Other instances of a similar keenness are cited by Dr. Bett. According to the man who gave the exhibition, every family has a characteristic odor common to all the members thereof, but the intensity of which usually varies sufficiently among the various members to enable him to distinguish each individual.—Indian Lancet.

A New Arabic Notation.

There is a city magistrate living uptown who is possibly raising a mathematical prodigy in the person of his three or four-year-old daughter. She has only recently begun to attend the kindergarten, and yet meditates changes in the system of enumeration now in vogue, which, while startling, are certainly suggestive.

When asked the other day to count, she hesitated some, and then lisped:

"None, some, one, two, free, fore."—N. Y. Times.

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Where They Buy Them.

"I have resurrected what I think is the oldest joke in the English language."

"What are you going to do with it?"

"Sell it to a magazine for its department of humor, of course."—Chicago Post.

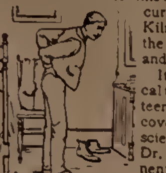
Slightly Wrinkled.

Isaacs—Shust look at dot, now; dot coat fits like der baber on de vall!

Smithers—Yes, so it does; like some paper I put on the dining-room, the other day.—Harlem Life.

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.



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Learned by Experience.

Daughter—What is the dead-letter office, mamma?

Mamma—Your father's pocket.—Brooklyn Life.

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THE EXPERT WITNESS.

His Abused Tendency to Befog a Simple Question in Technical Elucidation.

One of the besetting sins of the expert witness is the habit or tendency to use a lot of Latin words in describing an injury to the jury. In some exceptional cases, doubtless, this is done without affectation or for a purpose, but we have no hesitation in saying that in the majority of instances it is a very good index of the learning and capacity of the expert, on the assumption that the more words of this sort are used the more probability there is that they cover a deficiency of knowledge and thorough grounding on the part of the user. A really able man in his profession will always accommodate himself to circumstances, and, realizing the capacity of the average juror, use very different forms and methods of expression in testifying before court and jury than if he were making an address or delivering a paper on some scientific subject before an audience of his professional brethren.

A physician, for example, who, when upon the stand, he is asked to describe something to the jury, uses all the high-sounding terms and expressions he can muster, deserves to have very little attention paid to his testimony—and usually gets his deserts. An amusing example of this truth is given in the following account of an actual happening in an English court. It is from a little book entitled "Hints on Advocacy," published first in England:

"I discovered considerable ecchymosis under the left orbit, caused by extravasation of blood beneath the cuticle," said a young house surgeon, in a case of assault, at the assizes.

Baron Bramwell—I suppose you mean the man had a black eye?

Scientific Witness—Precisely, my lord.

"Perhaps, if you had said so in plain English, those gentlemen would better understand you."

"Precisely, my lord," answered the learned surgeon, evidently delighted that the judge understood his meaning.

This incident, which might be paralleled many times in court in this country, carries its own comment. What the jury wants is to be enlightened on disputed points, and the way to do this is not to use purely technical expressions, but to explain in plain, homely language. There is no danger that in doing this the expert will be liable to detract from the general estimate of his own abilities, but rather the reverse will be the case.—Albany Law Journal.

From What World Did They Come?

One of the most interesting discussions at the last meeting of the British association was on a paper by Prof. A. Renard concerning the origin of chondritic meteorites. He showed that certain of these fragments, which have come to our planet from the sky, present in their structure phenomena familiar to geologists in the case of rocks that have been submitted to crushing and shearing forces in the earth. The president of the geological section remarked that it is not often that the geologist can apply the principles of his science beyond the sphere he inhabits.—Youth's Companion.

Atmospheric Waves.

The atmospheric ocean surrounding the earth is frequently disturbed by gigantic waves, which are invisible except when they carry parts of the air charged with moisture up into a colder atmospheric stratum, where sudden condensation occurs. In this manner long, parallel lines of clouds sometimes make their appearance at a great height, making the crests of a ripple of air waves running miles above our heads.—Chicago Chronicle.

Athletic Exercise.

Watts—Since my wife has gone in for athletics life has been one round of excitement, out the culmination came last week.

Potts—What happened?

"Why, I was fool enough to show her one of those newspaper articles proving that housework is the best athletic exercise possible. And now she does nothing but sweep and dust all day long."—Indianapolis Press.

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This Pure Spring Water will be delivered to your house or office fresh from the spring every morning, at the following prices:

One gallon every week day, per month	$1 00
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CURE THAT COLD BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE.

A neglected cold or cough may and probably will kill the sufferer. Is it right, therefore, to neglect it? You can cure it in a very short time by promptly using

Comp. Syrup White Pine and Tar

And KOLD KILLER.

They never fail to relieve in a very short time. Try them.

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EVERYTHING IN THE PORK LINE AT LOW PRICES.

Fresh Pork	11 to 12c	Fresh Shoulder	8c
Fresh Pork Sausage	10 to 12c	Smoked Shoulder	6 to 8c
Fresh Ham	10 to 11c	Bacon by the strip	10c

BEST LARD IN THE MARKET.

3 lb. Pails	33c	10 lb. Pails	90c
5 lb. Pails	50c	By the tub	8c

Finest Butter in Town. Best brands of Canned Goods to be found.

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Now is the time to buy your Winter stock of Groceries of the finest quality and at the lowest prices in town.

Sugar, 19 lbs. for $1.

Light Brown Sugar, 21 lbs. for $1.

Fancy Ponce Porto Rico Molasses, never sold before less than 50c gallon, now 40c gallon.

Fancy New Orleans Molasses, always sold at 60c gallon, now 50c gallon.

Good dark Molasses, 30c gallon.

Pure Maple Syrup, 25c quart.

Best Cider Vinegar, 15c gallon.

Boiled cider, quart bottles, 20c.

5 lb. can Java and Mocha Coffee, 90c.

The best 50c, Tea 40c.

The best 60c Tea, 50c.

Fancy Table London Layer Raisins, 20c lb.

Four Crown loose Raisins, 12c lb.

Gilt Edge Seeded Raisins, 12 1-2c lb.

Fancy Ribbon Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Mixed Candy, 10c lb.

Fancy Chocolates, 15c lb.

Lowney's 40c goods now 35c.

We carry the finest quality Butter cut from the tub, 1 lb. prints, 5 lb. boxes, 10, 20 and 50 lb. tubs, at the lowest prices, quality considered.

J. P. Squire's Pure Lard, 8c lb.

10 lb. pails Lard, full weight, 75c.

J. P. Squire's Pure Leaf Lard in 5 lb. pails, 50c.

Mixed Nuts, English Walnuts, Oranges and Lemons in stock at the lowest prices.

Come in and leave your order with us and get the best for the least money.

Gentlemanly Dealing and Prompt Delivery is Our Motto.

McKinnon's Grocery Store,

CENTRAL SQUARE.

H. E. RUGGLES, Assignee.

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Of the Business Announcement column in the SENTINEL. One cent per word.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM

Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Cures scalp diseases & hair falling. 50c, and $1.00 at Druggists

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HAVE YOU SEEN THE NEW

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Now in service at the Bresnahan Grocery Company, People's Clothing Company and O. B. Carter store? If not, look at, admire and order them for your own store.

MAKE YOUR STORE BRILLIANT AND ATTRACTIVE.

Woonsocket Electric Machine & Power Co.

UNION ELECTRIC LIGHT BRANCH,
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Franklin and Wrentham STAGE LINE.

Leave Wrentham P.O. for Franklin at 8.15 a.m. 3.30 p.m. Leave Franklin depot for Wrentham at 9.30 a.m., 4.30 p.m.; connecting with trains for Boston and Providence via N. Y. & N. E. railroad; trains leaving Boston at 7.40, 8.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m.; leaving Providence at 8.35 a.m.

☞ Orders may be left at Railroad Station.

N. B. WEBBER, Prop.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary Sullivan, sometimes known as Maria Sullivan, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Jerome B. Fitzpatrick and Metcalf E. Pond, both of Franklin, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the fourth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this tenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

mh13,20,27

AGENTS WANTED.

Liberal contracts to intelligent men of good character and address. Can earn in commissions from $3000 upwards per year by applying to Wm. F. Bache, Gen'l Agt. NORTHWESTERN MUT. LIFE INS. CO., 7 Water st., Boston, Mass., from 9 to 10 A. M.; from 12 to 1 P. M.

ANNUAL STATEMENT JAN'Y 1, 1900.

Assets	$126,647,728 45
Liabilities	121,112,030.71
Surplus	5,534,697.74
Insurance in force	$497,606,125.00

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How About Your Bicycle?

The riding season has come in with a rush, and those contemplating the purchase of a new wheel should now be giving the subject attention.

The ORIENT Cycle

is not the lowest in price, but all things considered the ORIENT is the most economical in the end, because it is

BUILT TO STAND.

Nothing but the best material and most skilled labor go into their construction.

A full line of these famous wheels now in stock at the

ORIENT CYCLE AGENCY,

Franklin House Building, 72 Union St., - - Franklin, Mass.

CALL AND EXAMINE.

ORIENT OWNERS should remember that all wheels purchased at this agency during the past three years will be put in order free of expense (except in case of broken parts, which will be supplied at cost) if delivered to the agency by March 20.

CHAS. L. STEWART, Agt.

SHORT SALE OF LONG RUGS

While they last now in progress at the bargain headquarters near the Post Office.

SMYRNA RUGS,

6 by 9 ft., 3 yds. long by 2 yds. wide, reduced in price from

$10.00 to $7.75, size 6x9
$13.00 to $9.75, size 9x9
$15.00 to $11.50, size 6x9

A dozen patterns from which to select today, fewer tomorrow and fewer each day following until closed out.

AUSTIN S. COOK & CO.,

67 and 69 MAIN ST., WOONSOCKET, R. I.

☞ Free delivery by team within 25 miles.

W. S. JOHNSON,
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The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.

Assets over	$300,000,000
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Issues the most liberal and attractive policies on the market, including

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BENJAMIN FRANKLIN

SAVINGS BANK,

FRANKLIN, MASS.

D. THAYER, JR., President.
GEO. W. WIGGIN, CHAS. J. McKENZIE, JOSEPH G. RAY, Vice-Presidents.
CHAS. W. STEWART, Clerk and Treasurer.

Dividends declared the first Monday in January and July, payable on and after the 15th of said months.

Money may be withdrawn at the option of the depositors. The treasurer may, however, require a notice if necessary, in accordance with the Statute Law.

Bank open daily from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and from 1 to 4 p. m.

BOARD OF INVESTMENT.

D. Thayer, Jr., E. H. Sherman, J. G. Ray, Chas. J. McKenzie, E. P. Chapman, Charles Stewart, George W. Wiggin.

STATEMENT FEB. 28, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$555,180 31
Guarantee Fund		27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account		15,811 27
Interest Account		2,018 62
Real Estate Income Account		69 99
		$600,832 96

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$22,143 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		28,517 62
Railroad Bonds		133,012 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		30,300 00
" " Mortgages		171,735 89
" " Personal Securities		187,049 75
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Note		5,000 00
Expense Account		218 02
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$1,566 47	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	249 65	
Mercantile Trust Co.	442 74	
		2,258 86
Cash on hand		1,851 98
		$600,832 96

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

E. P. CHAPMAN,
WALTER M. FISHER,
Committee of Examination.

March 3, 1900.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Joseph G. Ray, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Lydia P. Ray and Annie R. Thayer, both of Franklin, without giving a surety on their bonds,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of March, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this fifth day of March, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

mh6,13,20

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Amos Ryder, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and appointing Stephen M. Bennett of Atlantic, Mass., his agent, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.

WILLIAM H. BROWN,
Administrator.

Address: William H. Brown, 338 Weybosset street, Providence, R. I.

March 5th, 1900. mh6,13,20

If you want to buy or sell anything, have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

Herman M Fisher 1Jan00

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX *6*—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, o the nearest box, unlock, pull down the ho and let go. The apparatus works automati y. Close the box and remain until the fire - arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Several cases of grip have been reported lately.

Miss Agnes Bassett is confined to the house with grip.

Admission to fancy sale and entertainment the evening ten cents.

William M. Thayer school benefit, Horace Mann building, tonight.

Remember the fancy sale and entertainment at Odd Fellows' hall tonight.

Scarlet fever flags continue to appear, and the disease continues in a mild form.

Henry Bemis and his daughter, Mrs. Johnson, are both very ill at their home on Main street.

The Philharmonic trio will furnish music at Miss Razee's dancing class next Monday evening.

B. B. Blaisdell has sold the Perkins' place on King street and will move to the vicinity of Boston.

Following the recount of votes for assessor, William Rockwood on Tuesday took the oath of office.

Miss Razee's class at Arnolds Mills closed last Wednesday evening after a most successful season.

Tuesday morning Alfred Clark, Jr., of the board of selectmen, fell on the ice and broke one of the bones in his left wrist.

John I. Lamont has been promoted to spare night telegraph operator, and James Leonard takes his place as messenger.

Miss M. H. Vieta is in New York this week buying goods and copying French models for the Easter opening at Sanborn's store.

Rev. M. J. Lee expects to have his chapel in the new building fitted up by Easter Sunday, so that he can celebrate mass there on that day.

The solicitor for the Bell telephone is putting instruments into houses free till August. After that time it will be $25 a year. He is having good success.

E. Lovell Metcalf is confined to the house with a sprained ankle. His place as substitute on the Adams express team is being filled by George A. Avery.

Word was received from Mr. Koehne this morning that he will be here today. His first lecture will be given in the Congregational church tonight at 8 o'clock.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper at the Baptist church Sunday evening will give the fourth in his series of discourses on "The Prodigal Son." His theme will be "The Elder Son."

Owing to the prevalence of scarlet fever at Unionville the school there has been closed for the present. Miss Bertha Ellis, a teacher of the school, is one of the victims of the fever.

The contractors for the Franklin-Medway electric line went over the route this week and held a conference with the selectmen here. It is intended to begin the work of construction at an early date.

Hazel, daughter of Mrs. Delia McNamara, aged 2 years and 6 months, succumbed to an attack of scarlet fever at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bassott, School street, Monday night.

We quite agree with the Brockton Enterprise which thinks that when a child less than six years old is sent to school, the principal use of the school is to furnish it with nursery accommodations while its mother gets rid of caring for it.

One of the first recommendations of J. J. McCarthy at the meeting of the selectmen was that the sidewalk on Alpine street, adjoining Villa park, be repaired, and his sentiments will be in accord with the large number who travel that way.

Mrs. Mary E. Dawley passed away at the residence of her brother, George H. Gatchell, this morning at 10.30, after a long and painful sickness. Funeral services will be held at the Universalist church Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial private.

Norfolk lodge, No. 257, N. E. O. P., held its regular meeting on Wednesday evening. Twelve candidates were initiated, making a total of thirty-nine new members added to the lodge in thirty days' time. This just doubles the previous membership.

The funeral of Mrs. S. N. Small, wife of the well-known florist, of Foxboro, who died at the Mass. General hospital on Wednesday, occurred in Foxboro, at 2.30 o'clock today. She had many friends in this town who will be pained to hear of her demise.

The senior class of the Horace Mann high school will hold an entertainment in the school room Friday evening, March 23, when two bright plays entitled "A Rank Deception" and "A Chinese Dummy" will be presented, under the supervision of Miss Grace C. Whiting.

In our report last Tuesday of the recount of the votes for assessors it was stated that George W. Wiggin was present as the representative of William Rockwood. This was an error, as Mr. Rockwood had engaged no representative, neither was Mr. Wiggin present at the recount.

The last meeting of the King's Daughters was held at Miss Ferrer's with full attendance. At this meeting it was voted to give an entertainment some time in the near future, the proceeds to go to the Home for the Aged of Norfolk Conn tp, and to try to establish it in this town. The object is a worthy one, which all should bear in mind.

The Epworth league will hold a sale of fancy and useful articles, also sofa pillows, candy, ice cream and lemonade, at Odd Fellows' hall, today. A fine entertainment of home and out-of town talent has been provided, also twelve young people will tell "Why they were never married." Doors open at 3 o'clock; entertainment begins at 8.

Capt. A. F. Pendleton and his amiable wife yesterday celebrated not only their 37th wedding anniversary, but their birthday anniversary as well, each having first seen light in the Pine Tree state on the same date in the month of March—just how many years ago the captain saith not. The couple were congratulated by many friends during the day.

The first of cutting ice for summer consumption in this vicinity was made by Dr. Oliver Dean soon after he bought a part of the Emmons farm. The Rockwood sawmill at Unionville um- ber for the ice house, which was 12 feet square and located back of the farm house near the line of the present Emmons street. So says Uncle Silas, the historian.

There is one article at least in the town warrant that should receive unanimous approval next Monday evening, and that is the request for an electric light on Union street, at or near the cemetery gate. The many pedestrians who have occasion to pass this portion of the street at night time would hail this much-needed improvement with delight, and they are hoping for favorable action by voters when the matter comes up for action.

About twenty-five members of the Epworth league went to Holliston Wednesday evening by invitation, being guests of the Holliston league. Invitations had also been extended to the Milford, Ashland and West Medway chapters. A fine social and literary program had been prepared, and refreshments were served to visitors. About 200 were present altogether. A return visit to the Franklin chapter will doubtless be made in the near future.

If you want to have two hours of solid amusement and hearty laughter, go see "The Missouri Girl, at the Opera house next Thursday. Mr. Raymond carries a special electrician and two hundre pounds of electrical apparatus, which he uses in "The Missouri Girl. There are six people in "The Missouri Girl company who have starred in their own companies and been successful. Mr. Raymond certainly has an array of talent to be proud of.

The first accident since the electrics run on Main street happened last Saturday afternoon, when a car coming from Emmons street started a horse standing near Mason's drug store, not hitched, and the animal ran to Depot street, where the carriage struck a hydrant and the horse cleared himself, but was secured. A dog was in the carriage, and when the crash came he landed safely in the street. The damage was to the carriage and harness.

The Pussy-Will O supper at the Congregational church Wednesday evening, given by the Ladies' Benevolent society, proved a drawing attraction, fully 100 people partaking of the appetizing viands. The tables were decorated with branches of the fluffy harbinger of spring, pussy willows, and at each plate was a card on which were two wee "pussys," deftly supplied with heads and caudal appendages by a promising artist, accompanied by the query "Who will sing me to sleep tonight? Pussy Will O." Mrs. Duprez had charge of the entertainment in the parlors later in the evening, which consisted of selections from a gramophone, manipulated by Reuben Smith, readings by Miss Amy Briggs and Mrs. Duprez, piano solo by Miss Alice Nixon and an amusing original rhyme by Lucius Daniels.

Rev. F. A. Bisbee, D. D., of Boston preached last evening to a good audience at the Universalist Lenten service. Dr. Bisbee's theme was "Going On Unto Perfection." The main thought was that the progressive spirit in the churches, having torn down and cleared away many things which would have destroyed religion if they had not been themselves destroyed, it is now the business of all who have become enlightened to build up a new and an earnest and a consecrated spiritual life, and that only as we do so can we make even the preparatory work which has been done of any avail. The world needs saving, and if we have not wrought out better means for the work we have accomplished nothing. But great changes are coming about and coming fast, and the world is realizing its need of religion to help and restrain, and the men who are enlightened and consecrated have a great opportunity and responsibility.

Instructive and Interesting.

At the meeting of the Alden club on Monday evening Mrs. Ray greeted the members most pleasantly after her absence of several weeks. She spoke of Mrs. Murphy's postponed recital and urged all members to assist in making it a financial success on April 9 at Dean academy. Miss King gave an interesting report of the meeting of the State Federation at Charlestown, at which she represented the Alden club. The subject of the National Federation tax was discussed, and it was voted to collect the amount due ($11.30) by individual subscriptions of ten cents each, members of the club to act as collectors. An executive board meeting was appointed for Tuesday, March 13, at 4 o'clock, at the home of Miss King.

Miss Laura Blake then took charge of the program and called for current events, to which Mrs. Winsor responded with a bright story of Queen Victoria's true hospitality, shown in the manner of her entertaining a large council of women whom she received at Windsor Castle. Miss Blake opened her subject of "Banks and Banking" with several bright anecdotes illustrative of women's business sagacity. She spoke briefly of the origin of banks and their development from simple money repositories to the complicated banking system of the present day. She then made her talk most practical and instructive by telling of the four kinds of banks in Massachusetts, Trust, Co operative, Savings and National banks, giving a short description of trust banks and their management. Mrs. Doe read a short paper upon co operative banks, and Mrs. Stewart described savings banks and their workings.

Miss Blake then spoke of national banks, giving a remarkably clear explanation of the way in which they are conducted. She also explained the different kinds of money used in this country and presented many useful and interesting facts in a pleasing and entertaining manner.

The subject of the next lecture on March 26, by Prof. Lewis of Tufts college, will be "Musical Taste: Its Present State and Future Development." The meeting was then adjourned.

Half-Hour Trips.

The Woonsocket electrics will run on Saturday at half-hour intervals, commencing at 8.15 a. m. and continuing till 11.15 p. m., when the last car will leave Woonsocket for the car barn. On Sunday the cars will also leave on half-hour time, commencing at 12.15 p. m. This will accommodate the public as the pleasanter days come on.

Mrs. Charles Rand is meeting with excellent success in selling the "Life of Moody, the Chapman edition. Before this was published Mr. Moody's son wrote Mr, Chapman that he considered him just the man to write of his father, as they had been associated so long. Although the son has also written a book his relations with Mr. Chapman are still cordial and pleasant. Mrs. Rand, will call and show the book if you desire.

Spring Changes

are about due. You will want new picture frames to brighten up the freshened rooms, and you will want them up to date. The latest styles, in perfect taste, are simple and inexpensive. Many of my new spring mouldings are in and others coming.

Calkin, Depot St.

Dr. John T. Stetson Gone.

Dr. John Thorndyke Stetson, the well-known and popular dentist for many years, died Sunday at the Whedden hospital in Everett, aged 62 years. Dr. Stetson was a native of Lincolnville, Me., coming to Boston when a young man. He learned his profession in the office of Dr. Miller, and at the Harvard Medical school. He developed unusual skill in his vocation, and was among the earliest to demonstrate the practicability and value of the crown and bridge work now in universal use. For many years he had offices in Concord and Franklin, in connection with his Boston office. His practice was extensive, and his clients among the first rank of intelligent people. His love for his native state, her woods and waters, was unbounded. Several weeks each year found him an ardent sportsman among her rugged hills, where he sought and found relief from the exacting cares of his profession. He was prominently connected with the Megantic club, the Mass. Fish and Game Protective association and kindred organizations. His modesty, loyalty and simplicity of character endeared him to a large circle of friends. His wife, Clara Simmonds, died in April, 1880. She was a sister-in-law of ex-Governor George D. Robinson. One brother was killed in a railroad accident a number of years ago. One sister lives in Melrose. His aged mother is now living in Seattle, Wash., with his sister, Mrs. A. C. Thompson. Four brothers are living also in Seattle, Wash.

The death of Dr. Stetson was not unexpected to those who knew him intimately. The relentless disease with which he battled so manfully never released its hold, nor paused in its destructive march. For over thirty years he had been thoroughly identified with the best life of Franklin. With his marvellous skill the firm bond between himself and patients yearly increased in strength. Faith in his sterling integrity and rugged manhood grew with the years. The entire community of Franklin felt a just pride of ownership in the magnificent type which he represented. Loving appreciation ever followed his footsteps in our midst. With aching hearts his loyal friends unwillingly noted the declining vigor, the wearied brain [illegible] faltering hand until the instruments of precision were ready to fall from his nerveless grasp! His wish seemed to be to fall in the ranks with armor on. Unflinching from pain, disaster or impending doom he went his way uncomplainingly to the last, and when the inevitable hour was marked upon his dial of life he surveyed his surroundings with the same philosophy that had ever been characteristic of the man.

His warmest friends were indeed a host. Firm faith in his skill and integrity was unshaken. The ravages of disease were forgotten, the lapses of memory overlooked, unquestioning belief in his ultimate recovery was kept alive and alert by wishes that were parent to a groundless hope. The fragrant memory of Dr. John Thorndyke Stetson will linger years in the annals of Franklin. By the side of his youthful wife he sleeps in Lexington's hallowed ground.

A large number of prominent Boston people attended the funeral services Wednesday at the Unitarian church in Lexington. Rev. A. St. John Chambre of Lowell officiated, and the music was by the Ruggles Street quartet. The pall bearers were Hon. A. E. Pillsbury, G. W. Wiggin, Charles J. McKenzie, W. B. Hastings, J. Russell Reed and P. H. Conney. Large delegations were present from the Massachusetts Fish and Game Protective Association, Megantic Club, Tibonet Club and the Excelsior Lodge of Masons at Lexington, in all of which organizations he was an active member. The following representatives of the Masonic Lodge here, were present: George W. Wiggin, Esq., E. P. Chapman, H. R. Jenks, W.A.Wyckoff. Others present were Dr. M. E. Pond, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McKenzie, Mrs. George W. Wiggin, Charles Stewart and A. D. Thayer.

Perfecting the Work.

The experiments in the line of working flax fibre into cloth, which have been going on here for some time, are claimed to have proved entirely satisfactory and the success of the enterprise assured. The plan of operations is to have the fibre separated from the core at or near the flax fields in the west and the fibre shipped to the east for linen production. This part will be the new work of the mills at Slatersville.

Some of the machinery which was made or fitted in the east and sent west some months ago, it is said, did not come up to expectations in the work, but since changes have been made which fill the need. The next step in the enterprise will be to invent a way to utilize the core or remaining part of the flax plant, and it is believed that this can be done and the material converted into paper stock.

Watch the windows of A. C. Mason's drug store for the Orient Morrow Cycle, which will be on exhibition within a few days.

Ochee, the barber, will call at the house to do shampooing. Drop a postal to box 210 or call at his shop.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

IN THE WAKE OF THE SWALLOWS.

The Saratoga of North Carolina—A Mountain Park at Hot Springs.

Mountain Park Hotel,
Hot Springs, N. C.,
March 10, 1900.

It is but a run of forty miles from here to Asheville, but it is an hour spent amid some of the most picturesque scenery to be found in the Southern states. The railway runs upon a narrow ledge cut from the solid rock the whole distance, following the hundred curves and bends of the French Broad river, which widens and deepens, leaps and dashes itself impetuously over its rocky bed down hill at the rate of fifteen hundred feet drop to the distance.

First on one side of the car and then the other, as we sweep across bridges and bring the flowing stream to right or left, the overhanging pinnaces and rugged crags seem about to touch the window, or seen across the foaming rapids rise from one hundred to four hundred feet in height masses of solitary and wild castellated steeps, enriched with firs whose greenery contrasts with the mighty giants of gray or fawn into which they have struck their iron roots. The singular impetuosity of the river, full to the brim and frothing over natural dams of rock, roaring in deep, sylvan organ-tones of nature's harmony, awe the being into stillness, and only the "rush of civilization" in the still swifter train breaks the silence of our watching.

In summer these stupendous hills are masses of bloom, so sweet and luxuriant that the vast gorge formed by the river is a tunnel of delicate odors from huge grape vines as large as a ship's cable and long enough to tie ten war ships together. Rhododendron mountain is one great pyramid of those magnificent blooms with which we so carefully decorate our northern parks, and the roots of the shrub are so large and the wood so susceptible of fine polish that the natives fashion them into large yellow vases, embossed by nature with intricate patterns and embroideries. Here, too, grows the ginseng, a beautiful plant closely resembling the sarsaparilla. Even fifty years ago forty thousand dollars' worth of the roots were exported each year to the far away empire of the Chinese Mikado. His people are about the only nation that has any use for it, but for centuries to them it has been essential. The "Heathen Chinee" is nothing if not superstitious, and this ginseng has been an article of commerce with him from time immemorial. Why? Because it is a lucky plant. Formerly it was obtained exclusively from Tartary, and the Tartars were in the habit of saying that they could never find it except by shooting a magic arrow, which fell invariably where the plant was abundant. The Chinese call it the "food of immortality," and they declare it to be a remedy for every inherited evil, wholesome for the frail in body, refreshing for the memory, calming the wild passions and bestowing inexpressible delight. And here, on the mountain that frowns down on my window, thousands of pounds are produced, and at about sixty cents a pound prove indeed lucky to the exporter.

The tiny town of Hot Springs is a veritable surprise. As if emerging from a tunnel, we suddenly slip out of the great canon behind and come upon an open plateau of some thousands of acres, flat as a table, surrounded by river and creek

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New Appointments.

The selectmen made the following appointments of town officers after organizing last Saturday night: Special policemen, Charles R. Gowen, William G. Cody, Kervin R. Jewett, George Bourbeau, Joseph T. Hutchinson, Fred L. Davis, Edmund J. Rockwood, William Redpath, Charles Badger; surveyors of lumber, William Rockwood, Clarence H. Woodward, Elmer M. Wadsworth, Walter M. Fisher; measurers of wood and bark, William Rockwood, T. Jefferson Daniels, Norman B. Stone, Clarence H. Woodward, Alexander H. Haggart, K. R. Jewett, Wilton A. Pond, Elmer M. Wadsworth, T. B. Allen, Edward St. John; measurers of grain, Frank D. Metcalf, Elmer M. Wadsworth, James F. Ray, Clarence H. Woodward, Nathan B. Arnold, William Rookwood; weighers of coal and hay, Joseph E. Clark, Nathan B. Arnold, Clarence H. Woodward, Kervin R. Jewett, Alexander M. Haggart, James F. Ray, Elmer M. Wadsworth; sealer of weights and measures, Fred L. Davis; inspector of kerosene oil, Fred L. Davis; agents for burial of soldiers, Edwin A. Mason, Walter M. Fisher; keeper of the lockup, Fred L. Davis; auctioneers, Lewis R. Whitaker, David W. Corson. The appointments of night officer, liquor officer and superintendent of streets will probably go over until after the adjourned town meeting.

Richardson's Market.

Recently we advertised a sale of roast beef and cleaned up every pound. The public got good worth for their money. This week our line of chickens, fowls, turkeys, meats, vegetables, etc., has been selected with unusual care, the price being as low as the lowest and the quality as high as the highest. We can't be beaten on canned goods. Try our butter. Finest coffee in town, 25, 30 and 35 cts; Budlong's famous pickles, plain and mixed, 10c; farmers' fresh eggs only 20c.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far a possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

The parents of more than 500 towns and cities of the United States, moved by the tragedies of juvenile crime, have recently ordained—acting co-operatively through their town and city councils—that their children shall come home at night at the signal of a so-called curfew bell, which usually rings at 8 o'clock in winter, at 9 in summer.

Those who argue against the revival of the "curfew" as a return to medievalism show ignorance of history or lack of poetry. The ancient curfew applied to old and young alike. The modern curfew has only the poetic resemblance of being an evening bell. As well object to modern uses of the words "chivalry" and "crusade," because these words in medieval times meant war. Those who argue that parents should regulate this matter, forget that government is but the co-operative act of parents, who need to act together in cities and villages. Nowhere can curfew be established except at the request of parents expressed in ballots and petitions. The law no more interferes with parental rights and personal liberty than kindred laws on compulsory education and child labor, now fully established in the most enlightened commonwealths. The school and the curfew bell are equally justified as necessary safeguards of public morals and prospective citizenship. Laws forbidding the sale of liquors, tobacco and corrupt literature to [illegible] have long since illustrated the [illegible] of the state to protect immature you[illegible] Gladstone's great saying that it is the chief purpose of law to make it as hard as possible to do wrong and as easy as possible to do right, applies pre-eminently to laws to protect minors. Will any intelligent view of personal liberty justify turning infants loose to play with poisons and razors?—Selected by E. D. Daniels.

Don't Miss It.

"The Missouri Girl" is the best comedy you will have a chance to witness this season. The date is Thursday evening, March 22. One of the brightest things that has cropped out of late is Fred Raymond's domestic play, "The Missouri Girl," which depicts principally the country life in southwest Missouri during the exciting times when lead and zinc ore was being discovered in large quantities in nearly every farmer's door yard or corn field. Mr. Raymond has discovered an entire new set of stage characters that are out of the ordinary run of those usually found in plays of this class. The plot is interesting and keeps the audience spellbound from start to finish. The comedy is natural and not forced and is excruciatingly funny. A number of original ideas are brought out in such a way as to bring forth an immense amount of laughter. The scenery used in the production was reproduced from photographs taken in the picturesque Ozark mountains, the principal lead and zinc mining district of the world.

At the Head.

In cycle construction each year brings out some new feature to add to the comfort of the wheelmen. This year it is the coaster break. To meet this demand the Waltham Manufacturing company have just brought out the "Orient Morrow" model. This model is equipped with the Morrow coaster break, which is acknowledged by all to be the best of the many coaster devices now on the market. If you are to buy a wheel this season be sure and see the "Orient Morrow" before closing your bargain. Sample now in stock at the Orient Cycle Agency, 72 Union street, Franklin, Mass.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Found—A chiffon ruche for the neck. Sentinel office.

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Round-trip Boston tickets can be had at $1.05, (less than the five-trip rate), of Chas. H. Prince at Sentinel office. Also round-trip Providence and Milford tickets at a saving of 12c from regular fare. Mileage books to let.

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Nobody can beat us on meats of standard quality, whatever the price, and we continue to be the headquarters for turkeys, chickens and fowls that are right in price, in tenderness and flavor. Our pork and veal is secured about Franklin and is "all right." All the vegetables obtainable that will suit you we carry, with fancy butter, canned goods, etc. A special sale all day Saturday of roast beef, from 8c a pound up.

Having relinquished my Boston business, I can hereafter be found at my office daily from 8 to 6 o'clock.

Dr. M. E. Pond.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 1900

REV. CHARLES SHELDON'S Topeka Capital is out, and, despite all criticism urged against it, in one respect it is a success. Mr. Sheldon endeavors to show what is his idea of a newspaper conducted upon the lines that Jesus would approve. No one who knows him can truthfully assert that he has done this for notoriety, but as a great moral lesson. As such it is a success. His opinion may differ from others; both may be partially wrong. Much of the criticism against the paper after its appearance can be traced to two motives: One is aimed by those who do not believe in Jesus; another is aimed by those whose professional jealousy permits them to overlook Mr. Sheldon's motive. The honest criticism, by a friend of Christianity, whose opinion differs from Mr Sheldon's will be welcomed by that gentleman in the spirit in which it is offered, and should the experiment ever be tried again, which is doubtful, would have weight with him, whomsoever should attempt it.

What the President Said.

THESE are the exact words of President McKinley, spoken only a couple of months ago before the politicians and trusts got after him, and any attempt now to disavow it, or throw the responsibility upon congress can but react upon him:

"It must be borne in mind that since the cession of Porto Rico she has been denied the principal markets she had long enjoyed, and our tariff has been continued against her products as when she was under Spanish sovereignty.

"The markets of Spain are closed to her products except upon terms to which the commerce of all nations is subjected. The island of Cuba, which used to buy her cattle and tobacco without customs duties, now imposes the same duties on these products as from any other country entering her ports.

"She has, therefore, lost her free intercourse with Spain and Cuba without any compensating benefits in this market. The markets of the United States should be opened up to her products. Our plain duty is to abolish all customs tariffs between the United States and Porto Rico and give her products free access to our markets

By Trusts We Live.

A citizen of Chicago has been studying out his relationship to the various trusts of the country and has issued the following statement:

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I use milk in my coffee made by a $10,000,000 trust.

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One Reason Why.

"I'm not surprised," remarked the debonair dry goods drummer, "that those people down in Kentucky don't drink any more water than they do. I have just heard from a customer of mine in Eminence, a pleasant town not far from Louisville, that a well-known citizen there, who has been troubled for a long time with a hacking cough had a severe spell of coughing the other day and raised two square blocks of some kind of hard substance. His son sent them down to a Louisville chemist, who reported that they were blocks of limestone, caused by the limestone water the cougher had been drinking. I may add that the cough doesn't trouble him any more, but just think of the liability a man is subjected to down there of having his bronchial tubes and his alimentary canal macadamized from Dan to Beersheeba. I'd rather drink moonshine than run such a risk as that. I shore would."—Washington Star.

Over Twenty Uses for Corn.

The Indian corn propaganda at the Paris exposition and the conventions recently held in the west, in the interest of corn producers have brought out the fact that over 20 important products are now manufactured from corn. One of the most important products is distilled spirits, the demand for which has increased greatly since the invention of smokeless powder, in the manufacture of which the spirits are largely used. Among the other products made from corn are mixing glucose, crystal glucose, grape sugar, anhydrous grape sugar, special sugar, pearl starch, powdered starch, refined grits, flourine, dextrine, British gum, granulated gum, gum paste, corn oil, corn oil cake, rubber substitute, gluten feed, chop feed, gluten meal and corn germ. With the present economical methods of manufacture not a particle of corn is wasted. There is no refuse.—California Vineyardist.

Game in South Africa.

The South African game animals have, in recent years, been quickly disappearing on account of sportsmen, disease and other causes more or less due to the advance of civilization. In the case of many species the numbers have dwindled from immense herds to only a scattered few preserved in a semiwild state on the farms of some of the natives and settlers. There can be little doubt that the present war will still further diminish the numbers of large animals, and some of them probably, as the whitetailed gnu, will be entirely exterminated, for the Boers, not having proper commissariat arrangements, will undoubtedly slaughter the gnu and other animals fit for food.—N. Y. Herald.

In the Australian Bush.

Dr. Semon started from Jena with the intention of spending two years in the Australian bush, studying the life history of those extraordinary animals, the ornithorhynchus, or water mole, the echidna and the lung-fish, or ceratodus. He has just published the results in an interesting book of science and adventure. The water mole, as the colonists term it, when feeding rakes up the mud with its duck like beak and stows away worms, snails and mussels in its cheek-pouches for further consumption. Its thick, horny jaws take the place of teeth and are well adapted for cracking shellfish. The ceratodus confines itself to fresh water and in general habits resembles a newt.—Chicago Tribune.

IN THE WAKE OF THE SWALLOWS.

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like an island, and holding in its midst the great house which is sought by travelers from one year's end to the other. For, springing out of the earth, geyser-like, for untold centuries have come two streams, one hot, one cold, side by side, which are "for the healing of the nations," like the leaves of the Tree of Life. Almost the counterpart of the waters at Aix les Bains, they contain no sulphur with its nauseating odors nor are much tinged by color, but have the softest, soapiest feeling, as if our good earth-mother had spared nothing to cleanse suffering humanity of its varied ills.

The temperature is from 96 to 110 degrees, and in marble tanks for swimming, in "packs" for inducing perspiration, reducing flesh, soothing pain, and finally curing such ills as gout, rheumatism, sciatica, nervous prostration and insomnia. The guests regularly file into the bath rooms and luxuriate in a daily and sometimes three times daily bath.

Our table companion, a gentleman whose vigorous personality attracted our admiration, exclaimed, "But you should have seen me when I arrived a week ago! I only weigh 180 now! I have taken three baths a day and lost two pounds every bath. I feel like a new creature!" He looked like one!

The Wana-Luna Golf club is located here and has a jolly little Swiss chalet of a club house on the grounds, the links extending along the margins of the streams all around the house. Here we find fully an eighth of a mile of glass-faced piazza, while certainly another eighth is open to the winds and sunshine. Everything is huge, like the hills above and around; big, luxurious rooms for games, reading or writing; great fireplaces with logs ablaze, and such has been the constant popularity and attraction of the thermal waters for 100 years that huge buildings have been required to accommodate the visitors to this region. Even in the old house, many years ago, the ball-room was 230 feet long, and music, flirting, dancing, riding, fishing, bowling, bathing, flower-hunting, view climbing and hunting make up the varied pleasures and employments of both sexes.

The narrow ravine containing the French Broad will only permit just room enough for the railroad and one wagon road. The latter, in former days being the only means of communication, was busy with loads of merchandise, people on horseback, country wagons with produce and family carriages. Colonel Rumbough, one of the old residents, tells me that he has seen from 40,000 to 50,000 hogs in one drove, stretching along the river road in strings, for forty miles. Now, of course, much of this traffic has ceased and we see rather the elegant equipage conveying a party to the famous Painted Rocks, which, six miles below, situated directly on the Tennessee line, are a brotherhood of perpendicular cliffs, so remarkable and beautiful that few fail to visit them.

They are of limestone, and rise from the margin of the French Broad to the height of two, three and four hundred feet. They are of a yellowish cast, owing to the drippings of a mineral water, and in form as irregular and fantastic as can well be imagined. They extend along the river nearly a mile and at every step present new phases of beauty and grandeur. Taken separately, it requires but a trifling effort of the fancy to find among them towers, ramparts and moats, steeples and domes in abundance; but when taken as a whole, and viewed from the opposite bank of the river, they present the appearance of a once magnificent city in ruins.

The whole vicinage of Hot Springs is full of deep interest to the geologist, the botanist, the scientist, the invalid and the general tourist. It has been called, and I think not in exaggeration, "The Switzerland of America." Although the peaks of the Great Smokies are seldom mantled with snow, they resemble in contour the more picturesque ranges of Europe, and if one could but enter into the life of the strange people living among them we doubtless should find those peculiarities and traits of character which only belong to hardy mountaineers.

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STAGE KISSES ARE GENUINE.

The Theater-Going Public Demands Realism Even in Stage Love-Making.

Embraces and kisses are rehearsed with the extremest care. They must have an impulsive manner. They must look sufficiently fervid. It is a curious sight that of two players who are to express the ardent love which Shakespeare has written for his "Romeo and Juliet," but who at rehearsal, in modern clothes and no accessories of glamour, practice a kiss as mechanically and unfeelingly as though it were—as it is then—utterly devoid of sentiment. There must be no hesitation nor clumsiness. Romeo is not permitted to decide whether to throw both arms around his sweetheart or only one, or which. Nor may Juliet be shy or forward, yielding or resisting, as she chooses. The director will place their arms for them if they do not themselves make a picturesque exhibit of tenderness. And the kiss? Shall it be delivered by the wooer on the lips of the woman, or on brow, or cheek? That question is considered and settled. Are kisses on the stage genuine? Well, not at rehearsals, except, maybe, once or twice in order to show the effect fully. An actress would resent a real kiss at a rehearsal except when necessary. For the satisfaction of natural curiosity on that point it may be told right here that most of the kisses in the public performances of plays are actual kisses.—Franklin Fyles, in Ladies' Home Journal.

All's Fair in Love.

Fair play doesn't always win fair lady.—Chicago Dispatch.

A Life and Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost me $5.00 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and say it never fails to cure throat, chest and lung troubles." Regular size 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason's drug store.

Beer Barrel Marks.

The crosses of Xs on a barrel of beer signify degrees of quality nowadays. But originally they were put on by those ancient monks as a sort of trademark. They were crosses in those days, and meant a sort of oath on the cross, sworn by the manufacturer that his barrel contained good liquor.—Boston Budget.

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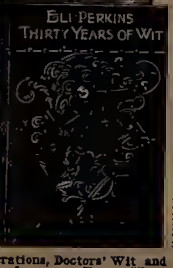

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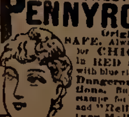

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Sympathy sweet for stranger and kin;
It will make the halls of the heart so fair
That angels may enter unaware—
Open the door!

—British Weekly.

GONDOLA'S EXPERIENCES

By George Ade.

"GONDOLA" WILSON was not a tramp, because he knew a trade and he had been known to work. He was a tramp in this, however, that he consistently refused to pay railway fares. Hence his name. "Gondola" is submerged tenth for "flat car."

He was a journeyman of the restless kind. When he had been three weeks in Milwaukee, then St. Paul seemed a more desirable place of residence. When in St. Paul he had a tired hankering to see the Narcissus lodging house in Chicago. After he had arrived at the Narcissus he began to watch the trains starting for Cincinnati and longed to curl himself on a truck and jolt away to where the muddy stream fronts the sloping warehouses.

Once he was away from the Narcissus for a whole year. During his absence he had been "put away." To be "put away" is to be held prisoner in a penal or reformatory institution.

The purpose of this story is to relate how "Gondola" Wilson, having no criminal intent, became a criminal under circumstances which are not usual.

On the day of his return to the Narcissus (the prison pallor on his face and his head cropped to show the white scars) six inmates were sitting near the windows reading a morning newspaper. They had torn the paper into sheets and divided it. The man who had drawn the small "ads" was discontented. He could find nothing on his sheet except "Help Wanted." He lowered his paper, and before him sat "Gondola" Wilson, seeming yellow in the filtered light.

"Where's the committee?" asked "Gondola." "Where's the triumphal arch: 'Welcome Home?' "

"You're alive, then?"

"Alive an' kickin.' "

"If you're alive, it follows that you're kickin'. How long has it been?"

"A year—next month."

"We missed you when it come to the round-up last fall. Nobody'd seen you. You've been under a roof, ain't you? Hospital?"

"Put away—a year."

"You had to go crooked at last, did you?"

"Well, that's what they called it. I'm lucky they didn't hang me. Some of 'em wanted to."

"Tell me what you done. I ain't the court."

"Say, listen, an' see if ever you heard the likes before. It wuz in October—a year ago last October. I'd walked from Loueyville over to Terry Hut with a nigger that played the mouth harp. We hid in the yards at Terry Hut an' got into an empty stock that we thought wuz headed for Danville. Some time in the night a brakeman seen us an' fired us out. I'd been asleep, an' the first thing I remember was fallin' out o' the car an' lightin' hard, with the coon comin' after me. We didn't know where we wuz, but could make out a side track an' a chute for loadin' hogs. About a mile off we could see some lights, an' we judged we wuz near a purty good-sized town. Me an' the coon started to walk toward the town, an' then I stopped him an' says: 'Here, if we go to-drillin' around town at this time o' night an' one o' them country coppers gets a peek at us, he'll shoot us first an' then ask us our names afterward. Let's crawl in somewheres an' sleep till mornin' an' then we'll go in town an' try to round up a hand-out.' Well, just as I wuz sayin' this, we happened to be walkin' along past a tall fence. I looked through the cracks an' could see one or two lights quite a distance off, an' right near us wuz a long buildin' that looked somethin' like a barn. It wuz gettin' chilly an' I said to this pardner of mine: 'Coon, gi' me a boost over this fence an' I think we can find a warm place here.' So we skinned over the fence an' come to this buildin'. It wuz big an' I still thought it wuz a barn. We walked around, lookin' for a door or window, so't we could crawl in. At last this pardner of mine—his name 'uz Jeff an' I'll kill him if ever I lay eyes on him again—Jeff found a little door that wuzn't locked, an' we went in, feelin' our way along, thinkin', you know, that we might find some hay or straw to sleep on. Purty soon Jeff fell over somethin' an' I landed on top of him. We felt around us an' discovered that we'd run into a lot o' watermelons layin' on the floor. I s'pose the coon was sorry to meet them melons, wuzn't he? The first thing I knew he'd split one of 'em open, an' I could hear him chompin' in the dark. Well, I got up an' felt my way along, an' purty soon I reached out an' what do you s'pose I took holt of there in the pitch dark? A plate with about a dozen biscuits on it. Now, I ain't no crook an' I never broke into a house to steal anything, but I'll leave this to you. If you hadn't had anything to eat for 18 hours an' should happen to crawl into a barn at night an' reach out into the dark an' find a dozen light biscuits, would you eat 'em or throw 'em away?"

"I'd prob'ly eat 'em," was the reply.

"That's what I done, except what I give to Jeff. He found a match in his cloze an' struck it, an' we saw in front of us a wooden shelf covered with pies an' cakes, an' all kinds o' cooked stuff. The match only burned for a minute, but we made out that much. Jeff found a plate o' butter, an' we et the biscuit with butter, an' I ain't tasted anything like it since I ran away from home in Lowell 30 years ago. Then Jeff broke a cake in two an' give me half of it. It wuz kind o' dry eatin', but we put lots of butter on it. I s'pose I ought to have stopped an' remembered that all this provender belonged to somebody, but I was so blamed hungry I didn't wait to think of nothin'. An' I must say I never seen anybody eat the way that coon did. I didn't exactly see him eat, neither, but I could hear him all right. After he et all the cakes an' pies an biscuits he could lay his hands on he went back to watermelon, an' I could hear him sloshin' an' gulpin' there in the dark. I started to feel around for a soft place to lay down, an' what do you guess? I run into a lot of bed close strung on lines."

"Say, what kind of a pipe is this?" asked the listener, with a sidewise turn in his chair, indicating skepticism.

"It's the truth, every word of it. There must a' been a dozen quilts. I pulled 'em down an' me an' Jeff rolled ourselves up in 'em an' went to sleep. We'd et a lot an' it wuz a cold night, an' under them warm covers we slept like a couple o' logs. Well, the next thing I remember somebody was shakin' me good an' hard, an' I looked up at a fellow that had a tin star on his coat an' a broomstick in his hand. I kin'o' remembered what had happened an' looked around. It wuz broad daylight. We laid there in the infernalest mess of eatables you ever see. People wuz pilin' through the doors to get a look at us. I don't s'pose you've figured out what we'd done, so I'll tell you. This place we'd got into wuz what they call floral hall at the county fair. All the stuff we'd been eatin' wuz the exhibitions of the best biscuits, the best watermelons, the best cake, the best butter, an' so on, of the whole county. You know the quilt I had around me. It wuz made out of about a million little pieces o' silk. The woman that made it put in 15 years on it, an' it wuz supposed to be worth $200. That all come out at the trial."

HE COULD FIND NOTHING BUT "HELP WANTED."

"Well, there must a' been a sore crowd o' grangers around there," suggested the listener, after he had leaned back and laughed joyfully.

"Honest, it's a wonder they didn't kill us. We come mighty near bustin' up the whole show by eatin' them exhibitions. When they led us out o' the grounds an' took us in town to the jail there wuz a big crowd followed us an' hollered: 'Lynch 'em!' 'String 'em up!' an' a few more remarks like that. That wuz the one time I wuz in a hurry to be in jail. Do you know what they made of it when it came to a trial? Burglary! An' do you know what Jeff done? He got up an' swore that I'd hypnotized him. He testified that he didn't want to go into this buildin' at all, but I made him by threatenin' to cast a spell over him. You never heard such lyin' in your life. They sent him back to jail for three months an' put me over the road for a year. They bleached me just about right, ain't they? That's all right. Look here."

He put his hand into a raveled side pocket and brought out a copy of Henry George's "Progress and Poverty." He made a deeper reach and found a brass "knucks" with a blunt head and three staring finger-holds.

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ECONOMY OF FUEL.

The Range Should First of All Be In Perfect Order—How to Put on Coal.

To kindle any fire small sticks should be laid across each other, basket fashion, with paper below. See that the drafts and dampers are all open, the upper front check closed, and apply the match before a bit of coal is put upon the wood. When it has begun to burn well, put on one shovelful, allowing the air to pass through unchecked so as to kindle that. In a short time more may be added, then more, and when the coal begins to glow red shut one draft, then another.

Turn out of doors the first person who dares to dream of using kerosene to help start a fire, and severely admonish her who persists in filling the firebox to the top of stove or range. That is the way to burn out or crack the stove and to destroy the firebrick. Besides, it chokes the draft, causing less heat to be given out. A hot fire is a clear fire, with the draft coming unchecked through the bottom damper. The persons who boil their tea are the same that fill the range as full as it will hold, and when it fails, as it then must, to give out the needed heat, take off the cover and punch and poke it down from above, thus crowding the coal into a still more compact mass. Such a housekeeper has her range speedily filled with clinkers and wastes much fuel.

A neglected range implies ignorance and indifference. How many there are who complain of a poor oven, yet allow soot to accumulate above and below it, no census has estimated. Neglect means poor cooking and waste. Clinkers, too, should be watched for in the firebox and broken off as soon as they appear. It is a too common fashion to fill the range, leave the dampers all open, and let the fire burn as it will till reduced to debris. Then dump in more coal and throw in some kindlings first and continue as before. On the contrary, the fire should be watched and a little coal added at a time, with the dampers only opened before meal time. In this way alone can a good fire be economically maintained. For a young housekeeper it is needful to note these things. Otherwise the ashes will be half coal, to the detriment of the household exchequer.—Boston Budget.

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The sugar men received seven, and later on ten to twelve lumps of sugar a day, each lump being equal to five grammes. In some cases the amount was increased up to 27 grammes a day. The result of the experiemnt was the following: In scientific sense a favorable influence upon the capacity of the individual was shown at 50 to 60 grammes a day, added to the regular ration, the pulse and respiration being lower while at work than with those not fed on sugar, and then the men fed on sugar showing an increase of weight greater than those who did not eat the sugar. The favorable influence of the sugar upon the muscles and the heart exhibited itself in greater endurance. From a practical point of view it was determined: 1. That men like sugar and it agrees with them. 2. That sugar satisfies both hunger and thirst. 3. That sugar gives quick relief in case of hunger, faintness and exhaustion, owing to the fact that it is easily absorbed.

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WRENTHAM.

The Holly club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Charles E. Brown. The subject was "Local History," and proved very instructive and interesting.——Miss Elizabeth Fiske, one of the donors of the Fiske memorial library, has presented the ladies of the Congregational church with a check for $100, to be used at their coming fair in the summer.——The Australian ballot will be used at the annual town meeting next Monday.——The funeral of the late Mrs. Benj. Hawes was held Wednesday afternoon.——Mrs. Louisa C. Dean is seriously ill.——Wampum lodge, I. O. O. F., will work the second degree on six candidates next Tuesday night.——The Kipling club met Monday evening with Mrs. Sallie Rowell.——Mrs. Charles Hardman and Dr. N. W. Hawes are also confined to their respective homes by severe colds.——A fire set by sparks from a locomotive came near destroying the residence of Rev. G. B. Smith, on East street, Wednesday. The fire department turned out and used the new hand fire extinguishers with good results.——The Holly club is to have a lecture in Odd Fellows' hall next Tuesday evening.

SHELDONVILLE.

A. C. Zimmerman is improving after a short illness.

Florence Crane of Allenton, R. I., is visiting Esther Thomas.

Mrs. J. E. Duprez of Franklin visited Mrs. L. F. Newell last week.

Master Willie Provan of South Boston is visiting at C. E. Pitman's.

W. C. Averill has been confined to the house with a lame back the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thomas and daughter spent Sunday with friends in Walpole.

Mrs. E. R. Cook of West Wrentham recently entertained her sister and two children of Berkley.

Mrs. Henry Follett was unable to return to her position in Boston last week on account of illness.

A social by the Ladies' Benevolent society was given in the vestry of the church Thursday evening.

Prayers for the Poor.

Accompany prayers for the poor with donations of food and clothing.—Chicago Daily News.

Degeneration.

A saying credited to a daughter of a cabinet minister is going the rounds these days. It relates to an actress who recently played an engagement here, and it was made, I am told, at a dinner party one evening. The topic of conversation was the play and the actress.

"I didn't care for her," said somebody. "I think she has grown too stout. She doesn't act nearly so well as she used. Don't you think she has lost ground?" this to the cabinet minister's daughter.

"Yes," answered she, "growing stout hasn't improved her work. She seems to be suffering, in fact, from fatty degeneration of her art."—Washington Post.

Frost Flowers.

The phenomenon called "frost flowers" was discussed before the Biological society in Washington recently by Dr. L. H. Dewey. The so-called flowers are composed of ice which forms on frosty mornings in autumn and early winter on certain plants. The peculiar thing to be explained is that frost flowers do not form on all plants, but only on about 26 species, as far as yet known. Among these are frost weed, dittany, marsh fleabanes and cultivated heliotrope. The phenomenon is apparently due to capillary movement of water in the plant, but a wholly satisfactory explanation is lacking.—Youth's Companion.

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Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.

Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

Stupid Youth.

Heroine (in amateur dramatic performance)—You know, Mr. Hankinson, that if we do any kissing on the stage in this play it must be "stage kissing," or, at least, seem to be so—you understand?

Hero—Why, I didn't know there was to be any kissing in it at all.

Heroine (instantly freezing)—There won't be, Mr. Hankinson.—Chicago Tribune.

Rapid Telegraphy.

A Vienna journal declares that a local electrician named Pollack has invented a way of telegraphing 60,000 words per hour over a single wire.—N. Y. Sun.

Read the Business Announcements.

Constipation, Headache, Biliousness, Heartburn, Indigestion, Dizziness,

Indicate that your liver is out of order. The best medicine to rouse the liver and cure all these ills, is found in

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25 cents. Sold by all medicine dealers.

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both ways--cut down and cut off. Few words tell the important news. Seeing is believing. Our Carpet room is overcrowded and we cannot display the stock on hand.

Regular Roxbury Tapestry, down on your floor, now or later, for **75c.** the yard, cash.

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Velvet Carpets are priced according to quality. And keep in mind that these prices include making, laying and lining anywhere within 25 miles.

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We do not mean to carry over these goods to next season. For this reason we have cut all heavy goods to unheard-of prices. Ladies' and Misses' Capes, Jackets and Suits, Wrappers, Waists and Petticoats, Flanelette Night Robes and odd pieces, Wool Underwear. Also bargains in Corsets, Domestics and Small Wares.

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Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector; Rev. M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "Is it Natural to be Good?" Vesper service at 5; "Four Things the Fool Says in his Heart Today." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

Congregational church—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, at 10.30; Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. Evening service at 7; Preaching by the pastor, theme, "Will You Choose The Baptist's Head?"

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 Rev. G. H. Horton of Blackstone. Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45. Preaching at 7. The fourth discourse in the series on "The Prodigal Son," theme, "The Elder Son." Short after meeting in the vestry.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor. Sermon will be one of a series on the general subject: "Lessons from Some Characteristic Incidents in the Life of Christ." Special subject: "Christ The Worker of Miracles." Junior league at 3. Epworth league at 6. Evening service at 7; sub. "Christian Service." Baptismal service at the morning service.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending March 14, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. Novernan, Miss Grace Morrill, Mrs. Joseph McGrady, Mrs. Agnes McCulloch, M. E. Salisbury, Mrs. Jane Wilkinson (letter and package).

Gentlemen—Franklin Woolen Mills, Frank Bulles, W. H. Flint & Co., Harry Meyrick, John J. Shelbourn, Vincenzo Monte, Vincenzo Munda.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

An Author in Embryo.

The art of writing a short story must seem to be easy to many people, and they never realize its difficulty until they try. In a southern school the teacher, as an educational experiment, assigned each pupil the task of writing an original story.

On the day when the stories were read a bright little towhead arose and started in as follows:

"On the green slope of a mountain stood a first-class Jersey cow, with three legs."

"That won't do, Johnnie," interrupted the teacher, "you are one leg short."

"No, I ain't," replied the future author. "You don't wait to get my plot, which is that a railroad train cut off one leg, and the owner of the cow got $3,000 damages, and moved his whole family to Paris in time for the exposition, where the girls will be married to rich Frenchmen and die happy ever afterward!"—Golden Days.

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Another Man Made Happy.

Harry—I have about decided not to get married next month.

Herbert—What's the matter, old man? Getting shaky?

Harry—No; but I don't want to bother about the groceries.

Herbert—Oh, that is easy enough. All you have to do is to have the **FALES** order team call and your wife won't have a particle of bother about the amount or the quality of the goods.

Harry—That's all right, and it's just what I'll do. Much obliged.

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They never fail to relieve in a very short time. Try them.

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For the next 10 days we offer the public celebrated brands of Groceries at prices which mean a great saving to purchasers. Take advantage of it and you will quickly see the benefit you gain by doing so. We offer:

11 lbs. Rolled Oats...	25	3 cans Condens'd Milk	25
4 2-lb. pkgs. R'd Oats	25	4 lbs. Dates..........	25
6 lbs. Fancy Prunes..	25	1 bbl. St. Joseph Pastry	4.00
1 bush. Fine Potatoes	75	4 lbs. Butter, best....	1.00
S. Wheat Biscuit.....	11	15 Oranges..........	25

SPECIAL.--A handsome Cut Glass Sauce Dish given FREE with two packages of Fruit Puddine, on sale this week, per package, 9c.

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ANNUAL STATEMENT JAN'Y. 1, 1900.

Assets..............	$126,646,728.45
Liabilities..............	121,112,030.71
Surplus..............	5,534,697.74
Insurance in force..............	$497,606,128.00

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References and testimonials can be furnished on application by responsible parties.

This Pure Spring Water will be delivered to your house or office fresh from the spring every morning, at the following prices:

One gallon every week day, per month......	$1 00
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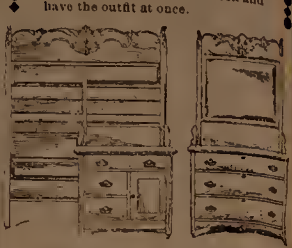

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Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted. Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.

OUTFIT NO. 1.

This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two pairs, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.

$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 2.

This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs, rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.

$32—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 3.

This outfit is made up with one of our most popular selling chamber suits, including the 2 chairs, rocker, table, mattress, woven wire spring bed and toilet set.

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CHAS. W. STEWART, Clerk and Treasurer.

Dividends declared the first Monday in January and July, payable on and after the 15th of said months.

Money may be withdrawn at the option of the depositors. The treasurer may, however, require a notice if necessary, in accordance with the Statute Law.

Bank open daily from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and from 1 to 4 p. m.

BOARD OF INVESTMENT.

D. Thayer, Jr., E. H. Sherman, J. G. Ray, Chas. J. McKenzie, E. P. Chapman, Charles Stewart, George W. Wiggin.

STATEMENT FEB. 28, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$555,180 31
Guarantee Fund		27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account		15,811 27
Interest Account		2,018 62
Real Estate Income Account		69 99
		$600,832 98

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$22,143 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		28,517 62
Railroad Bonds		133,012 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		30,300 00
" " Mortgages		171,735 80
" " Personal Securities		187,049 75
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Note		5,000 00
Expense Account		218 02
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$1,566 47	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	249 65	
Mercantile Trust Co.	442 74	
		2,258 86
Cash on hand		1,851 98
		$600,832 98

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

E. P. CHAPMAN,
WALTER M. FISHER,
Committee of Examination.

March 3, 1900.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Nancy J. Roper, late of Medway, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by James A. Snow of Medway, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of March, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this 26th day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

mh2.9.16 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Leave Wrentham P.O. for Franklin at 8.15 a. m. 3.30 p. m. Leave Franklin depot for Wrentham at 9.30 a. m., 4.30 p. m.; connecting with trains for Boston and Providence via N. Y. & N. E. railroad; trains leaving Boston at 7.10, 8.30 a. m. and 3.30 p. m.; leaving Providence at 8.36 a. m.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

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MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
"	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	6.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, [illegible] o the nearest box, unlock, pull down the ho[illegible] and let go. The apparatus works automati[illegible] y. Close the box and remain until the fire [illegible] arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Grange meeting on Thursday evening.

No new cases of scarlet fever are reported.

Miss Louisa Fiorani is visiting her sister at Reading.

Mr. and Mrs. Marston Sanborn have gone to New York to do spring buying.

Take your Massachusetts girl to see "The Missouri Girl" on Thursday night.

Editor Johnson has been hibernating since Thursday. Cause grip; effect seclusion.

F. M. Richardson was obliged to "lay off" a day or two last week owing to sickness.

Mrs. George Keefe of Bond street is slowly recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Auditor P. A. Woodward has been confined to the house the past few days with the grip.

The selectmen require girder rails on Main street for the new street railway from Medway.

The assessors have organized with William Rockwood chairman and James O. Chilson secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert M. Skinner of Dorchester spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. T. Jefferson Daniels.

Harry M. Bates has secured a position in the wholesale boot and shoe store of Parker, Holmes & Co., Boston.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Congregational church has forwarded $10 for the relief of the famine sufferers in India.

We shall later print the text of the "curfew" law, so that parents and others may know just what its provisions are.

The school committee has closed the public schools a week before the regular time on account of the sickness among children.

Prof. and Mrs. L. L. Burrington, who have been stopping at the Hotel Bellevue, Boston, during the winter, have returned to the Morse residence.

Lieut. George W. Gatchell of Fort Wordsworth, Staten Island, N. Y., was in town to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. M. E. Dawley.

Miscreants set the old Milford High school on fire and completely destroyed it last week. No one condones the deed, but the town will be the gainer.

Every G. A. R. man with memories of war, should read Mrs. Cora Linn Daniels' letter in regard to Chattanooga in this issue. It will please others as well.

The Kings' Daughter are arranging to give an entertainment with refreshments in Odd Fellows hall on Tuesday evening, April 3, of which we shall say more later.

"A Rank Deception" and "A Chinese Dummy" will be presented Friday evening by High school pupils, at the Horace Mann building, for the benefit of the seniors.

Edward O'Connell, who has been employed in Ray's mill, has resigned his position. O'Connell is going to Bristol, where he intends to learn the trade of a machinist.

The Mothers' section of the Alden club met with Mrs. N. E. Newell Friday afternoon and listened to a paper on bringing up children in the way they should go.

The members of the N. E. O. P. will hold a whist party, to be followed by dancing, at their rooms in Dana block, tomorrow evening. Members and friends are invited to participate.

There was a rumor that Horace, son of W. E. Corbett, had the scarlet fever, but his father desires us to state that the Board of Health, as well as his physician, say that this is not the case.

A. M. Thayer is stopping at the Whiting house and taking his meals in Boston during the "three weeks quarantine" of his own house. His daughter Gretchen is having a very mild case of scarlatina.

A forest fire occurred in the woods at North Franklin, between Pond and Elm streets, Wednesday of last week, which was extensive enough to call out some of the Medway fire department and a number of boys.

The entertainment in the High school room by pupils of the public schools Friday evening was attended by an audience filling the room. Frequent applause and close attention testified to their pleasure.

A number of Franklin people attended the presentation of "Hazel Kirke" given by Woonsocket talent in the Woonsocket opera house Friday evening. They all report it a well delivered play with exceptionally fine talent.

The Y. P. S. C. E. will hold a "singing social" at Congregational church tomorrow evening at 7 30, with refreshments, and a slight admission fee will be charged. Come if you wish to enjoy some good new music.

Members of St. Mary's Dramatic society attended the presentation of "Nan, the Mascot," by the Warren Dramatic club of East Boston Friday evening. The play will be given here by St. Mary's Dramatic society April 18.

The members of St. Mary's alumni held a pleasant social meeting Friday evening at the home of Miss Catherine Kenney on Wachusett street. There was a good attendance of members, and music, social games and refreshments were the order of the evening.

If you want to know more about the old religions and the Bible in general than you ever knew don't fail to hear Rev. Dr. Koehne next Friday evening at the Congregational church. Let some other things go and enjoy a most eloquent and historically valuable lecture.

The Friday evening service at the Methodist church will be held at 7 o'clock this week, instead of 7.30. The short sermon, given by the pastor, will be especially to Christian people. Subject, "The Deep Things of God." Let all those interested keep in mind the early hour of meeting.

The Epworth league held a sale of fancy articles and gave a pleasing entertainment in Odd Fellows' hall last evening, a goodly number being present. The sale began at 3 o'clock and lasted until 8 p. m., when the entertainment began. The affair was successful in every way, over $100 being realized.

The selectmen Saturday evening appointed William Redpath night officer and lockup keeper in place of Anthony Connor. William F. King was reappointed inspector of animals, and Fred E. Osborne a weigher of coal and hay. Roswell K. Stevens was drawn as grand juror. A number of bills were approved.

The Rambler baseball team, which made such a good record among the young amateur clubs last season, will be ready to play ball the coming month with any club within twenty miles of Franklin, whose members are of the average age of nineteen years. Paul Pieri is the manager of the team and his address is Box 340, Franklin.

Miss Jane D. Fisher, who lives in the Butman building in Central square, while at work in the dining room yesterday afternoon tripped as she was walking across the floor and fell, sustaining severe injury to her left hip. Dr. A. J. Gallison was summoned and found that her hip had been broken. Miss Fisher is nearly 70 years of age and has been in poor health for some time.

The rain Friday has made a serious loss to some farmers in the washing away of the enriched soil. There are fields where many loads of the loam have washed down into the highways or into adjoining fields and many such cases, all where the property is owned by different proprietors. While one may gain a substantial richness in his field it is at the expense of his neighbor.

Funeral services of the late Mrs. Mary E. Dawley were held in the Universalist church Sunday afternoon, Rev. D. M. Hodge officiating. The flowers consisted of a wreath of English violets from the Ladies' Sewing circle, seventy-one white pinks from the Y. P. C. U., large piece of calla lilies from D. of R., basket of violets from Mr. and Mrs. J. Gatchell, East Blackstone; wreath of ivy leaves from friends in Pawtucket, R. I., bouquets, Miss Lucy Tower and Mrs. D. O. Corbin, calla lilies, Mr. Mrs. E. F. Crooks.

Harry W. Forbes takes the place as teacher at the academy made vacant by L. W. Arnold's resignation. Mr. Forbes graduated at St. Lawrence university, Canton, N. Y., at the age of eighteen and took a second degree at Harvard the next year. Since then he has been teaching in the High school at Gouverneur, N. Y. He is the son of Prof. Forbes of the college at Canton and his scholarship and teaching ability are spoken of with the highest commendation by all who have known his work.

The work of building the electric line between Franklin and Medway is now in the hands of contractors, and the latter have already begun to lay out the work before them. It is given out by the company that no time will be lost in constructing the line once the weather will permit the commencement of work. The company hopes to have the cars running between Franklin and Medway by Memorial day, and those interested in the enterprise say they see no obstacle at this time to the fulfillment of this plan.

A surprise party was tendered Mrs. Thomas Killilea at her home on Hutchinson street Friday evening by about twenty of her friends. After presenting the hostess with a valuable jardinere, all present derived much pleasure from a number of vocal and instrumental selections and readings. Miss Mary Gibson gave an interesting reading, the Misses Sarah and Agnes Sullivan rendered vocal selections and Miss Mary Connolly of Milford entertained with a violin number. Others present were heard, and after refreshments had been served the merry party dispersed for their homes.

Michael J. McClellan, who has been a sufferer with cancer of the throat for a year past, died at his home in Bullock place at midnight Saturday. He was 47 years of age, and when in health had been in the employ of the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad as a bridge carpenter. He was respected by a large circle of friends and was a popular member of Griffin court, M. C. O. F. The wife of Mr. McClellan died about four years ago and eight children, three sons and five daughters, survive. A funeral mass, which was attended by a large number of friends and relatives of the deceased, as well as a delegation from Griffin court, was celebrated at St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock this morning.

Rev. John B. Koehne of Chicago delivered his first lecture on Friday evening in the Congregational church. The audience was larger than anticipated because of other entertainments in town. The closest attention was given to the speaker, who moves along in his address with the rapidity of a Phillipe Brooks. He spoke upon "The Preparation for Christianity Through Judaism." It was a masterpiece of eloquence, enthusiasm and convincing argument. It was interspersed with humor and with practical suggestions. In a marvelous and skillful manner he contrasted the Jewish, Greek and Roman genius. He reviewed the Old Testament history from Genesis to Malachi, and with each step pointed out the "upward" movement, the tendency to righteousness and the Messianic spirit looking toward the Christ. The next lecture will be given on Friday evening, March 23, upon "The Preparations Through the Gentile Religions." All will want to hear him upon this scholarly and interesting theme.

Adjourned Town Meeting.

There was a slightly decreased attendance last evening, and an almost perfect unanimity of action. In fact, it was "anybody's meeting," and happy was he who wanted a measure to go through, as it "went." Evidently it was felt that the committee had taken sufficient time to carefully investigate each article and in most instances its judgment was relied upon, though with exceptions.

One thing, however, should be said just here. The town has a right to congratulate itself on a few points. The first is the strong sentiment for no-license; the increased interest in and appropriation for roads; the care of the common; the improvement of the cemetery; starting out right in the tree warden matter; its stand on the sewer question; the adoption of the curfew ordinance. Everyone of these means a step forward, and with the better times which greet the town on every hand the prospects are unusually encouraging.

Moderator Burrington called the meeting to order promptly at 7.30, when the meeting acted upon the remaining articles in the warrant as follows:

Article 3, choosing Dr. Hodge as tree warden for the ensuing year; article 4, choosing the following additional town officers: Fence viewers, A. P. Woodward, W. A. Pond, J. O. Chilson; field drivers, Thomas F. McDermott, Frank Hawkins, A. P. Winchenback; pound keeper, Norman B. Stone; article 5, to hereafter choose a tree warden by official ballot; article 6, fixing the compensation of the collector of taxes at one per cent. and vesting him with the same power and authority that the treasurer has; article 7, accepting the report of the several town officers (with the exception of the report of E. D. Daniels, school superintendent); article 8, selecting the yard at the almshouse as the pound for the ensuing year; article 9, accepting the list of jurors as printed by the selectmen; article 10, authorizing the treasurer, under the direction of the selectmen, to borrow necessary sums of money in anticipation of taxes for current year; article 11, instructing the selectmen to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors for the current year; article 12, appropriating the following sums for the purposes named: For repair of roads, bridges and sidewalks, and the purchase of a stone crusher, $8,700; support of schools, including salary of superintendent, transportation of scholars, repairing school houses, school books, etc., $14,200; support of poor, $5,000; fire department, $3,200; water supply, including sum of $350 for possible extension of service to Unionville, $4,300; street lights, $3,800; town debt and interest, $3,400; payment of town officers, $1,600; abatement and collection of taxes, $950; printing and stationery, $550; suppression of illegal liquor traffic and payment of police, $1,700; state and military aid, $500; soldiers' relief, $500; support of the library of the Franklin Library association, $700; decoration of soldiers' graves, $100; miscellaneous town expenses, including insurance and forest fires, $1,100; and authorizing the assessors to publish in the next town report the valuation of the town and a list of all abatements of taxes and the reasons therefor; article 13, appropriating $400 for construction of concrete sidewalks, abutters to contribute like amount; articles 14 and 31, relating to repair and erection of guideboards, adopted jointly; article 15, authorizing school committee to employ secretary at salary not exceeding $50; article 16, charging seven per cent. on all taxes unpaid after Dec. 1 next; article 17, requiring school committee to employ superintendent; article 18, adopting report of committee appointed at last town meeting in reference to construction of sewers; article 19, voting not to sell the engine on Pleasant street; article 20, appropriating $250 for repairing the furnace in William M. Thayer school house; article 21, to appropriate $100 for lettering Horace Mann and William M. Thayer school houses, indefinitely postponed; article 22, to see if the town would sell the South Franklin and Northwest school houses, indefinitely postponed; article 23, accepting report of committee on curfew and adopting by-law in reference to same; article 24, appropriating $50 for the care and planting of shade trees, to be expended under the direction of tree warden; article 25, relating to establishment of incandescent or arc light at Oak and Church streets, indefinitely postponed; article 26, appropriating $100 for the purchase of a working set of weights and measures; article 27, relating to the establishment of an arc light at cemetery gate on Union street, indefinitely postponed; article 28, relating to exchange of lands with George C. Dauphinee in rear of school house at Four Corners, referred to selectmen, with power; article 29, relating to the entertaining of a proposition to allow the extension of the water supply of the Franklin Water company to Unionville, indefinitely postponed; article 30, appropriating $100 to improve the common; article 32, appropriating $600 to grade and improve that part of the Franklin cemetery owned by the town, near the corner of Central and Union streets; article 33, ratifying the sale of the Williams gravel pit as made by the selectmen.

It was also voted to instruct the auditor not to approve and the treasurer not to pay bill of any board after amount of appropriation had been expended; and it was also voted that the overseers of the poor and the school committee be allowed to expend the receipts of their respective boards from other sources than said appropriations, in addition to the same.

The meeting adjourned at 9.20.

The Scarlet Fever Matter.

Elsewhere may be seen the article by the Board of Health. Realizing the amount of talk that this epidemic has aroused, they wish to impress upon all the wisdom of exercising just at present more than the usual care in regard to the further spread of the disease, which thus far has been confined largely to mild forms of scarletina. Cases are cropping up here and there which proper care would have prevented. The SENTINEL desires to allay the fears as far as possible, urging at the same time all wise and necessary precautions.

At the Head.

In cycle construction each year brings out some new feature to add to the comfort of the wheelmen. This year it is the coaster break. To meet this demand the Waltham Manufacturing company have just brought out the "Orient Morrow" model. This model is equipped with the Morrow coaster break, which is acknowledged by all to be the best of the many coaster devices now on the market. If you are to buy a wheel this season be sure and see the "Orient Morrow" before closing your bargain. Sample now in stock at the Orient Cycle Agency, 72 Union street, Franklin, Mass.

Watch the windows of A. C. Mason's drug store for the Orient Morrow Cycle, which will be on exhibition within a few days.

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

IN THE WAKE OF THE SWALLOWS.

The Chicago of Tennessee—Prosperity Everywhere.

READ HOUSE, CHATTANOOGA, TENN., March 16, 1900.

Of all the enterprising, hurrying, busy centers that we have seen since leaving the snow clad hills of New England, this bustling little city takes the prize! There is more business done here in a day than in some of the cities of similar population in Massachusetts in a week!

Hundreds of railroad tracks with continual tootings of engines, trains coming in and out, electric cars rushing in every direction, supplemented by rapid transit lines that go like a shot; the streets full of people, the theatres crammed, Paderewski's performance last night—such an ovation that the manager of the Grand Opera house was pale with excitement and said he never handled such a crowd before; this house running over with seventy to eighty new arrivals per day—after the sylvan charms of Hot Springs and the quiet grandeur of the mountains at Asheville, we seem to have struck a brilliant, gay, prosperous current of civilization which appropriately represents the whole state.

The terminus of the Southern railroad in one direction, the point where we turn directly south for New Orleans, all travelers naturally make a stop here, not only for convenience, but to see a city made so historic by the civil war, and

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An Important Discourse.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper gave the last sermon of his series on "The Prodigal Son" Sunday evening at the Baptist church. His theme was "The Elder Son." He emphasized the thought that selfish righteousness is one of the greatest sins. We must always remember the evil environment in which men are placed. There are poor unfortunates in the world having a nature all out of harmony with God and integrity. They are to be both blamed and pitied. Certainly evil habits may have come to them from previous generations. Their conflict in life is bitter and continuous. And he who wraps himself in the garments of his selfish morality and turns the cold shoulder to those who need and seek his aid is as much a sinner as the one whom he despises.

The elder son had no love whatever for his prodigal brother. It filled him with wrath that the wanderer had repented and returned. He was so angry that he would not enter the house, even when his father came out and entreated him. He experienced no thrill of joy that the dead was alive again and the lost was found. He gloried in the privilege of hating and despising the prodigal forever. He would have driven him back to the far off country to the detestable employment of feeding swine and to starvation. Little did he realize that his heartless soul was as wicked in God's sight as any evil that his fallen brother had committed.

Christ taught and manifested the principle of the broadest love and helpfulness. The sick need the physician, not those who are well. And the Christian who ignores his duty toward the lost is false to his holy obligations. If we scorn the weak brother who desires to repent and reform, and kick him down his blood will be upon our skirts. The great demand upon the church is for pure brave heartedness. The world is lost in sin and needs a friend as tender as Christ, as persevering as fate and as noble as God. It is the crowning privilege of the saints to do heaven's exalted work on the earth and to offer salvation freely to all men.

The Missouri Girl.

The above play is not new to our theatre goers. It has been here before and given the best satisfaction, even to our severest critics. Our people are always glad to welcome Fred and Sadie Raymond in any play, but almost everyone prefers to see them in "The Missouri Girl." The fact that the play has been re-written and enlarged will be of interest to the many friends of the Raymonds; they have had five years of uninterrupted success in this play, and its drawing power is stronger each succeeding year. The business being done by this company is something wonderful; houses packed to the doors at nearly every performance. They will be with us next Thursday evening.

The American Band orchestra of nine pieces are engaged for "The Missouri Girl." They have some new music and their playing will be a fine feature of the entertainment. The best seats fifty cents.

Card of Thanks.

To the Daughters of Rebekah, the Ladies' Sewing circle, the Y. P. C. U., and to the choir of the Universalist church, and to one and all we wish to extend our most sincere thanks for kind assistance and floral gifts during the long sickness and at the death and funeral of our beloved sister.

JAS. L. GATCHELL AND FAMILY.
T. D. GATCHELL,
GEO. H. GATCHELL,
AMOS D. CROOKS AND FAMILY.

I am very sorry that there was any misunderstanding about the funeral services of my sister. The services were held in church that all friends might attend. It was only the burial that was private, as per notice.

GEO. H. GATCHELL.

Is Hoag to Compete with Lake Pearl?

For some time Hoag's pond in South Bellingham has been spoken of as an outing place, and now it has been purchased by Edgar K. Ray of the Woonsocket street railway and the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket Railway companies. Mr. Ray is confined to his home by illness and could not be seen to learn his plans, but it is known that the pond and the beautiful grove near it have been purchased by him.

As soon as spring begins workmen will be set to work preparing the place for a model inland summer resort. Boathouses will be built and a supply of light boats installed. Other buildings will be erected, including a large dance hall, a place were refreshments will be served and other buildings generally found at places like which it is intended to make the pond.

Hoag's pond is about half way between Woonsocket and Franklin, directly on the M., A. & W. electric line, and without a doubt will become a popular place. The ride in the electrics either from Franklin or Woonsocket to the pond is a beautiful one, and the pond being half way between the two places can draw from both places.

New Telephones.

Sixteen new telephones have just been subscribed for to go into residences, and this list will doubtless be quite largely increased shortly. Then will follow as a matter of course more telephones in the stores. We trust that by June the Franklin exchange will number at least seventy-five subscribers.

We have repeatedly stated that a little personal work would do this, and it has proven true. The solicitor, R. E. Healey, has proven himself a most courteous and successful representative. He is obliged to leave the field for about ten days, when he will return and finish up the work. Those who have just subscribed are as follows: Charles J. McKenzie, Dr. A. J. Gallison, Rev. Dr. Hodge, Dr. J. M. Crowley, Dr. Solon Abbott, Charles F. Nye, Supt. E. D. Daniels, W. A. Wyckoff, F. P. Chapman, Charles L. Stewart, J. E. Clarke, A. D. Thayer, Clarence Quilter, W. Dinsmore, Mrs. W. F. Ray, Miss Lydia P. Ray.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Wanted—A girl for general housework in small family. No washing. Apply at Dinsmore's. 16,20*

Wanted—Girl for general housework. good wages to right party. W. Fairfield, 12 East street 16 tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

A few cords of dry walnut wood; also oak, chestnut and pine dry under sheds, at Allen's wood yard.

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Sewing machine needles, oil and supplies for all machines. Worn out parts replaced with new. L. P. Faxon, 8 Pleasant street.

Are you thinking of buying a sewing machine? If so, you should see the Household, which is a high grade machine at a low price. L. P. Faxon, agent.

Potted plants and cut flowers; all kinds of funeral work made up; special rates for all societies in town. Slade's Greenhouse, Central street, Franklin, Mass. P. O. Box 179. 2T

Round-trip Boston tickets can be had at $1.05, (less than the five-trip rate), of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office. Also round-trip Providence and Milford tickets at a saving of 12c from regular fare. Mileage books to let.

Notice.

The board of health of Franklin calls attention to the following statutes:

Public statutes 80. Section 76. When such disease (infectious) is found to exist in a town, the selectmen and board of health shall use all possible care to prevent the spreading of the infection, and to give public notice to travellers, by displaying red flags at proper distances, and by all means which in their judgment shall be most effectual for the common safety. And whoever obstructs the selectmen, board of health or its agent, in using such means to prevent the spreading of the infection, or wilfully removes, obliterates, defaces, or handles the red flags or other signals so displayed, shall forfeit for each offence not less than ten nor more than one hundred dollars.

Section 75 provides that when any person ill with infectious disease remains in his dwelling, "the house or place where he remains shall be considered as a hospital, and all persons residing in or in any way concerned within the same shall be subject to the regulations of the board as before provided."

These statutes will be strictly enforced in this town.

G. A. MARTIN,
DWIGHT M. HODGE,
MARSTON SANBORN,
Board of Health.

Spring Changes

are about due. You will want new picture frames to brighten up the freshened rooms, and you will want them up to date. The latest styles, in perfect taste, are simple and inexpensive. Many of my new spring mouldings are in and others coming.

CALKIN, Depot St.

Remember the supper and sale of useful and fancy articles to be held at G. A. R. hall Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, April 10 and 11.

Ochee, the barber, will call at the house to do shampooing. Drop a postal to box 210 or call at his shop.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

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which contains so many places of interest within its borders. But the feeling of good luck and general success begins long before you arrive here. All the way from Hot Springs to Morristown you are enthralled by the beauty and magnificence of the mountain scenery, still continuing that wild and picturesque gorge along which the French Broad river winds to the Tennessee. But after we leave Knoxville begins a long cultivated garden ground, which even in winter shows the care, the culture, the system employed upon the huge farms that flank the way.

Astonishing fields of wheat, green as a leek, border the track for miles upon miles with hardly a break, while other red-brown uplands show the recent furrows of the plow. But what surprises is the sparseness of the population, for the question constantly arises: "Who does this labor? Who accomplishes all this?" for as far as can be seen only a small house scattered lonesomely here and there gives evidence of human hands which must have sown these enormous stretches.

As we cross the Tennessee into Chattanooga the splendid heights of Lookout mountain frown down upon us, and Mount Cameron looms to the right above a very long and graceful bridge, which spans the river at a point where the gray and the blue thought it necessary to bang away at each other some years back, but who now live in warm neighborly fashion side by side, the very best of friends. Out there is Valambrosa, a suburb, of the city reached by electrics which wind high in air until a fine view can be had, and the silence of hill and forest feel in contrast.

Standing high on an eminence in the very center of the city is the Grant and Chattanooga university, a building of which any vicinage might be proud, and surrounding it are others of rich stone, churches of great cost and beauty and long streets thoroughly modern in architecture. In the distance is the National cemetery, where a fine stone arch guards the entrance, on which is inscribed: "Here rest in peace 12,959 citizens who gave their lives for their country from 1861 to 1865," and in that dignified and beautiful home of the dead, white stones, each like the other except for the name and number of the regiment, representing very many states, we see green fields set in rows and circles, streets and avenues, where passion and pain are over and life is not—but where dwells forever the promise of immortality.

The ascent of old Lookout is, I fancy, in places steeper than that of Mt. Washington, but the run is short and we arrive in the midst of sunlight and blue sky like a bird lighting on the top most bough. Then what a glorious view. The far ranges of the Appalachians dimly figure themselves as dull blue clouds. Nearer ranges surround the valley where lies the city and its suburbs. The great stream of the Tennessee, in the horse shoe circle of "Moccasin Bend," rolls calmly on to join the Mississippi, and over there Mission Ridge, with its two observation towers, strikes a note set on a bar of beautiful white road, where is the fashionable drive and where the wheelman finds his joy.

Turning again, while standing on Point Lookout—a crag that stands out sheer from the mountain like a shelf—we view the Chickamauga National Military park, which consists of 5,000 acres cared for by the government, and is one of the most attractive outings for visitors. On going to Valambrosa we pass Gen. Garfield's headquarters, as also the house occupied by Gen. Rosecrans, and Forts Negley and Wood are both points which will interest the veteran, the student of history and the patriot.

On "Orchard Knob" also is the still more interesting spot, the headquarters of Gen. Grant, and at all these places are to be found the man who will "tell you all about it," give you every detail and chuckle over some incident of the war which has pleased his memory for thirty reminiscent years. No more attractive place for a hotel can be imagined than the top of this mountain, and we greatly regretted that Lookout Inn was closed, for its beauty as a building and its unrivalled view would instantly decide the choice of the tourist.

But some interesting things right in the heart of Chattanooga, in fact passing our windows, which, by the way, are built upon the old historic site of the Crutchfield house, occupied my feminine attention. We are in the South and the thermometer registers 74, but the ladies (and they are "mighty stylish" ladies here) are wearing high fur collars, thick cloaks, muffs, velvet and felt hats and heavy walking skirts, as if they were promenading Broadway in a northeaster. I found this adherence to winter fashions in days when the thermometer showed 80 degrees last year all over Florida and while we Northerners were getting into nets and organdies, the "natives" will persist in recognizing old Boreas.

The mule in all his glory, the colored "gemman" in all his bravery flourish in this town. Rope reins, an old barrel for a seat, a yellow waterproof coat, a big grin and a respectful bow make up the paraphernalia of four out of ten teams that go by. There will flash by a smart carriage with magnificent thoroughbreds from Kentucky, the whole affair at the tip of the style, and the women—delightful.

Very fine residences, placed discriminatingly a little out of town on foothills of the mountains, speak of the wealth and culture of this Chicago of Tennessee and to its wholesome and growing activities, its undoubted future of increasing importance and standing, may safely be added the prediction of its artistic and educational pre eminence.

CORA LINN DANIELS.

"A Miss is As Good as a Mile."

If you are not entirely well, you are ill. Illness does not mean death's door. It is a sense of weariness, a "tired feeling," a life filled with nameless pains and suffering. In 90% of cases the blood is to blame. Hood's Sarsaparilla is Nature's corrective for disorders of the blood. Remember

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Never Disappoints

Capella as a Binary Star.

One of the most beautiful objects overhead in winter evenings is the bright white star Capella, in the constellation Auriga. Prof. Campbell, of the Lick observatory, announces that he has found decisive evidence that Capella is a binary star, whose components are too close to be separated by the telescope, although the spectroscope reveals their existence through their revolution about their common center. He even suspects that Capella may consist of three stars, all very close together. The principal pair revolve around one another in about one hour less than four days. The wonder increases when it is recollected that these are suns, each more brilliant than our sun.—Youth's Companion.

The Oldest Tree in the World.

The town of Kos, the capital of the small Turkish island of that name lying off the coast of Asia Minor, possesses the oldest tree in the world. Under its shade Hippocrates inculcated his disciples in his methods and views concerning the healing art 2,000 years ago. Tradition carries the age of the tree back to the time of Aesculapius (of whom Hippocrates was a lineal descendant), which would add some 400 years to its age. A great part of the trunk is built round, and there is a fountain known as Hippocrates' fountain. The circumference of the trunk is 30 feet, and there are two main lower branches, which are supported by masonry columns.—Albany Argus.

Her Knowledge of It.

The young woman had been typewriter to the chairman of the finance committee for about a month and had made a mistake in one of his circular letters.

"Here," he said, angrily, "don't you know anything about the money question at all?"

"I know this much," she responded with asperity, "I was to get six dollars a week in this office, and I've been working four weeks and haven't had a cent yet."—Detroit Free Press.

Corn Shipping Ports.

New York has dropped from first to second place in the shipment of corn abroad, Baltimore standing first with an exportation of 46,000,000 bushels in 1899. Philadelphia takes third place, with New Orleans fourth. In the exportation of cereals the gulf ports have made great gains of late years. In wheat exportation New York is still first, but the shipments are declining, while Galveston, Tex., is second, with shipments rapidly increasing.—Chicago Chronicle.

An Unusual Feat.

Kaiser Wilhelm presented to the Ziethen hussars as a New Year's gift a copy of the Dutch naval flag taken by the regiment in 1787. It then accomplished the unusual feat for a cavalry regiment of capturing a man of war. A ten-gun Dutch brig ran ashore in trying to break down the dikes and the hussars managed to board her.—N. Y. Sun.

Curious South American Poison.

The Indians of South America use a curious poison, which is called ezcal. A grain of it has the effect of starting an irresistible desire for exertion. The victim begins walking briskly round and round in small circles till he drops dead in his tracks. There is no pain, but much excitement.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

No Wonder.

"Mary!" yelled the poet.

"What is it, dear?" asked the patient wife.

"Why don't you keep that kid quiet? What on earth's the matter with it?"

"I don't know, dear; I'm singing one of your lullabies to the poor little darling."—Philadelphia Press.

A Misdemeanor.

Teacher—Thomas, I saw you laugh just now. What are you laughing about?

Tommy—I was just thinking about something.

"You have no business thinking during school hours. Don't let it occur again."—Tit-Bits.

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Not Hurt, But Mad.

The way in which native logic triumphs over inculcated dogmas is neatly illustrated by a true story I have heard. A little child between three and four years of age whose parents were firm believers in Christian science had become a good deal imbued with the doctrine of that sect. One day she was left with her aunt, a non-believer. Meeting with a fall and evidently a good deal hurt, she cried bitterly. Her aunt, having in mind her training, said to her: "Are you hurt?" "No, I am not hurt," she replied, somewhat petulently. "Then why do you cry?" "I am crying because I am mad." "What are you mad at?" "I am mad because I can't feel that I ain't hurt!"—Boston Transcript.

Watching for State Papers.

Foreign embassies are always on the sharp watch for the deaths of prominent subjects of their respective countries who may possess interesting correspondence of more or less value to the state. Thus, when Countess Di Castiglione died in Paris, at the request of the Italian embassy the French authorities placed its seal on every cupboard and drawer in her house. It is suspected that she had many interesting letters from Victor Emmanuel and Cavour, in whose employ she was during a part of the second empire, and the Italian government does not intend to let these fall into irresponsible hands.—N. Y. Sun.

Not Dazzled by Youth.

"Yes," said a rich Oklahoma farmer to G. Lowell Miller, "I am proud of my girls, and would like to see them comfortably married, and as I have made a little money, they will not go to their husbands penniless. There's Mary, 25 years, and a real good girl. I shall give her $5,000 when she is married. Then comes Bet, who won't see 35 again, and I shall give her $10,000; and the man who takes Eliza, who is 40, will have $15,000 with her." G. Lowell; reflecting a moment or so, then inquired: "You haven't one about 50, have you?"—Oklahoma State Capital.

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Youthful Precocity.

A little girl who had just entered school lately jubilantly announced to her father that she did better than all the girls above her in the arithmetic class and went to the top.

"That was smart of you," said he, encouragingly. "How was it?"

"Well, you see, Miss Maggie asked the girl at the top how much was 8 and 5, and she didn't know, and said 12; then the next girl said 9, and the next one said 11, and the next 14. Such silly answers! Then Miss Maggie asked me, and I said 13, and Miss Maggie told me to go up top. 'Course it was 13."

"That was nice," said the father. "I didn't know you could add so well. How did you know it was 13?"

"Why, I guessed it! Nobody said 13."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

For a Parcels Post.

A movement is on foot to have congress pass a law admitting parcels of merchandise to the mail at a very low rate of postage. Among the arguments used is the fact that in Great Britain the postage on parcels is six per cent. for the first pound and two cents for each additional pound, up to 11 pounds, which is the limit, thus making the cost of sending an 11-pound package 36 cents. The postal service of the United States has a deficit now of $6,000,000 a year for operating expenses, and that deficit would be two or three times larger if such a law was enacted, and the people would pay the shortage. An exchange thinks this a scheme of the big department stores of the larger cities to ruin the trade of the country merchants.

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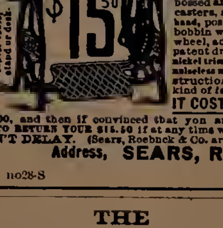

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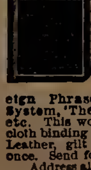

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All meaningless fell on her ear:
Her own strong will yet sleeping lay,
Like serpent 'neath the flowers of May.

"Thy will be done," a maiden prayed,
With gentle love her heart was stirred,
And yet she faltered on that word.
The world's path shone with dazzling light;
The path of duty seemed less bright;
Conflicting doubts her faith o'ercast,
Oh! could she trust Him to the last?

"Thy will be done," a woman prayed.
She stood beside a lowly grave,
And saw the long grass o'er it wave.
With radiant face and steadfast eyes
She looked beyond the distant skies;
With faith triumphant, vict'ry won,
Her heart cried out: "Thy will be done."
—Anna Nell Gilmore, in United Presbyterian.

THE LAST ACT

Fifille Beautencourt danced on the table before 50 of her dearest friends, and they drank to her with great acclaim.

"But you haven't let us in the secret yet, Fifille," said they. "What does this farewell mean? Is there to be a succession of them? Or are you, by a possibility, about to be married? You, who have been so obdurate? You who have refused five millions in your time, speaking by the aggregate? Come, Fifille, it is impossible for a woman to retire when she is making more money with her feet than the cleverest make with their heads! Maybe you have developed a conscience—eh? Is it that you are about to enter a convent? Are you going to be penitential—in black tights? Tut! Fifille, it is childish of you to be saying farewell without giving any reason for it!" So went the composite speech of many companions.

Fifille smiled gravely. Then she took her tiny lace handkerchief, and moistening a bit of it, rubbed at the rouge on her cheek. She held up the incarnadined muslin to the contemplation of her guests.

"I shall never put any paint on my face again as long as I live," said she. "But the reason for it you would hardly understand. It is not remorse, for I have nothing of which to repent, save venal sins, of course. And those I have confessed. It is not love, for I let that go by a long time ago. It is not age, for, as you see, youth has not yet forsaken me."

The diaphanous snowy petticoats fluttered like a humming bird's wing, and about the svelte body drifted a scarf light and wayward as a morning cloud.

"I, who am not suspected of philosophy, leave the life I know for philosophic reasons. I wish to observe for myself how real people live—not mimic people like ourselves. None of you has ever discovered it, but as a matter of fact I am not stupid. I do not propose to remain here till you pity me. I am not going to hear any of you saying: 'Poor old Fifille!' when I get too stiff in the joints for this."

She poised like a butterfly on a flower, and it seemed as if she were about to disappear through the beflowered ceiling of the room.

"Brava! Brava! Exquisite! Encore!"

But the famous dancer bowed somewhat sadly, and, excusing herself, she quitted the room for a short time. When she reentered she was clad in a severe brown traveling suit. A plain toque covered her straight brown hair—her own hair. There was neither red nor white upon her face which nature had not placed there. In her hand was a little traveling bag.

"Adieu, adieu!" she cried. She ran from one to the other, shaking them by the hand and kissing them. She wept, too, and gave little reminders of old times now to this one and now to that. Before they could realize it she was gone. They never any of them saw her again. They never solved the mystery of her disappearance. It was a nine years' wonder. It was a thing to talk about at matutinal suppers—those weary, noisy meals that ended with the dawn. But out of the many guesses hazarded no one guessed the truth—and it never occurred to anyone to believe what the danseuse had told them.

Up in Maine there is a certain coast town that looks down from bluffs upon the sea and across sloping meadows to a wide and wayward river. The fields are old and have been worked too long. The wharves are rich in old tales, but the vessels that tie up at them now are comparatively few. Everybody knows everybody else, and the people have so married and intermarried that when a family party is given it is difficult to avoid inviting the whole village.

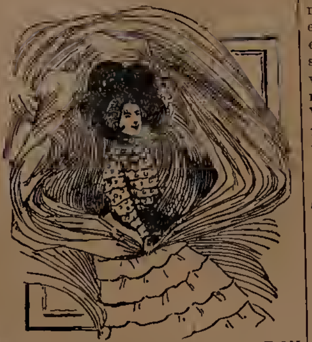
Into this community there came one day a woman whom nobody knew. In spite of the modesty of her bearing and the quietness of her attire she had obviously the manner of cities about her. She bought a cottage for herself and furnished it with simplicity. The ladies who called could find no fault with the few pieces of china nor with the moderation of the decorations. Everything was in good taste. Everything betokened a comfortable condition of the purse. Nothing spoke of opulence or extravagance. At first the callers talked of themselves—the town, the social life, the old traditions, the historic spots. They were frank and confidential. Then they exacted a return. They endeavored to probe the mystery of this woman's life and to find why she had come among them. They were prepared for some concealment. It had been agreed on all hands that the woman was a mystery and was likely to remain such. But they met with a surprise. There was no concealment. The premiere danseuse told them her story from beginning to end and made them sympathize with it, too.

There was, indeed, a covert envy in the attitude of some of these women toward her. The easy manners, the charming address, the inimitable grace of movement—they had never seen the like, and they coveted the lady these possessions. It would not be true to say that they felt perfect confidence in her. They felt a deep interest in her; she fascinated everyone she met; that had been her custom from time immemorial. It had, in fact, been her profession. But the good ladies waited with some apprehension for the time when the dancer would give them a disagreeable surprise. She was sure, they felt, to outrage the conventions some time. They were not prepared to say that they would blame her; it was a thing to be expected.

But the months went by quietly. Fifille Beautencourt went her way without untoward demonstration of any sort. Sunday morning, garmented in black, she knelt at early mass at the church upon the hill—the church with the holy cross upon its steeple. She invited the neighbors to dine with her on that day and walked abroad in the afternoon with little children, or read by her pine fire, or beneath the shade of her veranda. Week days she arose early, directed her small domestic affairs and then busied herself with the unpretentious charities she had started. One was a small day nursery for the children of the women who worked in the fish packing houses. Another was a home for the widows of sailors. Another was a circulating public library—an enterprise of which the community thought so well that it presently gave her its assistance. She had calls to make, too. She soon accumulated a number of friends and she interested herself closely in their doings. She had a genius for remembering birthdays, and lost no opportunity of making a festa. Particularly when the boys and girls were home from school at the holidays did she make merry. The town had never had so many gayeties—had never enjoyed itself so much. In fact, much talent was discovered among those who had hitherto been looked upon as commonplace. It appeared to be Fifille Beautencourt's especial talent to develop others. She discovered them to themselves.

She sent one boy away to Rome to study picture making, and it was her pleasure to instruct a number of aspiring young girls in French and to give them talks about Paris—historical Paris, not the Paris the coryphee knew in the days of her artistic novitiate.

One day she died. Then the town realized that it had lost its most liberal-minded and picturesque personage. No one else in that self-satisfied community stood ready to do the generous thing regardless of consequences. No one else took the sentimental view of things—rejoiced openly with young lovers, made merry at weddings, delighted in christenings and had dances at the coming to age of the young men.


SHE POISED LIKE A BUTTERFLY ON A FLOWER.

The spirit of joy seemed to have departed. All her tenderness and tolerance were remembered, all her simple, affectionate, almost humble ways. And with her death rumors of her former greatness began to reach the little town. Then it was realized what a celebrity had been entertained unknowingly all those quiet years.

So in gratitude for the joy she had given them and for the good will she had shown all her life among them they gave her a public funeral. The sons and daughters of Puritans went, and the French people who had moved down from the north, and the old people, forgetting ancient prejudices. They buried her on a high hill overlooking the sea. It was bleak there, and there was only a plain white cross to mark her resting place. Nothing could have been more out of keeping with the Fifille Beautencourt of the old days, she who had been compacted of emotion and laughter, of color and music and joy. But the people who laid her there loved her well, and the story they told of her life among them was the prettiest of all the stories that were told of the old port.—Chicago Tribune.

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TATTOOING IN OLD TIMES.

It Was a Common Custom Among the Indians of Early Days of Louisiana.

Tattooing was a universal custom among the Indians of old Louisiana with both sexes. Among the men it possessed a significance attaching to their career as warriors, and their tattoo marks were testimonials of distinction; with the women it seems to have been merely a matter of adornment. From their girlhood the women caused themselves to be tattoed on the face. Sometimes it was a line of tattooing across the top of the nose, sometimes the line was up and down the chin, and not unfrequently the entire upper part of the body was thus marked.

The young men of the nation also subjected themselves to the tattooing process by being tattooed first on the nose, like the women, and not until they had given evidence of their courage were they privileged to receive tattoo marks on any other part of the body. This testimony of their merit as warriors was reserved for them when they had distinguished themselves in war by killing an enemy in battle or by bringing with them from the field of carnage the scalp of an enemy taken in the fight. When they had thus given evidence of their worthiness to be ranked among the warriors they had the right to tattoo their bodies with emblems and figures illustrative and commemorative of the incident in which they had proved their valor.

Every man and woman among the Indians yielded to the arbitrary custom of tattooing, but the warriors, above all, were carried away by this sort of vanity, and not one of that class by any chance allowed his opportunity to receive this patent of knighthood to pass by neglected. One of the ordinary methods adopted by a warrior to commemorate a heroic deed in battle, in which he possibly had killed or in some way overcome an enemy, was to cause a tomahawk to be tattooed upon his right shoulder, and under it the hieroglyphical sign of the nation to which belonged the conquered man.

The operation of tattooing required considerable fortitude to be borne without so much as wincing. A design was first drawn on the skin, and this design was then pricked with six needles, firmly fastened on a line in a flat piece of wood. After this finely powdered charcoal was rubbed into the punctures made by the needles, leaving an ineffacable print of the design. The operation caused much inflammation, and sometimes fever, which brought on severe sickness in case the patient was neglected while the swelling lasted. While the sickness remained the only food given was Indian corn, and water was the only drink.—N. O. Picayune.

Good Clock.

A lady visiting in the south was told a story of an old colored man, who came to a watchmaker with the two hands of a clock.

"I want yer to fix up dese hands. Dey ain't kept no correct time for mo' den six munfs."

"Well, where is the clock?" responded the watchmaker.

"Out at my house."

"But I must have the clock."

"Didn' I tell yer dar's nuffin de matter wid de clock 'cepting de han's? An' here dey be. You jest want de clock so you kin tinker wid it, and charge me a big price. Gimme back dem hands." And so saying, he started off to find an honest watchmaker.—Youth's Companion.

"Taps."

A young recruit, having returned to his native town from camp at Montauk, was being entertained by some friends. He was very willing to tell all he knew. "What do you mean by 'taps?'" asked one of a group of girls. "They play taps every night on the bugle. It means 'lights out.' They play it over the bodies of dead soldiers." The girl was puzzled. At last she asked: "Well, what do they do if they haven't any dead soldier?"—Youth's Companion.

It is very hard to stand idly by and see our dear ones suffer while awaiting the arrival of the doctor. An Albany, (N. Y.) dairyman called at a drug store there for a doctor to come and see his child, then very sick with croup. Not finding the doctor in, he left word for him to come at once on his return. He also bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which he hoped would give some relief until the doctor should arrive. In a few hours he returned, saying the doctor need not come, as the child was much better. The druggist, Mr. Otto Scholz, says the family has since recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their neighbors and friends until he has a constant demand for it from that part of the country. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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"Oh, auntie," replied the bride of a month, "it's too provoking for anything. Tom treats me just as if I were a child."

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"Let me help you to keep the wolf from the door?" said the warm-hearted stranger, as he shook the snow from his arctic cap.

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Trains leave FRANKLIN for
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BLACKSTONE—6 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return 6 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.
WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 49, 4 10, 5 11, 6 01, 7 19 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7 54 p m.
NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 6 15 a m; 12 50, 5 45, 6 38 p m; S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 21, 6 19, f7 25, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 26 a m; 6 25 p m.
CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 6 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 5 45, 6 38 p m. S 6 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58, a m; f1 01, 5 25, 6 13, f7 28, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.
PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 20, 10 30 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.
HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 6 30 a m; 1 55 p m.
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MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 35, 6 50 p m; S 8 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 46, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.
ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

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FRANKLIN—6 49, 6 41, 11 28 a m; 4 03, 6 19 p m. S 8 15 a m.
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WRENTHAM.

The town report is out and contains many interesting facts. There were 29 marriages, 25 births and 26 deaths, 10 of those who died being over 70 and two over 85 years of age.——Mrs. Thomas Jollie died at her residence Saturday after a short illness. She leaves a husband, four sons and one daughter. Last year Mr. and Mrs. Jollie celebrated the 50th anniversary of their wedding. She was an excellent woman in the community and charitable by word and deed with all unfortunates.——Percy Blatchford spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. George W. Blatchford.——Mrs. Joseph E. Chamberlain and Walter S. Dodd are both ill with the grip.——Mrs. Robert Bamberry is at the point of death.——Mrs. Richard Dimond, who has been ill with pneumonia, is improving.——Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Snow and their children are sick with the grip.——Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Dunbar and son of Attleboro spent Sunday in town with friends.——Wampum lodge, I. O. O. F., will work the second degree on six candidates from Walpole and Foxboro this evening.——Addison McGew has filled his two large ice houses with clear ice.——Charles E Brown spent a portion of the week in New York.——Mrs. F. A. Shepard and son Howell are in Milford, where Mr. Field, father of Mrs. Shepard, is critically ill.

The Next Question.

"What is your occupation, my good woman?" said the examining attorney to the witness for the defendant.

"Oi'm a washerwoman, sorr."

"Where do you hang out?"—Judge.

A Good Substitute.

Clara—So that Gotrox girl didn't succeed in capturing a lord after all?

Maude—No; but she married a baron, and they say he gets as drunk as a lord.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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Rouse the torpid liver, and cure biliousness, sick headache, jaundice, nausea, indigestion, etc. They are invaluable to prevent a cold or break up a fever. Mild, gentle, certain, they are worthy your confidence. Purely vegetable, they can be taken by children or delicate women. Price, 25c. at all medicine dealers or by mail of C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

A Great Advance.

Dr. Hatch—Yes, medicine has made great strides of late.

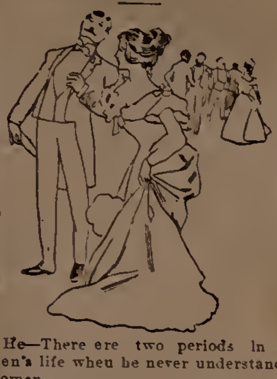
Mrs. Floodyer—Indeed! For instance? We are all so interested, doctor.

Dr. Hatch—To-day, it is within the power of the skilled and patient physician to determine with absolute certainty, in almost every case, the proximate cause of death.—Brooklyn Life.

All Charming.

Man sweeps the strings to flatter;
When a girl is thin and long
He lisps of "willowy graces"
Through the measures of his song!
But when a girl is buxom,
Or, rather, when she's fat,
He sings of "witching plumpness,"
And claims to worship that.
—Chicago Times-Herald.

COMPREHENSIVE STATEMENT.



He—There are two periods in a man's life when he never understands women.

She—Indeed!

He—Yes; before marriage and after.
—Judy.

The Smile Cure.

Oft when a man is feeling blue
A girl's sweet smile can pull him through.
But then the girl, we may assume,
Must be the one that caused his gloom.
—Chicago Record.

Desecration.

"I am sorry to say," remarked Mrs. Swayback, on her return from a visit to her son-in-law, "that Robert does not keep the Sabbath as strictly as he should."

"What does he do?" asked Mr. Swayback.

"He wears colored shirts on Sunday."

It Was Just That.

Hewitt—You went to that slugging match, didn't you?

Jewett—Yes.

Hewett—What excuse did you give to your wife?

Jewitt—Told her I'd been to a pound party.—Town Topics.

A True Story.

Short—If Long calls with that little bill, tell him I'm out.

Mrs. Short—But that would be telling a falsehood.

Short—Nothing of the kind. I'm out of cash.—Chicago Daily News.

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There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell. Then the richness of the blood—the albumen—leaks out and the sufferer has Bright's Disease, the worst form of kidney trouble.

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Such Is Life.

Smith—What's wrong, old man? You look worried.

Jones—I am. You know I had my life insured last week.

"Yes; but what has that got to do with it?"

"Well, the very next day my wife bought a new cook book. Possibly it's all right, but it certainly looks suspicious."—Chicago Evening News.

Shutting Him Off.

"Now if I were only an ostrich," began the mean man at the breakfast table as he picked up one of his wife's biscuits, "then—"

"Yes," interrupted the patient better half, "then I might get a few feathers for that old hat I've worn for three winters."—Chicago Evening News.

Geometrical Work of an Ant.

By the aid of mechanical instruments human beings can do many wonderful things, but to save his life no man could cut such a perfect circle without a pair of compasses as the parasol ant does out of a leaf with nothing but her jaws.—Chicago Chronicle.

Boyish Elasticity.

"Poor little Bobby is sick because he ate too much pie! Bobby, can ma do anything for you?"

"Yes'm; after I take this ol' bad medicine I think I'll be better 'nough to eat more pie."—Indianapolis Journal.

French Women Free Masons.

French women have the privilege of being enrolled as free masons, and, indeed, if they choose, can join a lodge open to both sexes, which has for grand mistress a woman.—N. Y. Journal.

Civilization in Africa.

Africa is the last of the five great continents to be opened up to modern civilization. It lies at the doors of Europe, and claims the oldest civilization known.—N. Y. Sun.

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NERVY BOER SPY.

Story of One Who Displayed Both Bravery and Cunning at Fort Clarence.

Here is the story of a Transvaal spy that well illustrates the shrewdness and pertinacity which have made the Boer such a tactful and able enemy in the present war. It was just before the erection of the Johannesburg forts. The spy was ordered to report on the defenses of Chatham.

While employed in collecting materials he came upon a certain secret subterranean passage conecting Fort Pitt with—somewhere. He tried hard to find out where that "somewhere" might be, but without avail. Rumor said it was Fort Clarence. But Fort Clarence was then—and is now, for that matter—used as a provost prison, and access to its interior was strictly prohibited.

One way of getting within the walls there was, and the spy took it. He committed a somewhat serious offense against military discipline, for which he was reduced to the ranks and imprisoned. As he had foreseen, he was consigned to Fort Clarence.

The provost sergeant in charge kept rabbits, which were shut up at night in a sort of underground passage that opened into the moat—at least, so the other prisoners affirmed. The spy ingratiated himself with the warders, and after a week or two he was taken off shot drill and promoted to the post of rabbit keeper in ordinary to the provost sergeant aforesaid. He looked carefully and conscientiously after his four-footed charges. In fact, he spent the greater part of his time cleaning out and whitewashing their underground apartment, with the result that, on his release, he was able to forward full plans and details to Pretoria.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Father — When I was your age I earned my own living. You ought to be ashamed to be an idler.

Son—Well, you see all the professions are so overcrowded that it seems to me that I ought to let those who need the money more than I do have a chance to make their livings.—N. Y. Journal.

On the Right Side.

In Jewish marriages the bride is always placed to the right of the bridegroom. With every other nation of the world her place in the ceremony is on the left.—N. Y. Journal.

The Sea Elephant.

A paper recently read before the Linnean society in London describes a species of seal, attaining enormous dimensions, to which the name of sea elephant has been given on account of a trunklike appendage on the forepart of the head. A specimen killed in the Falkland Islands was nearly 19 feet in length. The trunk is only a foot long. These seals are peculiar to the southern hemisphere.—Youth's Companion.

HUMOROUS.

Mr. Brush—"I wonder why Morton always speaks of his wife as a dream?" Mrs. Brush—"I suppose because she always goes by contraries." — Harlem Life.

"Henderson tells me he means to name his new boy George." "Old or new style?" "What do you mean?" "Washington or Dewey?"—Indianapolis Journal.

Hicks—"I understand that that new cold storage company is making a lot of money. You are in it on the ground floor, aren't you?" Wicks (mournfully)—"No; they froze me out."—Somerville Journal.

Caught. "Cousin Clara has just answered a letter I wrote her a year ago." "That's queer." "No, it isn't. You probably didn't mail it until you got out your winter overcoat this week."—Chicago Daily Record.

Economy.—"Mrs. Wiggs is the closest woman on the block." "What has she been doing?" "Why, she won't have her leaves raked up; she says they can be shoveled up with the first snow."—Detroit Free Press.

Artist—"My next picture at the academy will be entitled 'Driven to Drink.'" His Friend—"Ah, some powerful portrayal of baffled passion, I suppose?" Artist—"Oh, no; it's a cab approaching a water trough."—London Tit-Bits.

Wiggs—"Why does Bjones have that phonograph going all the time? It's awful." Waggs—"Well, you see, his wife's away, and when he has the phonograph going he says he doesn't miss her so much."—Philadelphia Record.

A Necessary Requisite.—Dorothy had never seen any pumpkin pie until her first visit to the country, and to her grandmother's asking her if she'd have a piece the little girl replied: "No, thank you. I never eat pie without a roof on it."—Judge.

"How much do one and one make, dad?" asked the boy. "Two, for you," replied the father; "but 11 on an election returning board." Which shows that the father wasn't an election officer in a river ward for nothing.—Philadelphia North American.

Marriage and Reformation.

"He's a bigamist!" we urged.

"I shall marry him to reform him!" replied the girl, steadfastly.

Here we burst into derisive laughter.

"Reform a bigamist by marrying him!" we exclaimed.

"A bigamist is as likely to be reformed that way as anybody!" said the girl, with quiet dignity.

Ah, perhaps she was right, after all.
—Detroit Journal.

Why, Indeed?

"That's a funny habit the ostrich has of sticking his bill in the sand," remarked the monkey.

"Yes," snickered the laughing hyena, "if he has sand enough to cover the bill, why doesn't he pay it?"—

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NORFOLK, ss.

FRANKLIN, January 25, A. D. 1900.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

FRIDAY, the TWENTIETH day of APRIL, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse block, in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Lawrence McGinnis of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment on levy on execution) on the ninth day of September, 1899, at thirty minutes past eleven o'clock in the forenoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process in suit of Samuel G. Clark vs. said Lawrence McGinnis), in and to the following real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the northerly side of Village street, with buildings thereon, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the southeasterly corner of the premises on said Village street, thence running northerly on land formerly of one Eaton, and known as the Eaton place, to land supposed to belong to one Wentworth, formerly of one Phillbrick; thence westerly on said Wentworth land to a stake and stone at the northerly end of a drain at land of William Schroeder; thence southerly along the line of said drain, and with said Schroeder land to said Village street; thence easterly with said Village street to the point of beginning, being the Phillip's place, so called, and a part of the Dr. Brown estate, so called.

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the southerly side of Village street, opposite the above described tract, and bounded northerly on said Village street, southwesterly by Charles River and easterly by land supposed to belong formerly to Mrs. A. H. Clark, and being the second parcel described in the mortgage of Lawrence McGinnis to Margaret H. Kenny, dated August 6, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 744, page 522.

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
Deputy Sheriff.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Joseph G. Ray, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Lydia P. Ray and Annie R. Thayer, both of Franklin, without giving a surety on their bonds,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-first day of March, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this fifth day of March, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary Sullivan, sometimes known as Maria Sullivan, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Jerome B. Fitzpatrick and Metcalf E. Pond, both of Franklin, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the fourth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this tenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

mh13,20,27

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Amos Ryder, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and appointing Stephen M. Bennett of Atlantic, Mass., his agent, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.

WILLIAM H. BROWN,
Administrator.

Address: William H. Brown, 338 Weybosset street, Providence, R. I.

March 5th, 1900. mh6.13,20

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Liberal contracts to intelligent men of good character and address. Can earn in commissions from $3000 upwards per year by applying to Wm. F Bache, Gen'l Agt. NORTHWESTERN MUT. LIFE INS. CO., 7 Water st., Boston, Mass., from 9 to 10 A. M.; from 12 to 1 P. M.

ANNUAL STATEMENT JANY. 1, 1900.

Assets	$126,646,728 45
Liabilities	121,112,030.71
Surplus	5,534,097.74
Insurance in force	$497,608,135.00

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If you want to buy or sell anything, lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

Orient Morrow

This Model is equipped with the MORROW COASTER BRAKE, the best devise of the kind now on the market.

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Issues the most liberal and attractive policies on the market, including

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Enclosed • Arc • Lamps

Now in service at the Bresnahan Grocery Company, People's Clothing Company and O. B. Carter store? If not, look at, admire and order them for your own store.

MAKE YOUR STORE BRILLIANT AND ATTRACTIVE.

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Leave Wrentham P.O. for Franklin at 8.15 a.m. 3.30 p.m. Leave Franklin depot for Wrentham at 9.30 a.m., 4.30 p.m.; connecting with trains for Boston and Providence via N. Y. & N. E. railroad; trains leaving Boston at 7.40, 8.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m.; leaving Providence at 8.36 a.m. and 3.30 p.m.

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CURE	A neglected cold or cough may and probably will kill the sufferer. Is it right, therefore, to neglect it? You can cure it in a very short time by promptly using	IT
THAT	Comp. Syrup White Pine and Tar And KOLD KILLER.	IS
COLD	They never fail to relieve in a very short time. Try them.	TOO
BEFORE		LATE.

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Fancy Young Turkeys, 16 to 18c
Young Chickens, 18c
Fresh Killed Fowls, 18c

Fresh Pork	11 to 12c	Fresh Shoulder	8c
Fresh Pork Sausage	10 to 12c	Smoked Shoulder	6 to 8c
Fresh Ham	10 to 11c	Bacon by the strip	10c

BEST LARD IN THE MARKET.

3 lb. Pails	33c	10 lb. Pails	90c
5 lb. Pails	50c	By the tub	8c

Finest Butter in Town. Best brands of Canned Goods to be found.

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Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, o the nearest box, unlock, pull down the ho and let go. The apparatus works automati y. Close the box and remain until the fire arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

David W. Corson is ill with the grip.

Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., will meet this evening.

Mrs. James H. Riordan and child are visiting in Rockland.

John Keefe and family have removed from Wachusett to Peck street.

Dean academy was reopened Tuesday with a full attendance of pupils.

James H. Canning of South Framingham was a visitor here this week.

St. Mary's school closed Monday afternoon in honor of St. Joseph's day.

The last quarter of Miss Razee's adult class begins next Tuesday evening.

George E. Emerson is chairman and secretary of the overseers of the poor.

Mrs. J. H. Tyler has been confined to the house for some time past by illness.

St. Mary's alumni will hold a special meeting at the convent Sunday afternoon.

Edward Newcomb succeeds Joseph Hutchinson on the Waterman laundry wagon,

"A Rank Deception" and "A Chinese Dummy" at the Horace Mann building tonight.

Charles L. Stewart has been among the victims of cold and grip, but is now out again.

L. E. Morrissey with a force of men began on Monday flushing the sewers on Main street.

Mrs. I. W. Sneath is spending this week with her sisters in Cambridge and Dorchester.

Mrs. Amos Gallant returned Wednesday from a visit at the home of her mother in Worcester.

Eugene H. Thain is on a trip to Colorado, including on the way a short stop in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlie S. Leighton were made happy on Monday by the arrival of a little daughter.

Charles W. Stewart, who has been out of health for some time, is getting into normal condition.

Active work on the highways will begin very soon if the present moderate weather continues.

On account of the sickness among children Miss Razee's juvenile class will close for the season.

Edgar K. Ray is president of the Franklin National bank in place of Joseph G. Ray, deceased.

Mrs. B. W. McCabe and children are on a two weeks' visit at the home of Mr. McCabe's mother in Glendale.

Walter M. Fisher, who has been confined to his home on Central street with pneumonia, is somewhat improved.

Another indication of spring—a party of surveyors with their implements starting out for field work this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McKinnon of Winter street are rejoicing over the advent of a new baby girl. It was born Tuesday.

Deacon T. B. Allen is now a guest at E. S. Crossman's, as his little grandson, Allan Richardson, is sick with the scarletina.

H. T. Hayward will soon have his new automobile running about town. He will have lots of friends—who will want to ride.

"The Missouri Girl" was the best entertainment given here in a long time and had a good house. Such girls are welcome.

Contractor R. K. Stevens is just finishing a house for North Attleboro parties, upon which he has been working since December.

Charles Stewart will give a sequel to his recent interesting talk at the meeting of the Universalist Y. P. C. U. Sunday at 6 o'clock.

The first rehearsal of Easter music by the chorus choir of the Universalist church will be held next Sunday afternoon at 4 30.

The first robin of spring was heard and seen yesterday morning at the town farm, and his tuneful note was a welcome harbinger of spring.

Nancy E. Guild died here on Wednesday, aged 79 years, 10 months and 11 days, a brother surviving her here. She formerly lived in Gibeon, Pa.

William Redpath has not assumed his duty as night watchman, and Officer Connor is still on the beat, although the change will probably be made soon.

Surveyors are at work on the Franklin-Medway electric route this week. The company will lay girder rails on Main street to Emmons street, the terminal here.

The car house at Unionville is now completed except a portion of the flooring, which will be finished this week. Four box cars and three open cars are at present in the house.

Work is progressing rapidly on St. Mary's new building. A number of the men employed on the cornice work and the ventilation have finished their work and returned to Boston.

The public library and reading room has been closed by order of the board of health, on account of the public health. It will probably reopen within a few weeks, although no definite time is stated.

The local weather prophet is authority for the statement that the coming May will be a cold one, because the 21st of March governs the weather conditions of that month, and it was a cold, raw day.

Do not fail to hear Mr. Koehne this evening upon the "Preparation for Christianity Thro' the Gentile Religions." He was greatly enjoyed on last Friday evening by those who heard him.

It has been suggested that in our report of the non-acceptance of Superintendent Daniels' report at the Town meeting, we made it too broad. We should have said that the report was accepted with the exception of one paragraph.

The N. E. O. P. and a goodly number of friends participated in a whist party and social dance at Red Men's hall last evening. There was an intermission for refreshments and the affair was a most pleasant for all taking part.

Norman B. Stone is to give up the charge of the town farm at the end of the month and the overseers are looking for a new superintendent of the farm. Mr. Stone has had charge for three years and has kept the place in good shape.

William Jillson, Alpine place, a brakesman on Conductor Smith's train, fell from a car this afternoon, but struck squarely upon his feet. He broke both bones of his right leg near the ankle. Dr. Martin was called and set the bones.

Edgar K. Ray is recovering slowly from the illness which has confined him to his room at Elm farm, Unionville, since last Friday. Wednesday he sat up for the first time since his illness, but was unable to leave his room. It is expected that he will be able to get out within a few days.

The town of Mansfield has decided to take legal action against the Mansfield & Easton, Mansfield & Norton and the Norfolk Southern Street Railway companies to compel them to complete their roads and pave their crossings, according to their franchises. We have no such trouble in this section.

The union temperance meeting for March will be observed in the Baptist church next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. The address will be given by Rev. A. H. Davis of Woonsocket on the important theme, "Town and City Problems." Rev. Mr. Davis is a fine speaker and has made this work a specialty in his own city. There will be fine singing and a large congregation is expected.

"A Rank Deception" and "A Chinese Dummy" will be given this evening by the senior class of the high school in the high school room. Much time and care have been spent on the plays. Miss Grace Whiting has directed the rehearsals, and when school closed last Friday Miss Whiting kindly consented to remain in town for this week so as to drill and stage the play for the pupils.

As the appropriations made at town meeting last year are larger than those made last year, unless there is a substantial increase in the valuation the people must expect a somewhat higher rate of tax this year. In addition there are a few hundred appropriated last fall at a special meeting which comes into the tax levy this year.

The next regular meeting of the Alden club will occur Monday evening next. It will be an open meeting. Lecture by Prof. Lewis of Tufts college; subject, "Musical Taste; Its Past and Future Development." Prof. Lewis is the instructor of the Tufts college glee club, which stands so high among the college clubs and which recently gave an entertainment at Dean.

"Dr. J. M. Driver, our pastor at Mankato, sails on the "Trave," of the North German Lloyd line, March 31, for Naples. He will be abroad until mid summer, visiting Spain, Italy, Switzerland, Austria, Germany, Bavaria, Bohemia, Belgium, Holland, the Paris Exposition, and the British Islands. Brethren of the conference will supply his pulpit during his absence.—Mankato (Minn.) Review.

The funeral of Michael J. McClellan occurred Tuesday morning, a funeral mass being celebrated at St. Mary's church, at 9 o'clock, by Rev. Father Lee. There were many mourning friends and relatives present and a delegation from Griffin court, M. C. O. F., also attended. The bearers were James H. Riordan, Thomas McKinnon, Frank Murphy, James Courtney, William Smiddy and Daniel Buckley. The interment was in St. Mary's cemetery.

Manager Enegren, at Lake Pearl, Wrentham, has begun to plan for improvements for the coming summer amusement season, and among the improvements is the overhauling of the natural amphitheatre for the better entertainment of the audience and a general brushing up all around the spacious grounds inside the high fence. Although it is doubtful if the street railway reaches the park before the opening for the summer, yet it is bound to point that way in the near future, and with this means of easy access to the place it is sure to add to the number of visitors, as well as the value of the property.

The Franklin street railway have been granted an increase of the company's capital stock to $500,000, and the issuance of bonds to an equal amount, the proceeds to be applied to extensions and other construction work, purchase of equipment. The total amount of such stock and bonds is not to exceed $30,000 per mile. A clause in the act gives the company the power to lease or purchase at any time the whole or a portion of the property or franchise of any other street railway in the towns of Mendon, Hopedale, Hopkinton or Westboro. Officials of the road have been in conference with some of those of the Milford, Holliston & Framingham company with reference to conditions which will arise after the completion of the former company's road from Franklin to Caryville and its junction there with the latter's line. It is understood that the Ray syndicate will complete the branch to Caryville just as soon as suitable weather arrives, and it now seems probable that Franklin people can go to Milford by electric cars via Caryville by Memorial day at the latest, and probably considerably before then.

The Curfew By-Law.

Owing to the unusual interest taken by the people in the curfew by-law passed at the adjourned town meeting on Monday evening, and for the benefit of parents and guardians, who have an especial interest in the matter, we publish the full text of the measure:

"Section 1. No person under sixteen years of age shall be in or remain in or upon any of the streets or public places of this town in the night time after nine o'clock p. m. unless accompanied by parent, guardian or other person having the proper custody of such minor person; or unless such minor person is in the performance of some duty directed by such parent, guardian or other person having the proper custody of such minor person; or is going to or coming from some dwelling or public place of amusement, entertainment or instruction.

"Section 2. No parent, guardian or other person having the legal care and custody of any person under sixteen years of age shall permit or allow such minor child, ward or other person under such age, while in such legal care or custody, to go or be in or upon the streets or public places of this town in the night time after nine o'clock p. m. unless there exists a reasonable cause or necessity therefor.

"Section 3. Whoever violates the provisions of either of the foregoing sections shall be punished by a fine not exceeding ten dollars for each offence."

Richardson's Market.

People seem to enjoy "roasts." We have secured one for our patrons for Saturday which will cost as before, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 cents. Of course we have finer cuts costing a little more. Then we have a nice line of turkeys, fowls and chicks, costing from 15 to 20 cents. All the vegetables to be found in Boston to go with our meats, including the famous White Cape turnips, and rhubarb at 12 cents per pound. Butter, canned goods, tea, coffee, etc.

Ocher, the barber, will call at the house to do shampooing. Drop a postal to box 210 or call at his shop.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Lenten Service.

At the Universalist Lenten service last evening Rev. Dr. Hodge preached the sermon. He had received at a late hour a letter from the wife of Rev Mr. Kimmell of Charlestown, who was to have preached, saying that Mr. Kimmell was ill and in bed. A curious incident was that Dr. Hodge awoke from a dream in the early hours of Thursday morning, in which dream he had been preaching a sermon. It seemed to him that there was some emergency and he had to preach at short notice. He dreamed that he was preaching a sermon under four heads, and on waking endeavored to impress these four heads upon his mind, so that he should not forget them. His sermon last evening was based upon these four points which came to him in his dream. They were treated in a way which made a number of his hearers say, "Please dream some more." His first point was that the religion of Christ is based upon events. It is not speculation, argument, thought merely. Something has happened. Jesus has lived. It is not a myth that is the basis of the Christian faith. It is reality, history.

The life of Christ, pure, high, self-sacrificing, has been lived. His church has been established. If the four gospels were blotted out the evidence to the life of Christ would remain. We should have it still in the records of St. Paul. Paul wrote to Christians in widely separated cities—Rome, Corinth, Galatia, Philippi. There were, then, people in all these cities drawn out of heathenism by the power of Christ. Even if the whole New Testament were lost we should lose that which is of inestimable value, but evidence of something of the very greatest moment having taken place in this world would still remain in the Christian church.

The second point was that the Christian religion is based upon great ideas, great thoughts, doctrines. Its great idea about God is that He is a Father, that He is love to men. Its idea of man is that He is a child of God and a brother to every other man; that there is in Him a certain divine element to be realized and perfected. The Christian religion is based upon duties, different under Christianity from what the duties of men are as taught by other religions.

Man is to help. He is not to live for himself, but for others, for the whole. This religion also has its hopes. It is not immortality which is the great word under Christianity, great as that hope is. It is eternal life. The hope of higher life, of completeness, of a realization of all aspiration, all noblest ideals, this is above all other hopes in the religion of Christ. For the elevation and blessing of all, for the realization of brotherhood, for the making of purity and a better life to abound the church Christ established here exists. It needs all who do truly desire to make men better and society cleaner.

Through Youthful Eyes.

By request we publish this contribution by a lad of twelve:

Philadelphia is a good old historical city, the city of William Penn, friend of the Indians. I started from Franklin in company with my mother about 8 o'clock one evening, reaching New York about 10 30 the next morning. We were three hours late in reaching New York on account of ice and strong winds. By being late we had an opportunity to see more than we could if we had reached there at the usual time. We sailed under Brooklyn bridge, which reaches across the East river from Brooklyn to New York; it is nearly two miles long, 85 feet wide and 135 feet above the water. The statue of liberty is at the entrance of New York harbor. It seems strange to see horse cars in New York instead of trolleys. We took the ferry boat at New York across the North river to the Jersey shore, then took the train and went to Philadelphia, reaching our destination about 2 o'clock p. m.

A day or two after we arrived we went sight seeing. We visited the grave of Ben Franklin and his wife. We also visited Christ church where they attended. I sat in his pew. There are people's graves under the floor of the church. The minister stands quite high above the people and there is a sounding board over him. He reaches the pulpit by winding stairs. We then went to Independence hall and saw a great many relics and saw the Liberty bell; it has a very big crack in the side of it. It was rung when independence was declared in the year 1776. We visited Independence chamber where declaration of Independence was adopted July 4, 1776. One room was full of pictures of great men. I saw the picture of the author of "Star Spangled Banner." What was his name? We visited the Betsy Ross house where the first flag was made; the room has not changed much of any since that time. The house is in the heart of the city. I joined the American Flag House and Betsy Ross Memorial association. Its object is to purchase the building so to preserve the birthplace of Old Glory. I am getting up a club and anyone can join it by giving ten cents. Each one receiving a diploma.

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The Terms of the Franchise.

The franchise granted to the Medfield & Medway Street Railway company in Franklin provides that the location of the tracks and poles in the street is to be determined by the company, subject to the approval of the selectmen, and a plan showing the same shall be filed with and approved by the selectmen before this work of construction begins. The company shall use 60 feet T rails, weighing not less than 60 pounds to the yard, except Main street, where girder or T rails shall be used, as the selectmen elect. The ties shall be satisfactory to the selectmen; track shall be laid at existing grade of streets, and in case of change of grade the company relays to conform at its own expense; at street crossings between Emmons and Lincoln streets the said crossings are to be paved 18 inches each side and between the rails. If Main street, in the future, shall be paved, the company shall pave between tracks and 18 inches on the sides. All cross-walks shall be constructed of the same material as used by the town, and when the company fails to keep in repair the town can repair and charge to the company. Iron poles are to be used on Main street and chestnut in other places. all to be painted with two coats of dark green paint; the company agrees to the usual conditions to save the town harmless from damage from the construction or operation of the railway. Poles and wires are not to interfere with others belonging to the town, and trees are to be trimmed under the supervision of the selectmen or tree warden and expenses paid by the company. The usual provisions for water and gas pipes are made, and the order is not to abridge any rights possessed by the town in the streets. Necessary widenings of highways or bridges are to be at the expense of the company. The company is to run cars hourly from 6 a. m. to 11 p. m. and between 7 a. m. and 9.30 a. m. and 4 and 8 p. m. half hourly. The rate of fare is not to exceed five cents from any point on the line in Franklin to any point in Medway. School children and school teachers attending school have half fare, under certain conditions. The company is given until July, 1901, to construct the line.

Annual Parish Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Universalist church next Monday afternoon and evening. The meeting will be called to order at 5 o'clock, when the report of the treasurer will be read and the parish committee for the ensuing year chosen. A supper will be served at 6 o'clock by the members of the Young People's Christian Union. The supper will be of such a character as to meet a variety of tastes. After the supper further reports will be read, other elections made and the pews rented for the ensuing year. Two of the parish committee have died during the past few weeks and there are other vacancies in various offices to be filled at this meeting. The passing away of Mr. Ray necessitates the appointment of another custodian of the funds of the parish, and various measures for the work of the parish for the coming year are to be instituted. The meeting will be an interesting one, though necessarily one stirring some sad memories.

Notice.

The board of health of Franklin calls attention to the following statutes:

Public statutes 80 Section 76. When such disease (infectious) is found to exist in a town, the selectmen and board of health shall use all possible care to prevent the spreading of the infection, and to give public notice to travellers, by displaying red flags at proper distances, and by all means which in their judgment shall be most effectual for the common safety. And whoever obstructs the selectmen, board of health or its agent, in using such means to prevent the spreading of the infection, or wilfully removes, obliterates, defaces, or handles the red flags or other signals so displayed, shall forfeit for each offence not less than ten nor more than one hundred dollars.

Section 75 provides that when any person ill with infectious disease remains in his dwelling, "the house or place where he remains shall be considered as a hospital, and all persons residing in or in any way concerned within the same shall be subject to the regulations of the board as before provided."

These statutes will be strictly enforced in this town.

G. A. Martin,
Dwight M. Hodge,
Marston Sanborn,
Board of Health.

Dental Notice.

I have, since the death of my associate, the late Dr. John T. Stetson, disposed of my Boston office. I will devote my entire time to Franklin patients of myself and the late Dr. Stetson. I extend sincere thanks to all who have for so many years held confidence in my ability, assuring them that renewed efforts will be made to merit a continuance of their patronage.

Dr. Metcalf E. Pond.
Franklin, M'ch 23, 1900.

Have you examined the "Orient Morrow" cycle now on exhibition in the pharmacy window of A. C Mason? If not, you should at once, if interested in wheeling. 23

Who Is to Blame?

I desire to say that during the month of March thus far but fifteen cases of infectious disease has been reported to the School Board, as required by law.

Dr. A. J. Gallison, Chairman.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far a possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

Mr. Editor:—As there has been some criticism in regard to the expense at the almshouse the past year I wish to state just what that expense was for. The overseers of the poor last year asked for an appropriation of $5,000 for the support of the poor for the ensuing year, which was granted. They then asked for an appropriation of $1,000 for making some improvements at the almshouse that were recommended by the agent of the State Board of Associated Charities at his annual inspection here. This was also granted—two separate appropriations for two separate purposes. If they had been kept separate and reported separate on the annual report everyone would have seen at a glance what the ordinary expenses of maintaining the almshouse were; that instead of $2,748.90 it would have been $1,748.90, which, with the deduction of $325.76 due from the almshouse, makes $1,423.14, which is correct, making a cost of $1.72 1-3 per week for each person supported at the almshouse, including superintendent's family, help and visitors.

The $1,000 appropriated for improvements were expended for that purpose and the overseers have told you in their report what those improvements were, and, of course, are an addition to the real estate and are in no way connected with the ordinary expense of the almshouse. This explanation is due the overseers of the poor and the superintendent.

N. B. Stone, Supt.

THE COMING ELECTION.

Our old friend, Wallace Ruthven Richardson, thus "dishes up" the ante-election situation in the local paper of his own town of Matteawan, N. Y.

The spring election now draws near,
When men of "prominence" appear.

All willing to take office, too,
If votes sufficient come to view.

Let this fact be borne in mind,
Officials should be wise and kind.

Of course it is understood
Republicans are always good.

Sometimes a Democrat is true,
And in the village will pull through.

Republican or Democrat,
Men and measures, more than that.

Integrity and common sense
Should rule the day and not pretence.

Let support be given hearty
To "good men" rather than the "party."

Be not beguiled or make a bet
For something you will never get,

But vote the best man for the place
In this our annual village race.

"Reuben."

Emerson's Market.

This is the week for "green stuff." We have spinach, lettuce, radishes, cucumbers, etc., Baldwin apples, choice cuts of meats of all kinds, fowls, chicks, fancy butter and canned goods. In addition we shall continue our special sale of roast beef from 8 cents up all day Saturday. We can't be beaten on this meat. Try it.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 1900.

THE representative committee has decided against putting the telephone companies under state supervision. The Bell people wired that connection all right.

DEWEY crops up occasionally as a presidential candidate, this time the plea being that Mrs. Dewey desires it. Mrs. D. had better remain quiet and then she won't be disappointed.

"SAPHO" may now have a jury trial in New York, and there isn't one chance in a thousand that the authorities can get twelve men to say it should be prohibited. Vice will be the gainer.

REPRESENTATIVE REED of Taunton wants to know who is riding upon railroad passes. He will find his bill side-tracked" and he will be "switched off" onto more harmless questionings shortly.

THE Democrats of Kentucky now claim to have secured evidence as to the murderer of Goebel, and party feeling still runs high. The sooner the matter is cleared up in some way the better for the state.

HARRISON evidently gave the McKinley machine a few anxious moments recently, but no one who knows him thought for a moment he would take up the cares and duties again. He had nothing to gain.

THE Boers threaten to destroy Praetoria rather than prevent its falling into the hands of the British. How would that differ from the Russian treatment of Moscow, which was regarded as praiseworthy on their part?

ALWAYS seeking for victims the liquor interests asked the legislature to let them open the saloons on election day an hour after the voting was over. Rightly this was denied. Give these people a pinch and they'll take a handful.

HON. FRANK JONES of New Hampshire has seen a "great light" and is now full fledged Republican. Jones' ale will now have a less appetizing taste for his former political friends, perhaps, but his bar'l will count for his new friends.

OWING to the terrible mix up in police matters in New York city, where crime and vice have shown themselves to be so defiantly rampant, Croker has been importuned to hurry home from Europe, but refuses to do so. Will the authorities ever get up as "high" as he is?

WELLESLEY COLLEGE receives Rockefeller's donation of $100,000 with maiden shyness, and in return ought to replace the electric lights with kerosene throughout the institution, so that the poor man might get a portion of his money back in profits. That would be so reciprocal.

AS soon as the trusts are reached by law it wouldn't be at all strange if labor unions were declared illegal on the ground that they aim to control wages. What is the difference between a trust that makes one pay high for goods or high for labor? The shoe will pinch both sides

EX-CONGRESSMAN WALKER, after a clear defeat by Congressman Thayer, and due entirely to himself, is now out again after the place. Does Mr. Walker think that he is the "whole thing," and that there is no more congressional timber left in the district? One wouldn't have to go far into the woods to find good material?

IT looks now as if Senator Clark of Montana, who allowed the use of so many thousands of his money to "purify politics," as he termed it, would be allowed to take his seat. They say he is not a half-bad man, and his money may be of use later. Of course he can stay; there are no men wanted now a days in the senate if they haven't money

HON TIMOTHY WOODRUFF of New York still continues to take himself seriously as a vice presidential candidate, but when Mark Hanna gets after him his promising future will vanish into thin air, and he will have had the pleasure simply of having been "mentioned" for the place. Practical politics will settle upon the man when the time comes.

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Farmers' Club.

Franklin Farmers' club met Monday evening with S. H. Metcalf, Sheldonville, Mr Metcalf read a paper on "Tree Fruit: Selection, Cultivation and Marketing." He said: "There are few kinds of fall apples worth cultivating and among them are the Gravenstein and Early Harvest. I think winter apples are the most profitable to cultivate, as the market is better and they will keep better, also the refuse apples will make cider for vinegar, which is always in demand. Peaches it is almost impossible to raise, and if they do grow it is very probable some one will want to help themselves to them On plums the curculeo is a pest, and the black knot is al most sure death. When buying trees it is not so essential to have the fruit as it is to get a good tree. If the tree does not produce the fruit wanted, graft it.

"Several years ago I was induced by a tree agent to invest in trees, so gave him an order for about $25 worth I set them out and all lived One, called a Porter, produced a little red apple that you wanted pincers to pull off; the Twenty Ounce Pippin had a little sweet apple for the fruit I grafted them Pears need the least care of any fruit. I have had only one serious trouble. Four years ago I discovered that they looked as though they had been sand papered for about half the surface, and the leaves were covered on the upper side with what looked like coal dust. I made a solution of strong soapsuds, putting about a pint of kerosene oil into a water pailful and gave them a thorough spraying. I have seen nothing of the kind since. The Bartlett is the standard pear and Clapp's Favorite is good if you take it in time."

A good number were present and enjoyed the evening, especially the after part and sociable.

She Had to Pay.

"Do you call those clothes?" said sternly a British customs official to a woman who had declared that there was nothing in her trunk but wearing apparel for herself and husband. And as he spoke he pointed to four bottles of old Highland whisky. "Yes," said she, softly, "those are his night-caps."—Ally Sloper.

Progressive Reformation.

"Snugworth is a queer genius. Three years ago he quit drinking. Exactly a year later he gave a large sum of money to a needy relative. Just a year ago he joined the church, and now he's gone to preaching."

"Don't you see? He's going to Heaven on the installment plan."—Chicago Tribune.

A Mere Trifle.

"We are lost!" exclaimed the politician. "The opposition to you has a clear majority!"

"Is that all?" queried the boss disgustedly. "From your manner I really feared for a moment that I was in danger of being defeated."—Brooklyn Life.

Always the Opposite.

Lusher—You can never tell what a woman means by what she says.

Gusher—Yes?

Lusher—I got in at four the other morning and my wife said: "A nice hour for you to come home, isn't it!"—N. Y. Journal.

Read the Business Announcements

Through Youthful Eyes.

Continued from First Page.

We visited Carpenter's hall, where congress first met. You can see the library about the congress and the chairs which the men sat in at that time. Girard college was founded by Stephen Girard for poor orphan boys. Boys can enter the school between the ages of four and ten years. They have three suits—best suit, second suit and play suit. There are 1,500 boys. Every night after school, at 4 o'clock, they go to the chapel for fifteen minutes' service; after the chapel service they can go and play. Girard college contains ten or twelve buildings made of beautiful stone. Several of the buildings contain school rooms and dormitories; there is an infirmary, one large building for dining room, parlors, class rooms and dormitories. The grounds are laid out nicely; they are surrounded by a high, wide wall.

One cool breezy day we took the trolleys and rode up to Mount Airy to the Deaf and Dumb institute, a beautiful place. The scholars go to school in the forenoon and work in the afternoon. There are about 400 scholars. The girls learn to sew, trim hats and make parts of shoes; the boys make shoes, work at tailoring and printing. Most all the work is done by the scholars; they print the reports and a paper. There are several buildings on the grounds all of stone.

We visited the Zoological gardens, where you can see all kinds of animals, mostly wild; there are also birds and snakes. One nice, cold morning we visited the mint, where they make money, the only mint where pennies and nickels are coined. You can see them making money. At first the silver and gold is in bars; they are melted and then rolled out thin. There is copper in the gold and silver, so it will not wear out so quick. We saw trays of gold in bars worth $1,000 or more They sweep up the dust and burn it, so as to save all the gold, and when the workmen's clothes get too old to wear they burn all them to save the gold. In the last room we visited there were show cases on two sides of the room full of coins used by all nations of the world. Paper money is made in the mint at Washington. We saw the widow's mite, a black piece of money, which makes me think of sen-sen, only four times larger. The Chinese money has little square holes in the center. The little pieces are carried on a string around the neck; the other size is much larger and they are carried on a string around the waist.

Last but not least we visited the grounds of the Pennsylvania university where C E Abbott attends; they contain several handsome buildings of stone and brick. There were more places of interest I would liked to have visited, but time would not permit me to do so. Philadelphia is a very pretty city, with many pretty buildings. I do not think I saw over a dozen wooden buildings while I was there. City Hall is a beautiful building, covering sixteen to twenty acres, including the sidewalks There is a statue of William Penn on the tower and when illuminated it is a lovely sight.

The time came when we had to say good-bye. We started from New York about 5 p m. We were able to see the Brooklyn bridge illuminated; it was a pretty sight. We reached home about 9 o'clock the next morning after a pleasant visit, being away about a month.

C G C.

Firmly Rooted.

The daughter of a Mississippian who has adopted Memphis as her home tells the following story on her father:

"Papa was relating to the family and some of his friends one day the experience he had gone through in having a tooth pulled. He said the dentist pulled so hard that he pulled him clear out of his chair. I was only a little girl at the time, but I mustered up courage to say, half musingly:

"'Well, papa, that must have hurt mighty bad.'

"'Well, I guess it did,' he replied. 'If you could have seen the two roots of that tooth that were wrapped around my backbone, you would know how it hurt without asking me.'

"I suppose he meant jawbone, but the laugh that followed was too loud for me to bear the correction, and I do not know to this day where the roots of that tooth had taken hold."—Memphis Scimitar.

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SCHOOL AND CHURCH

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One of the presbyteries in North Dakota is composed entirely of Indian churches.

The attendance at the political science school, Columbia university, is 118, compared with 81 last year.

Rev. Harry Wilson, rector of St. Augustine's church, London, raises and dispenses over $10,000 a year in charity.

There are 50 girls in one mission school in China who had been thrown away by their parents to die in their infancy.

The Gospel is preached in Spanish in Buenos Ayres by missionaries from the Methodist Episcopal church, from the Church of England, the Salvation Army and the French Baptists.

Prof. Robinson has been appointed to take charge of the new course in old and middle Irish at Harvard in addition to the course which he is giving in early Welsh. The Irish plan is a new departure, but is said to be drawing quite as well as could be expected.

The largest Bible class for men in Great Britain is at Bristol, England. The class was organized 19 years ago at the Old Market Wesleyan chapel, and nearly 10,000 persons have passed through it. The present membership is 800 and the managing staff consists of 100 officers.

A new scheme for evangelizing India on interdenominational lines has been advanced in England. This consists in selecting Eurasians in India and bringing them to England, where they are trained as missionaries, after which they return to India and become native missionaries, having much more influence than do the foreigners. For this purpose it is proposed to equip a house in London which will accommodate 18 or 20 persons to be so trained.

He Won the Game.

"How is your brother, Tommy?"

"Sick in bed; he's hurt himself."

"How did he do that?"

"We were playing at who could lean furthest out of the window, and he won."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Pretty Low Temperature.

Teacher—What happens when a man's temperature goes down as far as it can go?

Smart Scholar—He has cold feet, ma'am.—Christian Register.

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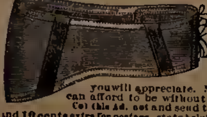

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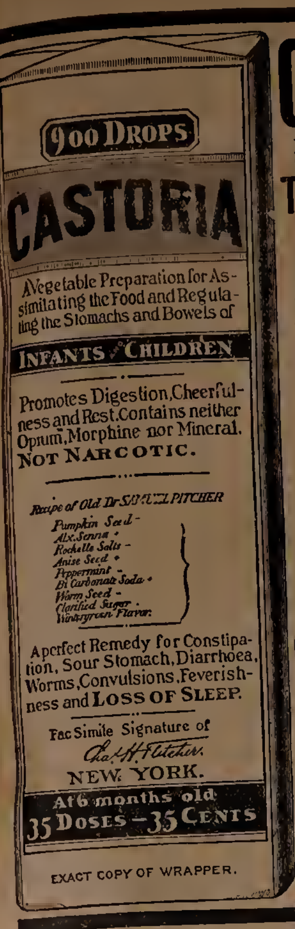

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Ah, many a friend has the wee one,
And he knows if you happen to be one;
He'll gurgle and coo and he'll frolic with you,
Or stretch out his arms with his prettiest charms,
And fret when you wake him to get you to take him;
He'll hoax you and coax you and cut up his capers,
Toss over your treasures and tumble your papers;
You have to attend him, you have to befriend him.
But who can help loving that bundle of fun,
That giver of joy, that bright little boy,
God bless him, our dear little wee one!
—Martha Burr Banks, in Outlook.

How Mr. Jobson Did It.

IT happened that when Mr. Jobson remained at home one day last week for the purpose of coddling a cold the colored household servant remained away. Mrs. Jobson, therefore, answered all of the rings of the front and basement door bells. Mrs. Jobson is an adept in the gentle art of fanning door bell ringers who have a tale to unfold or something to purvey, but her work on this day didn't meet with Mr. Jobson's indorsement.

"Mr. Jobson," he said to her along toward the close of the afternoon, when she had attended the nineteenth whang at one or other of the bells, "permit me to inquire if you are always, year in and year out, such a good thing for the itinerant bunco artists who pull door bells as you have exhibited yourself to-day?"

"Well, you know," explained Mrs. Jobson, "it is really necessary to answer the rings. Supposing a telegram—"

"I have no complaint to make about the mere answering of the rings," interposed Mr. Jobson, oracularly, "but it's the gaff—if I may be allowed to relapse into a graphic phrase of slang by my own fireside—it's the gaff that you permit the whole bunch of bell jerkers to shoot into you that persuades me to fear for your reason. I observe that you spend about 20 minutes in talking to each and every one of 'em—"

"Why, how can you say such a—"

"Twenty minutes in conversing with each and every one of them," went on Mr. Jobson, "and at the wind-up they all win you, hands down, and, surrendering unconditionally, you produce the coin for whatever they have to sell, or, if they are simply grafting for rum money—probably having this house marked, all of 'em—you make good every time. Mrs. Jobson, it is a sorrowful thing for a man to be compelled to reflect that he has a mark for a wife. Now, I'm going to be at home to-morrow, while you're out plowing around for another servant, and if you could just employ somebody to take snap shots of the way I'll give the hot foot to the raft of gong sounders who'll repair to this household, under the impression that you're here, the pictures'll contain some instruction for you, Mrs. Jobson—that's all."

Mrs. Jobson set out immediately after breakfast the next morning to visit the employment agencies and Mr. Jobson planted himself in one of the front windows of the parlor with his newspaper and cigar. He heard the first prospective bell ringer ascending the front steps and he poked his head out of the window.

"Try the next house," said Mr. Jobson, shortly.

"Oh, I'll get along there all right, boss," said the man on the front steps, holding up a contrivance that looked something like a rat trap, "but you'll be missing something, honest, if you don't let me show you what a baby of an egg beater this thing I've got here is. Works this way, see?" and the man did a bit of rapid demonstrating.

"By jing, that does look like a pretty effective culinary tool," said Mr. Jobson, putting on his glasses. "Fellow that invented that must be worth a mint, eh? Let's see it."

Mr. Jobson reached out for the patent egg beater and toyed with it interestedly for a moment.

"How much are the things?" he inquired.

"Half a dollar," said the man on the steps, and Mr. Jobson dug into his silver pocket and produced the half. The man went down the steps with a grin. Four doors above Mr. Jobson's he sold one of the patent egg beaters for 15 cents.

Mr. Jobson was reading the election predictions and snorting over them about ten minutes later, when there came an apologetic sort of a ring at the basement door bell. Mr. Jobson stuck his head out of the parlor window and demanded: "Who's that?" A rusty looking specimen of a white man shambled into the areaway below.

"T'ought I'd ast ye if ye could let me have anny cold vittles, cap," said the hobo, looking up. "Hain't had a t'ing to put in me face f'r four days,' an'—

"Just wait a minute and I'll be down," said Mr. Jobson, pulling in his head and closing the window. "There's a dickens of a lot of tough luck in this world, for a fact," he mused on his way down the basement stairs. Then he dug into the refrigerator, took out about half a cold baked ham, a nice piece of cold roast beef that Mrs. Jobson was saving for breakfast hash and a bottle of beer. Then he took a whole loaf of Vienna bread from the bread box. He opened the basement door and handed the whole armful to the hobo, without apparently noticing that the latter's breath smelt like a copper-coiled still. The hobo sized Mr. Jobson up out of the tail of his eye, and departed with a grin. Mr. Jobson resumed his paper and cigar at the parlor window.

He was so immersed in his reading that he didn't hear the next man ascending the front steps, and the clang of the front bell aroused him. The bell ringer was within the vestibule, and so Mr. Jobson went to the front door.

"Want a nice feather duster to-day, boss?" asked a man with three or four dozen of the dusters strung all over him, holding one of them up. "Only got a few left, and want to get out of town to-day, so I'm almost givin' 'em away. How's this one for a dollar?"

"N-no," replied Mr. Jobson, "I believe my wife's pretty well provided with—"

"This one for 75 cents is dirt cheap cap," said the man in the vestibule, and Mr. Jobson took it and whisked it a bit.

"Oh, well, I guess a house can't have too many such things," he said, after a pause, and he dug up the 75 cents. Then he went back to his seat in the parlor, only to be jolted a few moments later by another ring at the basement bell. He found a shrewd-eyed youth who was selling eggs for 'nteen cents a dozen—"fresh-laid, boss, 'n right from the country, an' they're 30 a dozen in the stores"—and Mr. Jobson bought four dozen. Seven-eighths of them were subsequently discovered by Mrs. Jobson to be passe to the point of usefulness.

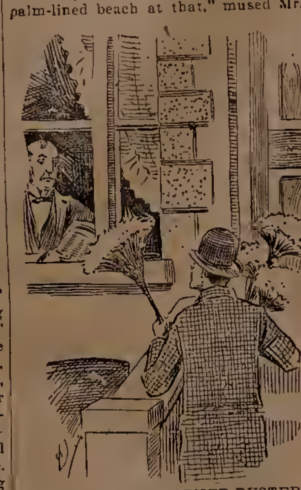
Ten minutes later Mr. Jobson looked up from his paper and saw a man loaded down with cheap framed water colors on the front steps.

"Nothing doing," said Mr. Jobson, hoisting the window. "Got too darned many pictures now."

The man held up a gorgeous tropical view.

"Last Philippine scene I've got, sir," he said, persuasively, to Mr. Jobson. "Sold one just like it down the street for $3.50, but you can have this for two dollars."

"Pretty nice representation of a palm-lined beach at that," mused Mr. Johson, stroking his chin. "Looks warm and balmy to have in the house in cold weather."



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When Mrs. Jobson came home she found Mr. Jobson with a smooth-looking man in the dining-room. The table was littered with sample copies of "The Beauties of the Yellowstone and the Yosemite," in 98 numbers, at a half dollar per number, one delivered each week. Mr. Jobson closed with the agent and paid for the first six numbers.

"An agent for the same series of views was here one day last week," said Mrs. Jobson to the man as the latter shoved the three dollars into his pocket.

"Agent for the same series here last week, eh?" said Mr. Jobson to her after the man had gone. "I suppose you think that hooks me? Well, it doesn't, Mrs. Jobson. It simply shows that you don't know a good thing when you see it, and that whatever artistic perception you may ever have had is badly blunted. And these views don't comprise the only bargain I've picked up this morning, either. If I had the opportunities that you have to pick up useful and necessary articles without moving from my own door step at about one-eighth what the daylight robbers in the stores charge for 'em, we'd be a heap more on velvet, Mrs. Jobson, than we are under your money-burning regime."—Washington Star.

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Spanish Traditions in Italy.

Spanish traditions still reign in several of the southern provinces of Italy. There are many little towns in the Neapolitan district, for instance, where the women of the upper and middle classes cannot go out on foot by themselves, no matter what their age may be. Failing a male escort—husband, brother or friend—they are followed by a duenna! These Castillian customs are dying out; but even the great centers of the south, where the habits and manners of modern life seem well established, they have left their traces, and where even a small modicum of liberty for women is still in dispute, how is the public mind to be persuaded to consider seriously a social transformation having for its obect the equality of the sexes? The young woman of today considers herself fairly well off when she remembers that her mother dared not walk alone in the streets of Naples. Enjoying her new independence, she never thinks of aspiring to the dignity of a vote, and her dreams are not troubled by any desire to see herself clad in the cap and gown of Portia.—Contemporary.

Where It Hits Him.

"Weary, there's a feller says in the papers that when a man's got a chronic complaint an' there ain't no help for him, th' doctors ought to assist him to die."

"Wonder if the blame fool includes chronic laziness." — Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Trips of the Bobolinks.

It is said that the bobolinks which frequent the shores of Lake Winnipeg, Canada, during the breeding season, and which go to Cuba and Porto Rico each winter, twice every year traverse a distance exceeding 2,800 miles, or more than a fifth of the circumference of the earth.—Cleveland Plain Dealer

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Military Tax in Switzerland.

To punish a man for nonpayment of a certain tax by forbidding him to enter a restaurant is in vogue in the canton of Berne. Every man in Switzerland must serve in the Swiss army if he be physically capable, and if he be not physically capable he must pay what is called the military exemption tax. The government says, if a man has money to spend for coffee, beer or liquors, he must also have money enough with which to pay his debt to the state. The law cannot prohibit a person from obtaining liquor through the intervention or help of a friend, but the privilege of dropping into favorite resorts and hobnobbing with friends—a custom which is dear to every Swiss—must be forgone.—N. Y. Sun.

A Hundred Year Lawsuit.

A lawsuit that has lasted over a century lately came to an end in Ireland. In 1797 Robert Smyth, a brewer of Smock Alley, Dublin, failed. A dividend was paid, but the assets did not realize 20 shillings in the pound. Four generations of creditors have in turn supplied grist to the legal mill, and it has been discovered that a small sum invested at the time by the court as too trifling for distribution has, by the accumulation of compound interest in a hundred odd years, developed into four figures, enough to pay off all the debts and leave a good sum besides for law costs. Strange to say, there is a claimant for every penny due in 1797.—London Chronicle.

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A great curiosity is a house 1,100 years of age, and yet fit for habitation. This old dwelling, the oldest inhabited house in England, was built in the time of King Offa of Mercia. It is octagonal in shape, the walls of its lower story being of great thickness. The upper part is of oak. At one time the house was fortified and known by the name of St. German's gate. It stands close to the river Ver, and only a few yards from St. Alban's abbey.—Chicago Chronicle.

Biggest Skyscraper of Them All.

The three champion skyscrapers of the United States are the Syndicate building on Park row, the Masonic Temple in Chicago and the Exchange building in Boston. These are to be reenforced by a monster structure to be built in Philadelphia by New York and Philadelphia capitalists, which will outshine all of them. It will occupy a whole block and be the largest office building in the world.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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SHELDONVILLE.

George Hittinger is quite ill at his home here.

Mrs E. E. Harris is entertaining her cousin from Bangor, Me.

Miss Ida Worden of North Attleboro spent Sunday with relatives here.

Misses A. M. Bradford and G. E. Newell spent Sunday in Franklin and Woonsocket.

Charles E. Nash is making improvements on the Holman place which he recently purchased.

Mrs. A. A. Newell, who recently suffered a slight epileptic shock, has gone to A. C. Zimmerman's for the present.

David Chapman has resigned his position as station agent at West Wrentham and A C. Zimmerman will fill the vacancy.

Rev. E E. Harris preached in Stillwater Sunday. His pulpit here was supplied by Miss Porter of Bangor, Me, who has been for five years a missionary in South America.

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St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector: Rev. M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "That Against Which Hades Shall not Prevail." Y. P. C. U. at 6. Charles Stewart will speak. No afternoon service.

Congregational church—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. I W. Sneath, at 10.30. Sunday school at 12. No session of Primary department. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. No evening service.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. Frank B. Sleeper, pastor. Theme, "The Extreme of Christian Heroism." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5 45. Union temperance meeting at 7 Address by Rev A. H. Davis of Woonsocket.

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by S. A Cook, pastor. Sermon will be one of a series on the general subject: "Lessons from Some Characteristic Incidents in the Life of Christ." Special subject: "Christ, the Teacher." Junior league at 3. Epworth league at 6.

The Household Queen.

Subbubs—O dear! Another humiliation in store for me.

His Wife—What's the matter?

Subbubs—I saw the cook reading about how Raleigh spread his coat over a puddle so the queen could walk over dry shod.—N. Y. Journal.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending March 21, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. J. M. Tums, Mrs. Abby W. Turner.

Gentlemen — J. W. Guild, Franklin Mills, A. C. Long, H. B. Maynard, John Morrison, M. C. Sholes, Charles Theobold, Govanne Moytranpuaw, Giovanne Spadoboro.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

FLOOR COVERINGS CUT

both ways--cut down and cut off. Few words tell the important news. Seeing is believing. Our Carpet room is overcrowded and we cannot display the stock on hand.

Regular Roxbury Tapestry, down on your floor, now or later, for **75c.** the yard, cash.

Yard Wide Brussels, **75c.**

Extra Super Ingrain, **67 1-2c.**

Velvet Carpets are priced according to quality. And keep in mind that these prices include making, laying and lining anywhere within 25 miles.

Austin S. Cook and Co

67 and 69 Main St.

WOONSOCKET, R. I.

The Last Days

OF THE GREAT SPECIAL MARK-DOWN SALE.

We do not mean to carry over these goods to next season. For this reason we have cut all heavy goods to unheard-of prices. Ladies' and Misses' Capes, Jackets and Suits, Wrappers, Waists and Petticoats, Flanelette Night Robes and odd pieces, Wool Underwear. Also bargains in Corsets, Domestics and Small Wares.

We go to New York next week, and as soon as the new goods arrive the old will have to give place and your chance will be lost.

Marston Sanborn,

POST OFFICE BLOCK.

Agent for New Idea Patterns, 10c.

Agent for New Home Sewing Machine.

BUTTONS MADE FROM YOUR OWN CLOTH.

No Keys.

Ida—I wonder why old Thinkman, the inventor, wears such long hair?

May—His head contains such valuable ideas that they have to be protected by locks.

"But they are not metal."

"Oh, yes; they are silver locks."—Buffalo Commercial.

Mammoth Mound.

In Marshall county, Va., is a mound 75 feet in height which is believed to be the monument to some aborigine of high rank. It is known as Mammoth mound, and is an object of great interest to travelers.—Detroit Free Press.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition; my skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately a friend advised trying Electric Bitters, and to my great joy and surprise the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks and am now a well man. I know they saved my life and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them; only 50c. per bottle at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store.

Genius and Depravity.

"I am writing for posterity," said the poet.

"And I am taking in plain sewing for a living," said the poet's soulless wife —Chicago Times-Herald.

Working Night and Day.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Every pill is a sugar coated globule of health that changes weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain fag into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold by A C. Mason & Co

Indeed He Would.

Dunn—What do you think of Dauber's latest picture, after Rubens?

Brown—I think that Rubens would be after Dauber if he could only see it. —Tit-Bits.

"Ill weeds grow apace." Impurities in your blood will also grow unless you promptly expel them by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

How Are Your Kidneys?

Dr Hobbs' Sparagus Pills cure all kidney ills. Sample free. Add. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

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..BY..

Worcester Textile Co.,

UNIONVILLE, MASS.

Another Man Made Happy.

Harry—I have about decided not to get married next month.

Herbert—What's the matter, old man? Getting shaky?

Harry—No; but I don't want to bother about the groceries.

Herbert—Oh, that is easy enough. All you have to do is to have the **FALES** order team call and your wife won't have a particle of bother about the amount or the quality of the goods.

Harry—That's all right, and it's just what I'll do. Much obliged.

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Watches, Clocks, Jewelry.

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Sign of the Electric Clock.

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Not What She Expected.

A young lady of the city who is somewhat noted for her conquetry was talking a few days ago to one of her numerous beaux.

"Oh," she said, in a most pitiful tone of voice, "nobody loves me."

As she paused for reply the young man said with that tenderness which always appeals to the feminine heart:

"I am quite sure that somebody does love you."

Her face brightened perceptibly as she said, with a great deal of interest:

"I wonder who on earth it can be. Do you know?"

"Oh, yes," he replied. "God and your mother."—Memphis Scimitar.

Not Many Bible Students.

Young men, before entering one of the principal medical schools of this country are examined as to their general knowledge. One of the questions given to the candidates for one of these schools last year was: "What are the names of the books of the Bible?" Of 120 answers, only five were correct. Among the names of the books were: "Philistines," "Marcus Aurelius" and "Epistle to the Filipinos."—Ladies' Home Journal.

They Marry Young.

The Boer youth weds extremely young. His education is over and he is considered a man of business when he is 16. His bride does not come to him portionless, but usually with a dowry of cows, goats and sheep, a span of oxen and a quiet riding horse. To each child that is born a well-to-do Boer likes to assign certain farm stock as a "nest egg" for a future dowry or as a start in life.—London Mail.

Satisfactorily Explained.

"Jane," said the mistress, just a trifle impatiently, "you were a long time coming up here. Didn't you hear me calling?"

"No, ma'am," replied Jane, "not till ye called th' third toime, ma'am."—Philadelphia Press.

Taken at Her Word.

Hans objects to eating his soup.

"Many a poor boy," says his mother, "would be glad if he had only half of that soup!"

"So would I," replied Hans.—Fliegende Blaetter.

Painful Experience.

To marry for money and miss it is less painful than to marry for love and miss it.—Chicago Daily News.

A Difference in Prepositions.

Mrs. Hardman — John, you have promised me a diamond necklace, and I mean that you shan't squirm out of it.

Mr. Hardman—I suppose you mean that you're determined to squirm into it.—Jewelers' Weekly.

The Proper Definition.

Little Willie—Say, pa, what's the difference between an optimist and a pessimist?

Pa—An optimist enjoys a thing he can't like, and a pessimist likes a thing he can't enjoy.—Detroit Free Press.

Poor Patient—I sent for you, doctor, because I know you are a noted physician, but I feel it my duty to inform you that I haven't over $25 to my name

Dr. Bigfee—Very well, then, we must try to cure you up as soon as possible.—N. Y. Weekly.

One Simple Request.

CURE THAT COLD BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE.

A neglected cold or cough may and probably will kill the sufferer. Is it right, therefore, to neglect it? You can cure it in a very short time by promptly using

Comp. Syrup White Pine and Tar

And KOLD KILLER.

They never fail to relieve in a very short time. Try them.

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For the next 10 days we offer the public celebrated brands of Groceries at prices which mean a great saving to purchasers. Take advantage of it and you will quickly see the benefit you gain by doing so. We offer:

11 lbs. Rolled Oats...	25	3 cans Condens'd Milk	25
4 2-lb. pkgs. R'd Oats	25	4 lbs. Dates..........	25
6 lbs. Fancy Prunes..	25	1 bbl. St. Joseph Pastry	4.00
1 bush. Fine Potatoes	75	4 lbs. Butter, best....	1.00
S. Wheat Biscuit.....	11	15 Oranges..........	25

SPECIAL.--A handsome Cut Glass Sauce Dish given FREE with two packages of Fruit Puddine, on sale this week, per package, 9c.

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Atwood's Hamburger Steak * * *

PRICE:

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Chamber Outfits

Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted. Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.

OUTFIT NO. 1. This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.

$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

OUTFIT NO. 2. This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs, rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.

$32—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

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Dividends declared the first Monday in January and July, payable on and after the 15th of said months.

Money may be withdrawn at the option of the depositors. The treasurer may, however, require a notice if necessary, in accordance with the Statute Law.

Bank open daily from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and from 1 to 4 p. m.

BOARD OF INVESTMENT.

D. Thayer, Jr., E. H. Sherman, J. G. Ray, Chas. J. McKenzie, E. P. Chapman, Charles Stewart, George W. Wiggin.

STATEMENT FEB. 28, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors	$555,180 31
Guarantee Fund	27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account	15,811 27
Interest Account	2,018 62
Real Estate Income Account	69 99
	$600,832 98

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$22,143 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		28,517 62
Railroad Bonds		133,012 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		30,300 00
" " Mortgages		171,735 60
" " Personal Securities		187,049 75
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Note		5,000 00
Expense Account		218 02
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank..	$1,566 47	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	249 65	
Mercantile Trust Co......	442 74	
		2,258 86
Cash on hand		1,851 98
		$600,832 98

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

E. P. CHAPMAN,
WALTER M FISHER,
Committee of Examination.

March 3, 1900.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Sabra Morse, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by George W. Wiggin, Charles J. McKenzie and Lester L. Burrington, all of Franklin, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

mh23,30,ap6 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Franklin and Wrentham STAGE LINE.

Leave Wrentham P.O. for Franklin at 8.15 a.m. 3.30 p. m. Leave Franklin depot for Wrentham at 9.30 a. m., 4.30 p. m.; connecting with trains for Boston and Providence via N. Y. & N. E. railroad; trains leaving Boston at 7.40, 8.30 a. m. and 8.30 p m.; leaving Providence at 8.35 a.m.

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ANNUAL STATEMENT JANY. 1, 1900.

Assets..................................	$126,646,728 45
Liabilities..............................	121,112,030.51
Surplus................................	5,534,695,54
Insurance in force....................	$497,800,125.00

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Business Announcements In the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL are invariably read.

The Franklin Sentinel.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 8.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.30 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, o the nearest box, unlock, pull down the ho and let go. The apparatus works automati y. Close the box and remain until the fire arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

The editor is again on the sick list.

Particulars of the Universalist parish meeting next Friday.

E. P. Blackmer is recovering from a severe attack of the grip.

Harry Bright of Canton is a guest at W. H. Bright's this week.

Master Carl G. Crowninshield is visiting friends in Somerville.

All the public schools of Franklin will open next Monday, April 2.

The new superintendent of streets assumed his duties yesterday.

Mrs. John Costello of West street has been visiting her daughter in Worcester.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Snodgrass spent Sunday with friends in Readville and Boston.

Frank D. Blake of South Framingham was a guest of his parents on Maple street Sunday.

The Dean base ball team will open the season here on April 14, with the English high school team.

The road department is to have additional horses, to replace the pair worn out in public service.

The electric cars run half-hourly Saturday afternoon, but the regular schedule was observed Sunday.

W. D. Huntoon of Norwood, a former well known Franklin resident, was a visitor in town Saturday.

The eldest son of John Collins, age 3 years, died today of scarlet fever, at his residence on Garfield street.

Misses Edna Holmes and Clara Nixon arrived home from Bridgewater normal school for the regular spring vacation, Friday.

Hon. Clark P. Harding has filed his bond as postmaster of Medway, and expects to assume his new position by April 1.

Miss Nellie Foran, in company with Miss Anna Allgier, of Providence, is spending a week's vacation with Miss Foran's parents on Summer street.

A party of friends from the Providence Athletic club surprised neighbor Thayer at his new bachelor quarters at the Whiting house on Sunday. They made the trip by electric.

Fidelity Lodge, A. O. U. W., whose lease of five years on Odd Fellows' hall recently expired, has again leased the hall for the same period for the holding of fortnightly meetings.

Saturday the overseers of the poor were busy attending the applications for superintendent of the town farm, personal and by letter. A large number of applications have been received.

Night Officer William Redpath, uniformed in regulation Metropolitan outfit, helmet and all, went on duty Saturday night for the first time since his appointment by the selectmen over a week ago.

The King's Daughters will meet this evening with Miss Amy P. Briggs at the Franklin House at 7.30. Several matters of importance are to be brought up and every member is expected to be present.

For some days past workmen have been engaged in stringing street railway wires between here and Wrentham. Two or three coils are used daily, and a coil has half a mile, and is said to weigh 1700 or 1800 pounds.

Mr Koehne's lecture upon "The Apostolic Church" will be given this evening in the Congregational church. The Cleveland Leader speaks of him as "A scholarly and eloquent defender of the Bible and Christianity," and this he certainly is.

Henry Bemis and his daughter, Mrs. Johnson, have both been sick at their residence on Main street Mr. Bemis was 90 years old last Christmas and has enjoyed remarkably good health. He is the oldest person in town.

Rev E. C. Bolles, D D., will preach at the Lenten service at the Universalist church Thursday evening. Those who remember Dr. Bolles' ingenious and interesting sermon last year will not wish to miss the opportunity of hearing him again.

The Metropolitan Insurance company on Saturday closed its office here and dispensed with the service of two of its agents, J. Kelly and A. Boyles. Hereafter all the company's business in this district will be done personally by Assistant Superintendent Dennis Fitzgerald.

Don't think of trying to do business without a standing advertisement in the SENTINEL When for a small sum you can tell many people every day just what you have to sell, you will make the biggest kind of a mistake if you don't avail yourself of such an opportunity.

The local board of health has put in a formaldehyde disinfecting apparatus in case of contagious disease. It is said to be the most satisfactory thing of the kind known and its use is strongly recommended by the state board of health. A member of the state board was in town last week and commended the strict quarantine of contagious cases.

The winter meetings of the Farmers' club close in April, meetings for April 2 and 9 being on the programme. During the winter the meetings have been well attended and the interest in the discussions has kept up. The discussions have included a wide range of subjects, all of interest to all citizens and many of them of special profit to the farmer.

The Medfield and Medway street railway company has a surveying party at work between here and Franklin staking out the extension of its line to that town, which officials state will be in operation in June. The line already in operation between Medfield and Millis will be opened up for traffic as far as Medway by April 20 and to Franklin by May 30

The selectmen on Friday evening settled the matter of filling the office of superintendent of streets by appointing Charles R. Gowen to the position in place of Frank S. Streeter. William H. Wales was drawn as juryman for the April term and the bond of Fred L. Davis as constable was approved. The matter of the appointment of a liquor officer was deferred for two weeks.

There is plenty of work laid out, if carried forward, to make the summer one of busy activity in this vicinity and relieve the army of unemployed of the stress of nothing to do. Building operations in the line of houses and railway construction and additional work on the highways is expected to make a busy summer, and later may give impetus to private improvements.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Rathbun entertained a number of friends at a whist party at their residence on Alpine street Saturday evening. A goodly number of guests were present from Woonsocket, making the trip in a special car. The affair was a pleasant social event and the guests were handsomely entertained by the hosts and hostess. The guests from Woonsocket returned at 11.30.

Norman B. Stone and wife have been engaged by the overseers of the poor of Medway as superintendent and matron respectively of the almshouse there, the salary of Mr. Stone, it is understood, being somewhat larger than the amount received here. He will conclude his labors at the Franklin town farm on March 31 and he and his wife will enter upon their new duties at Medway the day following.

The senior class of the High school were greeted by a good audience Friday evening at the Horace Mann building, the entertainment given by the pupils fully meriting the generous applause that was bestowed. The two pleasing comedies, "A Rank Deception" and a Chinese Dummy," were very cleverly presented and well worth witnessing. The plays were under the supervision of Miss Grace Whiting and excellent music was furnished by the High school orchestra.

The census of the United States, which is taken every ten years, is again in progress, and soon enumerators will be canvassing Franklin. In the past the enumerators were persons who had been recommended by either town or city councils. This year the plan is changed and a supervisor for the state has the appointment, and all those who wish to be enumerators must make special application to him. The supervisor will send the names to Washington for approval, and the names will then be returned. The canvass will commence in June.

Albert King is known to everybody in Franklin that has business with the post office, Mr. King being right hand man for Postmaster Conroy in the carrying of special delivery letters. Now it has been discovered that he was a schoolmate of Dr. J. C. Gallison in the 50's down in Maine, and the doctor has "writ" a little sketch about the good times they had down there throwing snow balls at the teacher from behind the school house and covering the top of the chimney when the pupils wanted a holiday, and other studious and brain wearing labor in which they were engaged.

Fire was discovered in the rear of F. A. Winchenbach's confectionery store in Opera House block at 11 o'clock last night and an alarm was sounded from box 8 at Central and Summer streets. The firemen were promptly on hand and soon had two streams on the flames, which were confined entirely t .e rear room, where candy is manufactured. The fire was under control 20 minutes after the department got to work. Little damage resulted from the blaze alone, but the stock in the store was ruined by smoke and water, which loss is understood to be covered by insurance.

During the winter in this vicinity hundreds of acres of woodland have been cleared in spite of the assertion often made that there was little except firewood to be found in this part of the country. The building of the street railways and telephone lines has greatly stimulated the demand for poles and sleepers, and in supplying this want a good deal of pine lumber for other purposes has been produced. The business has proved attractive enough to induce a number of men to engage in it either as a side issue of large proportions or the main industry of their time and energy. All that is needed for the permanent success of the industry is that the young sprouts grow rapidly enough to keep up the supply from year to year. While wood for fuel is secondary to securing lumber, the high price of coal has a good effect on that branch of the business.

Eugene O'Sullivan, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael O'Sullivan, living on Alpine place, sustained probably fatal injuries by falling from a bridge at Webster on Friday night last while walking across the same with a companion. The distance from the bridge to the ground is 25 feet and the bottom is strewn with rocks. His companion, August Johnson, clambered below and remained with the injured man until help came. O'Sullivan was brought here to the home of his parents on Saturday afternoon and Drs. G. A. Martin and C. B. Hussey were called in to attend him. He was found to be suffering from a fractured skull, having evidently struck upon his head when he fell. His collar bone was also broken, there was an ugly wound in the forehead and he had sustained internal injuries. The injured man, who is about 22 years of age, had been working in a mill at Nasonville up to about a month ago, when he returned home, leaving again last week in search of employment. He had formerly been employed in the American (Ray) woolen mill here.

"Town and City Problems."

At the union temperance meeting, held in the Baptist church Sunday evening, Rev. A. H. Davis of Woonsocket spoke on "Town and City Problems" to an audience that completely filled the church. The speaker said that while the problems for settlement involved everything from license to election of petty officers, only three of the more important would be considered in the discourse. Principle should be put above party. The party boss, with his greed for power and money and underlings clamoring for office, has little respect for law, order or morality, and in order to retain party power caters to the lowest passions. Thus politics become a profession and the politician an adept in manipulating municipal matters. He has been able to do this in a great measure by the worship of party in the hearts of many citizens. Such a condition brings us face to face with the question of intemperance and moral reform.

The saloon is the prime agent for the increase of intemperance and is the vanguard of other evils inflicted upon the community. It is the hatching and fostering place of incarnate devilishness. Has it a right to exist when a majority say no? Shall men of indifferent morals, or no morals at all, fatten at the expense of their victims because of party politics? Let justice be done though the party falls. The saloon question is a perennial one and demands constant attention, because the laws governing it are too few or too weak and the laws protecting it are often loopholes of escape for the guilty. It is often protected by local politicians, and the saloon power and methods in many communities is a shame and a blot upon civilized government.

The second and third problems of the social evil and law enforcement follow the saloon question as a matter of course. To solve these problems and rid the commonwealth of their destructive effects we must have civic righteousness at the foundation. To have this we must have a fearless clergy, a faithful people, education and agitation among all good citizens and rigid and non-partisan law enforcement. Press on to victory in the name of God and home and native land.

IN THE WAKE OF THE SWALLOWS.

ST. CHARLES HOTEL.,
NEW ORLEANS, LA., March 23, 1900.

"Fat Tuesday," "Shrove Tuesday," or "Mardi Gras" in this great and busy Southern city came to a singular end. Just as the last lights were put out, the last float of the grand scenic parade of Comus disappeared from the eager view of the thousands still on the streets, just as the big bell boomed out midnight and the first moment of Lent began, Nature gave way to a sudden burst of passionate, penitential tears, and such a gust of rain, wind, thunder and lightning told of the end of rejoicing and incoming of forty days of penance, that cheeks paled and laughter fled from lips a moment ago rippling with mirth.

This season of gaiety and carnival has been as fine as summer, warm, sunny and delightful. Not a drop has spoiled the fine gowns of a hundred thousand women, or dotted the silk hat of a single gentleman. From the great night parades illustrating the "Story of King Arthur and His Court," as told by the dead laureate poet, Tennyson, to the "Fairy Tales of Our Childhood," "The Dances of Terpsichore" and the imposing "Mythological Stories" of the last evening, Momus and His Krewe, Nereus, Rex the King, the Krewe of Proteus and the oldest of the Carnival societies, the Mystic Krewe of Comus, the days and nights have been clear and brilliant as the gorgeous spectacles which have turned New Orleans into fairyland or an air castle city of dreams.

Grand balls, French opera, extra matinees, the races, driving and mingling in the dense throngs which fill every street and avenue have occupied the more than 100,000 strangers who have poured in on double and treble sectioned trains from every point of the compass. Among the visitors is one of the handsomest and most cultured scions of a noble house of old England. The Hon. Reginald Beresford of London reached the city yesterday and secured a suite at Hotel Grunewald for a week. He is the son of Lord William H. Beresford, a man of public prominence for the past quarter of a century, and a nephew of Sir Charles Beresford, the rear admiral of the British navy. Lord Beresford is a turf fancier of great repute, and it was for him that Tod Sloan, the American jockey, did his wonderful riding, a feat that caused the horse world of England to look on with surprise.

The like of bridal couples was never before known at a New Orleans carnival. The clerks say that every one seems to have waited for Mardi Gras to get married and then set out for New Orleans to spend the honeymoon. Late last night the hotel newly-married record stood 254 couples in all the best hotels and boarding houses. And all these have been in evidence during the whole festival, for soft gray dresses, delicate hats and plumes, pearl gloves and immaculate suites have given darlings away—for all the world loves a lover, and are not the newly wedded the very darlings of Cupid?

The merriment and the intention to be jolly that have flocked in with the visitors have been amply met everywhere by the gracious hosts who have received them. There is a holiday smile on the face of every citizen and a look of greeting and goodwill from every native of the Crescent City, whether black or white. Every house has its decoration of the national colors and its streamers of purple, yellow and green in honor of Rex, the jolly, and the electric illuminations on club houses, public buildings and hotels rival the splendor of the stars. On parade nights from every side street begin to flock to the avenues happy groups of families, from the grand sire with his stick to the babe in arms. Not a rude act is seen, not a drunken person, not an accident. All is good nature, courtesy, quiet and harmony. St. Charles avenue is so broad that when the processions appear there is no hustling or crowding. In spite of so many thousands every one can see well.

But nobody cheers; there is no demonstration, no applause. People stand silently watching or commenting as at a theatre, in low voices. The magnificent floats, of which we have seen sixty, go by on rubber-tired wheels on a perfectly smooth pavement of asphalt and seem to glide like visions to the music of the bands accompanying each. Red and green fires, torches hidden by mirrors which reflect all the light on to the picture and illuminate its every detail are burned about each group, and the richly comparisoned horses, led by costumed and glittering grooms, draw the cars containing the gods, nymphs, elves and the mythological characters so exquisitely illustrated by living models.

The gamut of fairyland has been run; the rhymes of childhood have been illustrated; the legends of the savage, the chronicles of the Viking, the traditions of the Orient, the stories of old Greece and a host of more or less weird and ancient subjects have found form in one or the other of the remarkable processions. There has been nothing like them in history, and even the barbaric splendor of Nero's march into Rome does not eclipse the golden pilgrimages of Comus, Proteus and Rex in this latter-day New Orleans.

All that paper mache, paint, tinsel, spangles, flowers, feathers, gauze, silk, satin, velvet, furs, jewels, lights and people can do to render scenes from Egypt, Turkey, Siam, the sea, the marshes, the corral-beds, thrones, ruins, bowers, dragons, birds, serpents, horses, swans, the Royal Bull (in this instance a superb living creature high on a float and decorated with wreaths and ribbons), the infernal regions and the angels in heaven a visible reality, a moving picture before the eyes, is done in these grotesque or beautiful studies in scenic art which educate, appeal direct to the senses and make an object lesson which can never be forgotten.

If the rising generation of this city grows up ignorant of the beauty, the charm, the taste and culture which belong to knowledge of poetry, art and mythology, it will not be the fault of these societies of public-minded citizens who bear the great expense of these annual carnivals For it must be born in mind that with the one exception of Rex all this care, thought, energy and expense is private and exclusive, flourishing and increasing yearly until now a whole week of festivity is given to the city and its visitors gratis—a free exhibition of genius, pure, elevated, educational and beautiful.

New Orleans itself is a study and an amusement which seem to be perennial show to the unaccustomed Northerner.

The real Southern darkey is here, the French creole, the Spaniard, the Mexican, a cosmopolitan population living in a cosmopolitan way. The French market is a picture all the morning of a foreign world of tropic color, smells and chatter. Stalls of fresh vegetables massed in richest combination, dewy from suburban fields and gardens, fish alive still, shrimps, lobsters, oysters, turtle, terrapin, meats and unspeakable, untranslatable things to eat that look tempting or disgusting—turbaned heads, great jingling gold earrings, long white aprons, voluble Frenchmen, crowing cocks, bound by a leg to a dozen others, rabbits split from head to tail—and fruit! "The Golden Apples of Hesperides" typified on one of the floats, could not hold a candle to it!

Then the old cemeteries, the queer French quarters, the fine monuments, the grand churches—it is unnecessary and unpatriotic to go abroad until one has come and lingered in this historical metropolis, where on Mardi Gras day ten thousand maskers rival the carnival at Rome for comicality and richness of costumes, dancing among the crowd like so many merry devils, or on a day of religious devotion, music as exquisite and perfect as in any foreign cathedral, lifts the soul to the plane of worship, or reminds the hearer that there is "another city" far surpassing the glories of this world.

CORA LINN DANIELS.

Dental Notice.

I have, since the death of my associate, the late Dr. John T. Stetson, disposed of my Boston office. I will devote my entire time to Franklin patients of myself and the late Dr. Stetson. I extend sincere thanks to all who have for so many years held confidence in my ability, assuring them that renewed efforts will be made to merit a continuance of their patronage.

DR. METCALF E. POND.
Franklin, March 23, 1900.

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New milk, skimmed milk and sweet cream for sale at Dr. T. L. Martin's. 27*

Girl wanted for general housework in a small family. Apply at 14 Summer street. 23

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Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

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During the presence of scarlatina at my house orders for wood may be left at the SENTINEL office or sent to me by mail. T. B. Allen.

Wanted.—A reliable girl for general housework. Family small; situation permanent if satisfactory; good wages. Address K., SENTINEL office. 23

For Sale.—A good family cow, brown Jersey, due to come in in five days. For particulars apply to Edward Pickles, next to W. A. Pond's, Pond street. 23

Are you thinking of buying a sewing machine? If so, you should see the Household, which is a high grade machine at a low price. L. P. Faxon, agent.

Potted plants and cut flowers; all kinds of funeral work made up; special rates for all societies in town. Slade's Greenhouse, Central street, Franklin, Mass. P. O. Box 179. 2T

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Those who heard Rev. Mr. Koehne at the Congregational church last Friday evening enjoyed one of the finest treats of eloquence, theological and historical research and dramatic representation it has ever been their lot to listen to. Possessed of a gracious stage presence, a full and well directed voice, he poured forth his matchless eloquence to the delight of every listener. He swung his rhetorical pick with such astonishing vigor that the nuggets of thought which he uncovered were in immediate danger of being obscured by others of even more lustrous brilliancy.

Pages of history he condensed into a succession of sentences remarkable for their research and depth of thought. Facts through ages of time fell from his lips with historical accuracy and beauty. Why Buddha failed, wherein lay the weakness of Confucius, why the Greek religion lacked the divine principle of perpetuity were shown in a manner that all might understand. No dry theological discussion, no musty historical facts were given to weary the listener. Indeed, so keen was the mental strain imposed upon both speaker and auditors that a distinct laxation was noticeable after many of his eloquent perorations. So rapidly did he paint his vivid word pictures that they followed one another in almost bewildering succession. Those who fail to hear him tonight will miss the treat of their lives. Service commences at 8 o'clock and all the seats are free.

A Terrible Warning.

There was a man who was too stingy to subscribe for his home paper, so sent his little son to a neighbor to borrow one. As the boy was going home he fell down and broke his leg. The father heard his cries and ran out to see what was the matter, but slipped and fell, dislocating his knee. His wife ran to his assistance, leaving a two year-old baby on the floor. The baby crawled out and fell down the well, and while the mother was fishing the child out the house caught fire and was totally destroyed. Moral—Now is the time to subscribe.—New York Sun.

Notice.

The board of health of Franklin calls attention to the following statutes:

Public statutes 80, Section 76. When such disease (infectious) is found to exist in a town, the selectmen and board of health shall use all possible care to prevent the spreading of the infection, and to give public notice to travellers, by displaying red flags at proper distances, and by all means which in their judgment shall be most effectual for the common safety. And whoever obstructs the selectmen, board of health or its agent, in using such means to prevent the spreading of the infection, or wilfully removes, obliterates, defaces, or handles the red flags or other signals so displayed, shall forfeit for each offense not less than ten nor more than one hundred dollars.

Section 75 provides that when any person ill with infectious disease remains in his dwelling, "the house or place where he remains shall be considered as a hospital, and all persons residing in or in any way concerned within the same shall be subject to the regulations of the board as before provided."

These statutes will be strictly enforced in this town.

G. A. MARTIN,
DWIGHT M. HODGE,
MARSTON SANBORN,

In the matter of the above statute the Supreme Judicial court in the case of Spring vs. Hyde Park, 137 Mass. 554, made the following decision: "A member of the board of health of a town has no authority, against the consent of the owner or occupant, to take possession of a dwelling house in which a contagious disease exists, and of the furniture therein, to the exclusion of such owner or occupant, and to carry away and destroy portions of the furniture, or to station a person on the premises with instructions to prevent ingress to and egress from the same, except in the manner pointed out in the Pub. Statutes., chap. 80."

See case of Brown vs. Murdock, 140 Mass., 314, and Hersey vs. Chaplin, 162 Mass., 175: "Even where the condition of the sick person is such that he cannot be removed without danger to his health the board has no authority to establish the place where the sick person is as a hospital, without the consent of the owner thereof."

AMBROSE J. GALLISON.

Spring Changes

are about due. You will want new picture frames to brighten up the freshened rooms, and you will want them up to date. The latest styles, in perfect taste, are simple and inexpensive. Many of my new spring mouldings are in and others coming.

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Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

TUESDAY, MARCH 27, 1900

What a Doctor Says.

It's not the big accidents, bad colds, and the germs of disease which are in every human being which are responsible for the pain and sorrow in the world which follows in the track of illness, says a leading physician, but the crass foolishness of the ord'nary man. Now, nearly every one knows that when he crosses his legs he is inviting dyspepsia. Yet does he desist? You have a slight cough, and instead of trying to stop it you inflame your throat by coughing as hard as you can, although you have been told time and again that by so doing you are only aggravating it. To please your vanity you wear boots and shoes which do not fit you. Out of pure carelessness you sit in an unhealthy position at table and at your desk; you eat food which you know does not agree with you; you drink a large tumbler of water before a meal because, like a child, your reason is not stronger than your thirst; you go away from a hot fire into the night air, and then grumble at catching a cold; you smoke too much, stay indoors too much, or take too much exercise, and then come grumbling to us doctors to make a new man of you. I often feel when some man, whose physique I can see must have been perfect, comes to me a hopeless wreck that the best kind of physic would be the rod, served very hot.

J. W. Boyer, of Rock Hall, Md., who died at the age of 80 a few days ago, had, according to a local exchange, dispelled all possible doubt as to whether his coffin would suit and fit him. Anticipating an early taking-off, he went some time ago to a factory and selected heavy timber and had it sawed to make his coffin. When the burial case was finished, Mr. Boyer carefully stretched himself out in it to make sure that its dimensions would be all right, and, getting out and yawning with evident satisfaction, he exclaimed: "Yes, that'll do first rate!"

One of the largest reservoirs ever constructed is to be built by the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad for the purpose of supplying its engines and shops with water. It will be located five miles southeast of Galesburg, a division point on the main line 163 miles from Chicago. The reservoir will be 2½ miles long, 1,500 feet wide and 20 feet deep, and will have a capacity of 445,000,000 gallons.

A member of congress, who shall be nameless, received some time ago a handsome pumpkin from one of his constituents. The gift was made in a spirit of irony, however, as the note accompanying it said: "I send you the best pumpkin in my garden. As it's got more brains than you've got, it may be some help to you this winter, and the Lord knows you need it."

The esteemed Boston Globe facetiously asks: "Can unhatched chicks be mortgaged?" and then quotes this paragraph from the Cleveland Plain Dealer: "In a Texas case Judge Dillard decides that a mortgage on an unplanted crop is wholly illegal and void." From which it would appear that the Globe editor has sadly confused the crop with the hatchway.

A Hoboken (N. Y.) citizen, who backed himself to eat more than a great Dane, beat the dog in gastronomy by four plates of frankfurters one night lately. He devoured ten to the dog's six. Thus, says an envious contemporary, does culture and the graces of life assert themselves in select Hoboken society.

One man who registered illegally in New York has been given five years in Sing Sing, and another two years for the same offense. It does not pay to take any liberties with the ballot-box in these days.

Six o'clock in the Chase and Sanborn Coffee Mills! And not one pound of roasted coffee can be found in their stock! That's the rule.

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Try it once.

HUMOROUS.

Hatton—"Would you call Dawber a great artist?" Tackton—"Yes—to his face."—Boston Transcript.

"Why do they call it a debut?" "Why, I don't know. I—" "Neither do I. They are nearly always at night."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

"Do you think, dear, you would love me any better if my hair were some other color?" "I don't know. What other colors have you?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Forgotten Her Calling.—"Yes, the doctor ordered him sent to the hospital. He wasn't getting the right kind of care at home." "Let's see. Whom did he marry?" "His wife was a trained nurse."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

He—"You look good enough to eat." She—"Do you think I'm good enough to feed?" Love is woman's whole existence, and, naturally, she overlooks less bets in the game than man does.—Indianapolis Press.

The Chicken—"How's your appetite these days, old man?" The Bulldog—"Not very good. I feel just as satisfied after a few bites as if I'd had a meal. How's yours?" The Chicken—"Poor, very poor! I just pick at things."—N. Y. Press.

Two ordinarily nice young women in a Massachusetts town were disciplined out of the church the other day for breaking into laughter at a solemn prayer meeting. This was certainly indecorous. But, when it is understood that a good brother had just arisen with the remark that he was "sitting on a thought when the settee struck him," their merriment was altogether pardonable.—Time and the Hour.

Hypnotized Bass with His Bait.

All summer long the lockkeeper says, fishing in the Perkiomen was practically monopolized by one man, a New York writer, who camped on the bank of the stream, wrote at a novel now and then and fished with blood worms for bait. The blood worm, says the lockkeeper, had never been used in the Perkiomen waters before, and simply hypnotized the fish. The New York man with his blood worms would catch a couple of baskets of bass when the fishermen all around him would be having no luck at all. He kept his bait a secret and it was by accident that the lockkeeper "got on to it."—Philadelphia Record.

It is said the state of New York will send to the Paris exposition of 1900 a forestry exhibit of 34 specimens of wood, all native to the state.

An Indiana man sought death by attaching himself to the tail of a horse. A mule would have brought quicker and surer results.

Rare But True.

Until individuality is enabled to assume the mantle of greatness it can probably do as much to make a man unpopular as any other one quality.—Puck.

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She Got the Hat.

"John," she asked, "how do you like this hat on me?"

"Oh, I don't know," he answered. "Have you bought it?"

"No; not exactly. I brought it home on approval. I intend to take either this or another one, which is ten shillings more in price; but I thought—"

"Florence," he interrupted, "that's the most becoming hat I ever saw you have on. Write to them the first thing in the morning that you'll take it, so as to make sure they'll not sell it to anybody else."—Tit-Bits.

Human Nature.

"I can't understand Jenkins. When my salary was raised from $15 to $20, he was the first to pat me on the back and congratulate me."

"Well?"

"Now that I'm getting $30 he hardly speaks to me."

"Well, you know Jenkins is still getting $25."—Philadelphia Press.

Easily Remembered.

"Is it the grip that ails me, doctor?"

"It's the grip. Take this powder three times a day. As soon as you go home have your wife mix you some hot whisky and lemon juice—wait a moment. I'll write it down."

"That won't be necessary, doctor. I can remember the hot whisky and lemon juice."—Chicago Tribune.

He Lost His Case.

"Gentlemen of the jury," said a blundering counsel, in an action about some pigs, "there were just 36 hogs in that drove; please to remember that fact—36 hogs—just exactly three times as many as there are in that jury box, gentlemen."

That counsel did not gain his case.—Tit-Bits.

No Time Wasted.

Betty—You say you never turn down the light when Jack comes?

Letty—Never.

Betty—Why, how unsociable.

Letty—Jack doesn't think so.

Betty—How do you account for it?

Letty—Well, you see, I never turn it up.—Judy.

A Second Look.

Mrs. Greene—Who is that pretty girl over there? Why, she is really bewitching.

Uncle George—Why, that is the woman your husband used to rave about so.

Mrs. Greene—I wonder what he could have seen in her?—Boston Transcript.

Too Little by Ninety-Five.

"I'm going to have it cut V-shaped," announced the petted daughter, looking over the patterns for her new dress.

"If you want to show what it cost," growled the father of the family, "you'd better have it cut C-shaped."—Chicago Tribune.

A Mere Imitator.

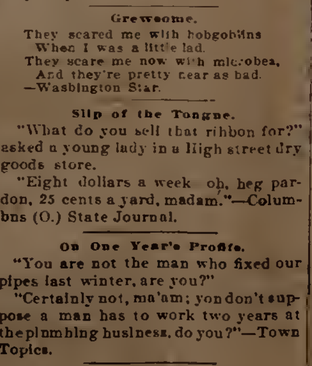
"Yaas," he said, "I weally am beginning to believe she is twying to make a fool of me."

"Well, that's just like her," she mused. "She never tried to do anything in her life until somebody else had gone and done it."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Her Dilemma.

She viewed the result of her baking.
And remarked with tears in her eyes:
"If it's angel cake I've been making
I wonder why it doesn't rise?"
—Chicago Daily News.

ONE OF THE OTHER SORT.



"So your son has not gone to fight the Boers, Mrs. Todd?"

"No, sir; it's a name I've heard your reverence called by, and my Joe hasn't come down to fighting parsons yet."—Ally Sloper.

Gruesome.

They scared me with hobgoblins
When I was a little lad.
They scare me now with microbes,
And they're pretty near as bad.
—Washington Star.

Slip of the Tongue.

"What do you sell that ribbon for?" asked a young lady in a High street dry goods store.

"Eight dollars a week—oh, beg pardon, 25 cents a yard, madam."—Columbus (O.) State Journal.

On One Year's Profits.

"You are not the man who fixed our pipes last winter, are you?"

"Certainly not, ma'am; you don't suppose a man has to work two years at the plumbing business, do you?"—Town Topics.

His Little Oversight.

"How I hate pugs!" he said.

"Sir!" she replied, coldly.

"I refer to dogs, not noses," he made haste to assert, after a quick glance at her.—Chicago Post.

Just as Good.

Milligan—Did yez convince Casey thot he were in the wrong?

Mulligan—Oi dinnaw if Oi convinced him, but Oi med him own up to it.—N. Y. Journal.

Rather Funny.

Mrs. A.—I was just thinking.

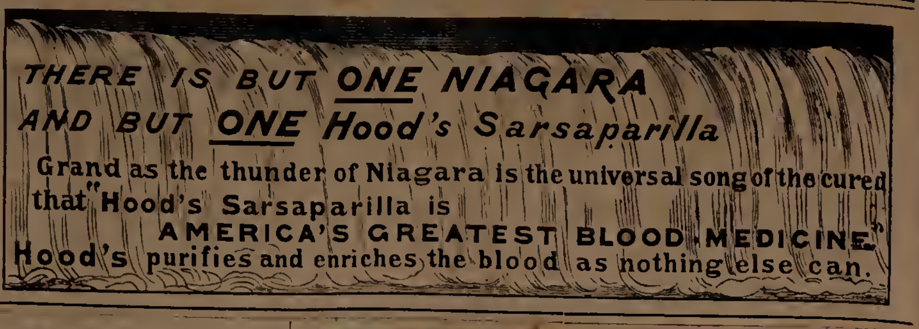
Mrs. Z.—Thinking of what, dear?

Mrs. A.—How funny it is for them to sell umbrellas at a clearing sale.—Chicago Daily News.

Locating the Blame.

"You say that the clergyman is responsible for all your trouble—how is that?"

"Well, he married me."—Tit-Bits.



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"The Absent-Minded Beggar."

First Beggar—Ill, there, pal, you've got y'r signs mixed this mirnin'.

Second Ditto—What's wrong wid 'em?

"Wrong? Why, you chump, that card says 'Blind.' You're deaf 'n' dumb."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Different Points of View.

Wife—I'm sorry you don't admire my new gown. Everybody else says it's just too lovely for anything.

Husband—Oh, it's easy for others to pay compliments, but I have to pay the bill.—Chicago Evening News.

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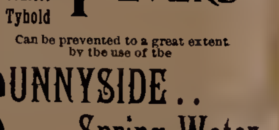

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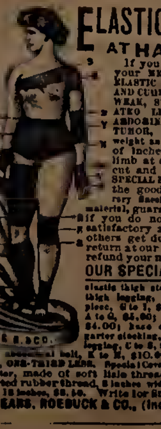

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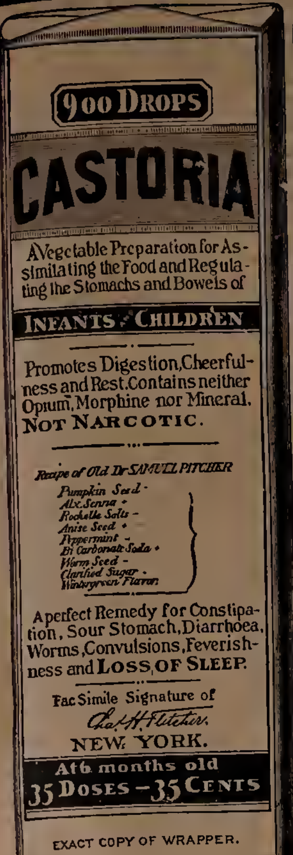
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Little Edgar used to run off with the boys to swim,
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She used to say, day after day: "Now, Eddie, dear, if you
Run off again I'll punish you, and tell your father, too!
And then the boys would come along and "holler" at him: "Say,
You goin' with us to the lake to have a swim to-day?"

Then there would steal over Edgar's face a wistful look and sad,
And he would think how cruel were the parents that he had!
And when his mother's back was turned her precious little son
Would sneak out through the creaking gate and break into a run,
Forgetting, as he sped away, the promise he had made,
And stealing humbly home at night, repentant and afraid.

Day after day he ran away and dove from logs and docks:
He risked his life a hundred times among the rafts and rocks:
His mother's blows he did not dread, her hand was soft and small;
He felt his father's lashings, but they did no good at all;
He promised nightly to reform—upon his knees he vowed—
And when the boys came by, next day, forgot, and joined the crowd.

One morning Edgar's father, who sometimes indulged in thought,
Said to his son: "I'm glad that you go swimming, as you ought;
And do not fail to go to-day, my precious little lad—
Go down and duck and dive and swim and make your parents glad!"
Thus daily Edgar's father spake, in earnest tones to him,
And lo! that urchin straightway ceased to care to go to swim.
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

A Case for Investigation.

THERE was a letter in the senator's mail that made him frown as he read it. One of his constituents was worried about the new bill that was up before the senate, and he wished for assurance that the senator would vote against it. There were more than rumors that money was being freely used to secure the passage of the bill, "and, though," the constituent wrote, "we, knowing your record, are not afraid of any question of bribery, we would like, if you are willing to give it, a definite statement of your position in the matter."

The senator frowned agan, and then, taking up his pen—for this was the last letter he had come to in his mail—he set himself to answer it. The senator was a self-made man, and though he was, after all, only a state senator, he was rather proud of his product. His was a good record, he knew, and he wished it to remain, in all things above suspicion, "like Caesar's wife," he thought, with a half-amused and tolerant wonder who she was. He had written: "Dear Sir—I regret that it is necessary for me again to assure my constituents that I do not allow my vote to be influenced in any way other than by considerations for the good of the state—." So far, when he heard a slight noise, and looked up. An apparition confronted him—a very pretty girl; and he stared, for she had come in unannounced.

"Is this Senator Brown?" she asked. The senator, while he answered, noticed that not only had she a very pretty mouth, with delicate red lips, but that they were quivering a little. Nothing more was needed to make the senator uneasy, for he was unused to women, and, like all self-made men, imagined that they were weak creatures who seized every opportunity to burst into tears. He admitted, however, that he was Senator Brown.

She came to her point with a business-like directness that surprised him in so small and frail a person. "Have you the disposal of a clerkship in the supreme court office?" The senator was surprised into saying that he had.

She moved a little closer to him, and he could see, on a nearer view, that she was even prettier than he had thought. She smiled. "Mr.—I mean Senator," she said, "would you rather have me call you Mr. or Senator Brown?" He murmured something about whichever she preferred, and she went on: "Then I shall call you senator, for when a man is a senator, why not give him his name? All sorts of people can be Mr." The senator, not knowing what to say to that, said nothing. She continued: "Senator, I want you to recommend a friend of mine for that clerkship."

The senator collected himself. He had seen officeseekers before, and had faced them undaunted. "Who is your friend?" he asked, bluffly throwing out his chest.

"His name is Miller," she answered slowly. "Arthur Miller. He is—oh, he is a very good clerk."

"Miller, hey?" remarked the senator. "Why, there was one man by that name who applied. He didn't suit me."

"Yes," she said, and the senator could see that she was holding her lips together very firmly to keep them from quivering. He liked her for it; that was his way, too; "hold on to yourself" was his motto. "Yes," she went on "that was Arth—that was he."

The senator looked down again at his pen. "No," he reiterated, without gentleness, "he didn't suit. He was too slow. He didn't have gumption enough." The senator had a vague feeling that he was being brutal, but he suppressed it as unworthy of a self-made man.

She drew back a little. "Thank you," she said, proudly. "That—that is all, I think." And she turned away.

"Wait a minute," demanded the senator. "Here, have a chair." He got up himself and brought her one, and, after a shrinking hesitation, she took it. "Now, what is it?" asked the senator bluntly, but not unkindly.

"I think," she said, "that if Arth—if Mr. Miller had a chance—" She stopped and began again. "He—he said you rattled him."

"Rattled him!" repeated the senator in amazement.

She nodded positively. "He is not slow." She looked down. "At least—he is very sure." She looked up again.

"Why," said the senator—he was a little lacking in tact; "the man was afraid to say his soul was his own. What will he do when the people over there ask him questions?"

"Answer them," she replied.

"But he didn't answer mine—at least, he took all day to do it."

She favored the senator with a look that was so like a kiss, it almost made him blush—though he never guessed why. "That's very different," she answered.

"So you think he would make a good clerk, do you?" She looked at him again, but it was a smile of toleration for his ignorance, this time. "No, senator," she said. "I know it."

"Is there any reason why you know it?" demanded the senator. He felt himself giving ground under the bombardment, but he meant to stand to his guns.

"I know it because I know all about him," she responded.

The senator looked at her keenly, and she slowly, very slowly, turned a bright red under his gaze. "Is that so?" he remarked, and she answered, defiantly: "Yes, that's it."

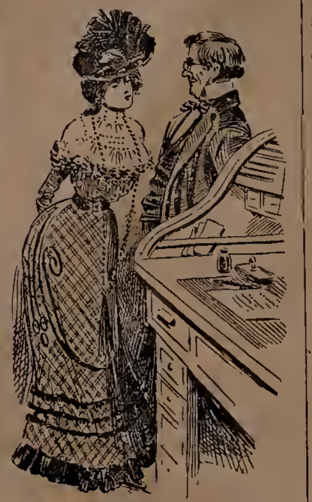
"Perhaps," said the senator, "I—ah—don't want to intrude, but perhaps, if Mr. Miller should get this position, you might—you and he might—"

"Yes," she helped him out, "we should."

The senator hesitated. She sat still and looked at him, and he noticed again that she was holding her lips together to keep them from quivering. He turned to his desk abruptly. "Did Miller send you here?" he demanded. He caught a bit of the look she gave him then and it sent a chill up and down his spine—the sturdy backbone he was so proud of. "I—I beg your pardon," he muttered. "Of course not." He wrote on a slip of paper and handed it to her. "There," he said. She got up and took it with shining eyes, and then she came nearer and nearer.

"I think I should like—I know I should like—" she breathed, "to kiss you."

"I'm so busy to-day," began the senator. Then he had the grace to blush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She came a little nearer still, and the senator reflected that after all he was an unmarried man. She was at his side, and he gave a swift but sneaking glance around. Then he stooped—

When she was gone, after a brilliant moment, the senator resumed his seat. "I remember that man Miller," he grumbled. "He had no gumption at all. Wade would be a much better man. Still," and the senator smiled grimly. Then he picked up his half-written letter and read it over:

"Dear Sir—I regret it is necessary for me again to assure my constituents that I do not allow my vote to be influenced in any way other than by considerations for the good of the state—"

He frowned at it, then he smiled at it. Then he tore it up and wrote:

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Honor in "Pairing."

A curious incident, involving the question of honor in "pairing," is reported from North Adams, Mass. A citizen who desired to be out of town on election day arranged a pair with another citizen of opposite political faith, the latter pledging himself not to vote. Citizen No. 1 went on his journey, but citizen No. 2 violated his pair and voted for his candidate. For this he was summarily discharged from his position in a prominent manufacturing establishment, the proprietors saying that they had no desire to dictate to their employes how they should vote, but that they could not regard as worthy of trust or confidence any person who would dishonorably violate his solemn pledge. This so impressed the discharged employe that he made a public apology for his offense, saying that he did not at first realize its seriousness.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

A Poor Charity Plan.

The Danish scheme of state and communal gratuities, or pensions, to destitute males who have passed their sixtieth year and who have led reputable lives has not resulted in the good anticipated by its advocates and promoters. On the contrary, its workings have been demoralizing. The poor, so called, refuse to make, or even strive to make, provision for old age while it is in their power to do so, on the ground that support from pensions will come without effort. Children in flourishing circumstances refuse to assist their needy parents, money in savings banks has been withdrawn and squandered, and benefit associations to which employers have contributed have lapsed into bankruptcy. The scheme, in fact, has become a positive premium upon destitution, an incentive to improvidence and a foe to manly rectitude and self-respect.—Youth's Companion.

Tit for Tat.

A former commodore captain of a famous transatlantic line, while friendly and polite to his passengers when below, was very much the reverse if approached when on duty. As he happened to be on deck one fine afternoon, a lady, quite unaware of this peculiarity, accosting him with some trifling query as to the probable duration of the favorable weather, was both surprised and indignant to get curtly answered:

"Don't know, ma'am—don't know, Better go and ask the cook."

The lady, though taken somewhat aback, was quite equal to the occasion, and rejoined:

"Oh! I beg a thousand pardons. Excuse me, pray. I thought I was addressing the cook!"—Collier's Weekly.

Jupiter's Swift Moon.

Owing to an arithmetical mistake the distance traveled by Jupiter's fifth satellite in making the circuit of its orbit was stated, in this column on October 12, to be 353,250 miles. The figures should have been 706,500. The speed of the satellite is but little short of 1,000 miles per minute.—Youth's Companion.

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When I first entered the house of commons this ballot used to take place every sitting just at the end of prayers, and in public. The member put his name on a piece of paper into a box, and then the sergeant-at-arms, with one or two of his attendants, used to take the names out, and the successful ones were entered in a book. This used to be one of the most enjoyable moments of the sitting. The spirit of schoolboyishness which is in every Englishman, used to reassert itself, and cheers, laughter, ironical compliments, all kinds of exclamations and running comments used to accompany the reading out of the names. For instance, if a member were particularly lucky in the ballot, and won two or three weeks in succession, there would rise a loud chorus of shocked "Ohs!" and "Ahs!" and sometimes a humorous cry of "Shame, shame!" Of course, if a member were a well-known man there would be some appropriate comment. But the old system has disappeared with a lot of the old usages which were in existence when I first entered the house. Balloting for the ladies' gallery no longer takes place in the open, and amid the tumultuous scenes I have described. A box is placed in one of the division lobbies; you put your name on a form prepared for the purpose, and then, at a certain hour, the box is withdrawn; in private the deputy assistant sergeant-at-arms draws the ballot, and then the names are posted in a book, and you get, if you are successful, a printed card telling you so.—T. P. O'Connor, in London M. A. P.

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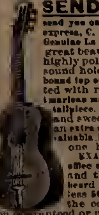
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"You say the operation for appendicitis was successful?"

"Yes; eminently so."

"But did not the patient die? I understood that was the case."

"That is true. He had not sufficient strength to recover from the shock; but the operation itself was a beautiful one in every respect and eminently successful." — Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Not Tired of Him.

Mrs. De Weary—And so you have been married five years, and are as much in love with your husband as ever?

Mrs. Cheery—Yes, indeed!

"Hum! What business is your husband in?"

"He's captain of a ship."—Melbourne Weekly Times.

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Is often a warning that the liver is torpid or inactive. More serious troubles may follow. For a prompt, efficient cure of Headache and all liver troubles, take

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While they rouse the liver, restore full, regular action of the bowels, they do not gripe or pain, do not irritate or inflame the internal organs, but have a positive tonic effect. 25c. at all druggists or by mail of

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WRENTHAM.

The funeral of Mrs Charles Gilmore, who died Friday night at the residence of her son, Warren K. Gilmore, was held at her late home Monday afternoon, Rev Mr. Minchin officiating. She had been a resident of this village for over 75 years. She leaves one daughter, Mrs Nellie Fair, who has resided with her mother, two sons, Joseph and Warren K., besides grandchildren and great-grandchildren. ——Mrs Bessie McGuire, who has been taking care of a resident here, was stricken with paralysis of the right side last week and was taken to the almshouse ——F. N Fales is seriously ill with the grip ——Mrs Matilda Thayer, who came to nurse her sister, Mrs. R. H Dimond, is ill at the latter's home.——Miss Abbie Lovejoy and Fred Lovejoy are guests of Mrs. W D Smith

Power of the Mormon Church.

Beyond a doubt the Mormon church is, considered purely as a political economist's scheme, "to-day nearer to being a successful effort to inaugurate the brotherhood of man than anything ever tried." Here, then, is a social and political force to be reckoned with. Marvelous in its power over the individual, it is rapidly becoming an actual menace to the nation. Already it numbers a million adherents. It owns Utah. It holds the balance of power in Idaho, in Wyoming, in Colorado, in California and in Nevada. When Arizona and New Mexico are admitted to the union it will control them also.—R. L. Hartt, In Atlantic.

Coffin of William Penn.

During the removal of a dilapidated high back pew several hundred years old in the ancient parish church at Penn, in Buckinghamshire, England, the coffin of William Penn, buried there in 1718, was discovered lying within two feet of the floor. It is of oak, black with age and perfectly sound. It was left unopened and replaced after having been surrounded with a layer of cement by way of protection. There are still people in England drawing perpetual pensions from the British treasury as heirs of that William Penn, the founder of Pennsylvania.—N. Y. Journal.

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"Ill weeds grow apace." Impurities in your blood will also grow unless you promptly expel them by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Love Their Animals.

The prince and princess of Wales show their affection for their horses in a curious way. When a favorite dies, its hoofs are cut off and polished and the horse's name is inscribed on each hoof. These are placed in one of the harness rooms at Sandringham. On the wall above are photographs of the horses that have died. The royal couple are also devoted to dogs, and have numerous favorites. Just back of the palace is a stone erected to a lost pet, inscribed: "To the memory of Rover—a true friend."—Golden Days.

An Echo from the Junk Shop.

BY THE REPAIR MAN

Once you were pure
As the beautiful snow;
But thou hast fallen!
Now your dazzling splendor
Which glitters in the summer sun
Pleads to the bargain hunter
Who will also fall.
Then his breath will come
In hard blue pants—
Like the hired man's—
And he will consign thee
To the junk shop
And buy an Orient.
Poor Bargain Bike!
Thou art no more fit
To be called a bicycle
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A Mean Revenge.

"What did Dobbley do with that portrait of you he painted?"

"The one I declined to take?"

"Yes."

"The brute sent it to the exhibition as the 'Portrait of a Gent.'" Harlem Life.

They All Preach.

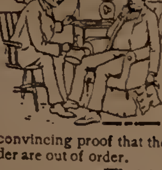
"And why shouldn't there be women preachers?" she asked.

"No reason at all," he replied, feelingly. "I never knew a woman who couldn't preach."—Chicago Post.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Don't Know it.

How To Find Out.

Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.



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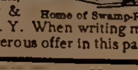

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On a Slender Thread.

There is a man in Washington, who is a shining light in one of the prominent churches, who nearly lost his reputation the other night, all because of a child's innocent prattle. He called upon a friend who is handsomely "fixed" as to this world's goods, and who has a tiny golden-haired daughter of whom he is very fond. The friends adjourned to the smoking-room for a chat, and shortly afterward the daughter went to hunt them. She came down to her mother in the reception-room a little later and found her entertaining callers.

In a lull in the conversation the child volunteered the information that "papa and Mr. Blank were having lots of fun."

"What are they doing, dear?" asked one of the callers, idly.

"Playing poker," was the astounding answer.

"Poker!" exclaimed the astonished mother; "why, Jennie, your father never played a game of poker in his life."

"Well, mamma, they are in the room with the big green table, and papa pokes a little ball at Mr. Blank and he pokes it back again. Isn't that poker?"

Reputations often hang on just such a slender thread.—Washington Star.

An Honest Medicine for La Grippe.

George W. Waitt, of South Gardiner, Me., says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken lots of trash of no account but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one bottle of it and the chills, cold and grip have all left me. I congratulate the manufacturers of an honest medicine." For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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MONDAY, APRIL 2, 1900,

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THE CHATEAU D'IF.

Prison of Dumas' Famous Romance, "Count of Monte Cristo," as It Exists To-Day.

A correspondent of the Paris Temps, who attended the recent festival in Marseilles commemorating the twenty-five hundredth anniversary of the foundation of the city, visited the Chateau d'If, and made some interesting investigations of the prison where Dumas' Count of Monte Cristo was confined. A boat made three trips a day to the island—one indication of how widely Dumas is still read. The boat was full, and everybody maintained the serious demeanor proper on a pilgrimage. The trip takes about half an hour. The castle, situated on an islet about 800 yards in circumference, entirely surrounds it with its wall. It is a heavy structure, with short, thickset towers and a square donjon, yet there is a certain beauty in the color of its stones, even in its massive conformation. It was never used as anything but a state prison—a southern bastille. Francis I. in 1524 laid the first stone. He was through personal experience a connoisseur in prisons.

The cells open into a small, gloomy inside court. Many have no windows; some are merely low dungeons, below the level of the ground. Three larger and more cheerful ones on the second story have contained famous prisoners; the Man in the Iron Mask, who was transferred in 1686 to the Island of St. Marguerite; Philippe Egalite, father of Louis Philippe, who was beheaded on November 6, 1793, and Mirabeau, by virtue of a letter de cachet obtained by his father. But these places are not the ones that attract the crowds of visitors.

They all direct their steps first to a dungeon on the first floor, dreadful of appearance, with an iron-bound door, a grilled peephole, a bolt weighing a dozen pounds. Enter this door and you are in a chamber, dry, but gloomy, lighted by one little lamp. Written outside it are these words: "Cell of the Abbe Faris, expelled from Rome in 1811, confined in the Chateau d'If as a conspirator, died in 1829." It is nevertheless only an ante-chamber. Faria's cell is in a kind of recess, where a man can hardly stand, and where no ray of light penetrates. In this cell can be seen the hole dug by the abbe to communicate with Dantes! Yes, it really exists, this hole! What southern genius dug it? It is not known, but it is there, unfailing proof of the power of a popular book's illusion of reality. Through this hole Dantes' cell can be dimly seen, and in a glamour of mystery the more terrifying because the door has been walled up and no one can enter.

According to serious archaeological investigators, there were really prisoners confined in this dreadful hole, among them one named Bernadot, a rich merchant of Marseilles, arrested on a charge of speaking ill of Cardinal Richelieu, and left there to die of hunger. Jean Paul, a sailor who had struck his commanding officer, died there in the tower in 1779, after 31 years of captivity. It was doubtless the story of these men, literally buried alive, that inspired Dumas. To-day for the whole world the Chateau d'If is the prison of Faria and Dantes, and the inscriptions are there to certify to their existence. An Italian visitor some years ago kissed the stones of these dungeons and wept copiously.

The correspondent embarked for the mainland. The captain of the boat pointed out to him a tiny islet sticking up out of the sea—a mass of rocks, wave-beaten and tragic in aspect.

"Tiboulen," he said, "where Dantes first landed after his escape."—N. Y. Tribune.

Undoubtedly.

Here is a little actual conversation that was overheard a day or two ago by a local newspaper man:

"I see that 'suicide pier' has claimed another victim."

"So the papers state. Awful thing to suicide, isn't it?"

"Well, you can bet it's the last thing I'll ever do!"

And the speaker was quite unconscious of the humorous streak in his solemn observation.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Journeys Around the Earth.

The time required for a journey around the earth by a man walking day and night, without resting, would be 428 days; an express train, 40 days; sound, at a medium temperature, 32½ hours; a cannon ball, 21¾ hours; light, a little over one-tenth of a second, and electricity passing over a copper wire, a little under one-tenth of a second.—Chicago Tribune.

Early Church Music.

Barrel organs were formerly quite frequent in English churches, and one has recently been unearthed in a church near Rochester, England. It has six stops and six barrels, and is capable of grinding out 60 tunes in all. Among them are such archaic specimens as "Job," "Old 11th." The organ was operated by the sexton.—N. Y. Sun.

Walking On Peking's Walls.

It is unlawful for a Chinese woman to walk on the city walls of Peking, but it is an exercise in which the Americans and Europeans indulge without objection, upon days when they are open to the public.—Albany Argus.

Escape Living in Flats.

Quericus—Let's see; the married men all have better halves, don't they?

Cynicus—Yes.

"Then what do the bachelors have?"

"Better quarters."—Puck.

Maternal Feeling.

The small boy likes maternal sympathy, but he never likes his mother to feel for him with her slipper.—Chicago Daily News.

One Simple Request.

CURE THAT COLD BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE.

A neglected cold or cough may and probably will kill the sufferer. Is it right, therefore, to neglect it? You can cure it in a very short time by promptly using

Comp. Syrup White Pine and Tar
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Fancy Young Turkeys, 16 to 18c
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Fresh Pork	11 to 12c	Fresh Shoulder	8c
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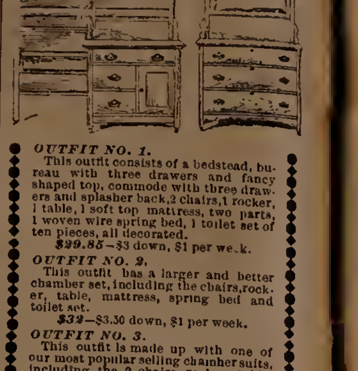
Comfortable and enjoyable sleep will surely come to you if you provide yourself with one of these outfits. The prices will surely be higher when this stock is exhausted. Don't stop to count your money. Pay us a dollar a week and have the outfit at once.



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This outfit consists of a bedstead, bureau with three drawers and fancy shaped top, commode with three drawers and splasher back, 2 chairs, 1 rocker, 1 table, 1 soft top mattress, two parts, 1 woven wire spring bed, 1 toilet set of ten pieces, all decorated.
$29.85—$3 down, $1 per week.

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This outfit has a larger and better chamber set, including the chairs, rocker, table, mattress, spring bed and toilet set.
$32—$3.50 down, $1 per week.

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This outfit is made up with one of our most popular selling chamber suits, including the 2 chairs, rocker, table, mattress, woven wire spring bed and toilet set.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, ss.

FRANKLIN, January 25, A. D. 1900.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

FRIDAY, the TWENTIETH day of APRIL, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse block, in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Lawrence McGinnis of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the ninth day of September, 1899, at thirty minutes past eleven o'clock in the forenoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process in suit of Samuel G. Clark vs. said Lawrence McGinnis), in and to the following real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the northerly side of Village street, with buildings thereon, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the southeasterly corner of the premises on said Village street, thence running northerly on land formerly of one Eaton, and known as the Eaton place, to land supposed to belong to one Wentworth, formerly of one Phillbrick; thence westerly on said Wentworth land to a stake and stone at the northerly end of a drain at land of William Schroeder; thence southerly along the line of said drain, and with said Schroeder land to said Village street; thence easterly with said Village street to the point of beginning, being the Phillip's place, so called, and a part of the Dr. Brown estate, so called.

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the southerly side of Village street, opposite the above described tract, and bounded northerly on said Village street, southwesterly by Charles River and easterly by land supposed to belong formerly to Mrs. A. H. Clark, and being the second parcel described in the mortgage of Lawrence McGinnis to Margaret H. Kenny, dated August 6, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 744, page 523.

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
Deputy Sheriff.
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary Sullivan, sometimes known as Maria Sullivan, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Jerome B. Fitzpatrick and Metcalf E. Pond, both of Franklin, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the fourth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this tenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
mh13,20,27

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of John T. Stetson, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by George W. Wiggin of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the eleventh day of April, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
mh27,ap3,10

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Nancy J. Roper, late of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JAMES A. SNOW, Executor.
Medway, March 26, 1900. mh27,ap3,10

Herman M Fisher

The Franklin Sentinel.

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Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, o the nearest box, unlock, pull down the ho and let go. The apparatus works automati y. Close the box and remain until the fire arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

The selectmen meet this evening.

Koehne lecture course tonight at 8.

Dancing school next Monday evening.

Louisa Fiornni is spending a short vacation with friends in Providence.

Mrs. A. Jenckes of 32 Pleasant street, is confined to her home with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Gould of Crescent street were both sick Sunday.

D. F. O'Sullivan, who has been ill the past week with the grip, has recovered.

The linemen employed by the electric road have strung wires as far as Eagle hill.

There is a little lull in the straw goods trade, so that some employes are short of work.

John Goodwin has returned to Providence, after a week's vacation with his parents.

Edward Whittaker has been engaged as teamster by the Bresnahan Grocery company.

Miss Ella R. Daniels is spending a few days with relatives in Cambridge and Dorchester.

The overseers of poor have engaged a man from Weymouth to take charge of the almhouse.

The annual parish meeting of the First Congregational society will be held next week Tuesday.

The musical part of the King's Daughters and Sons' entertainment is to be especially good.

Miss Mary Dugan of Providence is spending a week's vacation at her home on Cottage street.

Rev. M. P. Sullivan, curate at St. Mary's church, left for a week's visit at his former home in Roxbury.

The fire in Wiuchenbach's store is said to have started from combustible material left too near the stove.

Miss Maria Mark has gone to Cambridge to spend several months with her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Ball.

Miss Mary Maroney of Providence spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. John Riordan of Central street.

A. B. Palmer, superintendent of the water works, has returned from a week at his home. Newport, R. I.

Prof. C. P. Scott, music instructor at Dean academy, began the spring term with his pupils here Wednesday.

William F. Foster of Emmons street has been confined to the house the past two weeks with quinsy sore throat.

Marjorie Ray, who has been confined to the house the past three weeks with scarlet fever, has recovered and is out.

Lumber for the new houses at Unionville has arrived and work will probably be resumed upon the buildings at once.

The surveyors for the Medway-Franklin street railway line have covered the distance for the purpose of taking the levels.

Miss Edna Bright, teacher in the schools at Claremont, N. H., is spending her vacation at her home on Central street.

Don't forget the King's Daughters and Son's entertainment in Odd Fellows' hall, Tuesday evening, April 3, at 8 o'clock.

Leon Mayshaw, employed at Stewart's straw shop, who has been ill for some time past with the grip, is slowly recovering.

The Farmers' club will meet with Warren Bright Monday evening, and discuss market gardening and reclaiming exhausted soils.

The new roadmaster, Charles R. Gowen, with a force of men, began his first labors on the roads on Central street, below Union, Monday.

Mrs. A. G. E. Vose of Manville, R. I., will sing contralto and Mr. Joseph Leach of Walpole, basso at the Congregational church next Sunday.

David Hunter of Central street has moved his family from Amos Woodward's cottage into the cottage owned by John Ford on the same street.

E. K. Ray attended the bank meeting Monday and the effort was too much for his strength, so that he has been feeling less like business since.

Miss Annie Briggs of Stoughton, a former Franklin girl, was in town Tuesday, making arrangments to continue her studies at Dean academy.

Oliver Gay, who removed from here to Putnam some time ago, has returned to town to reside and will be employed by John Stewart, the expressman.

The quarterly meeting of the board of trustees of the Benjamin Franklin Saving bank will be held in the banking rooms next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

A seven-ton and twelve-ton generator have arrived at Unionville for the railway power house. It will be something of a job to move them from the railway station.

Eugene O'Sullivan, who was seriously injured by falling from a bridge at Webster on Friday night last, still remains in a comatose state at the home of his parents on Alphine place.

The course of lectures by Rev. Mr. Koehne is proving itself a very attractive one. He presents in a masterly manner the historic basis and the undeniable divineness of Christianity.

While the office "devil" has not exactly been in charge this week, the office force, minus one sick member, have had the work to do, as the editor has not as yet been able to return to his duties.

Wilfred J. Gohielle has resigned the position of bootblack at the railway station to accept a place with the Boston Electrical company. Louis Lepage of Woonsocket succeeds him here.

The W. R. C. sale, to be held April 10 and 11, promises to be a very successful affair. Entertainments are being prepared for both nights, some out-of-town talent having been secured.

The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the Baptist church next Sunday evening. The pastor will give a short discourse on "The Conversion of Children." There will be excellent singing and the usual baptismal ritual.

This evening at 7.30 p. m., at the Methodist church, there will be a special service, to which all are invited. This will be the last week-night service of the present conference year. The pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook, will preach a short sermon; subject, "Wealth of promise." Mrs. C. L. Stewart will sing.

Rev. John B. Koehne will deliver the fourth lecture in his course of Lenten talks in the Congregational church this evening at 8 o'clock. A large audience listened to him on Tuesday evening upon "The Apostolic Church." This evening he will speak upon "The Church of the Reformation." All are welcome; seats free.

All the public schools will open again next Monday. During the vacation all the rooms have been thoroughly washed and the rooms where any of the pupils attending have had scarlet fever have been disinfected by both the janitors and the board of health. Every precaution is being used; a few books even have been burned.

About 35 Italians in the employ of S. Gore & Co., contractors of the Medway and Medfield street railway, commenced work Tuesday at the Medway end of the line, beginning to remove the large supply of pipe which connects the Cole, Senior & Co. mill and the Ray & Wilson Co. mill with the different hydrants in the center of the town.

The next regular meeting of the W. R. C. will occur on Monday evening next. Members are earnestly requested to be present. In loving memory and as a mark of our respect a memorial service will be held for Mrs. Annie G. Wittenmyer, past national president of the W. R. C. Color bearers are requested to make a special effort to be present.

The linen company at Unionville is putting in an artesian well near the factory. The well has gone down about fifty feet, mostly in ledge. It is reported that J. F. Ray will have a well drilled on his property on Emmons street at the center. There are several of these wells in town of varying depth and also varying in the amount of supply of water.

One more entertainment, entirely novel in its feature, will be given in the near future, under the auspices of the Horace Mann school, for art decorations. M. Kopayashi, a Japanese, with the assistance of several of our pupils, will give a lecture illustrating the habits, customs, beliefs, occupations and ideas of these very interesting people. There will be many curiosities direct from Japan.

For convenience of reference it may be well to paste in our hate the fact that the Republicans will meet in Philadelphia June 19; the Populists in Sioux Falls, S. D., May 9, and the Middle-of-the-Road Populists in Cincinnati also May 9; the Prohibitionists in Chicago June 27, and the Democrats in Kansas City July 4. That schedule comprises all the political national conventions up to date.

Here is a suggestion for our teachers: Every week the pupils of the Milford High school are questioned by the principal concerning the important points of the South African war; this keeps the scholars busy in reading up in order to be able to give a correct report of the progress of the contest. Thus they have learned some geographical facts. After the end of the war there will be a large demand for revised versions of the South African map.

An exchange says what the world needs is not a number of physically straight faced and morally loose-laced church members marching in solemn procession to church on Sundays, but more seven day in-the-week Christians, men and women who in their walks and talks with men in their individual spheres of life and action exercise more of that divine charity which "suffereth long and is kind," which "hopeth all things and thinketh no evil."

Professor Daniels has recently been engaged in the very interesting task, to him, of restoring an ancient and time-worn college diploma, the same having been conferred by Princeton, in 1755, on the great-grandfather of a Franklin resident. The ancient parchment is written in Latin, in old style characters, with a few Greek letters and words. It is now in the hands of the Heliographers, its present owner believing such old documents should be handed down to posterity.

Mrs. Emily Fisher died on Thursday evening after a brief illness at the home of her son, J. L. Fisher in City Mills, in the 87th year of her age. She leaves four children, Mr. John L. Fisher, Mr. Walter Fisher and two daughters. She has been for many years a member of the Congregational church in Franklin. The funeral will occur on Monday, at 2 p. m. at the house in City Mills. It is peculiarly trying to the two sons, who are both confined to their rooms at the present time by a severe attack of the grip.

The Heliotype base ball club has been organized for the approaching season as follows: Manager, Fred Lemeir; captain, Peter Embser; secretary, Joseph Query; treasurer, George Baker;. The nine will take the field as follows: Charles Knowlton, p.; R. Morrill, c.; P. Embser, 1b.; J. Shield, 2b.; H. Anderson, 3b.; F. Adams, s. s; G. Baker, r. f.; F. Lemeir, c. f.; J. Query, l. f.. The members are contemplating the purchase of new uniforms and intend to play ball on Saturday afternoons and holidays throughout the season.

Mr. Koehne's Lecture.

"It was the best lecture of the course" was the expression frequently heard on last Tuesday evening. It was certainly marvelous how Mr. Koehne analyzed and synthesized as he presented the account of the early Christian church and the argument for miracles. He most graphically pictured the conditions of the Roman Empire under the Cæsar's. Also the movement of the first great skeptics and the first Apologists. He most successfully presented the weaknesses of the ancient philosophies for spiritual ends, and the inherent worth of the Christian religion. As heretofore, Mr. Koehne was dramatic and eloquent and thrilled his listeners.

Tonight he will speak on "The Church of the Reformation," and will give estimates of the work of Luther, Calvin and Knox. It will prove exceedingly interesting to all.

Bassett—Applebee.

Miss. Elizabeth A. Bassett of Franklin, Mass. and Mr. Ira M. Applebee of Cambridge were joined in Wedlock in the Parlor of the Broadway St. Baptist church Cambridge, Tuesday evening, March 27th, at 8 o'clock. They were the recipients of many beautiful presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Applebee will reside at 67 Bristol street, Cambridge, where Mr. Applebee is employed as a Baker. Their many friends wish them much happiness.

Music Hall.

Free entertainment all next week commencing April 3rd. War views and moving pictures. Free.

We all want the old folks' home of Norfolk county in Franklin, come and help it along.

Universalist Parish Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Universalist society was held in the church last Monday, beginning at five o'clock. Hon. L. L. Burrington was made moderator and and George R. Winsor clerk. The report of treasurer F. H. Bartholomew showed that, although the expenditure for repairs, repainting parsonage, insurance, etc., had been heavier than usual, some of the insurance having been placed for five years instead of three, there was a balance of about thirty seven dollars in the treasury. The folling officers were elected:—Parish Committee,—Lester L. Burrington, James O. Chilson, Charles F. Nye, James F. Ray, Charles J. McKenzie, Edgar K. Ray, George, F. S. Singleton, Charles Stewart. Treasurer and Collector, Fred H. Bartholomew. Clerk, George R. Winsor. After the election the meeting adjourned to partake of the excellent supper provided by the Y. P. C. U. Upon reassembling Prof. Burrington, of the parish committee, read the committee's report.

Aside from the balance reported as above by the treasurer, the auxilliary organizations, the Sunday School Y. P. C. U., and Ladies society reported balances varying from fifteen dollars to over four hundred. The amount given for missions, charities, etc., was between four and five hundred dollars. The treasurer of the Dean and Ware funds having decreased, the report was read by the moderator and showed that the former had increased somewhat during the year, the latter remaining at the original figure. The entire financial exhibit for the year indicated the raising, from all sources, and expenditure, of about $4600. The following were appointed ushers for the ensuing year:—Fred L. Davis, Charles F. Frazer, George F. Grant, Leslie Merrifield, George H. Gatchell. Prof. A. W. Pierce, Mrs. James F. Ray, and Miss Carrie Mason were appointed music committee for the year. The reception and charities committees remain the same as last year. Marston Sanborn and Charles E. Walker were elected members of the parish.

Resolutions and minutes were read relative to the decease during the past year of Messrs. Aldrich and Ray, and were adopted by a rising vote. Votes were passed releasing certain property the title to which had been irregularly conveyed. After the business had been transacted, Mr. David W. Coreon acting as auctioneer, the pews were rented for the coming year. The highest premium paid for choice was $35 dollars, the entire amount of premiums and entire rental being about the same as the last few previous years. The society is to be congratulated on its showing for the year and especially on the amount raised for charities and missions. It is evident that the members of this society believe in doing good in the world.

Alden Club Meeting.

The last regular meeting of the Alden club was held on March 26. After the reading of the secretary's report and the election of Mrs. Whitaker as delegate to the State Federation meeting on April 20th at Newburyport the speaker of the evening was introduced, Prof. Lewis of Tufts college. Prof. Lewis gave a most interesting and suggestive talk on "Musical Taste: Its Present State and Future Development." He declared that among the fine arts all competent authorities placed music at the top as the supreme manifestations of art; and that it and language were the only arts entirely merited and developed by man. The lover of music therefore can obtain the richest and most varied of all experiences as music is the most universal as well as the most exalted of the arts. In spite of these facts, he added; music is thought but lightly of by the average American who has neither interest in, nor knowledge of good music, and think of it at best, as only a means of entertainment, for which he generally cares but little. He thinks the musicians are narrow minded, or artificial and dramatic, forgetting that it is the fault of the public which demands cleverness and clap-trap from their entertainers, and will not give to the earnest, self-respecting ardent musician oftentimes the means of a livelihood.

Prof. Lewis then made an earnest plea for the thoughtful, caretaking study of the best music by all who have the opportunity, declaring that it should be studied as a student would study Shakespeare or Browning, and so learn to think the thoughts expressed by the great masters of music, as well as experience the emotions. He added that music was the art which Americans most needed to cultivate, and the one that could most easily be cultivated, it should be studied with all earnestness in the schools as one of the noblest arts, so that children might learn early in life to know, to appreciate and love the work of the world's greatest masters.

After the lecture, the meeting adjourned to April 9, when there will be a most interesting recital by Mrs. Jeanette Robinson Murphy, at Dean academy.

R.

Healy & Bigelow's Concert Co., at Music hall. Free for two weeks, commencing April 3.

OBSERVATIONS.

" To observations which ourselves we make
We grow more partial for the Observer's sake."

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That the curfew law may have more effect we suggest to the selectmen to have the whistle sound forth at 9 p. m.

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It appears to the Observer and many others most unfortunate for the board of health and the school board to be quibbling over technicalities in a time of epidemic and when so many business men and others are patiently peaceful. 'Tend to business, gentlemen, and take care of our children.

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It is a little singular that the academy and the public schools were closed on account of the epidemic; but the parochial school continues its work serenely. A reasonable explanation would prove interesting at this time.

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An old resident of the town remarked to Observer that the cause of all this malaria and epidemic diseases may be found in the town water; that the refuse of the mills finds its way into the pond from which the water is taken. Did the special commissioner from the state board of health who was here recently upon a tour of inspection consider this phase of the matter?

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Talking about malaria, we read the other day that "the sunflower is valuable for keeping off malarial fevers. The seeds also are splendid food for poultry, increasing the number of eggs." Observer suggests to "paint the town yellow" with sunflowers this year.

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Observer has learned that there is a petition in circulation asking the board of selectmen to reappoint Mr. Nickerson liquor detective. There are those who feel that he has rendered most efficient service. There are others who declare the opposite. The Observer also learns that whoever is appointed may expect to be urged on to action, for there are certain individuals who are determined that some conditions must be changed in the town.

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Observer rejoices at the sight of the Dean boys on the campus. Hurrah for base ball!

OBSERVER.

K. D. and S. Entertainment.

King's Daughters and Sons entertainment, Tuesday, April 3, at Odd Fellow's hall, at 8 o'clock p. m. Music and Reading by some of the best talent in town. "Mice at Play" by the children. Gibson pictures, illustrated. Charade, name to be guessed by the audience. The following is the cast of characters: Mr. Clay, Bessie's father, George Sneath; Bessie Clay, May Fales; Ethel Clay, Bessie's cousin, Alice Nixon; Mr. Simmons, Bessie's lover, Ray Wyckoff; Patty, Bessie's sister, Pearl Judd; Billy, Bessie's brother, George Nixon; Martha, servant, Linna Ferrer. Ice cream sherbet, lemonade, home-made candy and cake. Proceeds towards establishing "Home for the Aged" in Norfolk Co.

Church Rally.

Next Sunday, April 1, marks the close of another ecclesiastical year among the Methodists. There will be a rallying of all the members and friends of the church on that day. During the past year unusual prosperity has attended the faithful and earnest efforts of people and pastor. The conference year is coming to its close with songs of triumph and the shout of victory in the camp of Israel. "Praises be unto God from whom all blessings flow."

C.

Richardson's Market.

People seem to enjoy "roasts." We have secured one for our patrons for Saturday which will cost as before, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 cents. Of course we have finer cuts costing a little more. Then we have a nice line of turkeys, fowls and chicks, costing from 15 to 20 cents. All the vegetables to be found in Boston to go with our meats, including the famous White Cape turnips, and rhubarb at 12 cents per pound. Butter, canned goods, tea, coffee, etc.

Spring Changes

are about due. You will want new picture frames to brighten up the freshened rooms, and you will want them up-to-date. The latest styles, in perfect taste, are simple and inexpensive. Many of my new spring mouldings are in and others coming.

CALKIN, Depot St.

The admission to Odd Fellows' hall Tuesday evening is twenty-five cents, including entertainment, ice cream sherbet and cake. Home made candy and lemonade extra.

Biograph of moving pictures and war views at Music hall all next week, free to adults. April 3.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Farmers' Club.

Practical reform, with a big R, is a favorite with a good many people, and when it was announced that E. D. Daniels, superintendent of the public schools, would speak to the Farmers' club, on "Practical Reform in School Work," we knew that his experience warranted the expectation of gaining insight upon this very important matter. The meeting was held at Mr. Daniels' residence on Dean avenue, and after the announcement by president Morse, Mr. Daniels said substantially: "In school work there is no standing still; it must be backward or forward. Now the idea is to have the child teach himself; formerly the attempt was to cultivate the intellectual side only, but today the theory of public institutions includes, or at least should include, the physical and moral also. Mind development must come through the senses of hearing, feeling, tasting, etc. Advanced methods try to teach the use of the left as well as the right hand to make them equally proficient The kindergarten teaches from the sense of touch, sight, etc., a faculty of much importance, but often lacking in a large degree. The sense of touch is more important than sight. A child is naturally destructive, but can be taught to be constructive as well, and the manual training school leads in this direction.

"Temperance is an important subject, but money has been thrown away in books that are useless for the object desired; temperance training should be by example and precept, not by books telling of the effects of alcohol upon the physical system. Good cooking will prevent intemperance, and for that reason the state should establish cooking schools. The tendency of modern school work is for more schooling and less vacation time, upon the theory that Satan finds mischief for idle hands to do, especially with boys. Compulsory school age should be raised to 15 or 16 years. Another reform is the study of the beautiful, not for the beauty, but for the good. The Bible should be included in school studies as literature, not for dogmatic teaching."

Mr. Daniels was followed by Rev. I. W. Sneath, H. E. Ruggles and Monroe Morse. Mr. Morse pointed out that the parent had very little to do with the the schools under present laws, and that naturally the more his liberty in this respect was curtailed by the state the less would be his interest in the public school.

Mr. Daniels illustrated his remarks on manual training with products of the work of such schools, and at the conclusion of the formal discussion. Mrs. Daniels illustrated the subject of good cooking with an abundant and substantial lunch, which was practically discussed with the same interest that had previously been given to the intellectual part of the programme.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending March 28, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. Lulu Pickering, Miss G. A. Pointer, Mrs. Anna E. Weishrand.

Gentlemen—The Franklin Mills (2), A. W. Buckland, Raney Bellan, Stewart Dean, Albert Knott.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Emerson's Market.

This is the week for "green stuff." We have spinach, lettuce, radishes, cucumbers, dandelions, etc., choice cuts of meats of all kinds, fowls, chicks, fancy butter and canned goods. In addition we shall continue our special sale of roast beef from 8 cents up all day Saturday. We can't be beaten on this meat. Try it.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

To Rent—Tenement of five rooms in first floor. Apply to L. A. Harrie.

Girl wanted for general housework in a small family. Apply at 14 Summer street. 23

Wanted—Girl for general housework. good wages to right party. W. Fairfield, 12 East street 16 tf

A few cords of dry walnut wood; also oak, chestnut and pine dry under sheds, at Allen's wood yard.

20th century business fowls—White Plymouth Rocks and White Wyandottes, brown egg strain. W. E. Corbett.

Girl wanted to do general housework. Apply to Mr. Noyes, office of roadmaster N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., Franklin. 30*

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Sewing machine needles, oil and supplies for all machines. Worn out parts replaced with new. L. P. Faxon, 8 Pleasant street.

During the presence of scarlatina at my house orders for wood may be left at the SENTINEL office or sent to me by mail. T. B. Allen.

Are you thinking of buying a sewing machine? If so, you should see the Household, which is a high grade machine at a low price. L. P. Faxon, agent.

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. See Chas. H. Prince, SENTINEL Office.

Ochee, the barber, will call at the house to do shampooing. Drop a postal to box 210 or call at his shop.

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1900.

Nearly to the hour of his death Mr. John I. Blair's faith remained strong in the great granary of the west. Having made much of his immense fortune in that region his advice to beginners was: "Put your money in the yaller corn belt." Be it understood that the "yaller corn belt" comprises Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska. In Iowa he owned over 2,0[illegible],000 acres of land, and in Nebraska 100,000. I don't know how large a part of Kansas he was proprietor of, says a New York Press man. Rough in manner, coarse in speech, yet kind-hearted withal when not imposed on, John I. Blair was said by bond brokers in the street to be the most efficient of men to negotiate a transaction with. If there is an exception it is R. T. Wilson. With both men it was always a case of grab everything. If a promoter shoved an enterprise at Mr. Blair the old man immediately appropriated 95 per cent. of it, locking up the remaining five as a guarantee of the promoter's good faith.

An exchange says a man fishing in a New Jersey lake tied his line to his wrist while rowing slowly. A 20-pound carp took the bait, drew the man overboard and dragged him a long distance in the water, but he finally got ashore and loosened the line. The fish ran away with it. One time the carp rose to the surface and the fisherman saw that it was two feet long and evidently weighed 20 pounds. The one who started that story might have made that fish a few pounds heavier and made his story weightier.

Otto Grantz, who recently discovered a very rich gold mine in South Dakota, is getting letters from people all over the country, suggesting uses for his wealth. One old lady said in her letter: "You have had the luck to find so much and I so little, just wish you could not sleep until you gave me some of it." It is not stated what Mr. Grantz did with that "touching" appeal, but it is safe to say he did not lose any sleep over it.

The wife of Gov. Lowndes, of Maryland, is curing the whooping cough very much as the king of England used to cure scrofula ("the king's evil"). It's a local notion that if the mother of twins butters a piece of bread for a child with that cough, the child will be relieved. Mrs. Lowndes has twin sons, and Annapolis is in an epidemic of whooping cough. Consequently she is kept pretty busy buttering bread.

From a western Colorado postmaster to the department at Washington: "Pleas except my resanation of p m of the government at this town i haf been alected j of the pease & school commisner said duties perventing me from bitin off more than i can chaw by trine to kill three birds with 1 ston. Yores respectably."

A ten-year-old Boston girl on her way to school turned to throw a kiss to her mother, who stood watching her in the doorway of the home the little one had just left. At that instant a beam, falling from the top of a building in course of construction, struck the child on the head, killing her at once.

Some of the Paris papers are excited to violent denunciation by the report that two American prize fighters are to meet in the ring in that city next year. They think the pugilists should "practice their brutal trade at home." In Paris you know they fight only with swords and pistols.

A woman in a New York divorce case has put on record the assertion that a woman who paints cannot be a lady. She can if she doesn't paint herself, or, in case she does, if she only uses iodine, suggests a facetious contemporary.

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In German.

Plumbers were at work in Marjorie's home, and they conversed in their native tongue.

"Mamma," questioned the four-year-old, "why can't I tell what those men are saying? I've listened and listened, and I can't make out a word!"

"Of course you can't," said mamma: "they are talking in German."

That evening Marjorie was drumming on the piano.

"What are you playing?" asked her brother.

"I'm playing 'Home Sweet Home.'"

"That isn't 'Home Sweet Home!'" he said, scornfully.

"Yes it is," was the reply; "I'm playing it in German!"—Town Topics.

No Reason to Specify.

They were dancing. The music was heavenly. The swish of her silken skirts was delightful. The fragrance of the roses upon her bosom was almost intoxicating.

"Ah," she said, looking up into his face and smiling sweetly, "you remind me of one of Whitman's poems."

A sudden dizziness seemed to seize him. It was as if he were floating along in a dream. When he could catch his breath to speak he asked:

"Which one?"

"Oh, any one," she replied. "The feet are all mixed up in all of them."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Benighted Superstition.

Mrs. Slimdiet—Well, that fellow Longhead, who talked about taking board here, is just about the most superstitious man I ever did hear of. He's actually afraid of ghosts.

Maid—Ghosts, is it?

Mrs. Slimdiet—Yes; he writes that he has changed his mind about coming, because he's been told that half a dozen people have starved to death here.—N. Y. Weekly.

The Retort Truthful.

The Vulture—It's hardly polite to read your paper at table, Mr. Hallroom.

The Victim—I know, Mrs. Skinnem, but it takes my mind off what I'm eating.—N. Y. Journal.

The Poet and the Maiden.

Dear maiden, you'd like to write poems
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HOUSEHOLD NOTES.

Odd Items of Domestic Information for the Young Housewife.

In planning refreshments for the Halloween party, nuts, apples, crullers and sweet cider are considered the appropriate concomitants of the fateful night, while their service should be as simple and informal as possible. If the kitchen table serves as a buffet, its centerpiece may be a yellow pumpkin or pale green cabbage, hollowed out and filled with ruddy cheeked apples. The dishes used may be of the copper or tin kitchen utensils, scoured to their brightest.

Measles are most infectious in the early stages, scarlet fever and scarletina during the peeling of the skin. Typhoid is usually conveyed by germs from the excretions of the patient. No member of a family with an infectious disease should go to church or any other place where persons are congregated, should not borrow books from a library nor mix with other people more than can possibly be helped, as one person may be the means of spreading disease to numbers.

Holland shades may be washed and laundered so as to look nearly as well as new. Remove the fringe, cord and tassels and loosen from the roller. Wash in lukewarm suds, rubbing as little as possible, to prevent splitting. Rinse in cold water and starch in boiled starch. Iron with a cloth over it until nearly dry; then polish. Great care must be taken to iron always with the selvedge to stretch straight and to iron no creases in.

Steel firearms that are kept in good order should not require cleaning oftener than once a week, but they should be rubbed daily with a dry cloth. In the weekly cleaning they may be polished with bath brick scraped fine and mixed with oil, or rubbed with fine emery paper, then polish with the finest sand paper.

"Don't sprinkle your maiden-hair ferns on their foliage," say the florists to the women who are eagerly buying the dainty greening for dining table decoration. "Keep the earth moist all the time; but pour the water around the roots, not on the top."

In screwing a glass globe on to the gas fixture care should be taken not to screw it too tight, as when the gas is lighted the glass will expand, and if space is not allowed the globe will crack. Many mysterious breakages may be traced to this lack of foresight.

An easy way to steam house plants in winter is to set a large vessel of hot water under the plant stand and then drop into it a hot brick or iron.

The cheering teapot has lately found its way into Italy, and Italian signoras now chat over the tea cups and delight in all the dainty accessories of the tea table.

A paroxysm of coughing may often be arrested by a tablespoonful of glycerine in a glass of hot milk.

Stale crackers are improved by placing in a hot oven a few minutes before serving.—Washington Star.

DECORATION NOTES.

Points on Pretty Furnishings Suitable for the Parlor and Hallway.

Pillows add greatly to the decorative effect, as well as to the comfort of a divan, lounge, settee or sofa. The new canvas covers, which come in rich red for braiding or rich blue or black, and the black for braiding in red or orange, are very inexpensive and durable for pillow or cushion covers.

Coronation braid is very prettily applied to designs stamped on pillow covers; it shows with fine effect on bright red, blue or yellow canvas or linen cushion covers, but is especially pleasing on silver-green linen in association with flat braids.

A pretty border for an orange silk curtain for a hall window is made by turning up an inch-wide hem and heading it with herring-boning in heavy orange silk threaded with turquoise-blue beads. Larger beads of the same color sewed along the bottom of the hem add a very charming finish. Such a curtain illuminates a dark place like sudden sunshine.

No tea table or luncheon table is absolutely pretty that fails in flowers for decorative purposes. A few perfect flowers set in the filmy greenery of maiden hair ferns or in sprays of the soft asparagus vine, which veil the gay colors as gently as the mist.

The embroidered silk screen panels, sold in Japanese stores, make lovely hangings to place in the opening between parlors. A lovely pair made of slaty-gray silk, wrought with a design of airy bamboo trees in soft greens, with here and there a gay bird, was tastefully mounted on amber-colored momie cloth and finished at the bottom by a heavy fringe, showing subdued shades of the embroidery colors. This pair of hangings looked very artistic mounted on an ebonized pole by means of heavy brass rings.—Ladies' World.

Little Civilities.

If, as the old saying has it, civility costs nothing, it certainly gains much, both in the way of liking and of kindness; therefore it seems a great pity that so many people dispense with it in small matters of daily life. There are no doubt very few people who are actually and actively rude and uncivil, but there are, on the other hand, many who are, if we may use the term, passively impolite. They do not—that is, commit a downright rudeness, but they omit a vast number of little civilities.

If it is manners that "maketh man," it is most certainly woman who both makes and mars men's manners, for there is no man, however rough and uncouth in manner, who is not influenced and to some degree softened by contact with a courteous and gracious-mannered woman.—Detroit Free Press.

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The Question.

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"Yes, my boy. What is it?"

"If I'd been your brother, would I have been my own uncle?"—Harper's Bazar.

Different Points of View.

Wife—I'm sorry you don't admire my new gown. Everybody else says it's just too lovely for anything.

Husband—Oh, it's easy for others to pay compliments, but I have to pay the bill.—Chicago Evening News.

Story of a Slave.

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Interest Account	2,018 62
Real Estate Income Account	69 99
	$600,832 98

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$22,143 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		28,517 62
Railroad Bonds		133,012 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		30,300 00
" " Mortgages		171,735 60
" " Personal Securities		187,040 75
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
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Expense Account		218 02
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Mercantile Trust Co.	442 74	
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PERSONAL AND LITERARY.

C. P. Huntington is the only survivor of the great Southern Pacific quartet, composed of Stanford, Crocker, Hopkins and himself, and he now owns, or holds, an option on three-fourths of the stock of the road.

A German statistician has been counting up the books that have been written about famous women. He finds that Marie Antoinette, Joan of Arc, Mary Stuart and Pope Joan head the list, with over a hundred books each.

A Pretoria barber who is now in London says that President Kruger never patronizes a barber, setting his own razor and shaving himself. Mrs. Kruger cuts her husband's hair and does the work in about the average amateur style.

In 1883 three now famous men were at the University of Strasburg—Roentgen, Paderewski and Tesla. Then Roentgen was a professor of physics, Paderewski was an instructor in music and Tesla was installing the electric light plant at the university.

It is a habit of Senator Cockrell, of Missouri, to read in the senate the name of every constituent who sends him a petition for presentation. This gets the names of his people in the Record in big black type, which they delight to see when he sends them marked copies with his compliments.

Senator Hanna has characteristic disregard for the conventionalities of polite society. A few evenings ago he shocked Washington society by appearing in public wearing a sack suit and a silk hat. He has been the recipient of several hints on this subject, but ignores them in his usual burly way.

An old interviewer of Washington pronounces Gen. Wheeler one of the hardest men to interview in this country. He says: "The general is even more shy than he has been represented. 'Reticent' doesn't half describe him. He is simply the despair of every newspaper man who tries to get 'copy' out of him."

Up and Doing.

Mack O'Rell—How is that eldest brother coming on?

Luke Warme—He's in New York, running a hotel and doing well.

Mack O'Rell—Well, how about the youngest brother?

Luke Warme—He's in Chicago, selling quack medicines and "doing" sick. —Chicago Daily News.

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IN HIS OWN STRENGTH.

Sad, Untimely End of a Boy Who Spurned the Thought That He Needed Christ's Strength.

"Oh, yes, religion's all right for some people, but I don't need it! I'm strong enough to do what's right without being helped. Of course, for a fellow that's weak, religion's a good thing, and for some people it's the only thing that will keep them straight. But you needn't worry about me!"

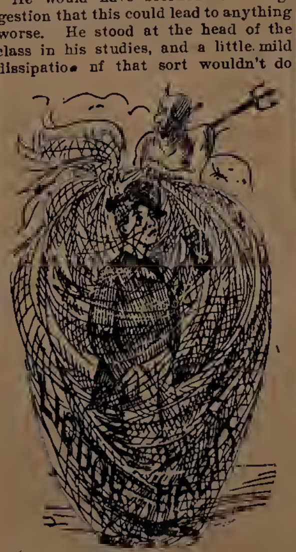
These words were spoken by a young man just at the outset of his college career. A friend had suggested to him his need of a strength beyond his own to help him resist the many temptations incident to college life. The friend sighed when he found his kindly remonstrance useless, and went home with a sad heart.

Let us follow the young man for a few years.

An exceptionally brilliant scholar, he soon won the regard of the faculty, while his social proclivities and unfailing good nature made him a favorite with his companions at school.

This was at first. As the months went by, the boy who didn't need help began to find the freedom of college life a different thing from the wholesome restraint of the life at home. He learned easily, so his studies did not occupy all his time, and he fell gradually into the habit of going "out with the other fellows" occasionally, and even drank an occasional glass of wine.

He would have scorned the suggestion that this could lead to anything worse. He stood at the head of the class in his studies, and a little mild dissipation of that sort wouldn't do any harm. He knew how to take care of himself!



THE NET WAS ALREADY DRAWING CLOSER ABOUT HIM.

The first year passed, and the young man had found no difficulty in keeping up with his work, and won most of the honors in his examinations. He came home loaded with congratulations from all sides. His friend, however, saw an almost imperceptible change in him. He asked whether he found himself still strong to resist temptation. The young man laughed carelessly and replied, with a superior air: "A fellow doesn't have to be a prude. I think I'm still capable of looking out for myself. You need not have any fear on my account!"

A year later, and the young man found he was not standing so well in his examinations as formerly. He was spending more of his time with the "other fellows," and often had a bad headache in the morning, and did not feel like studying. Still, his work was fairly creditable, and a fellow can't work all the time: he must have a little fun! When he came back in the fall he would brace up and do better again.

There was a hint of recklessness in the tone of the young man when he talked with his friend again on his return at the close of his sophomore year. Again the friend tried to show him that his only safeguard was to take Christ as his guide and resolve never to yield to the tempter, and never to touch a drop of strong drink. The young man listened with smiling incredulity, and laughed at the idea of there being any danger in an occasional glass of wine, or even stronger drink. "Thank you for the interest you take in me," he said, complacently, "but there really is no cause for alarm. I think I know enough not to go too far!"

Poor fellow, the net was already drawing closer about him, already the terrible habit had him in its power! Yet he went on, blindly but gayly, to his destruction. His mother was a widow, and her son was her idol. She was far from suspecting the truth. He seemed as frank and as affectionate as ever while with her.

Soon after his junior year began it became evident that something was amiss. The professors began to remonstrate with him kindly, for they all liked the boy. They saw all too clearly the danger he was incurring, but his reply was still the same: "There's no danger in it for me!" At last one wrote to the mother, and she came at once to have a talk with her son. When she saw him, however, his bright, frank manner entirely disarmed her, and—so does drink deaden the conscience—he assured her that there was nothing wrong, but that it was all a false report started by some of his competitors, who wished to injure his standing with the faculty!

The weak but adoring mother returned home with her mind at rest, and the young man tried for a time to do better, but the habit was too strong for him, and after a little, in spite of all warning, the "occasional glass" grew more and more frequent, till at the end of the third year the once brilliant and promising boy, who was so confident as to his future,, not only failed utterly in his examinations, but was suspended from school, and went home in disgrace!

Even then, so insidious is the growth of this terrible habit, he would not see his danger. Even then he insisted that it was not a fixed habit, but went on, alas! heedless alike of the warnings of friends and the pleadings of his widowed mother, until to-day, at less than 30 years of age, that young man is a physical and mental wreck—his once brilliant intellect clouded and his fine constitution undermined by late hours and dissipation, his mother heartbroken and his prospects for life ruined. And, strangest of all, to one who has not seen this phase of that terrible habit, he still insists that drink has never hurt him, and that he can stop it at any time! God pity him and all others who have fallen into the clutches of the terrible demon of drink, and may these pages from a life help every boy who reads them to decide, if he has not already done so, to take Christ as his friend and guide through life, and to abstain always and forever from touching a drop of strong drink, for nothing less than total abstinence is safe. But do not trust your own fancied strength.

"I can do all things through Christ, which strengtheneth me," but "without Me ye can do nothing."

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WAYS OF THE CANDY STORE.

Some Stores Let Clerks Eat What They Want—Men and Women Who Like Candy.

There is an old story to the effect that it is a custom in candy stores to tell the new clerk to eat all the candy she wants; the result being that she is soon surfeited and wants no more candy for a long time. The fact appears to be that, substantially, there is no rule or custom in candy stores regarding the eating of candy by the salespeople. It is, of course, required that they shall not eat candy in the presence of customers; it might be possible that a new clerk who developed an inordinate fondness for candy would require a gentle hint; but clerks are not told when they begin work that they may or may not eat candy; nothing is said about that at all; and they do as they please about it, and eat what they want; governing themselves it is to be presumed by discretion and common sense.

It is also the common testimony that people do not get tired of candy by being always in the midst of it; and this seems to apply alike to those engaged in the manufacture of candy and the handling of it by wholesale, and to the clerks engaged in the constant actual handling of candy in the sale of it at retail. Those who are fond of candy, men as well as women, are not surfeited by the sight of it in quantities constantly surrounding them; if it is good candy they keep on liking it just the same, and enjoy eating what they want of it.

As to whether men or women like candy better there was some difference in the expressed opinion. At some places it was said that men and women liked candy equally well; it was said, for instance, that in a little company of men and women eating candy, the men would eat as much as the women. At one place where the opinion was expressed that men, take them altogether, do not like candy so well as women do, it was said that if a man was fond of candy he was likely to be very fond of it, so that he might eat a quantity of it at a time. It was everywhere said that among children boys and girls are alike in their love for candy; but taking into account expressions of people outside the business as well as those in it, the weight of opinion seemed to be that among grown persons there are more women with a sweet tooth than men; that is to say that men are not so fond of candy as women.

While the customers in the candy shops in the shopping districts of the city are almost exclusively women, there may be found candy stores a very large proportion of whose many customers are men. These shops are found in the region devoted to trade and finance and occupations in which men are more commonly engaged and interested. These men, however, are buying mainly for home consumption, in city or suburbs; and in these later years there has been seen among the purchasers here an increasing percentage of women customers due to the increasing number of women employed in that part of the city.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

THE BOSS BARBER.

He Is Always Avoided by the Man Who Knows What His Peculiarities Are.

"You're next, sir," said the boss barber, indicating a fat man who was buried behind a newspaper. "I'll wait for awhile," replied the fat man. "I'm in no hurry." As another man climbed into the vacant chair the fat man leaned over to another customer who was waiting his turn and confided that he was in a hurry, a deuced hurry, but he would rather lose his turn than be shaved by the proprietor of the shop. "It isn't that I have any grievance against this particular barber," he went on, "but I shun all boss barbers as I would a plague. In the first place, he patronizes you, and in the second place he is invariably the worst barber in the shop. Then, too, it takes him about twice as long. He will lather one side of your face and then go over to the desk to make change for a customer who is going out, for he is generally his own cashier. He considers it his duty to exchange airy persiflage with each customer as he leaves the shop, and by the time he gets back to you your face is caked in cold lather. This usually happens four or five times while you are getting shaved, and you may consider yourself lucky if a salesman for a perfumery or soap house doesn't come in to talk up his wares. In that event you are bound to be kept in waiting for ten or fifteen minutes, and when you are finally shaved your peace of mind is destroyed for the rest of the day. No boss barbers in mine. I know 'em too well, and I wait every time."—Philadelphia Record.

A Peculiar Situation.

"My son and I are in a very droll position just now."

"What is it?"

"I'm afraid he is going to get married, and he is afraid I am going to get married."—Detroit Free Press.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

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To His Sorrow.

Now, scenic artists, boast no more,
Your efforts are not in it;
For, any day my wife can make
A scene in half a minute.
—Puck.

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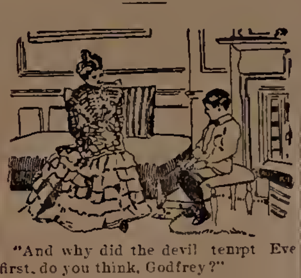

"And why did the devil tempt Eve first, do you think, Godfrey?"

"Oh, mummy, ladies always come first!"—Punch.

Reprieved.

When the gray dawn breaks o'er the lea
It does not wake my heart to pain;
With joy I scan my watch and see
That I may go to sleep again.
—Chicago Record.

More Conspicuous.

Editor—You want this "ad" run next to pure reading matter, I presume.

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Wouldn't Dare To.

Mrs. Peck—I believe that every one of the writers of these articles making fun of married life are single men. I don't suppose that one of them was ever married.

Henry—N-n-no, dear; he wouldn't be writing jokes about it if he was.—Buffalo Commercial.

Secret.

"Why will you not announce our engagement, sweetheart?"

"Why, Edgar, it is so beautiful to be engaged secretly, as we are, without letting a single person know about it. Every one of my friends envies me."—N. Y. World.

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WRENTHAM.

The selectmen have appointed Charles W. Pond to collect the uncollected taxes since 1895, the town has voted that the work was to be done in six months from the date of appointment. This action was made necessary by the death and embezzlement of tax collector S. F. Hendell, there being something like $7,000 still to be collected.——Frederick C. Fales still continues to be ill.——Jewelry business is very quiet at present and many of the shops are not working on full time.——The Cyphen aid society are contemplating giving another play the middle of next month.——Two men armed with knives and revolvers passed through the village on bicycles yesterday afternoon enroute to San Francisco.——The engagement is announced of Miss Mamie Garriety of North Attleboro, and Thomas Finn of Wrentham.——Letters for John H. Appleby and John H. Walsh are unclaimed at the Post Office.——E. P. Bennett has been drawn as juror for the April court at Dedham.——F. A. Shepard is ill with erysipelas.——Henry Pond had twenty four hens stolen from his hen house this week.——On Tuesday the Holly club had a pleasant afternoon with "Brete Harte" at the residence of Mrs. Daniel Brown.——Dr. N. W. Hawley has recovered from his recent severe illness.——Mr. T. W. Berryman has been spending two weeks with his nephew who is keeper at Sandy Neck lighthouse.——Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vose are spending two weeks at their old home in North Union, Me.——Miss McCorrison of St. Johns, N. B., is visiting her father A. O. McCorrison.——The funeral of Mr. Chas. Gilmore was held Monday afternoon the interment being at Pondville. She was in her 94th year and leaves three sons, Joseph, Warren K. and William M. Gilmore, and one daughter Mrs. Nellie Farr.——Lewis W. Fisher is driving a new depot wagon of a handsome make.

Inherited.

"Mabel seems to take a deep interest in yachting, doesn't she?"

"Yes, she is quite carried away with it."

"And she knows all those nautical terms, too."

"Well, why shouldn't she? Her father started in life as a deckhand, you know."—Chicago Times-Herald.

No Cause for Worry.

Miss Million (of uncertain age)—The only thing that worries me is the wedding tour. It will be perfectly horrible to have people know—

Miss Rosebud (viciously)—Oh, don't worry. They'll think you're his mother.—Tit-Bits.

What She Needed.

"The man I marry," she said, "must have no bad habits; he must be handsome, manly, loving, generous, liberal, thoughtful—" "Miss Frieze," he interrupted coldly, "you should marry a department store."—Philadelphia North American.

A Close Shave.

Many a bearded fugitive from justice has escaped by a close shave.—Chicago Daily News.

Radical in Theory.

Some people are radical in theory but conservative in action.—Chicago Daily News.

Bonus Needed.

"Bridget, you've broken as much china this month as your wages amount to. Now, how can you prevent this occurring again?"

"I don't know, mum, unless yez raise me wages."—Baltimore Sun.

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Church Services.

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Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30. Vesper service at 5, theme: "What Jesus Would Do." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector; Rev. M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Baptist church.—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. Frank B. Sleeper, pastor. Theme, "The Essentials of Divine Redemption and Character." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45. Preaching by the pastor at 7. Theme: "The Conversion of Children." The holy ordinance of baptism will be administered.

Methodist church.—Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor. Sermon will be the last of series on the general subject: "Lessons from Some Characteristic Incidents in the Life of Christ." Special subject: "Christ, the Philanthropist." The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered. Subject for the evening sermon, "The Christian's Heritage." Special singing.

Congregational church.—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, at 10.30, theme: "The Contents of an Old Letter." Sunday school at 12. No session of Primary department. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6, Consecration service. A fine topic card just issued. Evening service at 7.30. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: "An Important Subject Considered." Song service by chorus and congregation.

Another Man Made Happy.

Harry—I have about decided not to get married next month.

Herbert—What's the matter, old man? Getting shaky?

Harry—No; but I don't want to bother about the groceries.

Herbert—Oh, that is easy enough. All you have to do is to have the **FALES** order team call and your wife won't have a particle of bother about the amount or the quality of the goods.

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Leave Wrentham P.O. for Franklin at 8.15 a.m., 3.30 p. m. Leave Franklin depot for Wrentham at 9.30 a. m., 4.30 p. m.; connecting with trains for Boston and Providence via N. Y. & N. E. railroad; trains leaving Boston at 7.40, 8.30 a. m. and 3.30 p. m.; leaving Providence at 8.35 a.m.

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N. B. WEBBER, Prop.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles H. Whipple, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Julia M. Whipple of Bellingham, or to some other suitable person,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 27, 1900.—The Committee on Roads and Bridges will give a hearing to parties interested in the annual report of the Massachusetts Highway Commission at Room No. 426, State House, on Tuesday, April 3, at 10.30 o'clock a. m. Samuel S. Gleason, Chairman. William S. O'Brien, Clerk of the Committee.

AGENTS WANTED

Liberal contracts to intelligent men of good character and address. Can earn in commissions from $3000 upwards per year by applying to Wm. F. Bache, Gen'l Agt. NORTHWESTERN MUT. LIFE INS. CO., 7 Water St., Boston, Mass., from 9 to 10 A. M., from 12 to 1 P. M.

ANNUAL STATEMENT JAN'Y 1, 1900.

Assets	$126,623,728.45
Liabilities	121,112,034.71
Surplus	5,384,707.74
Insurance in force	$497,695,125.00

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Queen Victoria Likes Young People.

As everyone knows, Queen Victoria likes young people about her. A lady is sometimes dismissed from attendance because her majesty has wearied of her company, and another will send in her resignation because she feels physically unequal to the duties of her position, the demands made on the patience and bodily strength of a lady-in-waiting being incessant. Think of the strength required for the long hours of standing—for weary drives on bleak Scotch moorlands, and, what is hardest of all, the constant suppression of one's own individuality! The queen, the princess of Wales and the other princesses have among them a little host of attendant ladies, and, though their royal mistresses no doubt display a considerable amount of consideration for them, yet, kindly though they may feel, they have the natural capriciousness of their station and sex.—Detroit Free Press.

New York's Army of Pensioners.

New York city has 206 veterans of the Mexican war, seven of the Indian wars and 15,000 of the civil war on the pension rolls.—N. Y. World.

A Sharp Reminder.

Some people never stop to count the cost until the bill collector calls.—Chicago Daily News.

A Soft Snap.

The bite of a toothless dog might be termed a soft snap.

"Better late than never." It is best, however, to be never late about taking Hood's Sarsaparilla to purify your blood. Take it now.

Wise, Sure Enough.

"Pa, why do folks call the owl the bird of wisdom?"

"Because he's got sense enough not to come out and fly around until all boys about your size are in bed."—Indianapolis Journal.

A Hint.

Mr. Homeleigh—Beauty is only skin deep.

Miss Gabby—Why don't you consult a taxidermist?—Baltimore American.

The Appetite of a Goat

Is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose stomach and liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, the wonderful stomach and liver remedy, gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25c. at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! No baking! Simply add a little boiling water and set to cool. Flavors: Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cts.

Many School Children are Sickly.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, break up colds in 24 hours, cure feverishness, headache, stomach troubles, teething disorders and destroy worms. At all druggists, 25c. Sample mailed free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

How Are Your Kidneys?

Dr. Hobbs' Sparagus Pills cure all kidney ills. Sample free. Add. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

One Simple Request.

CURE THAT COLD BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE.

A neglected cold or cough may and probably will kill the sufferer. Is it right, therefore, to neglect it? You can cure it in a very short time by promptly using

Comp. Syrup White Pine and Tar
And KOLD KILLER.

They never fail to relieve in a very short time. Try them.

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ALBERT C. MASON, Druggist.

PUBLIC TELEPHONE STATION.

New Spring Wrappers...

PRICES THE LOWEST.

...AGENT FOR...
Butterick Patterns.

N. C. NYE,
FLETCHER BLOCK.

Prudent Buyers

Are our steady customers, for they readily see the advantage gained by trading at this store. Quality, price and attention go hand in hand. Rich or poor, black or white share alike—with one price, the lowest, and one quality, the highest. It is upon this principle we do business, and it is the reason for making this the busiest store in Franklin and the best place for you to trade. We offer:

Common Crackers, per lb.	5	Fig Bars, lb.	12
Soda Crackers, lb.	6	Oatmeal Crackers	13
Oyster Crackers	7	Butter Thins	14
Ginger Snaps	6	Graham Wafers, package	15
Boss Lunch Milk, 3 lbs.	25	It's a Snap, package	5

SPECIAL:

The popular drink, YE OLD HOME COFFEE, a combination of seven different brands, making a very choice cup of coffee. Sale price 29c., 4 lbs. $1.00.

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Bresnahan Grocery Co.

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WE SELL.....

Atwood's Hamburger Steak * * *

PRICE:
10 cts. lb.

.....Nothing Like it in Franklin.

McKinnon's Grocery Store,
CENTRAL SQUARE.

A HOME...

If you have one you are glad of it; if you haven't one you'll be glad to have one. It is not profitable to pay board,

FOR...

what you pay in that way will go a long way towards paying for the very furniture you are using. Probably you would prefer to select more modern furnishings.

$5.00...

per month will pay for furniture and carpets enough to furnish a modern home with all the necessities and comforts enough to make the ordinary mortal supremely happy. We charge no interest. We only ask your promise to pay a little at a time as you earn it and you have the goods set into your house at once.

The Weeks Furniture Co.,
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Watches, Clocks, Jewelry.

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OPTICAL GOODS
Eyes tested
..And..
Properly fitted.

Jalbert & Farrington,
160 MAIN ST.,
WOONSOCKET, R. I.
Sign of the Electric Clock.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Sabra Morse, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by George W. Wiggin, Charles J. McKenzie and Lester L. Burrington, all of Franklin, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

mh23,30,ap6 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Michael J. McLellan, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Martin J. Lee of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Johanna McLellan, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Martin J. Lee of Franklin, or to some other suitable person,

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JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been duly appointed administratrices of the estate of Joseph G. Ray, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

LYDIA P. RAY,
ANNIE R. THAYER,
Administratrices.

Address: Franklin, Mass.
March 30, 1900. mh30,ap6,13

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West.......... 7.20 A. M.
Providence.......... 7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces.......... 9.30 "
West and South..........12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces.......... 1.25 "
" .... 4.40 "
West and South.......... 5.10 "
Providence.......... 6.40 "
Boston and East.......... 6.40 "
Milford.......... 6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence.......... 9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces.......... 8.45 A. M.
West and South.......... 9.00 "
Milford.......... 9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces..........11.30 M.
West and South.......... 4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces.......... 4.30 "
North, South, East and West.......... 7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

O wad some power the giftie gie us
From grip's stour pains and aches to free us.

THE EDITOR.

The public library was reopened yesterday.

H. M. Bullock is still a severe sufferer with the grip.

The scarlet fever epidemic has fortunately abated.

The J. G. Ray engine company will meet tomorrow evening.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Oakes on Monday.

Griffin court, M. C. O. F., will hold a regular meeting this evening.

C. E. Lane of New York spent Sunday with his uncle, Florist Slade.

Miss Ellen C. Slade has returned from a ten weeks' visit at Worcester.

Thomas McDermott and wife have taken apartments on West street.

Don't forget the King's Daughters' and Sons' entertainment this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Quilter spent Sunday with relatives in Worcester.

Station Agent Judd is out after suffering from a severe attack of the grip.

The road men have been at South Franklin making temporary repairs this week.

The selectmen will probably appoint a liquor officer at their meeting next Friday evening.

The selectmen have appointed E. S. Cook a measurer of wood and surveyor of lumber.

Work on the paper mill started at South Franklin last fall has been suspended at present.

Do not forget the Y P. C. U. social at the Universalist church Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock.

Manager Carter intends to have a strong team in the field this season, trolley league or no trolley league.

Augustus Boucher of Cottage street is putting a new roof on his house, besides getting it ready for the painters.

The Farmers' club meeting arranged to be held with Herbert H. Gates next Monday evening has been postponed.

J. Tourpey and family have removed here from Hyde Park, Mr. Tourpey being engaged as a spinner in the Hayward mill.

The old house on Emmons street, belonging to the estate of the late Joseph Heaton, is undergoing a thorough renovation.

All want the Home for the Aged of Norfolk County in Franklin. Come and help the King's Daughters and Sons tonight

Look at the suit in Carter's window which the W R C. will give at the Easter sale to the person holding the lucky admission ticket.

The Mother's class holds its next meeting this week Friday at the home of Mrs. Chapman, on Dean avenue; topic, "Value of Planning."

Capt. Hazelton, S S. Fiske and H. E. Foster, all former players on the Dean team, will be valuable players on the Tufts college ball nine this season.

Jacob Quilter has resigned his position with the Charles River Woolen company and yesterday began his duties as teamster for the American Woolen Co.

The regular meeting of the selectmen was held in their room Friday evening, with the full board present. Bills were approved and routine matters attended to.

A lecture upon Japanese customs and life, illustrated by many curiosities direct from Japan, will be given Friday night, in the Horace Mann building, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Viquert, with their three children, left today for New York, and will sail this week from that city for Paris, where they will attend the exposition.

John L. Fisher, of City Mills, who has been critically ill, is reported slowly recovering, and his brother, Walter M. Fisher of Franklin is also recovering from pneumonia.

The Savoy orchestra of Providence has been engaged to furnish music for the reception to be given by the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., at the Opera house on Easter Monday evening.

Rev. S. A. Cook goes to annual conference at Fitchburg this week. He received a unanimous recall from the official board of the church and fully expects to return to Franklin another year.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Emily Fisher was held at City Mills yesterday, Rev. I. W. Sneath officiating, assisted by Rev Mr. Rand of Watertown. The interment was in the City Mills cemetery.

It is said that there has been a drop of about 10 per cent. in building materials within a short time past, the cause doubtless being that the extreme high prices had prevented many from building.

Nearly 100 tickets have already been disposed of for the reception to be given by the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H, at the Opera house on Easter Monday evening. There will be a large number of out-of-town guests present.

The next meeting of the Alden club will be at Dean academy chapel next Monday evening, when Mrs. Jennette Robinson Murphy will give her pleasing entertainment. It is an open meeting, and a large audience is expected.

At the M. E. church last Friday evening Mrs. H. R. Jenks rendered a solo in a very pleasing and touching manner. A duet with Mrs. C. L. Stewart was also highly appreciated. Such singing is an unusual treat in regular prayer meeting.

About 75 Italian laborers arrived in town from Boston on Saturday afternoon. They are now being employed on the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket line, which resumed the work of construction this week. The workmen are quartered at Unionville.

The following will explain itself: "Born at East Watertown, to Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Dean a girl:

What pertains to a rubber shoe
Mr. Dean, we thought he knew,
But at the advent of this daughter
His interest takes another quarter."

The Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church will hold its regular meeting in the church parlors tomorrow evening. The social part of the evening will be in charge of a special committee and music and games will make up the program. All members are urged to come and bring their friends.

There are few who will not be glad to see warm weather again. Somebody says that any one who can live through such a wretched winter as this has been, with the sudden changes in temperature, which have rapidly followed one another, can congratulate themselves that they have a tough spot in them somewhere.

Prof. L. I. Blake, who is at the head of the school of electrical engineering in the University of Kansas, has been elected to membership in the American Physical society. This society recently organized in New York city and aims to fill the same position in this country that the Philosophical society does in England.

There was a large gathering of members at the meeting of the Farmers' club held with Warren H. Bright, on Central street, last evening, when a very interesting paper on "Market Gardening and How to Reclaim Exhausted Soil" was read, which was followed by a general discussion of the subject. Refreshments were served at the close.

At the meeting of St. Mary's alumni, held at the convent Sunday afternoon, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Miss Catherine Sheahan; vice president, George Keefe; treasurer, James Murphy; secretary, Miss Anna Kelly. The next monthly social meeting will be held with the president on Friday evening, April 20.

James F. Ray is having the Otis Wales place at South Franklin put in repair, and the premises will be occupied as a milk farm. The place has been unoccupied for many years, since the death of Mr. Wales, and the land used for pasture. The dwelling is a large two-story building, pleasantly situated, and was kept in repair when Mr. Wales lived there.

Bicycle dealers anticipate a large business this year and wheels are coming into town by almost every train. The machine is much lighter, faster and better constructed than five years ago and is sold for half the money. The ruling prices for wheels of good quality range from $35 to $50; good second-hand wheels can be purchased for less than half these prices.

Don't don your spring suits or throw off your winter flannels in anticipation of sweltering heat, for while there are no snow storms immediately in sight, according to the predictions of the weather man, the conditions are favorable to squalls and Old Boreas is likely to get in some of his heavy work before the robins nest again or the green grass and flowers appear.

There is an appearance of business at Unionville in the way of gathering and brushing up the tools used in the street railway construction. The part remaining to be constructed between here and Wrentham Center is easy to build, and once work is begun on it a few weeks only, probably, will be required to complete it. The tools, however, are being sent to Bellingham, where there is also track to be laid.

The Baptist church was filled to overflowing last Sunday evening at the Baptismal service. The pastor gave an earnest and definite sermon on "The Conversion of Children." The ordinance was administered by Rev. F. B. Sleeper and by Rev. A. L. Fraser, pastor of the Baptist church in North Bellingham, the latter baptizing three candidates into the fellowship of his church. The service closed with the beautiful baptismal ritual.

Friday forenoon good entertainment was supplied to a crowd of onlookers by Dennis Sullivan and his load of hay on Depot street. The center of gravity of the load was so far in the rear that it lifted the forward end from the earth. To overcome this it was suggested that the front end of the load be held down by two men on top, which was successful for a moment, until the swaying of the load sideways was enough to land a good part of it and the men in the gutter, and as no one was hurt the crowd enjoyed the free show immensely.

Miss Jane D. Fisher, who was injured a few weeks ago by a fall at her home on Central street, died at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. For a number of years she has been in feeble health and the shock resulting from the fall, in which she sustained a fractured hip, hastened her death. Miss Fisher was 70 years of age and has been a resident of Franklin the greater part of her life. Funeral services were held at her late home at 11 a. m. Monday Rev. I. W. Sneath officiating, assisted by Rev. Mr. Rand of Watertown. Interment in Union street cemetery.

Charles J. McDermott, superintendent of the Colonial Rubber company, died of heart failure last evening at his home on Crescent street after only a few days' illness with the grip, having been taken ill the latter part of last week. Mr. McDermott came here two years ago when the Saylor company was organized, and upon the dissolution of the latter became interested in its successor, the Colonial Rubber company. He was an expert calendar man, and has in the past superintended this class of work in various rubber factories throughout the country. He was about 50 years of age and leaves a widow and two sons.

Charles Atkinson, who takes charge of the almshouse next week, coming from the Weymouth almshouse, has created a breeze there by his unexpected change, and the Boston Herald says: "This action has caused much surprise. Overseers of the Poor Willis and Gardner say that Mr. Atkinson's management has been perfectly satisfactory. The board has of late paid considerable attention to the matter of supplying wood to the outside poor of the town. It is admitted that while the overseers believe that Mr. Atkinson's transactions have been strictly honest, they think he has been careless in his measuring of the wood. William Brown of Hopkinton has been elected to fill the vacancy."

The grip seems to be reaching the proportions of an epidemic. It is the same uncomfortable disease, according to reports, and leaves its victims with a feeling that life is not worth living. They have the consolation that they have plenty of company, as it is present in all parts of the country and has been especially severe in London and Paris. The way to avoid it is to keep toned up and tonics are reported to be in great demand. Some cases are reported to be very severe and the doctors are said to be unusually busy. March weather is evidently the kind that the grip germ enjoys, and the clouds of dust that float about are alarming some people, who think that it is full of disease germs.

Easter eggs for coloring should be boiled hard or blown out by running a hat pin through them and then making the hole in one end larger than the other. Blow through the smallest hole until the egg shell is empty. Eggs may be colored blue by being dipped in blueing. Red eggs may be made by using red ink and purple ones by using purple ink. If an egg does not color well a little gold paint put on to cover bare spots gives a pretty effect. Eggs wrapped in bright calico and boiled make odd Easter eggs. Queer effects are produced by painting faces on the eggs.

A horse belonging to J. C. McInness, who has lately started a milk route in town, ran away this morning shortly before 7 o'clock. The animal, with a wagon containing bottles of milk, started from in front of the postoffice block, went along on the westerly curbing towards Emmons street, and going upon the sidewalk the wagon struck against the fence near Mason's drug store and came within a few feet of striking the plate glass window. Here the body of the wagon was detatched and the horse kept on with the shafts, two forward wheels and whiffletree behind. The animal turned down Emmons street and ran into West street, where he was brought to a stop by John Geb, having suffered no injury. The wagon was badly damaged and a number of bottles containing milk were spilled on Main street.

Will the Resort Change Ownership?

There have been further inquiries lately about Lake Pearl from Boston real estate men, but no change of management or ownership has been reported. It may be remembered that some months ago a project was said to be talked of by which very extensive improvements would be carried out, but the enterprise fell through for some reason. It is understood that the present owner of the property will sell, but as he has expended considerable time and money in developing the property to its present condition, if he sells he naturally wants his cash back as well as something for labor of brain. With the extension of street railway service to the park, which will surely come before long from some company, the place will be much more valuable as a pleasure resort than at present.

Scheduled to Play Sixteen Games.

The Dean academy base ball team, J. H. A. Smith manager, and E. R. Jenness captain, have arranged the following for the coming season:

April—14, English high school, at Franklin; 21, Tech. Sophomores, at Franklin; 28, Groton school, at Groton.

May—2, St. Mark's, at Southboro; 5, Brown Freshman, at Franklin; 9, Tech. Freshman, at Franklin; 12, Tufts second, at Franklin; 16, Phillips Exeter, at Exeter; 19, Providence high school, at Franklin; 23, Brown Sophomores, at Franklin; 26, Roxbury high, at Franklin; 30, Carters, at Franklin.

June—2, Thayer academy; 6, Framingham high; 9, Friends school; 13, Somerville high; all to be played at Franklin.

Big Wool Earnings.

It is figured that the net earnings of the American Woolen company for the first six months of the fiscal year, ending Dec. 31, amounted to $2,600,000. Officials of the American Woolen company estimate that net earnings for the year ending June 30 will amount to $5,000,000 net.

There is $20,000,000 of 7 per cent. preferred stock outstanding, which calls for the annual disbursement of $1,400,000 per annum. There is $29,501,000 of common stock outstanding. Net earnings of $5,000,000, after making provisions for the full year's dividend on the preferred stock, amount to $12.50 per share on the common stock.

Dental Notice.

I have, since the death of my associate, the late Dr. John T. Stetson, disposed of my Boston office. I will devote my entire time to Franklin patients of myself and the late Dr. Stetson. I extend sincere thanks to all who have for so many years held confidence in my ability, assuring them that renewed efforts will be made to merit a continuance of their patronage.

DR. METCALF E. POND.
Franklin, March 23, 1900.

Spring Changes

are about due. You will want new picture frames to brighten up the freshened rooms, and you will want them up to date. The latest styles, in perfect taste, are simple and inexpensive. Many of my new spring mouldings are in and others coming.

CALKIN, Depot St.

Music Hall—Free.

Healey & Bigelow Concert company and Biograph of moving pictures free to adults, commencing tonight, April 3.

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far a possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

To Prevent Mistake.

TO EDITOR SENTINEL:—I read with interest the suggestion of your correspondent in regard to the blowing of a whistle at 9 o'clock for the clearing of the streets of idlers and loafers who are juvenile. But it is possible there is some misapprehension in regard to the by-law passed at the recent town meeting. The by-law has to be sanctioned by the superior court before it can be enforced. When the court has sanctioned it, then the suggestion of your correspondent will be timely. May I not also say I am somewhat surprised to hear there is any quarrel between the Board of Health and the "School Board." I am very sure the Board of Health is not quarreling with anybody. It is simply endeavoring to stamp out scarlet fever in mode made proper by the law, and to do this with as little inconvenience to anyone as is consistent with thoroughness and success. D. M. H.

MR. EDITOR:—One of the reasons urged by the friends of Officer Nickerson for reappointment is that there is no other available man for the place. Are our selectmen less able than our overseers? When they wanted a new man at the Town farm they hustled out and found him. Is not that course open to the selectmen? There is one other thought. If Mr. Nickerson should receive the appointment as being the only man, and anything should happen to him, what a condition we would be in, to be sure! Sickness is among us; death is in our midst. Should Mr. Nickerson be taken away would the town be left the remainder of the year at the mercy of the illegal liquor seller, who, as everyone knows, has had altogether too much latitude the past year, if the no-license votes mean anything?

SUPPRESSION.

Interesting Facts

Out of 73 deaths recorded last year 21 lived to the age of more than 75 years, and nearly all of them passed the age of 80. Many of the others were past the age of 50, and only three or four are recorded between the age of 20 and 40, which indicates a good chance of long life in Franklin for the man that has reached the age of 25. Contrary to the prevailing idea, the month of August shows the largest death roll of any of the months, January and December averaging about the same each, but not as many as August. The births registered numbered 127, showing a large per cent. of increase in population as compared with the death roll of 73. Estimating from the condition of business, the removals from town and the new arrivals, the latter would probably show a gain over the former, so that the coming census is expected to show an increase over 1895.

In War Time.

When the civil war began Franklin's chief means of reaching the outside world was via three trains a day on the railroad to Boston, one about 7 and one about 9 a. m., and a freight with a passenger car attached in the afternoon. This afternoon train was not remarkable for speed. Sometimes it was two hours on the way, sometimes three and sometimes more. It returned in the forenoon at about the same rate of speed. The two passenger trains coming from Boston in the afternoon made good time for those days, an hour and twenty or thirty minutes. The few daily newspapers that were taken in town came on the afternoon train, arriving here a little before 5 p. m. After the rebellion began, of course, there was great interest in getting the latest news at the earliest possible moment. There was no telegraph in town and arrangements were made to have a copy of a later edition of a Boston paper sent out on the last train, arriving at 7 p. m., and for the public good the latest news was read aloud at the store of A. R. Russegue. Day after day, six days in the week, for months at the regular time the store would be crowded with citizens hungering for news from the front. Very few who listened did not have a personal as well as general and patriotic interest in what was going on at the battlefields of the south.—Woonsocket Reporter.

Card of Thanks.

To all who were so kind to Miss Jane D. Fisher, especially during her last illness, and assisted so generously at her funeral, we extend our sincere thanks.

O. D. POND,
M. E. POND.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

A nice reserved seat for ladies and escort at the Concert in Music hall all this week. Free.

JOHN HENRY JENKINS,

WHO WAS ER SEE-LECK-MAN.

When yer git ter talkin' 'bout yer red-hot politics,
Yer wire pullin' hosses 'n th' job they try ter fix,
Th' party lines 'n' policies, 'n' platforms long 'n' deep,
With th' solemn promises they don't intend ter keep,
I'd like ter take yer 'long a me to a place I know
'N' see an' ol' town meetin' a, they had 'em years ago.
Issues didn't sound so big, no bilferlootin' wurds,
'Propriatin' money fer th' school house 'n' th' ruds;
Hottest time they ever had, er praps they can,
Wuz when John Henry Jenkins got to be er see-leck-man.

Fer years 'n' years he'd told 'em jest how things should be done,
How ter build ther bridges 'n' how th' town should run;
No odds whether in th' field a leanin' on his hoe
Er in the cross-ruds store, where th' farmers used ter go,
He'd set 'n' preach economy ter keep th' taxes down
'N' hold a rattlin' argument with any body roun';
He used ter take more papers than most any body there,
'N' runnin' a town ter him wuz plain as light 'n' air.
People get ter takin' stock 'n' finally they ran
This same John Henry Jenkins fer ter be a seeleck man.

Got elected sure enough, 'n' started in ter show
Fellers in before him lots er things they didn't know.
Ruds were never quite so rough as when be run the town,
'N' most ev'rywhere yer'd go yer'd find th' bridges down;
Taxes went up quite er lot, 'n' ev'rybody knew
Jinkins' term in public life was purty nearly thro';
Had er lot er argument that rounded kinder thin,
But all his talk warn't good enough ter put him in agin;
He found th' job he thought so small more'n he could stan',
Th' wise John Henry Jinkins, who wuz er seeleck-man.

Ev'rywhere its jest th' same, tho' on er bigger scale,
People who talk th' loudest er th' very ones ter fail;
Criticisin' public men, 'n' telling things they know,
How they'd handle all the strings if they could have er show.
Think it's tarnal easy fer ter run th' ship uv state;
Ter plunge th' country inter war they wouldn't hesitate,
'N' them that allers know so well how to steer th' boat
Seldom git up interest ter go'n cast er vote.
Wish them that allers know it could only understan',
Jest like John Henry Jinkins, who was a seeleck-man.

—Boston Herald.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

To Rent.—Cottage of five rooms on line of electrics. Annabelle Lewis Woodward. 3*

Wanted—Girl for general housework, good wages to right party. W. Fairfield, 12 East street 16 tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

A few cords of dry walnut wood; also oak, chestnut and pine dry under sheds, at Allen's wood yard.

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

To Rent.—Upstairs tenement; four rooms; near Slade's greenhouse, Central street; rent reasonable. Ellen Mason. 3,6*

Wanted—A girl for general housework; no washing, no ironing. Also nurse girl. For particulars apply to Box F, Franklin, Mass. 3,6

Wanted—A capable girl for general housework. Good wages. Apply at once to Mrs. Charles Stewart, Central street. 3,6

Sewing machine needles, oil and supplies for all machines. Worn out parts replaced with new. L. P. Faxon, 8 Pleasant street.

Are you thinking of buying a sewing machine? If so, you should see the Household, which is a high grade machine at a low price. L. P. Faxon, agent.

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. See Chas. H. Prince, SENTINEL Office.

Potted plants and cut flowers; all kinds of funeral work made up; special rates for all societies in town. Slade's Greenhouse, Central street, Franklin, Mass. P. O. Box 179. 2T

Ochee, the barber, will call at the house to do shampooing. Drop a postal to box 210 or call at his shop.

If you want to have a good laugh go to Music hall any night this week. Free to adults.

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

TUESDAY, APRIL 3, 1900.

An Enterprising Girl.

The Baltimore Herald finds a girl who is up with the times, along with the automobiles: "A girl who is making a venture in the right direction is one who proposes opening an old-fashioned country inn in a popular mountain district. 'I am sure,' she says, 'that the automobile will create a demand for such places. People will begin to travel as they used to do in the days of the stage coach, and of course they will need places at which to stop for the night. They will not care about going to regular hotels, even if such places were to be found in the country. So I am going to make my place as much as possible like the inns we read about in old novels and run across once in a great while when traveling in England. I am going to have old-fashioned high bedsteads, with dimity valances, etc., but I'm going to be sure that they are comfortable, even if I have to put in wire springs, and my floors will be sanded and rush covered, and the chimneys will have great open fireplaces, in which there will be big, roaring fires. Mark my word for it, the automobile will open a new field for women—real, womanly women, who know how to raise poultry, keep a good table and an immaculate house.'"

J. Eads How, of St. Louis, who has refused to accept $1,00[illegible],00[illegible] inherited from his relatives because he has not earned it by his own labors, has given $2,000 to be expended "for the public welfare." This represents the interest on a sum he keeps in bank to enable him to prosecute his work of relieving distress among the poorer classes. It is "unearned increment," he says, and, therefore, he refuses to use it himself. As a matter of fact, it is very seldom that he spends any money on his own account. He left his mansion in Lindell boulevard to live among the poorest classes in St. Louis. He conducts the Mission home at Ninth and Washington streets. One room and a kitchen constitute his home. He is a nephew of the late James B. Eads, who built the bridge across the Mississippi river at St. Louis. He was educated at an eastern college, and while traveling afterward in Europe conceived the idea of devoting his life to the poor.

Miles McMullin, of St. Albans, Vt., who claims to be [illegible] years of age, was in Fair Haven one day recently, reports the Era, of that town. The old gentleman is of French and English [illegible] looks as though about 7[illegible] years ha[illegible] over his head. Mr. McMullin says [illegible] shaking the hand of George Washington when he was president, and that he has grasped the hand of every president of the United States since that time. He was wearing a coat which was given him by President McKinley when he was at Bluff Point last summer. The old man is bright and spry.

A newly married couple in New Brunswick, N. J., circumvented their mischievous friends by starting on their wedding journey by way of the roof. The friends, well supplied with rice and old slippers, stood at the foot of the stairs. The pair ascended to the roof, walked to the adjoining house, then down and through the rear door to a back street, where they entered a waiting carriage and were driven to the railway station.

Our world contains, we are told, about 52,[illegible]00,000 square miles of land surface, owned by some 60 different peoples. First on the list comes England, who has over 11,000,000 for her share. Next, we have Russia, with 8,[illegible]00,000 and more; then China, followed closely by France, and fifth, the United States, which, without the Philippines, counts 3,6[illegible]9,630 in square miles.

RECORD OF THE PAST

No Stronger Evidence Can Be Had.

Look well to their record. What they have done many times in years gone by, is the best guarantee of future results. Anyone with a bad back; any reader suffering from urinary troubles, from any kidney ills, will find in the following evidence proof that relief and cure is near at hand:

Mr. Patrick O. Dwyer, mason, of 62 White street, New Haven, Conn, says: "In 1896 when Doan's Kidney Pills cured me of backache which always bothered me when I caught cold, which hurt me when I stooped, or straightened after stooping, which refused to disappear under treatment of different medicines, I was only too pleased to let the people of New Haven know the fact through our newspapers. Three years from that date, or in the month of May, 1899, I just as ardently recommend Doan's Kidney Pills as I did when they effected the cure mentioned above. My advice to anyone suffering from kidney complaint is, call at a drug store, procure Doan's Kidney Pills, take them as directed, and you will be surprised at the results."

Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale by all dealers, price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name—Doan's—and t[illegible]

VENDETTAS OF THE PRESENT.

They Differ But Slightly from the Sanguinary Feuds of Other Days.

It is through lack of information that the vendetta is referred to to-day as an institution of the past. Vendettas—blood feuds—exist to-day not only in Sicily, Sardinia and Corsica, but in Kentucky and other of the southern and western states, and also at times in England, Ireland and France, Italy and the east, says the New York World.

It has happened recently that an Albanian whose relative had been killed by a Turkish vizier shot the vizier's son—which is at least a partial exemplification of the vendetta. In Arabia the system is to-day in full operation, a fact which is so well understood that offenses sufficient to start a train of killings are rarely committed, and a considerable degree of order is thereby preserved.

As it is generally understood the vendetta originated in the following practice: An assassin was never allowed to escape. The responsibility of punishment was assumed by the nearest blood relations of his victim. There must be blood for blood, a death for a death.

Feminine Financiering.

That women are the best financiers of the world we have often had opportunity to acknowledge, says the Honolulu Independent. We have seen them at the auction sales when they made a "bargain" by buying an article they had no use for whatever, and we have seen them haggling over the price of cheap calico for a reduction in price of one cent a yard, and then triumphantly carrying their purchase to a fashionable dressmaker and paying her ten dollars for a "morning" dress. This morning we could not help smiling while watching a lady credited with possessing good business sense buying "Chinese birds" on board a mail steamer, haggling over the price of the birds and beating down the seller of seven fine specimens by 50 cents of the original price. In the meantime her hack was waiting, and the driver "charging." She made her bargain, saved 50 cents on the birds and paid the hackman one dollar for waiting. That is female financiering.

Filled the Requirement.

A primary teacher was hearing a recitation in grammar, and the class was composed largely of the smaller students. The teacher wrote the three words: "Bees, bear, boys," on the board and asked the pupils to write a sentence containing the three words. She was quite taken back a few minutes later when one of the bright boys in the class handed in the following: "Boys bees bear when they go in swim[illegible]."

Determining Status.

The Fool—I know that, I'm not worthy of you, my dear.

The Fairy—Remember that, Harold, and my married life is sure to be happy.—N. Y. Journal.

When Pa Firs' Et Tobasco Sauce.

When pa firs' et tabasco sauce—I'm smilin' 'bout it yet,
Although his subsekent remarks I always shall regret.
We'd come to town to see the sights, an' pa remarked to me:
"We'll eat at a bong tong 'hotel an' sling some style," says he
An' then he sort o' cast his eye among the plates an' all,
An' says: "That ketchup mus' be good, the bottle is so small:"
An' then he took a piece o' meat an' covered it quite thick,
When pa firs' et tabasco sauce an' rose to make his kick.

It all comes back so plain to me; I rikcollect it well;
He just was talkin' mild an' calm, an' then he give a yell
An' tried to cave the ceilin' by buttin' with his head,
"Er-hooh! Er-hooh! Fire! Murder! Hooh!" I can't tell all he said.
But when they heard his heated words six women lef' the room,
An' said such language filled their soul with shame, an' also gloom;
But pa, he only gurgled some, and then he yelled again,
When firs' he et tabasco sauce an' told about it then.

We laid him out upon a board an' fanned him quite awhile,
An' pa, he sort o' gasped at first an' then he tried to smile,
An' says: "Just heat a poker now, an' run it down my neck,
I want to cool off gradual, it's better I ex pect."
But when he got me out o' doors, he says "I want to get
That there blame ketchup recipe an' learn jus' how it's het,
So I can try it on the boys when you an' me git hum,
Till they, too, think the condiment is mixed with Kingdom Come."
—San Francisco Examiner.

The Man Behind the Gun.

They say that life's a battle, lad, I think you'll find it true;
The same old conflict rages, though the weapons may be new;
But in every kind of warfare that is waged beneath the sun,
The contest is decided by the man behind the gun.

There are many hidden dangers that a soldier never sees—
Blind batteries to blast you, and sharpshooters in the trees;
And whether you will falter, or the foe will have to run,
Will depend upon the mettle of the man behind the gun.

There will come supremest moments in the battle for the right,
When the deck is cleared for action, and the foe is just in sight;
Then, oh then, you must be ready; for Manilas are not won
When a sluggard or a coward is the man behind the gun.

What though the foe grows boastful, and counts up his array
Of armies and of battleships to fill you with dismay—
Keep up your target practice—vict'ry's certain as the sun!
For it's not the heavy cannon—it's the man behind the gun!
—Alice Rollit Coe, in Youth's Companion.

When the Cold Days Come.

We use to rail at winter, with its ice, an' sleet and snow,
An' heave a sigh for summer when we heard the blizzard blow;
But now we've thought it over, an' the growlers they are dumb,
An' we'll all shout hallelula when the
Cold
Days
Come!

Fact is, we're fond o' blizzards, fer sartainly they beat
The burnin' breath o' summer, when the skies are cracked with heat!
We allus favored icicles (would give the worl' fer some!)
An' we'll all shout hallelula when the
Cold
Days
Come!

Oh, come along, gray winter, an' wrap the worl' in white!
We'll tune the fiddles for you where the fire's burnin' bright.
We use to call you cruel, but the growlers now are dumb,
An' we'll have a jubilation when the
Cold
Days
Come!
—F. L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.

He Stooped to Conquer.

He stooped and picked a handkerchief
Up from the floor near where she stood
And bowing said "Permit me," in
The bravest, courtliest way he could.

The maiden blushed and sweetly said:
"It is not mine"—he knew 'twas not!
The dainty thing he offered her
Was one that he himself had bought.

But there they stood and wondered who
Might be its owner, and before
They parted talked of much besides
What he had found upon the floor.

* * * * *

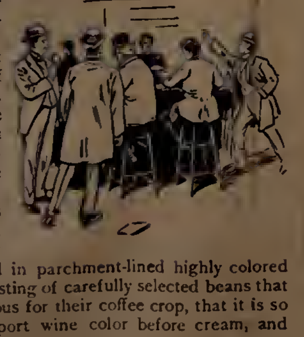
They walk in pleasant ways to-day;
Of all mankind she loves him best;
The handkerchief is locked away,
One secret still is in his breast.
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

Not a Friend.

Mr. Northside—Who was that friend you had with you this afternoon?

Mr. Shadyside—That wasn't a friend. That was my father-in-law.—Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.

FIVE MINUTES FOR REFRESHMENT.



We all know how little refreshment is usually obtained in the traditional five minutes.

It is often better not to try to get anything to eat, and so save yourself useless wear and tear on your nerves.

But if you can get a cup of Chase & Sanborn's Seal Brand Coffee you can get in five minutes what will refresh and invigorate you for five hours.

It is because Chase & Sanborn's Coffee is absolutely unadulterated. The Seal Brand as well as their other high grade Coffees which are packed in parchment-lined highly colored imported bags is all pure coffee, consisting of carefully selected beans that have been raised on plantations, famous for their coffee crop, that it is so delicious. The kind that is deep port wine color before cream, and golden after cream.

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Household Frugality.

Mrs. Younghusband—Do you notice any difference in the milk, dear?

Mr. Younghusband—I should say so this is a much better quality than we have been getting lately.

Mrs. Younghusband—Indeed it is. I got it of a new man, who said he would guarantee it to be perfectly pure, so I got enough to last for a couple of weeks.—Chicago Daily News.

He Knew That One.

A little fellow who has not, as yet, succeeded in learning the name of the three daily meals, came down to breakfast the other morning, when his mamma said:

"Well, Rollo, what meal is this?"

"Oatmeal," was the confident reply.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Treacherous.

Mr. Broadstairs—I have 300 hens on my place.

Young Quigley (solemnly) — Well, you want to look out for them.

Mr. Broadstairs (astonished)—Look out for them! Why?

Young Quigley (still solemnly)—Because they are laying for you.—N. Y. World.

Do not leave home on a journey without a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. It is almost certain to be needed and cannot be procured while you are on board the cars or steamship. It is pleasant, safe and reliable. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

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A Ringing Voice.

A merry ring has Roland's voice,
That makes her maiden heart rejoice
And blushes to her cheek can bring;
But yet I've heard her shyly own
That it would have a sweeter tone
Had it the true engagement ring
—Judge.

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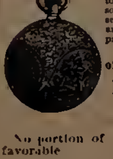

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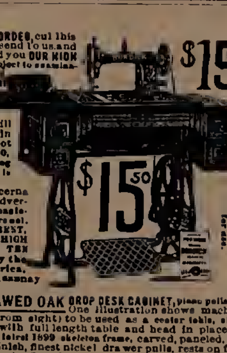

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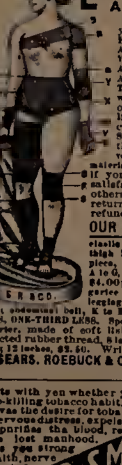

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A POET'S BREAKFAST.

MARIE BRONSON signaled the coachman to stop.

"Miss Marie," said her governess, severely, "what is your intention?"

"A harmless intention, mademoiselle. I want to walk over the bridge."

"Walk over the bridge, Miss Marie? But is it customary?"

"It appears to be customary for some folks to do so, judging from the procession we see, dear mademoiselle. Now, don't forbid me! Only fancy, I have ridden over this bridge all the days of my life—every time I have come downtown from home. And never once have I set foot upon its planks. Come, get out, mademoiselle! Let us play that we are going to work and have little tin pails on our arms. It will be great fun."

"I am quite sure your mamma would not like it, Miss Marie."

"Mamma? Well, to tell the truth, mademoiselle, though perhaps I ought not to do so, dear mamma used to walk over this bridge every day in her girlhood. She was not rich then. She had a great deal more fun than I have, I think."

Mlle. Baron shook her head disapprovingly, but had no choice but to leave the carriage with her young mistress. It was early morning and the State street bridge was thronged with men and women hastening to their tasks. They made an almost compact body, and the impetus of their movement was irresistible. They pushed along with an eagerness and impatience characteristic of the most restless and hard-working city in the world.

When Marie Bronson felt herself a part of the throng and found herself elbowed by hustling men who paid no regard to her dainty personality, and when the smoke of a tug submerged the bridge in its foul gloom and the bell of the bridge keeper warned the crowd that it must hurry yet faster if it did not wish to be suspended over the ill-smelling river, she had a feeling of distinct amusement. The whole stress and fume seemed a sort of a joke to her, and she wished that she might be thrown upon her own resources for once and have a chance to put her abilities to the test. Mlle. le Baron, however, was not amused. Her face wore a look of protest and fright, and at every other step she summoned Thomas, the driver, to keep close.

Miss Marie walked as slowly as the crowd would permit. She was looking with frank and warm interest into the faces of the persons who passed her—persons who looked likable, many of them, but about whose lives she knew nothing, and whose feelings she fancied she would find it difficult to understand. So, scrutinizing the passers-by, she gazed with astonishment into a face she knew—the face of Selfridge Ames. He had also amused Miss Marie, because he chose not to do the things which were expected of the young men of his class, but to live a bohemian existence, amid heaven knows what surroundings, and to declare with perfect nonchalance that he intended to be a poet. The impertinence of the announcement had always touched Marie's risibilities.

"Why, how do you do?" she cried, holding out her hand. "I never see you any more, Mr. Ames."

The crowd swept her impatiently aside, and she laughed at the jostling.

"I must turn and walk with you, Miss Bronson, if we are to speak together," returned the young man.

They were pushed into the procession of hurrying work people, and ran along together, laughing, to the scandal of mademoiselle, who made yet more frantic gestures to the coachman to keep close at hand.

"What is the reason none of your old friends ever see you nowadays?"

"I hear that my old friends laugh at me."

Marie blushed. "Yes," she confessed, "but they like you none the less. But you know it seems so silly for anyone in Chicago to write poetry."

"Time was when Bristol was as dirty and as commercial as Chicago. Yet a poet wrote there."

"I have also heard that he starved."

"But I'm not starving. I am going to my breakfast now."

"I breakfasted an hour ago."

"You are fortunate. I make breakfast last till dinner."

"Then you must really be a poet."

"Some of the reviews have been saying so."

"How egotistical you are! But I don't mind. I will even encourage your vanity by admitting that I have read both of your books."

"I hope you liked them?"

"I thought them beautiful. I didn't see where you found all that beauty, living here in this awful city."

"The fact that it is awful gives me something to write about. It is the passion of it that thrills me."

"I know. I try to feel that way, too, and I have come nearer to doing it the last few minutes than I ever did before in my life."

"I am sorry to leave you, but this is where I breakfast."

"What? Not in that little place? But it is clean."

"Clean enough. Cleaner than many finer places."

"Do you know what I am going to do?"

"I haven't an idea."

"I am going to breakfast with you. I am hungry. We had a horrid breakfast at home. I could eat nothing."

"Miss Marie!" shrilled mademoiselle, in alarm, "you are not going in that terrible place!"

"Indeed, yes, mademoiselle, and you also. If it is good enough for my friend it is good enough for me, is it not?"

"But, Miss Marie, with a young man!"

"Is it not nice that he is young, mademoiselle?"

"I thought you were proud," murmured Selfridge. "I have been dreaming of you desolately and writing verses to you which I did not send."

"Had you no postage, then?"

"I had no courage."

"How absurd! Have you forgotten the motto of your city?"

"Miss Pearson! You tell me there is no need for the discouragement I have been feeling?"

"Tut! Do not talk about discouraging. Consult the menu. What are we to eat? Red hots? It would be adorable to have red hots."

"Mon Dieu!" gasped mademoiselle.

"You see that man over there? He plays the cornet at the Grand. He is a wonderful cornetist and the pleasantest fellow! We often take our breakfast together."

"Do not ask him now. Who is that man with red hair?"

"He? He is nobody, but he is dying of love for somebody who is somebody. It is a romance. I shall tell it to you some day."

"Your world seems to be full of romances."

"Everybody's world is. It is my profession to notice it. I suppose it is your vocation to make the romance."

"I have made none. I never do anything but tease mademoiselle, and that is not exciting, because she really does not care as much as she pretends. Isn't the coffee amazingly bad? It seems bohemian to drink such vile coffee."

"Then you do not intend to laugh at me always because—because I am a fool?"

"No one laughs at the troubadours."

"Thank you. Are you to be my great patron?"

"The great patrons always had rich, fat, old husbands who bored them, so I shall not be your patron. I would rather be your friend."

"Then I may send you the verses that I wrote to you?"

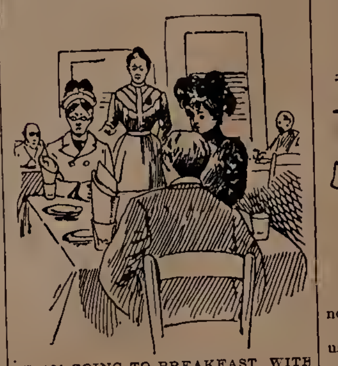
"I can't imagine what else you would do with them. I suppose no one would publish them."

"Eh?"

"Forgive me. I like to tease, you know."

"What are we to do now that breakfast is over?"

"Nothing. I see that mademoiselle has settled our account. That was thoughtful of her."



"I AM GOING TO BREAKFAST WITH YOU."

"But you told her to."

"I swear I did not!"

"I am not so poor I cannot pay for breakfast for my friends."

"I'll wager you are! I'll wager that you are so poor you will not even find stamps to send me those verses by the ten o'clock mail!"

"You will lose!"

"I shall be miserable if I gain!"

"Miss Marie, what are you saying? I cannot follow you," complained the poor French lady, adjusting her glasses with a trembling hand.

"Do not try to follow me, mademoiselle, except to the carriage. How patient Thomas looks! I like his expression, do not you, Mr. Ames? Now, remember you have had one meal, and you are not to take another till seven. If you ate more you might forget how to write, and that would be terrible. Shall I see you at seven at our house at dinner? Mamma will telephone you an invitation if you will only tell me where you can be reached."

He wrote a number on a card.

"It is a public telephone. I shall be there at one."

"Good-by."

"What a beautiful breakfast it has been. Good-by."

"Mademoiselle, is it not fascinating to eat red hots?"

"Miss Marie, you are incorrigible."

"No, no, dear mademoiselle—not incorrigible, only happy. Let us hasten through with our errands, so I can go home and tell mamma. She will enjoy it. She loved bohemia herself when she was young."

"But this was not bohemia."

"No? Call it the suburbs of bohemia, then. But it is the nearest I have ever been to it."—Chicago Tribune.

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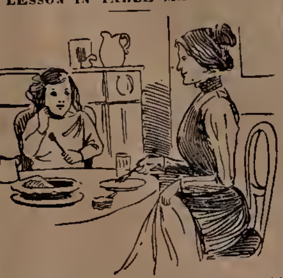

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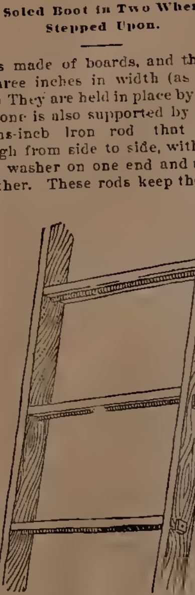

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Horses That Sleep Standing.

It is not generally known that at least four out of every ten horses do not lie down to sleep. The horse that sleeps in a standing position rests one leg at a time, depending on the other three to sustain the weight of his body. The habit is a very dangerous one. Only a short time since a fine horse in the stables of a big manufacturing concern went to sleep while standing in his stall fell heavily to the floor, breaking one of his legs. A great many horses are permanently injured as a result of accidents of this nature, and there is no way of curing them of the habit.—Boston Globe.

Chances of Army Promotion.

The opportunity for the coming soldier to secure commissioned rank has been greater in the last 12 months than at any previous time in the history of the army, and more from this class have been appointed than in 15 years. It is proposed to still further recognize men from the ranks in making appointments to vacancies which now exist, so it can no longer be claimed the man who now enrolls in the ranks has not a fair chance of being a commissioned officer if he is bright enough to meet the examination requirements.—Chicago Chronicle.

Showing Him Around.

Smythe was showing a friend around his new suburban residence.

"What is that?" inquired the friend.

"That? Oh, that's the cowshed."

"And that?"

"The woodshed."

"And that?"

"The bloodshed."

"What?"

"Yes, that's where we kill our chickens."—Chicago Evening News.

Exasperating.

Quinn—When women imagine themselves wits they are a menace to the community.

DeFonte—You must have met some of late.

Quinn—Yes, my wife. She asked me if a sea horse was in any way related to a bay mare.—Chicago Daily News.

One Dose

Tells the story. When your head aches, and you feel bilious, constipated, and out of tune, with your stomach sour and no appetite, just buy a package of

Hood's Pills

And take a dose, from 1 to 4 pills. You will be surprised at how easily they will do their work, cure your headache and biliousness, rouse the liver and make you feel happy again. 25 cents. Sold by all medicine dealers.

WRENTHAM.

Dr. Nathaniel Ware Hawes, the well known Newbury street dentist, died Sunday at his residence at "Hawes Lawn," East street, from a complication of diseases brought on by a severe attack of the grippe, which he contracted three weeks ago. Dr. Hawes was born in this town in August, 1838, his parents being Benjamin and Elizabeth Hawes. He was a professor at the Harvard Dental school and received his degree from there. He was twice married. He was a member of St. Albans lodge, A. F. & A. M., of Foxboro. The funeral will be held from her late residence Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.——The Fish and Game association of North Attleboro have leased a tract of land of Chauncey G. Fuller, built a dam and flooded a number of acres. Friday they liberated 1,000 quarter pound trout and the pond is to be closed for three years. A number of pheasant have also been liberated, with 300 quail, most of the latter in this part of the town.——Mr. and Mrs. D. Mora, with their two sons, Louis and Joe, are guests at the Chamberlin's.——Friday night Charles S. Ruggles celebrated his birthday with a party given to the Kipling club at his home on Taunton street. Whist was one of the leading attractions, Miss Mabel Dean winning the first prize, a vase, and D. S. Farrington a silver smelling bottle; Mrs. Sallie Rowells and F. J. Ruggles won the consolation prizes. After an elaborate lunch Miss Mary Stone read an article on the history of the club, Mrs. M. A. Smith a poem and Mr. Rowells, the secretary and treasurer, presented the annual dues in attractive form.——Schools closed in town Friday.——In the recent forest fire Charles E. Wilkinson lost 300 cords of wood.——F. A. Shepard and family have returned from Milford, where Mrs. Shepard has been for nearly a month.

SHELDONVILLE.

C. E. Thomas has purchased a new Pierce wheel.

Charles Nash will move this week into his new home on Arnold street.

Alpha Nash of Everett has returned home after spending a week with relatives here.

Rev. E. E. Harris will shortly move his family to Still River, where he has taken the pastorate.

Mrs. Jennie Follett of Plainville, who has been ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. G. S. Sheldon, of this place is improving very slowly.

Comets.

No comet, so far as is known, has ever come in contact with the earth or mingled its substance with our atmosphere. The nearest approach ever observed was the comet of 1770, which approached to within 1,400,000 miles of our planet.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

In New York State.

"I thought you said Mame had auburn hair?"

"She has."

"You must be color blind. Why, it's decidedly blonde."

"What of that? She bought it in Auburn."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

"A Penny Saved Is a Penny Earned."

Economy is the lesson taught by this saying. It is true economy to take Hood's Sarsaparilla at this season because it purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood and thus prevents sickness an puts the whole system in a state of health for the coming season. Every bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla contains 100 doses—positive proof that it is economy to take only Hood's.

Constipation is cured by Hood's Pills. 25c.

To Cure Constipation Forever.

Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

An Unfortunate Blunder.

Mrs. D'Avnoo—Oh, the awfullest thing has happened! Clara de Style, who never could deign to look at anyone in trade, has just discovered that the man she has married is a dry goods clerk.

Mrs. D'Fashion—Horrors! I should think she might have found him out by his talk.

Mrs. D'Avnoo—That's just how the poor girl was deceived. He never seemed to know anything about anything, and she supposed of course he was a millionaire's son.—N. Y. Weekly.

At a Disadvantage.

Mamma—Now, Bobbie, when we go to church you must behave like a man.

Bobbie—But I can't snore, mamma.—N. Y. World.

THE WHEELS OF TIME...

Bring around another spring with its wealth of mild air, warm sunshine, glad voices and good babies. We have prepared for the situation in your behalf. Our floor is covered with

THE WHEELS OF BABY CARRIAGES

that run as silently as the wheels of Time. Rubber tires and the best of workmanship bring the result. We have adopted a patent wheel fastener this year which we will warrant safe, sure and durable. You require no wrench—often lost. No nuts to drop—always only. You get no gum on the outside to soil your skirts. Best of all, no trouble or expense goes with it. Just a click and the wheel is secure with nothing extra to pay.

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Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

All the blood in your body passes through your kidneys once every three minutes.

The kidneys are your blood purifiers, they filter out the waste or impurities in the blood.

If they are sick or out of order, they fail to do their work.

Pains, aches and rheumatism come from excess of uric acid in the blood, due to neglected kidney trouble.

Kidney trouble causes quick or unsteady heart beats, and makes one feel as though they had heart trouble, because the heart is over-working in pumping thick, kidney-poisoned blood through veins and arteries.

It used to be considered that only urinary troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all constitutional diseases have their beginning in kidney trouble.

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root**, the great kidney remedy is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Home of Swamp-Root.

A Diplomat.

She—If a woman were to ask you how old you thought she was, what would you tell her?

He—A lie, of course.—Detroit Free Press.

Ornithology.

The mocking bird isn't a parrot, but the parrot is a mocking bird.—Chicago Daily News.

A Fair Designer.

Scheming for an engagement ring is a design in jewelry.—Chicago Daily News.

$225 New Upright PIANOS.

Not Ivers & Pond. $10 down and $6 per month. These pianos represent the best possible value for $225, and appeal strongly to economical buyers. They can be exchanged at any time at a liberal valuation for our beautiful new Ivers & Pond Uprights. It will pay you to write us if you cannot call.

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Rather tramp than treadle?

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There is no regret for you to follow the purchase of the bicycle, only pleasure—unless you buy the wrong kind.

There is always a leader to every procession, and the leader of the bicycle procession is the

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BREAKING UP ARMOR PLATE.

A Ton of Dynamite a Week Used in the Process by a Skilled Operator.

Up in the ravine a half mile from Monocacy, Pa., is where they use a ton of dynamite every week in an armor plate graveyard. Steel armor plate that fails to pass government inspection is sent to be broken into fragments to be returned to the smelters at the mills.

The noise of the process may be heard 15 miles away. Operations are directed by Caleb Bland. He has 40 men at work, 20 who drill holes in the armor plate by night, and 20 who do nothing but explode dynamite by electricity during the day.

As many as 40 holes are drilled in a single steel plate. These holes are filled with dynamite, which is fired by wire, one shot after another, reminding one of the roar of artillery or the thunder of battleships in action. This is kept up all day.

They use the finest diamond drills, and the men engaged in the business have been doing little else for a long time. The workmen use four tons of dynamite every month, and yet accidents are rare. The plates are shipped by rail to the Monocacy ravine, and when they are broken into bits are sent back again. They also blast into fragments large condemned cannons from gun works, forts and ships.

The terrific firing begins about eight o'clock every morning and continues until well on in the afternoon. The drilling is done by night, so that they can fire during the day and not keep anyone from sleep. The only complaints they now have are from some new men on the night shift who cannot sleep in the day. Said one of the bosses:

"Our old men who work at night can sleep in the day quite well, no matter how much noise we make. They are used to it. Those men can sleep during the most terrific explosions. The women folks for miles around attend to their household work, not at all minding the roar of the exploding dynamite. They are accustomed to it. The children go to school and study their lessons, but are not disturbed. It is just as if they were studying near the firing line of an army every school day. They don't mind it. Strangers coming along hold their ears and leave in terror. If they'd stop awhile they'd get used to it.

"No, we have no complaints from our men about injured eardrums. Some wear cotton in their ears, but not many.

"We can fire a hundred shots by electricity very fast, nearly one a second, if it is necessary. You can imagine it requires a good many shots to use up a ton of dynamite in six working days. We have the best of appliances to prevent the scattering of fine iron or steel in the air and to avoid damages resulting from flying fragments."—N. Y. Sun.

Where the Profit Comes In.

Customer—So you sell these watches at ten shillings each. It must cost that to manufacture them.

Jeweler—It does.

Customer—Then how do you make any money?

Jeweler—Repairing 'em.—Tit-Bits.

No Excitement.

Rooter (before football game begins)—I hope it won't rain.

Hooter—It would spoil the game, wouldn't it?

Rooter—You bet it would! Why, when the ground is soft hardly anyone gets knocked out!—Town Topics.

But Etiquette Forbids.

Smithson—That confounded dog of yours howls every time my daughter plays the piano.

Brownley—I don't blame him. I often feel like howling myself when I hear her.—N. Y. Journal.

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Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

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Dr. Hobbs' Sparagus Pills cure all kidney ills. Sample free. Add Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

Close and Sweet.

Lecturer—The acoustics of your hall are very bad, sir.

Proprietor—No! sir. They're all right. It was the soap factory you smelt.—Brooklyn Eagle.

If it isn't an Eastman, it isn't a Kodak.

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Load in Daylight with Film Cartridges for two, six or twelve exposures, as desired. For work at home then, as well as for one's outings, the Kodak becomes more convenient than the glass plate camera.

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They never fail to relieve in a very short time. Try them.

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One Car of White Sponge Haxall Flour. Per bbl., $4.50. 24 1-2 lb. Paper Sack, 60c.

Best Pastry Flour per bbl. $4.00. A 24 1-2 lb. Paper Sack for 50 cents.

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per month will pay for furniture and carpets enough to furnish a modern home with all the necessities and comforts enough to make the ordinary mortal supremely happy. We charge no interest. We only ask your promise to pay a little at a time as you earn it and you have the goods set into your house at once.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, ss.

FRANKLIN, January 25, A. D. 1900.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

FRIDAY, the TWENTIETH day of APRIL, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse block, in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Lawrence McGinnis of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment on levy on execution) on the ninth day of September, 1899, at thirty minutes past eleven o'clock in the forenoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process in suit of Samuel G. Clark vs. said Lawrence McGinnis), in and to the following real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the northerly side of Village street, with buildings thereon, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the southeasterly corner or the premises on said Village street, thence running northerly on land formerly of one Eaton, and known as the Eaton place, to land supposed to belong to one Wentworth, formerly of one Phillbrick; thence westerly on said Wentworth land to a stake and stone at the northerly end of a drain at land of William Schroeder; thence southerly along the line of said drain, and with said Schroeder land to said Village street; thence easterly with said Village street to the point of beginning, being the Phillip's place, so called, and a part of the Dr. Brown estate, so called.

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the southerly side of Village street, opposite the above described tract, and bounded northerly on said Village street, southwesterly by Charles River and easterly by land supposed to belong formerly to Mrs. A. H. Clark, and being the second parcel described in the mortgage of Lawrence McGinnis to Margaret H. Kenny, dated August 6, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 744, page 522.

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
Deputy Sheriff.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of John T. Stetson, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by George W. Wiggin of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the eleventh day of April, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Sabin Hubbard, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Ernest E. Hubbard of Boston without giving a surety on his bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the 25th day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 29th day of March, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

ap3,10,17

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Nancy J. Roper, late of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JAMES A. SNOW, Executor.

Medway, March 28, 1900. mh27,ap3,10

Herman M Fisher 1Jan00

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
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"	4.40 "
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Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
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Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

The grip has "let go" and we're at our desk again.

One new case of scarlet fever was reported Friday.

The road men still find some frost in the gravel pits.

Miss A. M. Morrill has opened a millinery store in Natick.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Dauphinee on Monday.

High school entertainment tonight at 8 o'clock. One of the best.

William M. Comey of City Mills has been suffering with the grip.

The town has bought a pair of work horses of Thomas L. Martin.

Richard H. White is home from Tufts college for a week's vacation.

Dr. Charles F. McCarthy of Winchester was a visitor in town on Tuesday.

J. W. Walker, the piano tuner, will be in town next Monday to accommodate his patrons.

The Colonial Rubber company has lately been making large shipments of its product.

The hand of fellowship will be given to new members at the Baptist church next Sunday forenoon.

Christopher Boyle, a former Franklin boy, is seriously ill with pneumonia at his home in Readville.

Forty or more Italians went through town Saturday to Bellingham to begin work on the street railway.

We found a red hot Dewey man for presidency yesterday, but he will cool down before the conventions.

Rev. S. A. Cook, pastor of the Methodist church, will attend the annual conference at Fitchburg this week.

The primary department of the First Congregational church will meet on Sunday at 12 o'clock as heretofore.

A meeting of the King's Daughters will be held at the home of Miss Amy Briggs next Tuesday evening at 7.30.

George Croissant, ticket agent, has been ill with the grip, and Fred L. Tufts has been substituting for him.

The Pond house, near the bridge at Unionville, is to be made into a boarding house and alterations have begun.

James B. Mathewson, Esq., of East Jaffrey, N. H., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. M. Jenckes, 32 Pleasant street.

The friends of Hon. Clarke P. Harding of Medway extend congratulations to him as the new postmaster at that place.

Useful and fancy articles to be sold at G. A. R. hall next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings by the Woman's Relief corps.

The Pedan children on Arlington street have entirely recovered from scarlet fever and the red flag has been taken down.

Warmer weather has given a little boom to the straw business and orders are somewhat more plentiful than last month.

The remains of Charles J. McDermott who died on Monday, were taken to Philadelphia for interment yesterday afternoon.

Fine hair cutting, smooth shaving, razors honed and put in order. Ochee the barber.

Mrs. Tracey has been "switched off" a few days from the "hello" board, but is now at her duties again.

There will be a special meeting of Fidelity lodge A. O. U. W., tomorrow evening. All members are requested to be present.

A number of Odd Fellows from here visited their brethren in West Medway, on Tuesday evening enjoying a most fraternal time.

The remains of Mrs. Charles Hancock will be brought here for interment tomorrow. She died in Centerville, R. I., on Thursday.

Mrs. Louis Merrifield, Crescent street, who has been confined to her home the past few weeks with neuralgia of the stomach, is better.

Michael O'Connell and wife will remove to Boston this week, where Mr. O'Connell will engage in the confectionery and tobacco business.

Here's to Spencer! She voted for license by four majority, but upon a recount a mistake was found, giving the town no-license by 22 majority.

Fred V. Hussey has been selected at Brown as the alternate on the debating team which is to try conclusions with a team from Dartmouth college.

James E. Kelley, formerly agent for the Metropolitan Insurance company of this town, has accepted a position in Taft's grocery store in Uxbridge.

A lecture upon Japanese customs and life, illustrated by many curiosities direct from Japan, will be given this Friday evening in the Horace Mann building.

Manager Capron has had the parlors of the Crescent house newly papered, painted and remodeled the past week. He is getting ready for the regular summer trade.

Charles F. Nye is taking a tour through the West with a party of Union Fast Freight line officials, taking in Chicago, Cincinnati, Louisville and other large cities.

School Committeemen say the trouble over the hanging of Albion D. Gray's picture at the high school will be satisfactorily arranged and the picture advantageously placed.

The Chautauqua Organ says Mr. Koehne's lecture was wonderful as to matter, in historical research, in elegance of diction and for the eloquent manner in which it was presented.

By mistake it was reported in our last issue that Rev. Mr. Rand assisted at the funeral of Mrs. Emily Fisher at City Mills. He assisted at the funeral services of Miss Jane D. Fisher.

Some of the young men students at Dean academy were busy Wednesday arranging and fixing one of the lawns back of the academy for two new tennis courts which they will have placed there.

Edgar K. Ray is able to be out somewhat, but not to attend to his duties in Woonsocket. His daughter, Miss Eleanor Ray, left this week for a couple of weeks in Chicago and Wisconsin.

Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath addressed the Mendon Association of Ministers on Tuesday last, in the Boston Y. M. C. A. building, upon the subject "The Preacher and the Doctrine of Future Punishment."

Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath will speak on Sabbath evening upon the subject "A Serious Question to be Answered." He will deliver a brief prelude upon the question "What Shall We Do with the Philippines?"

The high school pupils are this week completing the studies suspended two weeks ago by the abrupt closing of the school on account of the scarlet fever epidemic. The spring term will commence Monday.

It is seldom a town enjoys a finer series of lectures than those being given by the Rev. Mr. Koehne in the Congregational church. He is rapidly making dates elsewhere. Hear him on next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Louise Johnson, who has been ill for some time, passed away yesterday morning about 8 o'clock, in her 66th year. Her funeral will be held tomorrow, Saturday, from the Universalist church, at 2 p. m.

Fern chapter, Eastern Star, had a most pleasing affair on Wednesday evening, initiating two candidates. Refreshments were served in the dining hall, and altogether the evening was most congenially spent.

Four delegates from Franklin attended the Boston West Baptist Sunday School convention in Dudley Street Baptist church last Wednesday, Rev. and Mrs. F. B. Sleeper, Dea. Robert McPherson and Mrs. A. J. Smith.

Preparations for the Easter sale of the Woman's Relief corps are nearly completed. The executive committee have worked with great energy to make this a success. Their object is a worthy one and should be well patronized.

It should be remembered that the annual sale of pews at the Congregational church takes place next Wednesday evening, and the ladies are to provide a supper. This is a wise move, as everyone feels more generous after a good meal.

The Republicans will hold a caucus at the town hall on Wednesday evening, April 18, for the purpose of choosing delegates to the state and congressional conventions, and also to choose delegates and alternates to the national convention.

John W. Savage, who succeeded George H. Sullivan as supervisor of road construction on the N. Y., N. H. and H. R. R., removed here with his family from Williamantic, Conn., yesterday, having leased a a house on Winter street.

The City Mills company at City Mills is putting in a new boiler, Charles H. Corbin having the work in charge. An attempt was made to repair the old boiler, but when the test was applied it was found not fit for service and a new one was ordered.

The pupils in the lower grades of St. Mary's school, who have had a vacation for the past three weeks, resumed their studies Wednesday in the basement of the church. The class rooms which they are to occupy in the new building will be ready next week.

Rev. Dr. Koehne will deliver his fifth lecture in the course on next Tuesday evening, in the Congregational church, upon the subject "Modern Skepticism." This is a thoroughly prepared lecture upon the theme in hand and will be worth a sacrifice to hear.

Solicitor R. E. Healey, for the telephone company, is now at work vigorously canvassing the field for new 'phones, with excellent prospects for many new ones shortly. As their convenience becomes manifest the users will wonder how they ever got along without them.

Manager Hazelton took his Tufts ball nine to New Haven on Wednesday, where the Yales beat them 14 to 3. Woodworth, who pitched for Milford last season, is now at Tufts, and did the twirling. Fiske caught a fine game, the papers speaking of him as a "crackerjack."

H. M. Bullock, real estate agent, has been ill at his residence on Ruggles street the past two or three weeks with the grip. Sunday afternoon he became suddenly worse, becoming delirious, and the family had to have the aid of an extra person to keep him in bed. Dr. A. J. Gallison was summoned.

Some time ago Artist Calkin placed a remarkably life-like picture of the late Rev. W. M. Thayer in Mr. Dana's window for exhibition and it was much admired. Mrs. Thayer has just presented it to Dean academy, where it will grace the walls of that institution and should prove an impetus to the young people there.

Mr. Koehne will consider in his lecture on next Tuesday evening such perplexing questions as the following: Was Jesus simply a great man? Was He the product of heredity? What of the universality of His kingdom? There are but two remaining lectures in the course. All should plan to hear them.

N. D. Parker of Boston, Miss Taylor of the Lynn Classical High school and Supt. L. P. Nash of Holyoke were in town today visiting the High school. Mr. Nash is generally considered one of the best of the younger school superintendents of Massachusetts, and expressed himself as being much pleased with the condition of Franklin schools.

Charles Atkinson, the new manager of the Town farm, is taking hold of things as if he knew his business thoroughly, and will evidently prove just the man for the place. He had already been engaged to remain at his former place for another year, but for certain reasons desired to make a change. The Overseers were fortunate in getting so good a man.

The attention of the Alden club is called to next Monday evening when Mrs. Jeannette Robinson Murphy gives her delineations of Southern life prior to the Civil war, at Dean academy chapel. A large attendance is requested. This is open to the public. Will not our citizens avail themselves of a rare treat and also show their appreciation of the club's efforts.

The Rev. R. Perry Bush of Chelsea preached a very eloquent and earnest sermon at the Universalist Lenten service last evening, on "The Religious Man and the Sources of His Inspiration." Mr. Bush has a manner of speaking which at once enlists and holds attention. Those who heard Mr. Bush last evening will surely be glad to hear him again when an opportunity may offer.

During our absence through illness a matter of correction was overlooked. We had stated that Supt. Daniels' report at the annual meeting had been rejected; this we corrected later by stating that only a portion was rejected. To this statement Mr. Bassett, the mover of the motion, takes exception, and insists that he moved the rejection of the entire report. This statement he verifies by the report of the clerk of the meeting, which shows that the entire report was rejected.

Ozro Littlefield celebrated his 93d birthday anniversary at his home in Roslindale Sunday. He was formerly for several years a resident of Franklin. Except being somewhat deaf, Mr. Littlefield has his faculties and enjoys good health. When living here he worked at the carpenter's trade and at the Sherman & Farmer straw goods factory. He was born in Boscawen, N. H., and had a hard struggle in early life. He is of a cheerful disposition, generally disposed to look on the bright side of things and take matters in a philosophical way. He is an uncle of Edward F. Searles, the well-known millionaire, and that gentleman has materially assisted in making the past decade or two of Mr. Littlefield's life comfortable and peaceful.

Word was received here Wednesday of the death at South Framingham, early in the day, of Michael O'Toole, who was at one time a resident here, and who in January, 1899, was married to Miss Minnie Keefe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Keefe, of Cottage street. Mr. O'Toole was a cutter in the Hood rubber works when the plant was located here and later at the Hood works at Watertown. He has been a sufferer from lung trouble for some time and last fall was compelled to give up work. He was 27 years of age. Funeral services were held in South Framingham this morning and the interment was here in St. Mary's cemetery.

The entertainment at the regular fortnightly meeting, Wednesday evening, of the Y. P. C. U., in the Universalist church parlors, was a very interesting one. The program consisted of instrumental and vocal music, with readings by Dr. Hodge, interspersed with renderings from Floyd Hosie's phonograph. Mrs. Thompson's piano solos were executed in her usual artistic and pleasing manner and the union appreciated her kindness in contributing to their pleasure. The singing by Miss Jessie Corbin of "The Holy City" showed a most remarkable voice and skill in its use. The piano duet by Miss Reed and Miss Corbin was especially enjoyed. After the program games were indulged in, followed by light refreshments. Miss Cochrane, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Crafts and Mr. Gatchell were the committee for the entertainment. A Colonial party is announced for Wednesday evening. April 18, under the management of Miss Edith Hodge.

The entertainment and sale held by the King's Daughters and Sons at Odd Fellows' hall Tuesday evening was well patronized and the affair was a complete success in every way. There was a goodly sum realized, which will be added to the fund for the building of a Home for the Aged of Norfolk County. The following was the program: Piano duet, Misses Nixon and Metcalf; reading, Miss Linne Ferrer; vocal solo, Miss Kellough; reading, Miss Shermen; mandolin solo, J. Ray Wyckoff; vocal solo, Roy Hartshorn; piano solo, Miss Teppan; trio, Miss Mann, Messrs. Mann and Bly; piano solo, Mrs. Thompson; Gibson pictures, illustrated by tableaux; instrumental trio, Miss Mann and Messrs. Mann and Bly; play, "Mice at Play," Merie Perron, Ernest Abbott, Dana Searle, Walter Reed; vocal solo, J. Ray Wyckoff; reading, Miss Pearl Judd; vocal solo, Miss Louise Grant; charade, Misses Fales, Judd and Nixon, Messrs Sneath, Wyckoff, Nixon and Frazer; piano solo, Mrs. Thompson; trio, Miss Mann, Messrs. Mann and Bly.

Manufacturer Harry T. Hayward enjoys the unique distinction of being the first possessor of an automobile in town. He drove the machine out from Newton, where it was manufactured, yesterday, accompanied by one of the prominent men of the establishment. It is called a "run about", and weighs about six hundred pounds. Its motive power is steam, the fuel being gasolene. The steam is generated in a remarkably short time, and the speed of the machine is practically limitless. Indeed, Mr. Hayward was only a couple of hours in running out from Newton. It is one of the simplest automobiles manufactured, and has stood the test of going up Mt. Washington, as Mr. and Mrs. Stanley rode up the mountain last summer. This carriage has no top, and looks not unlike an ordinary buggy, except that the seat is somewhat higher, while the wheels are of the bicycle pattern. All of the mechanism is in the rear body, exposing but little of anything that might be affected by mud or water. Mr. Hayward expects to find it exceedingly useful in making his trips to and from Bellingham, where his business calls him not a little. For the present he is mainly solicitous about horses being scared.

Card of Thanks.

The King's Daughters and Sons wish to extend their thanks to all who so kindly assisted in their entertainment, and also to those who so generously contributed money.

ELSIE R. METCALF, Secretary.

The new "Orient Road Racer" model is now on exhibition in the windows of J. F. Hussey, on Depot street, also at the Orient Cycle Agency.

Annual Parish Meeting.

The annual meeting of the parish of the First Congregational church was held on Tuesday evening. Deacon Thomas B. Allen called the meeting to order and the warrant was read by William S. Johnson. Dr. J. Cushing Gallison was chosen moderator. The treasurer's report was read, showing a small balance in the treasury after all bills are paid. The total receipts from pew rentals and voluntary offerings were $3,608. The voluntary offerings were $1,077, being the largest amount for some years. The following officers and committees were elected for the new year. Treasurer, Bradley M. Rockwood; asst. treas., Nathan C. Nye; clerk and auditor, William S. Johnson; parish com., Dea. Thos. B. Allen, George E. Emerson, Walter M. Fisher; music com., Herbert W. Thayer, Joseph P. Bassett, Nathan C. Nye; com. on voluntary offerings, E. H. Sherman, E. D. Daniels and Palmer A. Woodward.

It was voted that the music committee provide music for the evening service whenever held in the audience room. It was voted that the time for the annual rental of pews be fixed for Wednesday evening, April 11, at 7.30. It was voted that the parish committee issue a warrant for a special meeting of the parish to consider the matter of appropriating money for the care of the cemetery lot upon which the body of Rev. Nathaniel Emmons is buried. The meeting was a very interesting and harmonious one and clearly indicated the prosperous condition of the parish.

"Market Gardening."

The Farmers' club met with Warren H. Bright last Monday evening, and the paper for the evening, by the host, was read, which we give in part:

The great question with farmers today is "What crops can we raise to yield us the most profit?" We will admit that we cannot grow grain nor fatten beeves with the same profit that our fathers did before the opening up of the West and the reduction of rates on freight. The farms which have been turned to market gardens are the best paying farms we have in New England. To be a success the farm must be near a good market in order that fresh vegetables may be delivered early in the morning. There are crops which will thrive best on meadow land provided it is well drained, such as cabbages. I have always found peas one of my best crops for quick returns. The seeds should be put into the ground as early as it is dry enough to permit. Tomatoes may be rated as one of the leading crops of market gardening, for they do not require extra care and there is generally a ready sale for them. Any good corn land will raise tomatoes.

I do not find the bean crop as a rule profitable, as the market is very limited, and to compete with the wholesale market requires experience on the part of grower to insure him profit. Beans should be planted from the first to the middle of May. As a general thing the beet crop demands a ready sale and is easily cultivated. They can be planted as soon as the ground can be worked in the spring, as they are hardy and are not injured by light frosts. There are many other varieties of vegetables that are included in market gardening, but I do not consider them practical for the ordinary farmer as our market is so limited.

Another New Model.

To meet the demand for a light road wheel that shall be a strictly first-class machine, and yet sell at a moderate price, the Orient company have just brought out a new model to be known as the "Orient Road Racer." In appearance it is striking, its crimson rims and front forks with the fine black enameled frame make it very attractive. In quality it is fully up to the high standard of all "Orient" wheels. In price it is, quality considered, the lowest of anything on the market, it being listed at only $50. which will surely make it the popular wheel of the season.

We have samples of this model already in stock and invite all interested in wheeling, whether desiring to purchase or not, to call and examine them.

ORIENT CYCLE AGENCY, 72 Union St.

Richardson's Market.

People seem to enjoy "roasts." We have secured one for our patrons for Saturday which will cost as before, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 cents. Of course we have finer cuts costing a little more. Then we have a nice line of fowls and chickens, costing from 16 to 20 cents. All the vegetables to be found in Boston to go with our meats, including the famous White Cape turnips, and rhubarb at 12 cents per pound. Butter, canned goods, tea, coffee, home-killed veal, pork; cranberries.

Spring Changes

are about due. You will want new picture frames to brighten up the freshened rooms, and you will want them up to date. The latest styles, in perfect taste, are simple and inexpensive. Many of my new spring mouldings are in and others coming.

CALKIN, Depot St.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

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COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

MR. EDITOR:—"May I not also say I am somewhat surprised to hear there is any quarrel between the School Board and the 'Board of Health.' I am very sure the School Board is not quarreling with anybody. It is simply endeavoring to" have the laws of the commonwealth obeyed.

A. J. G.

Elevated vs. The People.

The Boston Elevated road, it would appear, wants to shut Framingham people out of Boston and the latter are objecting to such an idea. There is now a bill in the legislature that will adjust matters to the satisfaction of many people.

In all the evidence that has been presented before the street railway committee of the legislature in opposition to the bills which would give the local authorities in the cities and towns the right to grant connecting street railway companies the privilege of operating over the local companies tracks, it seems evident that it is not a fight between the Boston Elevated street railway company and Boston and Worcester street railway company but between a syndicate of New York capitalists who dictate the policy of the Boston Elevated and the people of our commonwealth.

We know that the people of Framingham appreciate the advantages to be gained by through service, as is demonstrated by the service we have had for the last few weeks from Marlboro to South Framingham, and if the law had been on the Statue books during the dispute between the Framingham, Southboro and Marlboro street railway and the Framingham Union street railway company, the selectmen could have taken it into their own hands and compelled them to do so at a much earlier date.

We realize the disadvantages the citizens are put to who are obliged to use the cars of other street railway companies connecting with the Boston Elevated street railway company by being obliged to change; and we believe that the legislators will take the part of the people and pass a bill which will put the matter in the hands of local authorities.

If the street railway systems in the cities of Worcester, Springfield, Fall River, New Bedford, Lawrence, Lowell, Newburyport, Providence, Buffalo and Cleveland can take into the centres the cars of connecting lines of street rail way companies, we can see no reason why the Boston Elevated system should not do the same thing, and we are at a loss to understand their opposition to this bill.

It is to be hoped that the outside roads will be given entrence into into Boston.—South Framingham News.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Up stairs tenement to let on Central street. Inquire of A. M. Haggart. 6tf

New milk, skimmed milk and sweet cream for sale at Dr. T. L. Martin's. 6*

Wanted—Capable Protestant girl for general housework. Mrs. T. L. Martin. 6tf

Wanted—Girl for general housework. good wages to right party. W. Fairfield, 12 East street 16 tf

A few cords of dry walnut wood; also oak, chestnut and pine dry under sheds, at Allen's wood yard.

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

To Rent.—Upstairs tenement; four rooms; near Slade's greenhouse, Central street; rent reasonable. Ellen Mason. 3,6*

Wanted—A girl for general housework; no washing, no ironing. Also nurse girl. For particulars apply to Box F, Franklin, Mass. 3,6

Wanted—A capable girl for general housework. Good wages. Apply at once to Mrs. Charles Stewart, Central street. 3,6

For Sale—Second-hand Crescent ladies' wheel in good condition, $10. Mrs. A. T. Bryson, Union street, opposite Stewart's straw shop. 6*

All orders for cut flowers, potted plants for Easter will receive prompt attention, if given in good season, at Slade's greenhouse, or by mail.

Lost—Between the Heliotype Printing Co. plant and the railroad station a roll of two maps. Finder will be suitably rewarded by returning same to the factory. Heliotype Printing Co.

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. See Chas. H. Prince, SENTINEL Office.

For Sale—About 20 fine cows, Jerseys and Holsteins, all giving milk, some coming in soon; one or the lot at private sale. Call at the Waite farm or see Enoch Waite for prices, etc. 6,10,13

House to Rent—Near Lake Pearl, in fine condition, 18 rooms, electric cars run through the yard; to be let at reasonable price or will be sold cheap. About 8 acres of land. House can be used for two tenants if desired; three good cellars; rental price low. Inquire of E. Waite, Franklin, Mass. 6,10,13

Ochee, the barber, will call at the house to do shampooing. Drop a postal to box 210 or call at his shop.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

FRIDAY, APRIL 6, 1900.

Pockets and Principles.

A tailor who has made trousers for many statesmen and public men of the country for more than 30 years has a curious reason for his belief that the country is getting better. "When I was first in business," he said, "I never could put enough pockets in a pair of trousers. I was one of the first tailors, in this locality at least, to suggest two hip pockets instead of one, and I remember I was called a benefactor, particularly by my southern patrons. You know why, of course. There was a time when every gentleman carried his flask wherever he went. That is what led to the second hip pocket. The gentleman also carried a weapon of attack and defense. Slowly, by degrees, the extra hip was dropped. I think it was the weapon pocket that was dropped first, and of late years some of my patrons have asked me to leave out both hip pockets, and now I have a few customers who want no pockets whatever in their trousers. As a matter of good fit there is no question but they are right, and I have always said that pockets are the cause of most of the baggy trousers you see in the street. But aside from the sartorial side of the case, the absence, or rather, the tendency toward decadence of pockets in trousers is an indication to my mind that the world is getting better. It means that men are not so much addicted to the bottle, or to belligerency. Reform and good fits go hand in hand."

Pernicious Papers.

Boys become tramps in three ways, according to Mr. Josiah Flynt, who has spent a large part of his time for ten years living with tramps and studying them. Some boys are born to the road; some are forced upon it; but more are enticed to it. Of the children of the third class, it has been found that they are largely what the older tramps call "worshipers of the tough." That is, they believe that it is manly to swagger like a cowboy and talk like a criminal. The charm which wild life has for them is often but one form of the mimicry which is common to youth of all ages. They have been so unfortunate as to hear some alluring tale of vagabondage or crime, and are eager to have a part in similar adventures. Therefore Mr. Flynt says: "Let everything possible be done to keep these sensitive boys and girls, but particularly the former, from familiarity with crime. Do not thrust desperadoism upon them from the shop windows, through the picture-covered dime novels, and the flaring faces of sensational picture papers. It is this teaching by suggestion that starts many an honest but romantic boy off to the road." But it is not only dime novels and papers devoted to crime from the effects of which young people should be shielded. Not a few daily newspapers are quite as pernicious. The journals that report crime with sensational details, under conspicuous head-lines, are doing a great deal to stimulate boys of a certain type to become tramps and criminals. Parents who bring such papers into their homes will have only themselves to blame if, sooner or later, distressing results follow.

A Maine paper tells about a woman 65 years old, living in Wiscasset, who, recently deserted her fifth husband because, as she told the court, "he wasn't her style." The husband testified that for eight years he had been obliged to get all his own meals and do the family washing besides, and thereupon the justice granted the divorce asked for.

An old authority gives directions for the most restful position to assume after great weariness. If very tired lie on the back, the knees drawn up, the hands clasped above the head or resting on the elbows, the forearm at right angles, and the hands hanging over by the bend of the wrist.

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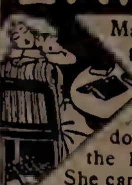

Many a school-girl is said to be lazy and shiftless when she doesn't deserve the least bit of it. She can't study, easily falls asleep, is nervous and tired all the time. And what can you expect? Her brain is being fed with impure blood and her whole system is suffering from poisoning.

Such girls are wonderfully helped and greatly changed, by taking

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

Hundreds of thousands of schoolgirls have taken it during the past 50 years. Many of these girls now have homes of their own. They remember what cured them, and now they give the same medicine to their own children. You can afford to trust a Sarsaparilla that has been tested for half a century.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

If your bowels are constipated take Ayer's Pills. You can't have good health unless you have daily action of the bowels. 25 cts. a box.

"One box of Ayer's Pills cured my dyspepsia." L. D. CARDWELL, Jan. 12, 1899. Bath, N. Y.

Write the Doctor.

If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice you can possibly receive, write the doctor freely. You will receive a prompt reply, without cost. Address, DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

The Wrong Bird.

One of the well-known magicians not long ago had a queer thing to happen, but the people in the theater had more fun out of it than he did. One of his tricks was to shake a sack to show that it was empty, and then to draw out of it an egg, after which he would always reach in again and bring out the hen that laid the egg. Of course, he had to have help in this, and one night he had a new man who did everything just as he had been told until he came to this act. Reaching into the bag, he drew forth the fowl at the usual time, but instead of the hen an old rooster hopped down onto the stage, ruffled its feathers and strutted about, crowing with all his might, while the audience laughed, and the magician went out to hunt his new helper.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Wily South African Natives.

"Nothing," says a man who spent many years in South Africa, "gives a native greater pleasure than to read the countenance of a white man when he knows the latter wants information. For a piece of tobacco he will trump up an exciting story, and for an extra quarter he will lay it on thickly. I have often seen them at this game, their eyes twinkling with delight while they have been imparting some confidential statement to myself and others; and it is quite clear that they are making wild statements as to these supposed battles and the terrible loss of life which has been inflicted upon the enemy."—

That Throbbing Headache

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co., Druggists.

National Educational Association, Charlestown, S. C., July, 1900.

The question will be asked by many, "How shall we go to Charleston?" The trunk lines have made a one fare rate for the round trip, plus two dollars, for the above occasion. The Pennsylvania rail road, in connection with the Southern railway, the great steel highway of travel to the South, leads to the city of Charleston, carrying you in luxuriously appointed trains, embracing all the comforts and conveniences of the finest Metropolitan hotels. Trains of the Southern railway are composed of the highest type of vestibule Pullman and dining cars, and are operated throughout the year. This route is universally recognized as the great tourist route of America, and those going to Charleston to attend this convention are given the choice of different routes via the Southern railway; and if desiring to make side trips into Western North Carolina, "The Land of the Sky," can do so at a small additional cost. This country is noted for the most enchanting scenery and attractive summer hotels in the South. It is a region of wonderful surprise to the tourist and health seeker. No other section contains a more wonderful scenery; so many waterfalls, so many wide, sweeping mountain views, and so many lakes and verdure clad valleys. For particulars regarding the trip call or address George C. Daniels N. E. P. A 228 Washington street, Boston.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

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An Instance of Base Ingratitude on the Part of an Englisheen Man.

At dinner the talk turned on southern hospitality, and many were the instances related of it before a pretty young southern matron had a chance to tell her story.

"When my husband was in business in the south several years ago," she said, "the manager of the Boston firm whose agency he held was taken suddenly ill while in our city. He was alone at the hotel and I told my husband to bring him to the house.

"It turned out that he had typhoid pneumonia, and for five weeks he was just about as sick as a man could be and get well again. I nursed him with as much care as if he had been my own husband, and when he finally recovered, the doctor told him that if it had not been for my nursing he never would have gotten well.

"The day he was leaving he thanked me for taking care of him and pressed a five-dollar bill into my hand. I was so mad I hardly knew what to do, and I said: 'When I do kindness I don't charge anything for it, but if I was going to charge anything it would be a heap sight more than that.' And right then and there I called my colored maid and, handing her the money, said: 'Here, Mary, is something Mr. Pratt is giving you for your trouble.' And what do you think that man whom I had nursed back to life said:

"'So this is your southern hospitality, is it?' Every time I remember that fellow's sneer I wonder if you people up here really know what hospitality means."

GILD LEATHER HANGINGS.

An Old-World Art That Has Been Revived by Two New-World Women.

Two young American women, American women of Boston, have lately made new again the old-world and old-time art of gilding leather hangings for the walls of homes and buildings.

The revival of this old art is due entirely to the perseverance of two sisters, the Misses Mary and Clara Ware, who are graduates of the courses in decoration of the school connected with the Boston Museum of Fine Arts. While continuing their studies in Venice they were much impressed by the beauty of the gilded leather in some of the old palaces and gradually they were led to investigate the methods that had produced it. They found that in the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries gilded leather was one of the chief industries of Spain, where it had been introduced at least 300 years before by the Moors. It is therefore undoubtedly of African origin. From Spain the art spread to France and Italy, while the making of "Cordovan leather," as it was called, is said to have been one of the chief sources of wealth in the Netherlands. This art, like other old arts, degenerated in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. In its last days both materials and workmanship were often cheap and inferior. In the present century practically no leather of this kind has been produced, and it has remained for these two young American women to show its possibilities in modern schemes of decoration.

A Little Stepmother.

Uncle—Hello, Dot, got a new dolly?

Little Miss Dot—Hush, uncle! Don't speak so loud. She is not one of my own, but belonged to Millie Simpson, who was cruel to her and 'bandoned her. So I 'dopted her; but I don't want her to know, 'cause I mean to make no difference between her and my own dollies.—Pittsburgh Bulletin.

Why He Didn't Recognise It.

Husband—What is the name of that new piece you just played?

Wife—Why, that isn't new. You have heard me play it a score of times.

"It doesn't sound familiar."

"I had the piano tuned to-day."—Chicago Evening News.

Climatic Effect in Siberia.

It is observed by travelers in Siberia that the effect of constant cold is practically the same as the effect of constant heat. The people develop a disinclination to work, and become strangers to ambition of any description.—Cleveland Leader.

Circumstances.

Parson Meekins (to convict)—My friend, remember we are here to-day and gone to-morrow.

Convict (calmly)—You might be, but I ain't.—Baltimore Jewish Comment.

Congratulations.

The Countess—Allow me to present my husband, Count de Bien.

Her Good Friend—Oh, isn't he sweet? What did you pay for him?—N. Y. Journal.

A Night of Terror.

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Not Much.

Senator's Son—Father, teacher told us to-day that a senatorship was an office in the gift of the people.

Senator—Gift? Not much! I had to pay over $50,000 for my seat! Gift? Pooh! Pooh!—Puck.

Basis for His Remark.

"What do you suppose made David say that all men were liars?" asked the Sunday school teacher.

"Perhaps he had been to a painless dentist," suggested Tommy Teaspot.—Town Topics.

Why He Grumbled.

Algernon—You say she only partially returned your affection?

Clarence—Yes; and that's what I'm grumbling about. She returned all the love letters, but retained all the jewelry.—Tit-Bits.

Tenderly Solicitous.

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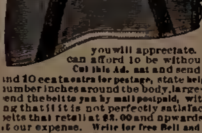

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Guarantee Fund		27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account		15,811 27
Interest Account		4,267 34
Real Estate Income Account		55 24
		$608,142 54

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$21,178 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		28,517 62
Railroad Bonds		133,012 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		11,300 00
" " Mortgages		169,9 5 00
" " Personal Securities		190,368 24
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		671 58
Bank Furniture		100 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$5,331 40	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	15,414 57	
Mercantile Trust Co	5,121 37	
		26,4 7 34
Cash on hand		1,996 01
		$6 8,142 54

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Bicycles in Tiger Hunts.

The latest use to which bicycles have been applied is tiger hunting. A paper published in British India gives an account of this startling innovation. A pig, it appears, was carried away by a tiger from a coffee estate at Castlewood, in the state of Johore. "The news having been sent to Johore," runs the report, "the sultan's trackers were out on bicycles by midday and located the tiger in some low shrub within a half mile of the shed. The sultan himself rode out at four o'clock, and after a short heat of half an hour a large tiger was driven out of the shrub and fell to one well-placed shot by the sultan through the tiger's forehead."

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Men and Women Join to Do Justice to the Tiny Rodents.

Albany Animal Lover Has Just Formed an Organization to Be Known as "United States Mouse Club."

The latest fad in clubs is the United States Mouse club, organized recently by animal lovers who have found mice a captivating addition to their other favorites.

An imported mouse is an entirely different creature from the pestiferous rodent which is the horror of housewives and the despair of grain dealers. They come in the most exquisite colors—white midgets that are a lively reproduction of the frosted bonbons the little ones love; in adorable grays, affected by the Quakers; delicate fawns, fascinating browns, blue, black and French red. Then there are piebald darlings in every conceivable tint, with eyes like jewels and coats as glossy as a dude's silk hat. A bit of polished ivory is no finer than each thread-like claw, and their teeth are like pearls sharpened to a point. They have ears like tiny tissue paper cornucopias, and they dart about like comets keeping important engagements. They never grow up and never get old. Grandfathers and great-great-grandmothers are always mice and are never guilty of the indiscretion of developing into rats.

Of all pets, they require the least care, and a mousery can be established at a trifling expense. An ideal home is a box 21 inches long and nine inches wide, fashioned of varnished white wood. A wire top and a glass front give perfect ventilation, and permits the children to enjoy the capers of the small inmates.

Like every well-regulated theater, it should have a back door where the zinc tray can be daily removed, cleaned with hot water and refilled with sawdust, which will keep it in a perfectly sanitary condition. A shelf four inches wide should extend lengthwise through the middle of the box for sleeping quarters, and a tiny ladder is much appreciated, as they climb like monkeys. A bit of felt used for steam pipe covering, a wad of hair from your dressing table, a scrap of paper, and lo! they are equipped for nest building.

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Their diet is exceedingly simple—for each mouse a teaspoonful of bread soaked in boiled milk for breakfast, and all kinds of grains and seeds mixed with oats and oatmeal constitute the midnight feast. However, linseed and hemp must be given sparingly, on account of its heating properties. In summer an occasional sprig of chickweed and dandelion is permissible, but care must be exercised not to overfeed, for they easily assume aldermanic proportions.

The club was founded by John H. Grube, of 294 Third street, Albany, N. Y., and the officers are:

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Recording Secretary—Miss Jennie Van Allen, Chicago, Ill.
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Treasurer—Mrs. Leland Norton, Chicago, Ill.

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Work of Baptist Church.

The Baptists of America have a membership in the neighborhood of 4,000,000. They have a Sunday-school attendance of nearly 2,000,000. Their church properties run over $75,000,000 in value and their annual contributions to good works exceed 20 per cent. of that vast sum. They have more than 150 institutions of learning, universities, seminaries and academies, covering the educational requirements of both sexes in the church and at the same time making provision for the colored race and native Indians.

Safest Place Under Fire.

Every soldier believes that the only safe place under fire is the recent scene of some cannonade escapade. When defending a fort or camp the wounded are generally placed in the breaches, as the enemy are not likely to waste powder and shot on points which have already been cleared of all barricade. The same holds true of naval engagements. Sailors much prefer to sit in some yawning gap still hot and smoking from the effect of a splintering cannon ball than behind the stoutest bulwark.

A Monkey's Right at Issue.

A Washington police court had occasion recently to pass upon the momentous question whether the proprietor of a monkey can be compelled to furnish it with shoes. On the complaint of some benevolent idiot Pietro Florello, by profession a hand organist, was hauled into the temple of justice to answer a charge of cruelty to animals, in that he was utilizing a barefooted monkey in the collection of his precarious income. After a careful research into the law of domestic relations the court reached the conclusion that Signor Florello was under no legal obligation to furnish his friend with footgear, and the case was accordingly dismissed. — Chicago Chronicle.

What the Name Tugela Means.

The name Tugela means "fear" and it has received the name from the rapidity with which it come down in flood. A thunderstorm among the mountains in which it rises will raise the river many feet in a few minutes and a resident on its banks declares that he has seen it rise 40 feet in a single night! The current is at all times exceedingly swift and a comparatively light rise is sufficient to make the drift impassable, while a heavy rise will sweep away any temporary bridge that may have been erected.—N. Y. Sun.

Is Baby Too Thin?

If so, there must be some trouble with its food. Well babies are plump; only the sick are thin. Are you sure the food is all right? Children can't help but grow; they must grow if their food nourishes them. Perhaps a mistake was made in the past and as a result the digestion is weakened. If that is so, don't give the baby a lot of medicine; just use your every-day common sense and help nature a little, and the way to do it is to add half a teaspoonful of

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to the baby's food three or four times a day. The gain will begin the very first day you give it. It seems to correct the digestion and gets the baby started right again. If the baby is nursing but does not thrive, then the mother should take the emulsion. It will have a good effect both upon the mother and child. Twenty-five years proves this fact.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

An Army Execution.

At the army station at Willets Point, L. I., recently the oldest member of his branch of the service was executed by order of the war department. For 33 years he had served his country faithfully. For three years of that time he worked underground in the great tunnel under Hell Gate. Two years ago his old muscles got stiff and his old bones began to crack when he walked around. Then an ungrateful republic put him on half rations. His hair, once a glossy brown, was fast turning white. His voice, once clear as a clarion, became cracked. For two years he ate his half rations without complaining. Then one day the order came from Washington for his execution. A paternal government, it was said, was tired of seeing his name on the army pay-rolls. A corporal's guard was told off to carry out the orders of the department. He was marched out into the center of the parade ground. But because he had served so long in the army his eyes were not blindfolded. He was allowed to look his executioners and the sun squarely in the face. Then the volley was fired. "Jack," the oldest mule in the army, was mustered out.—N. Y. World.

Winter Climate in Natal.

The changes of temperature in winter were certainly very trying. The day began fresh and cold and bracing, but the brilliant sunshine soon changed that into what might be called a very hot English summer's day. About four o'clock, when the sun sloped towards the western hills, it began to grow cold again, and no wrap or greatcoat was too warm to put on then. By night one was only too glad of as big a fire on the open hearth as could be provided, for fuel was scarce and very expensive in those days. Doubtless the railway has improved all these conditions; but Natal, as far as I saw it, is not a well-wooded country, except in the native reserves, and the only forest—bush as they would call it in Australia—which I saw, cost me a 50-mile ride to get to it!

Spain's Greatest Need.

Mr. R. P. Olivia, of Barcelona, Spain, spends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head. On using Electric Bitters, America's greatest Blood and Nerve Remedy, all pain soon left him. He says this grand medicine is what his country needs. All America knows that it cures liver and kidney trouble, purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens the nerves, puts vim, vigor and new life into every muscle, nerve and organ of the body. If weak, tired or ailing you need it. Every bottle guaranteed, only 50 cts. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co. Druggists.

Does Coffee Agree With You?

If not, drink Grain-O, made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain-O I did not like it but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." The children can drink it freely with great benefit. Get a package today from your Grocer, follow the directions and you will have a delicious and healthful table beverage for old and young. 15 and 25c.

Many School Children are Sickly.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, break up colds in 24 hours, cure feverishness, headache, stomach troubles, teething disorders and destroy worms. At all druggists, 25c. Sample mailed free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Beauty Is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed. 10c, 25c, 50c.

Jell-O, the New Dessert,

pleases all the family. Four flavors: Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. At your grocers. 10 cts. Try it today.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Mortgagee's Sale
—OF—
REAL ESTATE
In Franklin, Mass.

Pursuant to a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Johanna McLellan to the Benjamin Franklin Savings Bank, dated the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D. 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 737, folio 195, and for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage, will be sold at public auction, on the premises hereinafter described, on

SATURDAY, the FIFTH day of MAY,
A. D. 1900,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described as follows, to wit:

A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Franklin, and bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the town road leading from Duty Ware's to the City Mills (so called), near the brook; thence running northeasterly on the road leading to Medway to a post standing nearly opposite the grave yard by land now or late of John Shepardson; thence westerly on said land now or late of said Shepardson to an oak tree at land of Dr. E. D. Miller; thence southerly on land formerly of Miller to a corner on the hill; thence easterly on said land formerly of Miller to a corner; thence southerly on land formerly of Miller to land now or late of Nathan Staples; thence easterly and southerly on said land now or late of Staples to the new road leading from the first mentioned to the meeting house in said Franklin; thence northeasterly on said new road and the road first mentioned to the point of beginning.

Also another lot of land situated in said Franklin, bounded, beginning at said new road by land formerly of said Miller; thence running westerly on said land formerly of said Miller to said road leading from Duty Ware's to City Mills; thence northerly on said road to said new road; thence southwesterly on said new road to the point of beginning.

The two lots of land hereby conveyed together contain about forty acres and are the same premises which were conveyed to late husband by Martin Green and his wife, Lois F. Green, by deed dated April 30, 1859, recorded with deeds, libro 277, folio 109, and conveyed in mortgage by my late husband to the Dedham Institution for Savings by deed of Oct. 6, 1859, recorded libro 281, folio 14, discharged on the record March 2, 1895.

Terms made known at the time and place of sale.
BENJAMIN FRANKLIN SAVINGS BANK,
By Charles W. Stewart, its Treasurer.
Franklin, April 3, 1900. ap6,13,20

INSOMNIA

"I have been using CASCARETS for Insomnia, with which I have been afflicted for over twenty years, and I can say that Cascarets have given me more relief than any other remedy I have ever tried. I shall certainly recommend them to my friends as being all they are represented." Thos. Gillard, Elgin, Ill.

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NO-TO-BAC Sold and guaranteed by all druggists to CURE Tobacco Habit

Mortgagee's Sale
—OF—
REAL ESTATE
In Franklin, Mass.

Pursuant to a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Henry B. Kimball to the Benjamin Franklin Savings Bank, dated the fourteenth day of May, A. D. 1892, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 673, folio 570, and for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage, will be sold at public auction, on the premises hereinafter described, on

SATURDAY, the FIFTH day of MAY,
A. D. 1900,

at nine o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described as follows, to wit:

The following described pieces or parcels of real estate situated in said Franklin, with buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows:

1st. A certain piece or parcel of land on the westerly side of Forest street and bounded, beginning on Forest street at the center of the brook and land of Ernst E. Holmstrom et al.; thence running westerly by the center of said brook four rods; thence turning and running southerly five rods, more or less, to a fence; thence running westerly by said fence and said Holmstrom's land to land of heirs of Adin Sargent; thence running westerly on said land of Sargent's heirs to land known as the Peter Adams farm; thence southerly various courses on said Adams farm to land of heirs of Fenner Grant; thence on said land of said Grant's heirs to land of Charlotte M. Woodward, formerly of Providence County Savings Bank; thence easterly by said land of Charlotte M. Woodward various courses to said Forest street; thence northerly on said Forest street to place of beginning, being part of the "Bradford Farm," so called, containing fifty acres, more or less; also

2. A certain piece or parcel of land on the westerly side of said Forest street, bounded on the north and west by land of heirs of Fenner Grant; on the south by land of heirs of George Grant and on the east by said Forest street, containing eleven (11) acres, more or less; and also

3. A certain piece or parcel of land on the easterly side of said Forest street, and bounded, beginning at the northwesterly corner of the premises on said Forest street; thence running southerly on said Forest street forty (40) rods, more or less, to an old rail fence; thence running easterly forty (40) rods, more or less, to a stone wall; thence running northerly by said wall to land of this grantor, formerly of Gilmore; thence on said land formerly of Gilmore westerly to said Forest street and the place of beginning, containing seven (7) acres, more or less. Reserving to the grantor the right to pass and repass with teams or otherwise along the northerly side of said land last above described; also reserving the wood and timber on the lot first above described and the right to Jason Tower to remove the same at any time prior to December 1, A. D. 1888.

4. A certain lot or tract of land situated in said Franklin, on the westerly side of the road leading from West Wrentham meeting house, so called, to Franklin Centre, and bounded, beginning on the westerly line of said road at the northeasterly corner of land late of Joseph and Fenner Grant; thence running northeasterly with said road forty (40) rods, more or less, to land now or formerly of Abner Fiske; thence running westerly with the southerly line of said Fiske's land one hundred and twenty (120) rods, more or less, to a turn of said Fiske's land; thence southerly with said Fiske's land forty (40) rods, more or less, to land late of Joseph and Fenner Grant; thence easterly to the said land of said Grants one hundred and twenty (120) rods more or less, to said road at the place of beginning, containing thirty (30) acres, more or less, and is known as the "Choice Lot," and the same premises described in a deed from the Providence County Savings Bank to this grantor, dated January 28th, A. D. 1880, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 517, fol. 239, to which deed reference is hereby given for more particular description; reserving and subject to the right of Jason Tower to remove the wood and timber lying on said land at any time prior to December 1, A. D. 1888.

5. A certain piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in the southerly part of Franklin aforesaid and on the westerly side of Forest street, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point on the westerly side of said street at land now or formerly of Amos P. Woodward; and thence running westerly on a stone wall about sixty (60) rods to a corner in the fence; thence southerly on land of said Woodward as the wall now stands to land of the heirs of Adin D. Sargent; thence continuing southerly by said heirs' land until it reaches an old stone wall and fence; thence continuing southerly across the wood lot and pasture to a corner; thence turning and running easterly on a fence and wall to a corner at a stake four (4) rods westerly of said street; thence turning and running northerly in a straight line to the center of the brook; thence turning and running easterly again by the center of said brook to the westerly side of said street; thence running northerly on said street to the point of beginning; containing twenty-five acres, be the same more or less.

Being the same premises which were conveyed to Ernst Edwin Holmstrom, Charles Holmstrom and James Holmstrom by Amos P. Woodward by a deed dated the twenty-ninth day of March, A. D. 1887, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 590, folio 551, to which deed reference is hereby made for a more particular description of said land.

Terms made known at the time and place of sale.
BENJAMIN FRANKLIN SAVINGS BANK,
By Charles W. Stewart, its Treasurer.
Franklin, April 3d, 1900. ap6,13,20

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of Seneca Adams, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Henry A. Whitney, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of certain parcels of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county, on the twenty-fifth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

ap6,13,20

Franklin and Wrentham
STAGE LINE.

Leave Wrentham P.O. for Franklin at 8.15 a.m. 3.30 p. m. Leave Franklin depot for Wrentham at 9.30 a. m., 4.30 p. m.; connecting with trains for Boston and Providence via N. Y. & N. E. railroad; trains leaving Boston at 7.40, 8.30 a. m. and 3.30 p. m.; leaving Providence at 6.35 a. m.
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OCT. 22, 1899.

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Trains leave FRANKLIN for

BOSTON—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex.) 6 05, 9 38 p m; Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, 8 30 a m; 12 04, 3 36, 4 32, 5 19, 6 22, 6 57, 8 17, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 15 a m, 5 15, 7 10 p m.

BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 6 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 49, 4 10, 5 11, 6 01, 7 19 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7 54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 58, f5 21, 6 19, f7 25, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 26 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 6 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f6 58, a m; f1 01, 5 25, 6 14, f7 28, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 20, 10 30 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

NEW YORK, all rail—9 15 a m; 4 23 p m. Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

New York, via Norwich Line, 7 45 p m. Return New Pier 36, North River, 6 00 p m.

Providence Extension.

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

PROVIDENCE—7 04, 9 04 a m; 1 08, 4 25, 7 04 p m. Return, 6 04, 8 10, 12 04 a m; 4 35, 6 04 p m.

MILFORD BRANCH.

Trains leave Franklin for

MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 35, 6 50 p m; S 6 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.

ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

Trains leave Unionville for

MILFORD—9 25 a m; 1 19, 4 37, 5 42, 6 57, S 6 44 p m

FRANKLIN—6 49, 8 41, 11 28 a m; 4 03, 6 19 p m. S 8 15 a m.

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WRENTHAM.

The funeral of the late Dr. Nathaniel Ware Hawes was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock The funeral was in charge of Bristol commandery of North Attleboro. Friends were present from Boston, North Attleboro, Plainville, Foxboro and Mansfield and there was a magnificent display of flowers.——Dr Joseph F. Jencks has been appointed physician and agent to the Board of Selectman.——The initiatory degree was worked Tuesday night on Messrs. J. J. Bleik and Geo. P. Frances at Wampum lodge, No. 195, I. O. O. F.——Thomas Proctor is home on his spring vacation from Amherst college.——Principal L. V. Symonds of the High school has had an excellent offer made for his services, but he has decided to remain in town for the present.

Ready to Rest.

"Your honor," said the learned counsel in concluding his address, "we will now rest."

"So will the court," replied the judge, with a sigh of relief.—Chicago Post.

Departed.

"Pa, what's 'dead sea fruit?'"

"Canned lobster, my boy."

Constipation, Headache, Biliousness, Heartburn, Indigestion, Dizziness,

Indicate that your liver is out of order. The best medicine to rouse the liver and cure all these ills, is found in

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25 cents. Sold by all medicine dealers.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "The Lessons of Palm Sunday" Vesper service at 5, subject, "The Old Testament Ideas of Immortality." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10 Rev. M. J. Lee, rector: Rev. M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. Frank B Sleeper, pastor. Theme, "Overcoming Difficulties." Sundayschool at 12 Young People's meeting at 5.45. Preaching by the pastor at 7. Theme: "Narrowness Growing Into Broadness." Short after meeting.

Congregational church—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, at 10.30, on a theme appropriate to Palm Sunday. Music suitable to day. Sunday school at 12. Primary department will hold session. Y. P. S. C. E at 6 30 Evening service at 7 30; preaching by pastor on "A Serious Question to be Answered." Prelude on "What Shall We Do with the Philippines?"

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending April 4. 1900:

Ladies—Miss Clara Marley, Mrs. Hattie Mason (pkg.), Mrs. Geo. Newcomb, Miss Katie Russ, Mrs. Michael McKenna.

Gentlemen—Franklin Jewelry Co., C. B. Bossett, M. V. Bossett, C. Carter, A. Newcomb, J. F. B. Shultz, Joseph Masse, Josef Turgaitis, Josef Turgaitis (pkg.).

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

An Unkind Husband.

Mrs. Gazzam—Woman's work is never done

Gazzam—Why don't you do it, then, and stop talking about it?—Judge.

A Frightful Blunder.

Will often cause a horrible Burn, Scald Cut or Bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures Old Sores, Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns, all skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. On 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co. Druggists.

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Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.

Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

Safety in Queenstown Harbor.

The harbor of Queenstown is three miles long, two wide, almost entirely sheltered, and as safe as it is capacious. The whole British navy may safely ride within its area.—N. Y. Sun.

To Make a Man Angry.

If you want to make a man angry remind him of his trivial faults.—Chicago Daily News.

The Unexpected.

The unexpected seldom happens more than once.—Chicago Daily News.

THE WHEELS OF TIME...

Bring around another spring with its wealth of mild air, warm sunshine, glad voices and good babies. We have prepared for the situation in your behalf. Our floor is covered with

THE WHEELS OF BABY CARRIAGES

that run as silently as the wheels of Time. Rubber tires and the best of workmanship bring the result. We have adopted a patent wheel fastener this year which we will warrant safe, sure and durable. You require no wrench—often lost. No nuts to drop—always oily. You get no gum on the outside to soil your skirts. Best of all, no trouble or expense goes with it. Just a click and the wheel is secure with nothing extra to pay.

$7.50 SECURES A SPLENDID *GO CART.*

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We have the $3.00 kind also, and the marvels at $6.00. But for pride you pick promptly the up-to-date adjustable sleeper, which reclines at any angle. Prices $9.00 to $35.00. An assortment of dozens to select from, adapted to every want. It's a fact—our prices and terms fit every pocketbook.

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Teacher—Tommy, I hear that you and Willie were fighting yesterday. Don't you know your little hands were never made to tear each othr's eyes?

Tommy—How could we tear each other's eyes with gloves on, I'd like to know? Why, Miss Meek, you don't seem to know the first thing about the rules of the ring.—Boston Transcript

Is Australia the Hottest Place?

Almost every winter we have reports of excessive heat in Australia, and this year is no exception. It is stated that on New Year's day in Melbourne the thermometer indicated 114 degrees Fahrenheit in the shade at five o'clock in the afternoon. Medical Record.

Retort Courteous.

He—Girls are queer creatures—they marry the first fool that asks them. I suppose you would do the same, wouldn't you?

She—Ask me and see.—Chicago Evening

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your grocer today to show you a package of Grain O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult All who try it like it Grain O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress; one fourth the price of coffee; 15c. and 25c. per package. Sold by all grocers.

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Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money

Another Man Made Happy.

Harry—I have about decided not to get married next month.

Herbert—What's the matter, old man? Getting shaky?

Harry—No; but I don't want to bother about the groceries.

Herbert—Oh, that is easy enough. All you have to do is to have the **FALES** order team call and your wife won't have a particle of bother about the amount or the quality of the goods.

Harry—That's all right, and it's just what I'll do. Much obliged.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Addie I. Hutchinson to Edwin Childs, dated Sept. 28, 1896, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 770, fol. 618, for breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed, will be sold on the premises in Medway at public auction on

MONDAY, APRIL 30, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit: two tracts of land situate in the westerly part of Medway, bounded as follows

1st. Beginning at land of said Hutchinson and said Childs at easterly corner, and running S. 81 degrees 45 minutes E., 575 ft to a stone wall; thence north 11 degrees 15 minutes E., 330 feet to corner of a wall, thence west 467 ft. to a wall and continuing N. 82 degrees W., 138 ft. to said Childs land; thence south 8 degrees 15 minutes W., 254 ft. to point of beginning, the whole containing 3.45 acres.

2d. A certain parcel of woodland situate north of the above described tract, and is bounded east by said Childs' land, north by land of Wm. Hodges, west by land of D. Hastings heirs and south by land of —— McIntosh and —— Fish, the whole containing about ten acres and is all surrounded by a stone wall.

Terms given at time and place of sale.

EDWIN CHILDS, Mortgagee.

Medway, April 4, 1900. ap6,13,20

AT PARIS NEXT YEAR.

A bicycle geared to 240 will be sent to the Paris exposition. The front sprocket contains 60 teeth and the rear sprocket 17 teeth.

Jokai, the Hungarian writer, has produced more than 300 novels. He has planned to display a copy of every edition of his books at the Paris exposition.

The Eiffel tower is being painted with five shades of enamel paint. The summit and the dome are to be a chrome yellow. The shades will graduate to the pedestal, which will be of dark orange. Two coats will be required and nearly 50 tons of enamel paint will be consumed.

The greatest musical instrument, or rather musical box, ever constructed will be exhibited for the first time at the Paris exhibition in 1900. Its inventor, Antonio Zibordi, an Italian, devoted 15 years of his life to construct it. He has bestowed upon his masterpiece the imposing name of "Autoelektropolyphon." In it are concealed 80,000 pieces of musical apparatus, which required an outlay of 60,000 francs.

The Paris exposition administration has taken all the measures possible to offer security to exhibitors and visitors against fire. All wood of the framework in the building will be covered with an insulating coat of non-inflammable material, and all stairways will be fireproof. All decorated canvas, awnings, and canvas coverings must be fireproof. All theaters, concert halls, etc., must have iron or asbestos curtains, and the lighting of such places will be exclusively by electricity.

Our naval exhibit at Paris will undoubtedly prove most interesting, and the models of the vessels which destroyed the Spanish fleets at Manila and Santiago will probably be as popular as any exhibit in the whole exposition. Models have not been made of all the ships, but of types of war vessels. They are now on exhibition in Washington in the state, war and navy building. The models were constructed at the Washington navy yard, and are exact reproductions of the vessels, to the smallest detail.

Awful Thought.

He—Astronomers say the earth travels 600,000,000 miles every year.

She—Gracious me! What if it had to stand in the aisle and hang on by a strap!—N. Y. World.

The Folly of Youth.

"It is only the very young husband," said the Cornfed Philosopher, "who hastens to tell his wife as soon as he gets a rise of salary."

One Simple Request.

CURE THAT COLD BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE.

A neglected cold or cough may and probably will kill the sufferer. Is it right, therefore, to neglect it? You can cure it in a very short time by promptly using

Comp. Syrup White Pine and Tar

And KOLD KILLER.

They never fail to relieve in a very short time. Try them.

ALBERT C. MASON, Druggist.

PUBLIC TELEPHONE STATION.

New Spring Wrappers...

PRICES THE LOWEST.

...AGENT FOR...

Butterick Patterns.

N. C. NYE,

FLETCHER BLOCK.

..COTTOLENE..

Received today and have now on sale, WHITE, PURE and WHOLESOME COTTOLENE, which is recommended by leading physicians and celebrated cooks as being the most economical and best for shortening and frying purposes.

SALE PRICES THIS WEEK:

Small Pails, - - - - 25c

Medium Pails, - - - - 50c

Bresnahan Grocery Co.

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WE SELL.....

Atwood's Hamburger Steak * * *

PRICE: 10 cts. lb.

.....Nothing Like it in Franklin.

McKinnon's Grocery Store,

CENTRAL SQUARE.

EDISON'S PHONOGRAPH

Better than a Piano, Organ, or Music Box, for it sings and talks as well as plays, and don't cost as much. It reproduces the music of any instrument—band or orchestra—tells stories and sings—the old familiar hymns as well as the popular songs—it is always ready. Prices, $7.50 to $100.00. See that Mr. Edison's signature is on every machine. Catalogues of all dealers, or NATIONAL PHONOGRAPH CO., 135 Fifth Ave., New York.

A HOME...

If you have one you are glad of it; if you haven't one you'll be glad to have one. It is not profitable to pay board.

FOR...

what you pay in that way will go a long way towards paying for the very furniture you are using. Probably you would prefer to select more modern furnishings.

$5.00...

per month will pay for furniture and carpets enough to furnish a modern home with all the necessities and comforts enough to make the ordinary mortal supremely happy. We charge no interest. We only ask your promise to pay a little at a time as you earn it and you have the goods set into your house at once.

The Weeks Furniture Co.,

48 NORTH MAIN ST., Near Opera House.

WOONSOCKET, R. I.

☞ Store open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles H. Whipple, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Julia M. Whipple of Bellingham, or to some other suitable person,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Sabra Morse, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by George W. Wiggin, Charles J. McKenzie and Lester L. Burrington, all of Franklin, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

mh23,30,ap6 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Michael J. McLellan, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Martin J. Lee of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Johanna McLellan, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Martin J. Lee of Franklin, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of April, A.D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

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JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been duly appointed administratrices of the estate of Joseph G. Ray, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

LYDIA P. RAY,
ANNIE R. THAYER,
Administratrices.

Address: Franklin, Mass.
March 30, 1900. mh30,ap6,13

AGENTS WANTED.

Liberal contracts to intelligent men of good character and address. Can earn in commissions from $3000 upwards per year by applying to Wm. F. Bache, Gen'l Agt. NORTHWESTERN MUT. LIFE INS. CO., 7 Water st., Boston, Mass., from 9 to 10 A. M.; from 12 to 1 P. M.

ANNUAL STATEMENT JANY. 1, 1900.

Assets	$126,648,728 45
Liabilities	121,112,080.71
Surplus	5,534,697.74
Insurance in force	$497,006,125.00

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
"	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Some of the merchants show new awnings on their store fronts.

The golfers are preparing their links for active service this season.

Charles Badger has given up his farming for J. F. Ray at Unionville.

If talk is true there will be trolley connection with Milford by May 1.

Miss Caroline Atkins, a former teacher here, is the guest of friends in town.

Tufts played Princeton on Saturday and were beaten by a score of 12 to 2.

The Spear building, occupied by the Waterman laundry, has been reshingled.

Mrs. E. C. Cotton has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. Pope, from Wareham.

Rev. Dr. Hodge preached last Tuesday evening at a Lenten service in Southbridge.

Do not forget the supper and sale in G. A. R. hall tonight. Supper from 6 30 to 8 o'clock..

There will be a dance in G. A. R. hall Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Woman's Relief Corps.

The old people at the almshouse have not escaped the ills of the early spring and nine of the inmates are sick.

R. G. Irwin has reopened his bicycle repair shop in the Morse block, with increased facilities for doing his work.

The John Canney place at South Franklin has been sold to a Mr. Rose of Fitchburg, who will occupy the farm at once.

Dr. G. A. Martin left on Saturday for a ten days' trip to Nova Scotia in the interest of some gypsum mines he has there.

Mrs. Abbie E. Darling has been granted a divorce from Nathan E. Darling on the ground of desertion and non-support.

Miss Mary Sumner of Milford officiated as alto singer at the Congregational church on Sunday. Dr. E. C. Abbott was basso.

Miss Louisa Fiorani has returned to her school duties in Boston after a week's vacation spent in Providence, Milford and Reading.

J. P. Hosie is moving his household goods to Liberty, N. Y., where he will shortly remove his family for the summer, as he has a farm there.

Masters Malcolm and Kenneth Blake, sons of Walter F. Blake, of Atlantic, are spending a week or two with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Blake.

Sunday was observed as Palm Sunday in most of the churches last Sabbath, with music appropriate to the occasion, and next Sunday Easter will be celebrated.

The Epworth league will hold its regular business and social meeting at the home of J. T. Hutchinson, Jr., Arlington street, tomorrow evening, at 8 o'clock.

A special electric car will probably be run from Woonsocket to accommodate the guests from that city to the Ladies' Auxiliary reception on Easter Monday evening.

K. R. Jewett took out his watering cart yesterday, owing to the fierce dust storms that have been prevailing the past few days, but the cold weather actually covered his water jets with icicles.

James McParland was arrested for beating a horse Sunday morning, at 11 o'clock, in Central square, by Constable Davis, and later gave bail to appear for a hearing, which takes place Saturday.

The funeral of Levi Clark, who died at the Town farm on Saturday, was held on Monday morning, Rev. Mr. Sneath officiating. Mr. Clark was at one time a business man in town. He was 91 years of age.

Dr. Hodge's recent pamphlet, suggested by Dr. Lyman Abbott's address at the Universalist General convention, went through its first edition in two weeks. The second edition is promised this week.

One of the most popular conductors on the road is George H. Drown, who at one time had one of our Franklin trains. He is to go to California in charge of a mine there. His friends here wish him every success.

Rev. C. J. White, pastor of the Universalist church in Woonsocket, well known here, and one of the trustees of Dean academy, has resigned his position owing to ill health, after a most successful pastorate of over thirty years.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church will meet in the parlor Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Supper served at 6 30, tickets usual price. Rental of pews in the evening at 7.30 in place of the usual entertainment.

Among the divorce cases to come before the April term at Dedham are two or three from this vicinity. There is also on the motion list the case of Alphonso W. Buckland et al. vs. Lawrence McGinnis, which was tried in the district court here.

On Saturday evening, April 7, Frank M. Silver of Providence, R. I., was united in marriage to Miss Hermenia Woodward of Franklin, by Rev. I. W. Sneath. The ceremony was performed at the parsonage. The couple will reside in Providence.

The members of Fidelity lodge, A. O. U. W., have accepted an invitation to be present as the guests of Ames lodge of Woonsocket this evening, when the latter is to perform special degree work. The local workmen will make the trip in a special trolley car.

The Rev. I. M. Atwood, D. D., the Universalist bishop, or, as his strict official title is, general superintendent, is expected to preach at the Universalist Lenten service Thursday evening. There will be a general desire to hear Dr. Atwood, who has not been in Franklin in many years.

Some days since it was reported that Mrs. S. W. Squire, who has been visiting relatives in the West during the winter, was slowly recovering from her sickness and was able to sit up a short time daily. She was expected to return by the first of the present month, but her illness made that impossible.

Dean pulled itself together for a practice game on Saturday with a picked nine from about town and beat them, 8 to 2. During the game a player ran into Ray Wyckoff, injuring his knee so that he is at present unable to bear any weight upon it, though it is not expected the injury is a permanent one.

Master Robert Thayer returned to Cornwall on the Hudson yesterday after a week's vacation with his parents. He gave a lunch and phonograph party to a few of his playmates on Saturday evening, the favors being original witticisms in verse, by his Aunt Margaret, and accompanied by Easter suggestions.

Don't fail to hear Rev. Mr. Koehne at the Congregational church this evening, as his subject, "Modern Skepticism," is one that will appeal to everyone. He handles his subjects with such dramatic force, elegance of diction and sound common sense as to make his lectures exceedingly valuable. No admission fee is charged.

The Mothers' section of the Aldea club met with Mrs. Fred P. Chapman, Dean avenue, Friday afternoon. Papers were read by Mrs. Hosie, Mrs. Knapp and Mrs. Barber, followed by the usual discussion. It has been decided to omit a children's day this year on account of the many children who have been sick recently.

The Franklin W. R. C. will hold an Easter sale in G. A. R. hall this evening and tomorrow evening. An entertainment has been prepared for this evening and supper will also be served. Tomorrow evening dancing will be indulged in. A handsome suit of clothes will be given to the person holding the lucky admission ticket.

The new paper train between Boston and New York passed through here early Sunday morning, making the trip from here to Boston at the rate of a mile a minute. Nearly the same speed had been maintained between Willimantic and here. The train was but four hours and twenty-six minutes between Boston and New York, 215 miles.

The town has received a handsome working set of weights and measures for the use of the sealer of weights and measures, Fred L. Davis, consisting of copper measures, brass weights and scales, yardstick, etc., carefully adjusted and finished in a style to suit the artistic taste of the sealer. He will soon be ready to provide dealers with sixteen ounces to the pound.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the A. O. H. are preparing a most enjoyable Easter social in the Opera house on Monday evening. They have secured the Savoy orchestra of Providence, which will give a concert, and an entertainment is also to be provided previous to the dancing. Supper will also be served in the hall. The chances now are that there will be a large number present.

A former business man in Franklin, who is now in a license community, writes to a friend here as follows: "While I was in Franklin I was in favor of license, thinking it would improve business, but since I have come here I have seen enough of rum. I wouldn't vote for license now if I were in hell in company with the worst devils in the land." That's pretty good testimony.

The selectmen Friday evening approved a large number of bills and considered several matters brought to their attention by interested parties. The tree warden was authorized to publish a notice of the law relating to trees in public places. Thomas B. Allen, William F. Buckley and Arthur A. Pond were drawn as jurors for the criminal term at Dedham. The bond of the treasurer was approved and filed with the town clerk.

Evidently baseball is not to be neglected at Dean academy this season, and the nine will open the struggle the 14th of the month, wind, weather and other things liable to prevent play permitting. A large number of the games until the close of the school term have been arranged to be played here. The students have had some good nines in the past and their well wishers hope that good fortune will attend them the present season.

The Messrs. Whiting and their families arrived home from their trip South on Saturday, having enjoyed a most delightful journey. They were in New Orleans during the famous Mardi Gras festival, and in Florida at the height of the winter season, when all the magnificent hotels were full of guests. The trip to Nassau was a remarkably pleasant one, and throughout the entire time they were away they had but one really unpleasant day.

The employes of Trowbridge Piano company have organized a base ball team for the coming season under the management of Robert Culgin, with Charles McCarthy captain. The team is made up of the strongest players: A. McKenzie, c.; T. Smith, p.; R. Culgin, 1 b.; A. Elmons, 2. b.; J. McCarthy, 3 b.; C. McCarthy, s. s.; A. Norris, l. f.; F. Perrin, c. f.; E. Hannon, r. f. They would like games with any strong team, Heliotypes preferred.

The funeral of Mrs. Louisa Johnson, daughter of Henry Bemis, was held on Saturday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Hodge, officiating. Mrs. Johnson lost her husband many years ago and lived with her father, who is a widower. Both have been sick the past few weeks, and it was supposed by them that they were the last of their family living. It is now reported, however, that a cousin, has been discovered, who will care for the old gentleman, who is 91 years old.

The summer program of the Farmers' club will include five or six field meetings and a union picnic of the club and grange. The field meetings will include a visit to the town farm, a place in which all are interested, both on account of its present condition and the future prospects. As the meeting appointed for next Monday evening, postponed, was the last one on the winter program, probably no more will be held until the field meetings open.

A petition is in circulation requesting Congressman Sprague to use his influence to secure the appointment of H. E. Talbot as postmaster at the expiration of Postmaster Conroy's term of office, some time in May. It has the official endorsement of the Republican town committee. Mr. Conroy has filled the position with credit and has been a most competent and obliging official, proving a worthy successor to his predecessor, Mr. Talbot, who also retired from the office with an excellent record.

There was a good attendance at the High school on Friday evening to enjoy the illustrated lecture and entertainment by Rev. Masashi Kobayshi of Japan. He was assisted in the wedding ceremony by Misses Mary Hutchinson, Maisie Russell, Charles Hutchinson, George Sneath, Arthur Stewart, Elmer Thayer, Alden Abbott and Master Reed. The lecture included explanations of the many Japanese curiosities on exhibition and descriptions of farming and other labors in Japan, religious ideas, social customs, singing in the Japanese language and the wedding ceremony.

The following item from the Boston Transcript shows that Franklin is always alive to "bargains" on the market: "According to the deeds transferring the title to the Framingham Agricultural Fair grounds at Framingham, the actual buyer is Addison M. Thayer of Franklin, who buys for investment. The property was sold by auction on Saturday, March 10, under foreclosure proceedings brought by the receivers of the Framingham Savings bank. The price paid, according to the revenue stamps on the deeds, is $5,600, or less than one-half of what the property is assessed for." Mr. Thayer is "mum" regarding his intentions, having several fine offers under advisement.

The community was shocked yesterday to learn of the death of W. H. Gould, many not knowing that he had been sick. He died on Sunday at 4 a. m. of heart failure, preceded by an attack of the grip. He had been sick but a couple of weeks, and Mrs. Gould is also so sick that her recovery is hardly expected. Mr. Gould has lived here for thirty-nine years, but has been in no active business for the past eighteen years, when he was a contractor. He leaves a widow, two daughters, Mrs. E. F. Austin of this place, Mrs. F. A. Everett of Oxford, and one son, A. W. Gould, of Milford. He was 72 years of age. The funeral was held at the Universalist church this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Hodge officiating.

The New Liquor Officer.

The announcement that Deputy Sheriff Fitzpatrick had been appointed liquor officer by the selectmen at their meeting on Friday evening occasioned no little surprise upon the street, as it was not generally known that he was a candidate for the office. Indeed, it is asserted that he was not, but might be induced to take it if elected. It is understood that each selectman presented a candidate, but the genial sheriff was finally selected. A petition containing 114 names was also presented, asking that Officer Nickerson be retained, but for some reason the selectmen saw fit to act otherwise.

When Anthony Connor was selected two or three years ago there was not a little criticism indulged in as soon as the selection was made, but the SENTINEL counseled patience, that the new appointee might be given an opportunity of proving himself the man for the place. In this instance we say the same thing. There are a number of things favorable to be said in regard to the new appointee. He understands what needs to be done. He fully knows the temper of the temperance people of this town, as expressed in the recent vote for no license, and further, he has had no little experience in dealing with law breakers, all of which should have a tendency to keep him up to his duty.

The salary is ample, so that he may employ state detectives should occasion offer. At times they are indispensable, and we trust he will avail himself of their services. It is an old saying that you must fight fire with fire, and when law breakers are using every means to defy the law, something out of the ordinary must be employed to detect and punish them. Again, he will find abundant opportunity to exercise all the talent he has in bringing law breakers to justice, and in that effort he will have the support of every law-abiding citizen in town, but they will not do his work; that remains for him to do, and for that purpose has he been selected.

It has been asserted that during the past three months there have been more evidences of the sale of liquor upon our streets than of its suppression, which ought not to be, and we trust that he will remedy it as speedily as possible. People are watching the new appointee, and do not propose to have their no-license votes made void and of no effect.

A Great Sale of Horses Contemplated.

D. W. Corson & Co., auctioneers and appraisers, wish to give special notice that there will be one of the greatest auction sales of high-bred trotting, breeding and racing prospects within a few weeks that has ever been held in Norfolk county, which will include all of J. J. McCarthy's racing stable in Franklin, consisting of 25 head or more of the best bred horses in the country, together with the whole outfit of sulkies, jog carts, road wagons, etc. This being a special sale, those having good horses that they desire to dispose of can enter the same in this sale upon application to D. W. Corson, Franklin, Mass., who will furnish terms, etc. The date of this sale will be announced in all the leading papers of New England in the near future.

Dental Notice.

I have, since the death of my associate, the late Dr. John T. Stetson, disposed of my Boston office. I will devote my entire time to Franklin patients of myself and the late Dr. Stetson. I extend sincere thanks to all who have for so many years held confidence in my ability, assuring them that renewed efforts will be made to merit a continuance of their patronage.

DR. METCALF E. POND.

Franklin, March 23, 1900.

Spring Changes are about due. You will want new picture frames to brighten up the freshened rooms, and you will want them up to date. The latest styles, in perfect taste, are simple and inexpensive. Many of my new spring mouldings are in and others coming.

CALKIN, Depot St.

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea-food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

THE LAND OF THE SKY.

BATTERY PARK HOTEL,
ASHEVILLE, N. C., March 25, 1900.

The beauty, the wit, the deep glance of the eye, the subtle and untranslatable charm of a fascinating woman is felt long after we leave her presence. She draws us by an irresistible spell back to the sound of her voice, the grace of her smile. Once caught in the mesh of her weaving, the entanglement becomes a delicious bondage. It is a joy.

I could but make this comparison when, attracted back from the whirl and gaiety of the Mardi Gras spectacle, I once more found myself in the "Land of the Sky." Here on a hilltop, with one sweep of the vision, the loveliness and fascination of Nature's unrivalled scenery appeals with unquestionable power to mind and soul. The air is so refreshing, tonic, exhilarating, the breeze mild and gentle as a mother's kiss, that one cannot have enough of it. The lungs expand to the full and take in the fair spring odors which arise from the sun-heated mountain sides where buds begin to swell, and birds are happily prattling and nest building. Long rows of purple and pink crocuses, a rosary of summer promises, border all the walks, and little children digging dandelions send rollicking laughter across the lawn.

How many things in life are undertaken with a willingness to endure discomfort for the sake of the coveted end! People who are deathly seasick from start to finish will still patiently endure all that to go to Europe. People who delight in grand views will travel over the roughest roads and put up with the poorest accommodations to secure them. How seldom it is that one can plan a trip which is not too far, not too tiresome, not too dull and uninteresting in transit, not too laborious, not too full of unpleasant features! In coming to this region, let it be from New York, the West or New Orleans, not one of all these annoyances and endurances is necessary. The trains are luxurious beyond words. The distance is but medium. The speed is exceptionable, the scenery is historic, beautiful, rising to wonder, grandeur and splendor; and the comfort of the body, the healing invigorating, appetizing air of these heights banishes the last touch of melancholy or nervousness from the system.

People rarely think that Nature has one cure for mental depression which can be had for the asking. Altitude is one of the most remarkable cheer-bringers in the world. Laughter and high spirits, careless, happy feelings are the product of altitude as surely as that seaside cities invariably produce low nervous conditions, especially in winter. In this pretty place one is lifted 2,210 feet above New York, and this great hotel, the home of hundreds during the round year, while practically standing castle-like in the very center of the town, is, nevertheless, raised 250 feet above it, and is encircled by the winding Swannanoa and by the French Broad, whose stately cliffs and rich gorge-divided borders should long before this have become the subject for poetry and song.

To anyone who, for even a brief stay, would enter a place where everything combines to make one happy, the restful yet active atmosphere of this house where I am stopping will prove a boon. Although comfortably filled, and it can easily accommodate 500 people, the home-like and refined ease of all the guests makes the Battery Park seem more like one's own habitation than a great hotel. The service is so accurate, swift and courteous. Everything and everybody seem so ready and yet there is neither haste nor confusion, where hundreds must be waited upon, that we feel behind us a marvelous system, a clear-headed, scientific management which is almost automatic. Civilization has reached a point where this perfection in the details of life is constantly demanded, and with the necessity arises the genius who can fill it.

A hundred things are provided for our amusement daily, so that nobody asks "What shall we do now?" The answer comes of itself, as, for instance, yesterday, when carriages began to flock up the meandering driveways to the upper lawn, parties on horseback galloped up and flung rein from their beautiful creatures' necks to the attendant grooms, (for they ride magnificent animals here) and guests came out into the brilliant, June-like sunshine to witness a real North Carolina set of games and sports by the native darkeys of the country. Such fun, such innocent merriment as these ambitious fellows made for us with their greased pole, barrel race, sack race, ladder contest and crude but efficient boxing, while the little ones scrambled and rolled over the short green grass trying to secure the dimes, and nickels thrown for them! Just a jolly out door lark for all, with many a reminiscence among the men of school-boy pranks at home.

Tonight in the immense ball room will occur one of those famous balls which call out the invited gentry of the whole vicinity and display a magnificence of costume that proves astonishing to the transient comer. If the mishape of South Africa at Kimberly have made the diamond trebly precious, fortunes galore must be held in fee within a radius of ten miles, for everyone seems to have the king gem to display with gowns that match their costliness.

But, it is the morning drive, or walk, or electric car ride, far into the heart of the hills, that brings the flush of health to the cheek, the depth and color to the eye! It is the exploration of the sublime heights that turn from blue to rose at sunset or are softened by a silvery haze at mid day! It is the "loafing and inviting the soul" in the shadow of huge trees or playing a keen game of golf in the open stretches that renews the fire of life within and bids defiance to old Time!

The society belle, dawdling wearily over her lotions and cosmetics, spending hours in the bath and by every artificial method trying to recover that tone, freshness and youthfulness of beauty which she has lost in city dissipations, can find her physician here in the clear, crystal water and out-door medicants provided by a climate made equable by the happily concerted conditions of latitude, altitude, mountains shutting off storms and winds and the soothing influence of a sky scape as blue and smiling as heaven.

It is not surprising that thousands of visitors from the south in summer time seek this matchless region where the mountains are clothed in deep green forest to their tops, to enjoy the bracing atmosphere; nor that thousands of Northerners escape the sudden changes and oppressive rigor of winter snows and blizzards in pleasurable outdoor life from November to May, or becoming worshippers, remain, perching their houses like birds' nests on the slopes of the Appalachian range. "It is high, it is dry, 'tis the Land of the Sky," and from many a heart will go up a thought of thanksgiving for a stay amid its fastnesses.

CORA LINN DANIELS.

What Is Our Duty to the Philippines?

On Sabbath evening Rev. Mr. Sneath spoke upon our duty to the Philippines. He said: Seven thousand miles from San Francisco are the Philippines, numbering 1,200 to 1,500, covering an area of 150,000 square miles, fertile in character. They are worthy of consideration. After 300 years of Spanish domination, in the providence of God they have come under the control of the United States. What shall be the attitude of the United States with reference to them? First, we should give to them the benefits of our educational system. The education which most of the Filopinos have received is covered by reading, writing and simple arithmetic. Intelligence is the foundation of good government. The United States very wisely made provision for a school system in Cuba. It is preparing to do the same in the Philippines. This is as it should be.

Second, as rapidly as possible the people should be trained in the knowledge and practice of self-government. For this they are not competent today. This is the testimony of experts. But they are a docile, tractable people, and have the capacity for self-government. The aim of the government should be in this direction.

Third, we should give them the gospel. This people have been under the tyranny of the Friars. The result is a people who are superstitious, ignorant and idolatrous. The official correspondent of the Outlook declares that they are as idolatrous as the "heathen Chinee." These Friars have a very unsavory reputation and are hated and despised by the Filipinos. The first duty of the people of the U. S. is to give them the benefit of a true gospel. The new century will open with a magnificent mission before the American people. Without doubt they will be wise to perform it.

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Up stairs tenement to let on Central street. Inquire of A. M. Haggart. 6tf

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Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1900.

THE Paris exposition will open on time April 14, though it won't be any where near ready In that respect it won't differ from other fairs

FAXON of Quincy is after the police of that city for permitting school boys to smoke cigarettes and frequent saloons. He has got a big task on hand, but a worthy one.

WHAT a scare Boston had, to be sure, when it was thought the order had gone forth that Sapho could not be sold in the city. It was all a mistake; the order was simply to stop the sale upon the streets.

PRES. HARPER of the Chicago university raised his 3,000,000 all right and got 2,000,000 more from Rockefeller. It looks as if the Rockefeller purse had no bottom so far as this institution is concerned.

THE AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR is to take base ball under its wing, and secure justice for the players. That will be much better work than ordering strikes without occasion. Here's power to the association.

McKINLEY and Long sounds all right and would be all right, but the time has not come when the Republican party fears to lose New England, and not till then will New England be given a candidate for either office.

QUEEN VICTORIA landed in Ireland on Wednesday for the first time in thirty-nine years. This one visit may not atone for years of injustice, but the seed is being sown which may bear rich fruitage, if Ireland nourishes it rightly.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR DAVIS has resigned his position because he sympathises with the Boers and wishes to speak in their behalf. His resignation shows his manliness, so long as his goverment shows no sympathy.

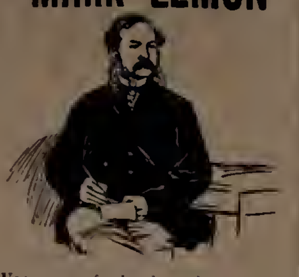
FOR the first time Lord Roberts has been obliged to say "I regret to report," but the utter incapacity of one of his officers made it necessary. That officer is said to be very close to the Queen, by the way, and the mistake cost a good many lives.

ALL Massachusetts is agog over the coming of McKinley to this state April 26 to the Manufacturers' convention, when the occasion will be a bigger one even than that of last year. New England won't be given the go-by this year by any presidential candidate.

ALL honor to our Legislature which had the manliness to kill the proposition to increase the salaries of the present members to $1,000 a year. What it might do for its successors is quite another matter, though as it stands today there are but three states that pay more and twenty-four that pay less.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY GARDINER of New York has been one of the worst of the Tammany officials because of his intelligence and because of his power to shield evil doers. But it now looks as if his time had come, as it is understood that Roosevelt may remove him. The sooner the better for New York, but he isn't the only one.

THE ice trust will now double the price of that commodity to the poor of New York and other cities. There should be some law which would protect poor people and prevent the trusts from controling the necessaries of life. In Russia the government has just confiscated the oil trust because of its extortions. What's the matter with that course here?



MARK LEMON

Was one of the best known and most valued contributors to London "Punch" in its early days.

His wit flavored the paper and added much to what was already good.

Lemon to-day is good in various kinds of *punch*, and many people think a bit of lemon is a good addition to a cup of tea.

It takes more than the flavor of lemon alone, however, to insure a choice cup of tea.

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SOME FIRST APPEARANCES.

Envelopes were first used in 1839.

The first air pump was made in 1654.

Anaesthesia was first discovered in 1844.

The first balloon ascent was made in 1783.

The first lucifer match was made in 1829.

The first horse railroad was built in 1826-7.

The first matches were made at Nuremburg in 1477.

The first newspaper advertisements appeared in 1652.

The first copper coin was coined in New Haven in 1687.

Kerosene was first used for lighting purposes in 1826.

The first almanac was printed by George von Purback in 1460.

The first chimneys were introduced into Rome from Padua in 1368.

Glass was early discovered. Glass beads were found on mummies over 3,000 years old.

The first attempt to manufacture pins in this country was made soon after the war of 1812.

The first national bank in the United States was incorporated by congress, December 31, 1783.

The first temperance society in this country was organized in Saratoga county, N. Y., in March, 1808.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Germany has organized a tool trust for the purpose of antagonizing the introduction of American-made tools into that country.

Already half a dozen American engineering plants have been established in Europe, and some 20 more American firms have the matter of building European plants under consideration.

Several soda lakes have been found in the foothills near Ashcroft, B. C. According to Feilden's Magazine, their bottoms and shores are incrusted with a natural washing compound containing borax and soda. It is quite equal to the washing powders in common use for cleansing purposes. About 275 tons of the compound have been cut and taken out of one lake. It is handled exactly the same as ice. One lake alone contains 20,000 tons.

The production of petroleum in the world is 5,000,000,000 gallons, of which 2,500,000,000 are produced in the United States, 2,250,000,000 in Russia, 87,000,000 in Austria, 72,000,000 in Sumatra, 30,000,000 in Java, 29,000,000 in Canada, 24,000,000 in Roumania, 15,000,000 in India, 8,000,000 in Japan, 7,000,000 in Germany, 3,000,000 in Peru and the smaller remainder in Italy and other countries.

Our Desires.

In childhood days to get the moon
We cry for all we're worth;
But when maturer judgment comes
We then desire the earth.
—Puck.

Cut in Two.

Mrs. Bibbits—So you have named your girl twin Henrietta?

Mrs. Tibbits—Yes, but I changed it a little. It was such a long name that I cut it in two and called the boy Henry and the girl Etta.—Chicago Daily News.

Not Worrying.

Mamma—Don't eat any more candy, Johnny. You won't be able to eat any dinner.

Johnny—You ought to know more about my appetite than that, mamma.—Brooklyn Life.

The Soul of Frankness.

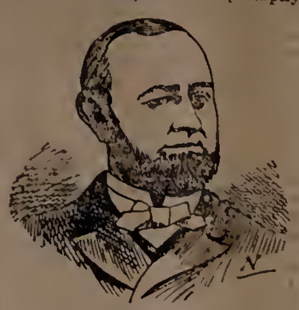
Old Lady—If you must play ball in the street why don't you go down to the vacant lots in the next block?

Small Boy—'Cause there ain't no winders to break down there.—Judge.

TRAVELING IN JAPAN.

Bishop Earl Cranston Speaks of His Experience in Hotels in the Mikado's Realm.

Bishop Earl Cranston in the Northwestern Christian Advocate has been telling the readers of that paper something of his experiences in hotels in Japan. Naturally they were very novel. The guest enters a little area, practically an extension of the street or sidewalk, and sees before him a low platform or raised floor, from which he is greeted by the host with profound bows, forehead touching the floor. Nothing resembling the European or American hotel office is seen—only a little table with an inkstone, where accounts are made up. Servants promptly assist the guests to take off their shoes and then sandals are supplied if the travelers have none of their own; they are then escorted upstairs, without rails, to a ten-mat room or a 12-mat room, etc., the price varying according to the number of mats. As the latter are soft and noiseless they are soon appreciated by the tired tourist. Even in winter the only heating apparatus visible is a box of ashes "with a nest of coals;" the doors are of paper and work on slides, and with a slight push from the outside every movement of the guest is visible. The waiters are called by clapping the hands and approach the guest on their knees to receive his commands. In the absence of chairs the traveler has to content himself with mats and sitting upon his heels, Japanese fashion, or in some adaptation of it. As to meals, "foreign food"—beefsteak, chickens, butter, eggs and potatoes—can now be had at all the leading hotels, though sometimes it is spoiled in the cooking. Perhaps nowhere else are travelers treated with the courtesy and distinction they are in Japan—a reason, possibly, why the "land of the morning calm" of late years has become so popular with tourists.

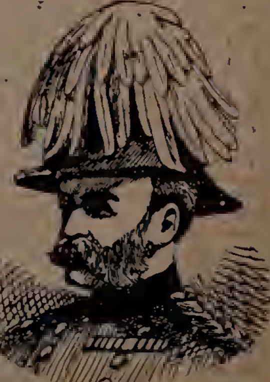


BISHOP EARL CRANSTON.
(Methodist Divine Who Has Recently Returned from the Orient.)

SIR CORNELIUS CLERY.

Commander of the Second Division of Gen. Buller's Army Corps in South Africa.

Maj. Gen. Sir Cornelius Francis Clery, K. C. B., in command of the Second division of Buller's army corps in South Africa, is now matched against Gen. Joubert, and these two old and grizzled soldiers may fight it out in Natal. Gen. Clery is an officer of European reputation. "Clery on Minor Tactics" is a standard work in the educational department of every army on the continent. Its author has been a British officer 41 years, entering the army at 21. He was given his present rank in 1894. As a tactician he is probably without an equal, and his executive and administrative ability has stood some of the most severe tests. He has done considerable fighting in Egypt and Zululand and has been assigned to special service at the Cape. His extraordinary knowledge of tactics will not be useless in his engagements with the Boers



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Unjust.

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"How can you say so, Henry," exclaimed the young wife, righteously indignant, "when you know I have two of the loveliest rainy day skirts that were ever made!"—Chicago Tribune.

The Place for It.

"Well, gentlemen," remarked the president of the club, "motions are in order. It has been suggested that we have a banquet. What shall be done?"

"Mr. President," spoke up the man-who-was-seldom-heard-from, "I move we dispose of it by laying it on the table."

The motion was carried.—Philadelphia North American.

The Only Sure Way.

Country Doctor (catechising)—Now, little boy, what must we all do in order to enter Heaven?

Boy—Die.

Country Doctor—Quite right—but what must we all do before we die?

Boy—Get sick and send for you!—Judge.

Presence vs. Presents.

"Our engagement is at an end. Leave my presence at once, sir, and forever!" said the angry maiden, stamping her foot.

"Oh, very well," answered the young man calmly. "I'll gladly leave your presence, but I shall take my presents with me."—Chicago Daily News.

What She Does.

First Lady Clerk — There goes the meanest woman in town.

Second Lady Clerk—Who is she?

First Lady Clerk—I don't know, but she is always coming in here, and wanting something we haven't got.—Chicago Daily Record.

Hard to Tell.

"George," murmured the young wife, "am I as dear to you now as I was before we married?"

"I can't exactly tell," replied the husband, absent-mindedly; "I didn't keep any account of my expenses then."—Tit-Bits.

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On the Strict Q. T.

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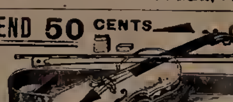

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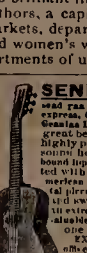

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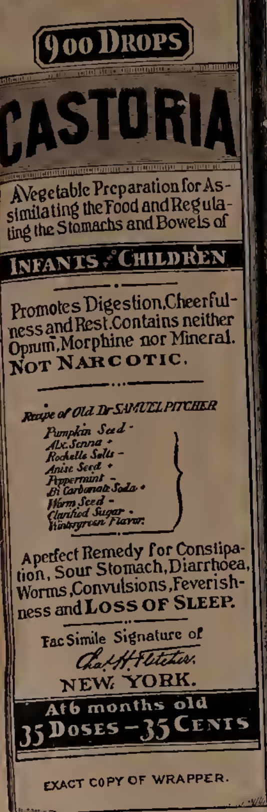

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Their Sincerity Not to Be Doubted—A Sunday Morning Baptism in the Potomac—The Ceremony Described.

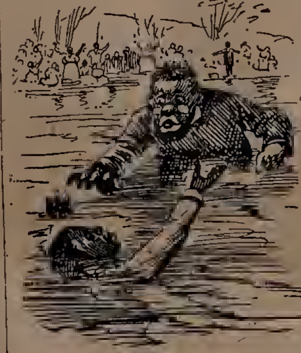
[Special Washington Letter.]

THREE newspaper men were taking a Sunday morning walk with the intention to go over the heights of Georgetown beyond the ancient Rock of Dumbarton, when, as we were nearing the historic stream of Rock creek, which divides the old-time commercial port from the national capital, we heard the voices of hundreds of people singing religious songs and shouting amen and hallelujah. There was evidently a ceremony of baptism being performed by the colored people of our city, because we had heard similar sounds upon one occasion before, although we had never been present at any such occasion in this city or the vicinity.

We deflected our course and came to the P street bridge, over which the Metropolitan street cars run, and standing upon that structure we witnessed an unusual scene, even for the District of Columbia. There must have been not less than 5,000 colored people upon one bank of the stream, while there were upwards of 3,000 white people upon the other side, all gathered together to witness the immersion of about two score colored men and women, who were to be admitted as members of the Baptist church after public compliance with the most important regulation of that religious body.

While not disposed to smile or laugh at things religious, nor ridicule anything of that nature, a great many things occurred which were provocative of laughter, in spite of the fact that these people were earnest, sincere and honestly seeking salvation. While all of the good people upon the eastern shore of the creek were singing: "We are kneeling at the altar on our knees, and we face the rising sun; Lord have mercy on our souls," a young colored girl not more than 16 years of age entered the water and was led into a deep place by the pastor.

She was so carried away by religious zeal and enthusiasm that it required the united strength of the pastor and his assistant to hold the girl and keep her from drowning herself. She was slippery as an eel, and it really seemed as though she would drown herself in the fervor of her frenzy. Several times she jumped into the water far beyond her depth, but was ultimately held in check, while the pastor uttered a few words of invocation and pushed her under the water. While this struggle was going on the people on the bank were singing: "Way over yonder where I wander, angels are looking on me."



BEYOND HER DEPTH.

"Sister Susan is saved." "Sister Bettie is saved." "Glory be to God. Hallelujah!" "Praise the Lord for evermore!"

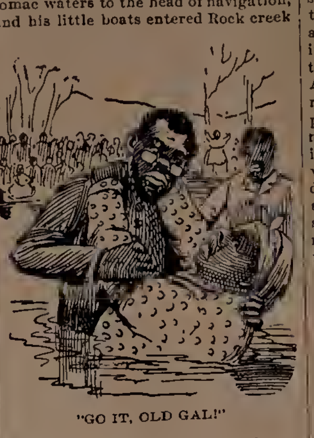
Those were a few of the ejaculations which burst in unison from the throats of the assembled multitude, as sister after sister was immersed and blessed by the pastor. There was one athletic old woman, who weighed 300 pounds at least, who grasped the pastor around the throat and hauled his head under the water, which, by the way, looked very much like thick bean soup. The crying and wailing and crooning of the negro plantation melodies were like barbaric singing of ante-bellum times. One of their peculiar cries as the waters rolled over the heads of the converts was: "The waters of Jordan are rolling over my soul. Glory be to God! Hallelujah!"

Standing on the bridge, as we did, above the people, every word they uttered came up to us distinctly, and the voices of praise rang up and down the peaceful valley so that they must have been heard fully two miles by the people who dwell in the beautiful cottages along the banks of the stream.

The place chosen for the baptismal ceremony was only a quarter of a mile above the mouth of the sewer of Georgetown. There were upwards of 40 people baptized, and there was no foolishness about it, either, for every one of them went under the water and some of them were kept under for a long time. There were very few men in the congregation who were thus taken into the church. The majority of them were women, and nearly all of them girls. When the heavy old woman hauled her pastor under the water there were at least fourscore people on the banks who cried: "Go it, old gal. Go it, old gal. The preacher needs to baptize his soul, too. Go it, old gal!"

Upon every announcement of the profession of faith, the people were soused under the water with a swish, and when their heads went out of sight their heels went above the water, and they kicked and screamed like mad. There is nothing on earth more deeply earnest than the profession of religious faith by the people who have come up out of the darkness of the bondage of slavery. Of course, their educational condition is yet circumscribed. Very often too much is expected of them. It is not fair for a race which has steadily grown for a thousand years to expect another race to attain perfection in a quarter of a century. These people are learning of the same Master whose worship we have learned from our infancy. Nevertheless, it was almost impossible for my friends and myself to realize the actual solemnity of the occasion, on account of the many ludicrous things said and done, as heard and seen from our vantage ground.

Capt. John Smith sailed these Potomac waters to the head of navigation, and his little boats entered Rock creek and anchored there. The Scotchman, Beall, who named the heights the Rock of Dumbarton, worshiped on these very banks. Here the Potomacs and Alalostans, and Occoquans of the south, allied their forces and met in deadly conflict the powerful Susquehannas of the north, and gave them their Waterloo. Here the aboriginal inhabitants of the Blue Ridge mountains came to hunt and fish and spend their winters; deserting their mountain resorts until the warmth of genial spring and balmy summer wooed them back again to the crags and peaks, the springs and streams of the high altitude. Here, only a generation since, the soldiers of the north rendezvoused and recruited for mortal combat with their impetuous and valorous cousins of the south. But the wars of nations and races have passed into memories; and in the name of the Prince of Peace the people of another race perform the ceremony which initiates them into the fellowship of the religion of love, and teaches them that joy is duty and love is law.



"GO IT, OLD GAL!"

That old colored pastor was a peculiar specimen of his race. He wore no gown nor insignia of the rank of episcopacy or presbytery. His long frock coat was buttoned up to the neck; his shaggy, gray-black beard and hair glistened in the sunlight; his spectacles clung to his ample nose, and their gold bows gave added dignity to his appearance. He was not aged nor venerable, but strong and powerful physically. His voice was deep, rasping, penetrating, and his invocations were distinctly audible above the volume of praise, song, shouting and hullabaloo of the multitude. That he was a man of influence with his people was manifest when, by simply raising his hand and beckoning to the people, he commanded silence when every new convert came down into the chilly waters to meet him.

When the last baptism had been made, he slowly came upon dry land, and stood there in dripping garments and delivered a sermon, an earnest lecture to the people, and at last dismissed them with the benediction. He had been in the water for more than an hour. If he does not die of pneumonia or the grippe it will undoubtedly be because of a dispensation of providence.

When the spectators reached the western end of the bridge, intending to continue their walk, there was a cry of distress and pain, a rush of scores of men pell mell into a commingled mass of writhing legs and arms, all of the people pushing and crowding towards a common center, many of them striking out right and left like rioters and bruisers. The solitary policeman helplessly struggled to wedge his way towards the center of the crowd, but could do nothing until the crowd gradually separated. Then it was discovered that several men had been cut with razors, ten or more had been struck with fists and sticks, and the appearance of the individuals emerging from the center of the melee was very unprepossessing. As usual, somebody had started a quarrel, a sufficient number of friends of the participants had reenforced their neighbors, and the meeting had closed in turmoil and disorder. The words of wisdom had evidently fallen upon some deaf ears. The solemnity of the occasion had manifestly made no impression upon several minds yet in the darkness of sin. There are black sheep in all families, and in all churches.

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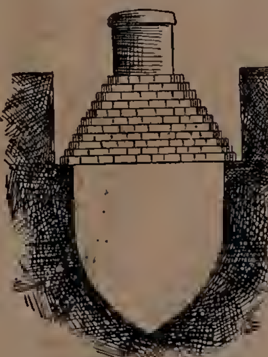

A CHEAP CISTERN.

After the clay wall has become somewhat dry, take a mallet and chisel and chip numerous crevices into the clay. It is now ready to trowel on the cement. After the walls are well troweled down, erect the brick top, laying each brick with good cement mortar, cementing and troweling down both inside and outside of wall until top is reached, then erect sewer tile as shown in illustration, cementing it well. Fill excavation, mounding up slightly, and you have a cistern that is pure, clean and sanitary and will undoubtedly give you no trouble as long as you live. Make it large enough to hold a bountiful supply of water.—George W. Brown, in Ohio Farmer.

A Mysterious Box.

In 1838 Francis Douce, the antiquary, bequeathed a sealed box to the British museum on condition that it was not to be opened until January 1, 1900. Some literary people in England are now clamoring for information as to its contents, but it is unlikely that their curiosity will be gratified for a long time, as a great many formalities have to be gone through first.—N. Y. Journal.

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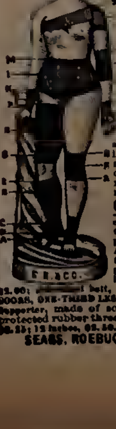

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Ancient Egyptian Monolith in New York Is Falling to Decay.

One of the chief attractions of Central park, in the city of New York, is the Egyptian obelisk erected opposite the Metropolitan Museum of Art. This ancient monolith was erected in Central park in 1881, having been transported from Alexandria, under charge of Lieutenant Commander Gorringe. It was asserted that the severity of our climate would cause disintegration, and steps were taken to prevent this, or to reduce it to a minimum. A careful examination made recently proves that in spite of the care taken to prevent it the process of disintegration has been going on. The ravages of the weather are particularly noticeable on the west face of the obelisk, which has a scaly appearance in certain places. This is the side upon which the shaft rested when partly buried in the sands of Egypt, and the hieroglyphics on it are much fainter than on the other three surfaces. Then, the crack which extends from the base to the south side of the obelisk has been gradually spreading, although it was filled with a wooden plug covered with cement when the stone was erected on its present site. The authorities who have charge of the obelisk will make a thorough investigation, and if it can be shown that the monument is in danger of destruction by being exposed to the inclement elements, it will probably be removed and exhibited under cover.

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SHELDONVILLE.

Died at her home Friday evening, March 24, Mrs Susan Follett of Sheldonville, in the 89th year of her age. She leaves one son, Homer A., and one grand son, Charles I., both of this place, and one brother, besides a large circle of relatives and friends It was peculiarly trying to the son, who was confined to his room with a severe attack of grip The funeral occurred Tuesday at 12 m. at her late residence and was largely attended. Rev. F. B. Sleeper, pastor of the Baptist church, officiated. Among the floral tributes were a crown of tulips and ferns with the word "mother," a pillow of callas, carnations and ferns with the word "sister" and a bouquet of white carnations. The interment was at Sheldonville cemetery. The bearers were N. Falk, G. S. Sheldon, W. C Averill and B. E. Sheldon.

NORFOLK.

The young people of this town have for several weeks been carefully preparing to present the comedy drama, "Diamonds and Hearts," for the benefit of the band, and as presented last Friday evening was decidedly the event of the season in this community, as evidenced by the frequent and liberal applause of the large audience which packed the hall to the doors In the audience were visitors from Franklin, Walpole, Medfield, Medway, Attleboro and Millis. Miss Stella Holbrook played the leading part very successfully. Miss Grace Bragg, as her sister, was highly commended for her clever acting, as was also Miss Esther Ware. Miss Ina Moulton took her difficult part with credit. Miss Austin Green, as Hannah, performed her household duties as no other could. Joseph Sharpe, as a granger, and Master Allen Moulton, as the darkey, kept the audience in a continual roar. Percy D Hodges, as the villain, was calm and collected, and Arthur Jenness, as Dr. Burton, was all that could be desired. The play will be repeated Wednesday evening, April 18.

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WRENTHAM.

Miss Clara J. Randall is visiting her aunts, the Misses Randall, in Providence.——Miss Addie Merriam of Corry, Pa., is visiting her sister, Miss Sarah Grant.——The Holly club met Tuesday afternoon with Miss H. Lizzie Wilkinson, the subject being "John Ruskin."——Miss Florence A Fisher is visiting relatives in Brookline.——Mr. and Mrs Joseph H. Daniels have returned from their Southern trip.——A number of samples of fine hats have been made to ship to Paris by Daniel Brown.——Work commenced on the electric road Monday morning, the Italians being in camp near Eagle factory.——Miss Ouida Stone is the guest of Mrs Clarence M. Dunbar in Attleboro.——Alonzo Cook is sick with the grip and is being attended by a physician for the first time in fifty years.——P. H. Hines sold at auction stock of horses and cariages recently. There was a large attendance and good prices were realized.

WHERE HONESTY EXISTS.

No Burglar Alarms Are Required in the Small Towns of Connecticut.

"People in the small towns up in Connecticut," said a traveling man, "appear to be much more honest than they are in New York. Not one family in ten thinks of such a thing as burglar alarms, and half of them do not even lock their outer doors when they retire. But what impresses me most are the street laundry boxes.

"Nearly every town of 5,000 or more inhabitants has several places where laundry packages are received and delivered. These places are generally dry goods or notion stores, or haberdasheries. Suburban merchants as a rule do not keep their stores open much later than eight o'clock in the evening, and do not open them until seven or half-past seven in the morning.

"This does not suit all their patrons, so it is no infrequent sight to see outside the store a large red box with a fair-sized opening in the top. The box bears the legend: 'If the store is closed, put your laundry in here.' Now just imagine a New York laundry office using a receptacle like that. Why, five minutes after a package was deposited in the box it would be fished out and in an hour its contents would be in the possession of some dealer in second-hand clothing. But up in Connecticut the scheme seems to work very well, and all I can say is that it is a tribute to the general honesty of the community."

COULD NOT RESIST BOOTS.

A Woman Who Had Never Stolen Anything, But Them She Would Steal.

Here is a respectable looking middle-aged woman; 20 times at least she has been sent to varying terms of imprisonment for stealing from shops; an incorrigible shoplifter she is termed, and so I thought till I came to understand her, says the Contemporary Review. Repeatedly as she was charged the pathos of the whole thing grew upon her. Her silence in the dock and her tears in the cell were irresistible.

So we became friends, and she told me her secret. I found respectable lodgings for her, hired a sewing machine, and secured her plenty of work. She was not idle, and was soon beyond the necessity of stealing. I flattered myself we were on the way to success and I said to her: "Your devil shall be cast out," when all of a sudden the old offense was repeated, and again to prison she went. My heart went out to the wretched creature as she sat in the cell. I could not condemn her, for I knew. With a piteous look into my face she said: "Don't blame me, Mr. Holmes, don't blame me; I can't help it. I would if I could, but I must steal boots." Knowing this, I had provided her liberally with boots to minimize the temptation, but all in vain, and so far as I could ascertain she had never stolen anything but boots.

The "Adamless dinner," at which men are tabooed, is a new fad among society women.

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TIMELY BOOK NOTES.

A new play by Ibsen will be published about Christmas. Its name has not yet been divulged.

Justin McCarthy, the historian and novelist, has just undergone the last of a series of operations for the relief of his eyes, and it is now expected that his sight will be completely restored.

"Ouida" seems to have permanently retired from exploiting the peccadillos of high life, and to have confined herself to extracting the essence of art from the more lowly spheres of life. A new story from her pen is to be entitled "The Waters of Edern," and is a tale of Italian village life.

A volume that will keenly interest a large and ever-growing number of readers is entitled "Lamb and Hazlitt; Further Letters and Records," by W. Carew Hazlitt, which is announced to be published in London. These are two characters in English literature who may be ranked among its princes and about whose works no one ever tires.

Rev. Charles M. Sheldon does not regard "In His Steps" as the best of the several books he has written and published. The reading public, however, does not agree with him, and its verdict is accepted. It is commonly supposed that "In His Steps" netted its author a very large sum, but such is not the case. It was copyrigthed in this country only, so the author receives no royalty from England, where it has had the largest sale. In this country Mr. Sheldon sought to get his book on the market so as to sell it at a low price in order that it would have a wide circulation.

WHAT THE WOMEN ARE DOING.

Lady Colin Campbell is an accomplished fencer.

Miss Helen Long, who has presided over the home of the secretary of the navy for two years, has the degree of M. D. from Johns Hopkins.

Miss Cecilia Beaux, of Philadelphia, has been appointed as the only woman on the jury to select exhibits for the United States fine arts departments at the Paris exposition.

The first Russian woman ever admitted to practice in the United States district court of southern New York is Miss Alice Berber, who was so honored a few days ago.

The first lady student to be received into the Chicago theological seminary is Miss Florence Fensham, professor of Old Testament literature in the American college for girls in Constantinople.

Miss Alice De Rothschild, who was recently naturalized in England, was sincerely devoted to her brother, the late Baron Nathaniel, and inherited a large life interest in his immense fortune. The lady is very clever and a social success.

The widow of former Gov. Atkinson, of Georgia, has created something of a sensation in business and social circles by going into the field as a general state agent for fire and life insurance companies. She says her purpose is to make a living and educate her five children. She is already doing well and has received letters of congratulation from numerous society women.

Killed with Whole Skin.

You may have your bones broken, your heart smashed to a pulp and strong tendons torn, while the skin remains quite uninjured. This is done by large missiles. In the days of the pound cannon ball it was very common, and even now a large, smooth fragment of shell may knock a man over, break his leg and pass on without leaving the smallest mark on the skin. When a shell glides along over the heart, liver, stomach or any other internal organ it bruises and tears it, causing instant death, but the most powerful microscope would not reveal a trace of damage to the skin.—London Answers.

The Parson Who Milked His Cow.

A country pastor, who was very bright and original in his remarks, attracted the notice of a wealthy lady who was spending the summer in the vicinity. One evening she called at the parsonage just as the old minister, clad in overalls, was coming in from the stable with a brimming pail of milk.

"Why, Mr. Smith!" exclaimed the lady, "do you milk a cow?"

"Certainly, madam," was the reply. "What would you have me milk?"

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NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of John T. Stetson, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by George W. Wiggin of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the eleventh day of April, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Sabin Hubbard, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Ernest E. Hubbard of Boston without giving a surety on his bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the 25th day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least, before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 29th day of March, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Nancy J. Roper, late of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JAMES A. SNOW, Executor.

Medway, March 21, 1900. mh27,ap3,10

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Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Ladies' Auxiliary reception Monday evening.

J. E. Clark is shingling his house on Union street.

Mrs. R. C. Crafts has moved her business to Brockton.

Rev. Mr. Chadbourne returns to Medway for another year.

The Republicans will hold a caucus at the Town hall April 18.

Miss Maggie Nevins, who has been ill with the grip, is recovering.

Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., will hold a regular meeting this evening.

F. H. Bartholomew is having his residence on Cottage street improved.

Henry Bemis continues with a prospect of recovery from his sickness.

Rev. M. J. Lee has been appointed executor of the estate of M. J. McLellan.

Mrs. Carrie I. Metcalf, who has been seriously ill with grip, is slowly improving.

A concert by the children will be given in the Universalist church Easter Sunday at 5 p. m.

Painters are at work upon J. F. Ray's house on Main street, Artist Hutchinson having the job.

The roadmen have been looking after the highway in the north part of the town this week.

There will be rehearsals of the Universalist Easter chorus Friday and Saturday evenings at 7.30.

James McParland's case for beating his horse comes up before Judge Doe tomorrow forenoon.

Contractor G. H. Grant's house on School street is improved by the trimmings upon the piazza.

Davie Thayer is noticeably improving the house at the foot of High street by the addition of a piazza.

Mrs. Frank Ribero has returned to Brookline after spending a week at her father's, Warren Bright.

The small cottage at Unionville near the car barn has been fitted for the office of the Worcester Textile Co.

John Costello, Sr., and John Costello, Jr., attended the funeral of the former's brother at Munson on Tuesday.

Miss Myrtle Grant of this place was married to Samuel Leonard of Wrentham in that town last Saturday.

Mrs. G. I. Partridge has been confined to the house the past few weeks with the grip, but is now somewhat improved.

Mrs. Louis Merrifield of Crescent street, who has been confined to the house the past two weeks, is convalescent.

One of the double new brick houses at Unionville is nearly ready for the roof and the other is completed to the ground floor.

John Cosseboom, in the Ray office in Woonsocket, has been wrestling with the grip, being compelled to lay off for a time.

The funeral of the late William H. Gould was held on Tuesday afternoon, the interment being made in the Union street cemetery.

Officer Connor is now wielding the paint brush, being employed by Artist Dinsmore in retouching the exterior of the Opera house.

Dean academy crosses bats for the first game of the season with the Boston English High, on the campus here, on Saturday afternoon.

A number of the United Workmen enjoyed a social visitation with their brethren of the Ames lodge of Woonsocket on Tuesday evening.

Excelsior lodge, A. F. & A. M., has been invited by Rev. Dr. Hodge to attend services in the Universalist church on Sunday morning, April 22.

The body of Mrs. Horace DeWitt was brought here for burial from Bucksport, Me., on Tuesday, interment being made in the Union street cemetery.

Mrs. Joseph Titcomb is quite seriously sick at her residence on Union street. Miss Josephine Titcomb, a niece living with Mrs. Titcomb, is also sick.

All members of the W. R. C. are invited to be present at the regular meeting Monday evening. A social time is expected; ice cream will be served.

Mrs. H. B. Haslam will have charge of the Y. P. C. U. meeting at the Universalist church on Sunday evening at 6 o'clock, the subject being "Newness of Life."

Tonight, at 7.30, at St. John's Rectory, a Good Friday Passion Service will be conducted by the Rector with Meditations on the "Seven Sayings from the Cross."

J. J. McCarthy is to dispose of all the thoroughbred horses in his racing stable within a few weeks, and D. W. Corson & Co., auctioneers, are now arranging for the sale.

Tufts played Harvard on Wednesday, and came very near taking the latter into camp, being beaten by only one run, five to four. It was nearly an errorless game upon both sides.

It is to be remembered that it is now unlawful to cut or trim trees along streets or in public places. The tree warden has to direct all that. His notice will be issued soon.

Rev. S. A. Cook has been returned by the conference to this charge, as all his friends will be pleased to learn. He has been very earnest and faithful in his efforts since coming to Franklin.

Several forest fires have been reported during the past week. Some of them have been put out without much trouble, while others have burned over several acres before they were subdued.

Frank Pendergast, who has been employed in O. B. Carter's furnishing store at Watertown, has accepted a position with the Combination Clothing company here, beginning his duties on Monday.

An extra force of men are at work on the portion of St. Mary's new building to be used as a chapel. Work is being hurried in order to have the chapel in readiness for the holding of Easter services.

"Nan, the Mascot," will be presented by St. Mary's Dramatic society at the Opera house on the evening of Patriots' day, Thursday, April 19. The American Band orchestra will furnish music and after the play there will be dancing until 2 a. m.

Miss Vitaline Longua, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Longua of McCarthy street, died on Tuesday morning of lung trouble. She was 23 years of age and had been a sufferer for a year past. The funeral will take place tomorrow at 2 p. m.

Rev. F. A. Everett, son of A. F. Everett, who has been stationed at Oxford for the past five years, has been transferred to Uxbridge. He was remarkably successful in his Oxford charge, which explains the unusually long service permitted him there.

A number from here are planning to attend the annual meeting of the Norfolk County Temperance union, to be held at the Universalist church, Medfield, Tuesday, April 17, where very interesting morning, afternoon and evening sessions have been arranged.

It is reported that a couple of Franklinites recently went into a restaurant in Woonsocket, and after partaking of a hearty meal refused to "make good." A policeman was called, and as they showed no money a friendly saloon keeper paid the bill and let them off. It is said, however, that he did it with very bad grace, but saw no way to get out of it.

The Medfield and Medway Street Railway company has reached the foot of the hill in Medway, and a large force of men are expected to push the road on toward Franklin as rapidly as possible. While it looks a little later than the first of May just at present, yet it is evident that the company proposes to lose no time in connecting Franklin with Boston, all of which will be fully appreciated.

The Easter Day Services of St. John's church will be Choral Celebration of The Holy Communion, at the Rectory, at 8 a. m.; Sunday School Service at the Baptist Vestry, at 2 p. m., and Choral Vesper Service with Anthems, and Sermon by the Rector on "The Resurrection of the Body." The music will be especially fine. The Brick Envelope offering will be for the Building fund of the Chapel and Parish House.

George H. Cook, one of the superintendents at the Worcester Textile company at Unionville, was married in Worcester, April 3, to Miss Nellie Sumner Lyons. They are now enjoying a wedding trip to Thomasville, Ga., his former home. Upon their return here they will occupy Artist Hutchinson's house on School street, recently purchased of A. M. Thayer.

A petition is in circulation at South Franklin to have the school there reopened. When it was closed a few years ago and the pupils furnished transportation to the centre there were only a few pupils in the district, but since then several children have arrived at school age. It is understood that the school committee are willing to open a school there if it is the wish of the parents.

The reception to be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., next Monday evening at the Opera house promises to be a most successful and enjoyable event. The programme will include a concert by the Savoy orchestra of Providence, an entertainment by local and out-of-town talent and dancing, with a fine "spread" in the Opera house at midnight. A goodly number of out of town guests will be present.

The spring weather has a bad effect upon the school boys and some of the girls, and there are a large number of cases of pupils away from school, more or less. In a good many instances the parents are as much in fault as the children, and perhaps more. There are a few cases of neglect in respect to school attendance where prosecutions may be expected, as they seem to be such that milder means will not accomplish the end desired.

A forest fire at Unionville Saturday burned over about eight acres, most of it belonging to the Goldbury Pond heirs. A gang of men was on hand promptly and cornered the blaze. It is supposed the fire started from sparks from a locomotive on the railroad. Sunday afternoon from 300 to 500 cords of cut wood belonging to Francis Thayer of Bellingham and located in the woods near East Blackstone, were burned. The origin of the blaze is unknown.

William Rockwood has just been presented with a snuff box over 100 years old, given him by a great grand-daughter of Jabez Fisher, the latter being at one time one of Franklin's prominent citizens. The interesting part of the affair is that the snuff box was presented to Mr. Fisher by Mr. Rockwood's grandfather, Timothy Rockwood, who died about 1838. It is in a perfect state of preservation, and Mr. Rockwood values it very highly as an heirloom.

The Carter house on School street, which was recently purchased by Joseph Hutchinson, is being entirely repapered and repainted upon the interior, and the exterior will also have a new coat of paint. A new hot air heater, of the Magee pattern, has also been placed in the cellar, and when the improvements are all completed it will be one of the fine residences of the town. It is understood that the tenant is to be Charles Stewart, the straw goods manufacturer, who will go in about the first of May.

The fair and entertainment arranged by the Woman's Relief Corps on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings proved to be very successful, augmenting the coffers of the good ladies to quite a satisfactory degree. The supper on Tuesday evening was well patronized and was very appetizing and the entertainments on both evenings were all that could be desired. H. E. Bachelor and Miss Minnie Smith were the fortunate ones in securing the sofa pillows, and Miss May Fales secured the suit of clothes. Altogether it was a very enjoyable affair.

J. B. McKinnon, the groceryman, has just purchased the Hotel Briggs of the Misses Mary and Helen Modjeska, having taken possession yesterday. Mr. McKinnon proposes to conduct a first-class hotel, setting as good a table as it is possible to set and paying particular attention to the comfort and convenience of his guests. Although Mr. McKinnon has had no practical experience as a boniface, yet his genial good nature and his capacity for hard work ought to stand him in good stead. His many friends trust that his labors will be crowned with abundant success.

A Franklin machinist has a steam automobile nearly completed, which may be expected upon the streets before many days. The machine is entirely his own makeup, and those who have been favored with a view of it incline to the opinion that the practical test will show that it is one of the best. It is probably somewhat different from a steam carriage invented by a Franklin man a good many years ago, which was seen on the street only once. It had wheels about eight or ten feet in diameter and would go at good speed, the only trouble being to make it go where the rider wanted and not where the machine wanted to go, because they were liable to have a desire in nearly opposite directions.

Dr. D. M. Hodge, the tree warden, is grappling with the tree problem in great shape. The laws relating to the matter are being carefully studied, so that both trees and people may be protected in their rights. If the man who makes two blades of grass grow where one grew before is a public benefactor, how much greater is the man who looks to the life and development of Nature's umbrellas along the highway that give the weary traveler protection when the sun seeks to kiss his brow with a caress that brings a blister to his cuticle. The woodmen now must "spare that tree" along the highway unless the warden says he may cut it down, and the blessings of the lovers of trees will make a bulwark of strength for the official to lay up when his soul is weary in well doing.

The funeral of the late David A. Sawyer, who died on Tuesday, aged 82, was held at the house this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Hodge officiating. Mr. Sawyer had been in somewhat feeble health for some time, but had been out upon the very day he died, the cause of his death being an affection of the heart. He leaves a widow, three daughters, Mrs. S. F. Sargent of Salem, Mrs. E. L. Metcalf and Miss Mary Sawyer, and one son, H. P. Sawyer, of Norway, Me. Mr. Sawyer was born in Cape Elizabeth, Me., coming here about twenty-five years ago. He was a carpenter by trade, but old age compelled him to give up active work some years ago and he and his wife have occupied the same house with E. L Metcalf on Central street. Mr. Sawyer and his family have always been regular attendants at the Universalist church.

Song Recital and Lecture.

The Alden club held an open meeting at Dean academy last Monday evening, at which a large number were present. Mrs. Ray opened the meeting and announced the postponement of the next meeting of the Mothers' section to April 26 at Unionville, when there will be an address by Dr. Kate Sanborn. An invitation was also given the Alden club by Prof. Peirce to attend a lecture on Shakespeare by the noted Dr. Crowe, at Dean academy, April 26.

Mrs. Jeannette Robinson Murphy, a Southerner, with true love of the South tingling in her veins and ringing in her voice, then gave a charming and unique song recital and lecture to a most appreciative audience.

She sang and acted negro songs, told anecdotes of the colored people and described most lovingly the old Southern mammy, part of the time in the costume of one. She paid a high tribute to the negro melodies which she had loved and studied from a child and told some of the superstitions and stories which had come straight from the far distant parts of Africa and bore striking resemblance to the Old Testament stories that we know so well. Mrs. Murphy's personality is most charming and the evening was one to be long remembered by her hearers, many meeting her informally afterwards. The next meeting of the Alden club will be a home evening on April 23.

Baptist Easter Services.

Easter services will be of special interest at the Baptist church. An excellent printed program has been prepared with an original hymn by the pastor. The church will be finely decorated. In the forenoon Rev. F. B. Sleeper will preach on "Christ the Supreme Force Over Life and Death." In the evening there will be an Easter concert by the Sunday school. The program has been arranged with great care and will prove exceedingly interesting. The holy ordinance of baptism will be administered. The pastor will give a short address on "Raised to Newness of Life." The choir will render the following anthems or solos:

FORENOON.	
"Christ Is Risen from the Dead,"	J. V. Roberts
"The Resurrection,"	Albert J. Holden
"Rejoice, Jerusalem, and Sing,"	Geo. B. Nevins
EVENING.	
"Thanks Be to God,"	Danks
"The Choir Boy,"	Paul B. Armstrong
"The Resurrection and the Life,"	Frederick N. Shackley

A Creditable Showing.

The annual rental of pews at the Congregational church was held Wednesday evening, G. E. Emerson officiating as auctioneer. The premiums obtained were exceedingly satisfactory, while the general demand for sittings was greater than ever before. Previous to the renting a supper was served in the banquet room below, about 150 partaking of and enjoying the feast of good things. At the parish meeting, of which Dr. J. C. Gallison was chairman, $10 was voted to be expended in the care of Dr. Nathaniel Emmons' lot in the cemetery, and J. E. Barber and E. S. Crossman were voted in as members of the parish. E. H. Sherman having resigned as a member of the committee on voluntary offerings, E. S. Cook was selected in his place.

Open Saturday.

I have just put in a new line of choice confectionery, fruit, nuts, soda, cigars, tobacco, etc. Also base ball goods and children's school goods, and shall be pleased to meet my customers once more,
A. E. WINGHENBACH,
Central Square.

One of a Thousand.

A large audience greeted Rev. Mr. Koehne at the Congregational church on Tuesday evening to enjoy his lecture on "Modern Skepticism" Speaking very rapidly he crowded into an hour and a quarter what other speakers would require at least two hours for, and he handled his subject with masterly ability. He gave a broad comprehensive view of Christ, showing that he could not have been an "accident," nor the result of a natural law, but must have been divine. It was keenly analytical, showing not only a vast amount of study and research, but also a depth of thought which was truly remarkable. He noted the times in which Christ lived, the people with whom he lived and came in contact, his wonderful knowledge of men and things, as well as the divine side of his nature, all of which combined to make him the ideal man. No truth stands out today that cannot be found in Christ's teaching. Nothing that he ever taught has since been proven to be untrue. What he did not speak his acts show forth, covering every phase of human life and human needs. The speaker was logical, eloquent and convincing, and gave his hearers a treat which was rare and thoughtful. Next week Tuesday evening he will deliver the gem of his series, "The New Aristocracy, or the Rise of the Common People." This is the lecture that Rev. Mr. Koehne charged one hundred dollars for delivering when he was upon the lecture platform. All who miss it will miss the intellectual treat of their life.

Easter Services at Universalist Church.

Morning worship 10.30 a. m.; offertory in C minor, Batiste; doxology; invocation; Lord's prayer; "Awake, Thou that Sleepest," Goodrich; Psalm 23; "Resurrection Morn," solo, Rodney, Mr. Hartshorne; gospel for the day; prayer; "Alleluia, Christ is Risen," Dennee; hymn, "Sing With All the Sons of Glory," Irons; offertory, Pastorale in E, Lemare; sermon; hymn, "I Know that My Redeemer Lives," Wesley; Finale in E Flat; baptism; right hand of fellowship; communion; benediction.

Vesper hour: Cantata, "The Resurrection," Manney; "Hosanna," Miss Corbin. Concert service under direction of Sunday school.

This Year's Wheel.

The dealers are beginning to stock up with the 1900 models and very soon the cranks can size up what they want to ride, or at least get a line on the new and old firms, and make up a shopping list, as the housewife would say, and the chainless wheel, with a reduction of price will command considerable attention, but the majority of riders will stick to the older models. The machines for this year, as a rule, are bigger, and, so the claim stronger. In many cities the chainless machine with the coaster brake will be the wheel of the year. An improved tire and hard saddle are also among the new requirements that will meet with great demand.

The wheel for this year is lean and rakish and light. Its enamel is brighter and it has ugly little ball grips and ugly joints in its handle bars. Its parts are finely cut and more highly polished than before. On the whole there is little new to the wheel. Adjustable bars and small saddles have been in use several years and so have the coaster brakes and half a dozen kinds of plunger brakes. Among the many makes of wheels displayed now there are a few that differ very greatly from the others, taking them class for class. Some of the manufacturers have their own parts and they are distinctive. But the number of makers have increased so much in the last few years that there are not enough of inventions to go around, and hence many concerns which pretend to be manufacturers of bicycles, now are merely assemblers of the different parts that are manufactured by the standard concerns. In some instances they make their own frames on patterns of their own, but the differences can not be detected readily, because enamel covers so called improvements as well as defects in a wheel. Another striking feature of this year's wheels is the uniformity in the size of bolts, sockets and screws. It is now possible to have a wheel of one make fitted with half a dozen parts made by another manufacturer.—Exchange.

Our Easter Market.

We shall be headquarters for poultry for Easter, fresh killed and tender, from 16 to 20 cents, together with all the vegetables, including spring dug parsnips. We shall also have all the meats, and a roast of beef costing from 8 to 12 cents. We make a specialty of butter, 5 pounds for $1.25, also 5 pounds for $1.50. Then we have tub butter from 23 to 30 cts, and our fancy print at 30 cannot be beaten. No. 1 cider vinegar at 15 cts per gallon.
RICHARDSON, the Marketman.

Children Change

so noticeably from year to year that a faithful record can only be kept by having them photographed frequently. The expense need not be great. This is a favorable time to have sittings before the heat of summer. All school children receive a special discount during this term at
CALKIN'S STUDIO, Depot street.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

The License Question.

The vote in the town elections on the license question shows a much larger license vote than was to be noted last year. Yet of the ten towns that changed their position on the license question, seven that have been "license" town during the past twelve months went for "no license," while only three "no license" towns went for "license." The explanation of this rather curious showing is that the strong sentiment of most Massachusetts towns is for no license, unless the place happens to be a summer resort, when it is sometimes thought best to have a few places licensed to sell liquor rather than to deal with the kitchen barroom. It is true that the kitchen barroom often flourishes in the country towns where the no-license sentiment is strong, and it is not uncommon for the indignation of some citizens to be shown by an increase in the license vote. Still, when the license vote gets large enough to carry an election and saloons are licensed to do business the year round one year's experience often proves enough to put the town back into the "no" column again.—Boston Advertiser.

Are Your Children in School?

It may not be generally known by parents that the law of 1898 not only requires the attendance of all children of school age unless exempt by physical causes, but also has a penalty for the parent or guardian who neglects to cause his children to attend. Non-attendance at five full day sessions or ten half day sessions during any six months, unless the cause is sickness or something of that kind, makes the liability to prosecution. Indeed, the school committee are very seriously considering several cases where the parents are neglecting to have their children attend school as the law requires, and unless there is a change in the conditions prosecutions are very likely to be made.

Mechanical Genius.

The ubiquity of Fred L. Davis' mechanical genius is again illustrated by the traveling bill posting establishment which he has concocted for George I. Partridge. It is a bicycle wheel, to which long iron rods are attached. The ends of these rods serve for handles, where the driver puts on the motive power, and between them, in front of the man and behind the wheel, are the paste pot, brush and posters, all secure.

Friday Evening Service.

Rev. S. A. Cook, pastor of the Methodist church, having returned from the annual conference at Fitchburg, will be present and lead the prayer service tonight. Subject, "A Prospectus of the Coming Year." All are welcome.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending April 11, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. Maude Cook, Mrs. Katie I. Corbett, Mrs. Brunet Dunlavey, Mrs. E. M. Hall, Mrs. Emma Privo, Clara Roberts (pkg.), Miss Katie Russ.

Gentlemen—Ned Johnson, James Marsden, R. E. Meywood.

Emerson's Market.

We have selected the choicest things from the Boston markets, and have spinach, dandelions, radishes, lettuce, rhubarb, cucumbers, Bermuda onions; fresh-killed fowls, lamb, veal, pork, choice beef, and as a delicacy we have Van Camp's celebrated concentrated soups of all kinds. Try them. Also the Brunswick canned goods. Remember, your Easter Sunday dinner will taste right if bought here.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Up stairs tenement to let on Central street. Inquire of A. M. Haggart. 6tf

All kinds of wood, oak, maple, birch and pine at Allen's wood yard, Franklin.

Wanted—Capable Protestant girl for general housework. Mrs. T. L. Martin. 6tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

All orders for cut flowers, potted plants for Easter will receive prompt attention, if given in good season, at Slade's greenhouse, or by mail.

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. See Chas. H. Prince, SENTINEL Office.

For Sale—About 20 fine cows, Jerseys and Holsteins, all giving milk, some coming in soon; one or the lot at private sale. Call at the Waite farm or see Enoch Waite for prices, etc. 6,10,13

House to Rent—Near Lake Pearl, in fine condition, 18 rooms, electric cars run through the yard; to be let at reasonable price or will be sold cheap. About 8 acres of land. House can be used for two tenants if desired; three good cellars; rental price low. Inquire of E. Waite, Franklin, Mass. 6,10,13

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Fine hair cutting, smooth shaving, razors honed and put in order. Ochee the barber.

Farrington has bargains in wall paper that cannot be duplicated in or out of town. See his styles and prices for your spring papering.

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1900.

Dark Side of Speculation.

For uncounted ages it has been an accepted axiom that evil is quick and swift and good is slow and heavy of foot. All the world believes that the truth must labor long and painfully to overtake a lie. In the one field of business success or failure, however, the shining stories of great and sudden wealth far outstrip the less seductive chronicles of fading fortunes and ruinous chronicles of fading fortunes and ruinous reverses. Perhaps this proves the rule. Is it not a fundamental doctrine of philosophers that the lust of riches is a great and widespread evil? Certainly that is true when the avenue by which wealth is sought is the broad path to destruction which is known as margin speculation, and it is in that field of fierce struggles for swift riches that the fortunes won most completely blot out of sight the fortunes lost. There is the place where the danger of forgetting what is disagreeable is most imminent and serious. For example, says the Cleveland Leader, who notices the drop in the market value of stocks in such a day of declining prices as the other day was? Not one in every ten, surely, of the multitude that looked with longing and wonder upon the spectacle of sudden wealth, gained without effort which was presented last winter and last spring when the price of securities rose so steadily and swiftly that anyone who bought them, and did not wait too long, scored handsome profits. It is easy to overlook the news of dropping quotations. A declining market is not celebrated in the papers. The men whose nominal fortunes shrink fast and alarmingly do not say much of their fate. Their stories are not the kind that people like to hear. Yet prices may fall just as swiftly as they rise. Already the total value, at current quotations, of the stocks dealt in by Wall street speculators has fallen hundreds of millions of dollars from the highest point reached this year. The chances are that there may be further shrinkage before 1899 ends. It is the side of speculation which ought never to be forgotten.

Photography of sound has reached a point said to establish the fact that there is no such thing as absolute silence. The machine used is so sensitive that it records the lightest current of air passing through a room and distant noises the ear cannot detect.

A Michigan woman was accused a years ago, on the testimony of her maid, of having fed pounded glass to her husband. The courts were in doubt as to whether it was a case of murder or another phase of the servant girl problem.

The get-rich-quick fraternity are in trouble throughout the country, which is, however, an inevitable result. There has never yet been an operation of the kind that did not result in a smash-up and hurried flight.

Through the efforts of the Audubon society, it is stated, a law was passed by the Illinois legislature which makes the possession of any harmless bird, living or dead, an offense punishable by a fine.

At the bedside of their dying father in Houlton two brothers lately quarreled over the division of the estate, and one kicked the other in the spine, rendering him a hopeless paralytic.

A man in Kansas City has received $5,000 damages from a person who called him "a clabber-faced barnacle." Originality in epithet is so rare nowadays that this seems ungenerous.

Owing to the risk of fire from leakage of electricity the insurance companies are warning their patrons not to use incandescent lights in their windows for holiday displays.

INDIGESTION

If you have it, you know it. You know all about the heavy feeling in the stomach, the formation of gas, the nausea, sick headache, and general weakness of the whole body.

You can't have it a week without your blood being impure and your nerves all exhausted. There's just one remedy for you——

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

There's nothing new about it. Your grandparents took it. 'Twas an old Sarsaparilla before other sarsaparillas were known. It made the word "Sarsaparilla" famous over the whole world.

There's no other sarsaparilla like it. In age and power to cure it's "The leader of them all."

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

Ayer's Pills cure constipation.

"After suffering terribly I was induced to try your Sarsaparilla. I took three bottles and now feel like a new man. I would advise all my fellow creatures to try this medicine, for it has stood the test of time and its curative power cannot be excelled." I. D. GOOD,
Jan. 30, 1899. Browntown, Va.

Write the Doctor.

If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice you can possibly receive, write the doctor freely. You will receive a prompt reply, without cost. Address,
DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

WHIMS OF RACE HORSES.

The Thoroughbreds Are as Full of Queer Notions as the Most Erratic Human Being.

"Talking about people being peculiar," remarked an old trainer out at the Bennings race track the other day, "if there is anything more peculiar than race horses I haven't come across it. Race horses, I mean thoroughbreds, of course, are as full of whims as—well, as a woman, and you've got to humor them just the same as women. I remember one I trained some years ago—a horse, I mean, of course. He was a great one, and few of them could show him the way in. Yet that fellow couldn't be exercised in preparing him for a race unless the boy on him was rigged out in the stable's colors. You couldn't fool him about it, either, for he knew just as well whether the boy was fully dressed as we did, and if he wasn't you couldn't get the old fellow on the track. But when the boy put on the duds, why, the old horse would go out and do all that was wanted of him," says the Washington Star.

"Then there was another that I had that wouldn't associate with other horses, and the consequence was that we had to train him by himself. Actually had to wait every time until every other horse was off the track. Then, when he had the whole track to himself, we had all we could do to get him off when we thought he had been given enough. This same one we had to send to the post by himself, and when we got him there we had to keep him away to one side, off from the bunch. Another one I had was just the opposite, for he wouldn't go on the track, either for exercise or for a race, unless he was accompanied by another horse.

"Then there is the horse that runs true as long as he is in the lead, but will stop and give up the fight the moment another one gets near him or passes him. On the other hand, there is the horse that tries all the harder as long as he is behind. Then there is the horse that will not try if the jockey has a whip, while there are others that will not try unless they are given both whip and spurs. But, as I said, they are very peculiar, and have as many whims as mankind."

Georgia Philosophy.

"How's all the family?"
"Right peart."
"An' how'd your crap turn out?"
"Jest middlin'."
"An' how's the lame mule a-doing?"
"Only toll'ble."
"Bank much taters?"
"Right smart."
"An' yer rheumatism—how's hit?"
"Well, hit's done left one j'int an' crope into another, but ef I ken jest 'rub hit down into my left leg I won't keer much, kase half that leg is wood.'
—Atlanta Constitution.

How Values Exist.

"Sister, give me this silver belt buckle."

"No, Bessie; I've had that too long to give it away."

"Well, sister, give me this other one."

"No, dear; I bought that one only yesterday."—Puck.

Not a Bargain.

"Don't you think," remarked the bankrupt lord to his American wife, "that you ought to call me 'dear?' "

"Yes, I suppose I ought," she replied, "for you certainly are not cheap at any price."—Chicago Daily News.

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

Scottish churchmen are complaining of a lack of suitable candidates for the ministry.

The grandson of the first woman to become a Christian in Zululand was recently ordained a missionary.

A Methodist church in Terre Haute has barred out two evangelists because they would not promise to refrain from teaching socialism.

The professors and students of political economy in a number of the leading universities have taken up the subject of union labels and their influence on wages.

Girard college, Philadelphia, suffers from the nocturnal visitations of a myriad of bats. They have built in great numbers under the eaves of the central hall and about the chapel.

Experiments made in Baden, Germany, in regard to coeducation have convinced the authorities that there is no harm in it, and that it has advantages, especially in the smaller towns.

Charles J. Capen has taught in the Boston Latin school 48 years, and prides himself upon the fact that, though now 76 years of age, no one can yet call him a decrepit old man, nor scarcely a white-haired one.

Mrs. Collis P. Huntington has given Principal H. B. Frissel, of the Hampton normal and agricultural institute, a check for $2,500 for the establishment in Newport News, Va., of a cooking and sewing school for colored girls.

The new education act passed by the West Australian government enacts that any person disturbing a school, or who insults, upbraids, or abuses a teacher in the presence or hearing of the pupils, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding 40 shillings and not less than ten shillings.

TO PRESERVE CIDER.

Subnitrate of Bismuth and Citric Acid Will Keep It Sweet and Clear.

This year's large apple crop has made cider abundant and cheap, and by reason of processes discovered in recent years cider made early in the fall when apples are cheapest remains palatable all winter. With this improvement in the method of preserving cider has come a change of theory as to the unwholesomeness of the beverage. Twenty years ago cider was denounced as a dangerous drink; now it is recommended especially to persons suffering from stomach disorders, and to those of a rheumatic or gouty tendency.

The French have made a medical study of cider, doubtless partly because it takes the place of wine in parts of France, and the result of such study has led the French experts to the conclusion that the presence of malic acid and of tannin in cider makes it of great hygienic value. Some dyspeptics cannot drink it, but in some forms of intestinal trouble it is helpful. It is recommended especially to gouty persons.

To be wholesome, however, cider must be in good condition, and especially it must not be too hard. The old method of putting up cider in a strong and securely corked bottle, along with three or four raisins and a tablespoonful of sugar to a pint, is still practiced in this country, and the result is a delightful beverage with all the effervescence of champagne; but this method of preserving cider is expensive and troublesome. The French have discovered a cheaper method, and that is to place in cider that is to be preserved from hardening a small quantity of the subnitrate of bismuth. It is found that a partly consumed barrel of rapidly hardening cider may thus be preserved for many months. The hardening process is not altogether arrested, but it goes on very slowly.

The French have also discovered a method of preserving the bright transparency of cider. Most cider when exposed to the light becomes clouded, and brown. This change is due to the chemical action of tannin and sometimes to iron contained in the cider. Save in appearance the beverage is none the worse for the change, and indeed a cider that quickly turns brown is regarded as especially wholesome for some persons because of its being rich in tannin. To preserve the clear beauty of cider, however, the French use citric acid in quantities varying with the natural acidity of the cider, usually about 60 grains to the gallon. With citric acid and subnitrate of bismuth cider may thus be kept indefinitely, not only fine in color but almost at a uniform condition of fermentation.—N. Y. Sun.

Nearly Correct.

Teacher—What's the meaning of "elocution," Harold?

Pupil—It's the way people are put to death in some states.—Puck.

"Carry Sunshine with You."

A bright, fresh, sunny face is always inspiring, and it always denotes good health as well as a happy heart. Many faces that were once overcast with gloom have been made bright and sunny by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which cures all dyspeptic symptoms, strengthens the nerves and tones up and invigorates the whole system.

Constipation is cured by Hood's Pills, the non irritating cathartic. Sold by all druggists.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! No baking! Simply add a little boiling water and set to cool. Flavors: Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cts.

Ask Your Dealer for Allen's Foot-Ease,

A powder for the feet. It cures swollen, sore, hot, callous, aching, sweating feet, corns and bunions. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Sample mailed free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

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—Washington Star.

Why He Could Afford It.

Dick—How neat Tom always is! His linen always looks as if it had just come out of the drawer. And yet I am told that Tom can't get the money together to pay his laundry bill.

Jack—That's the reason he can put on a clean collar every day. He couldn't do it if he had to pay for his washing.—Boston Transcript.

George's Congenital Infirmity.

Teacher—Bobby, was George Washington a statesman or a politician?

Bobby—A statesman.

Teacher—Why do you class him as a statesman rather than as a politician?

Bobby—'Cause he was born that way. He couldn't tell a lie.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Unavoidable.

Reporter — Was that accident unavoidable?

Railroad President—Certainly, sir, certainly. No one to blame. You see the watchman had two crossings to look after, half a mile apart. You can't expect a man to be in two places at once, can you?—N. Y. Weekly.

Lucrative Employment.

Maggie—Jimmie says he's got a job as caddie fer a golf club. Is dey much money in dat?

Mamie—De salary ain't much, but dey makes a lot extry fer backin' fellers up when dey lies about de scores dey made.—N. Y. Journal.

This May Be True.

Crawford—There isn't as much money in politics as they used to be.

Crabshaw—I suppose not. The politicians must have taken it all out.—Town Topics.

Applied.

Customer—This milk is adulterated.

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STATEMENT MARCH 31, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors	$560,255 90
Guarantee Fund	27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account	15,811 27
Interest Account	4,267 34
Real Estate Income Account	55 24
	$608,142 54

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$22,128 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		28,517 62
Railroad Bonds		133,012 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		11,300 00
" " Mortgages		169,935 08
" " Personal Securities		190,368 24
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		671 58
Bank Furniture		100 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$5,331 40	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	15,414 57	
Mercantile Trust Co.	5,721 37	
		26,467 34
Cash on hand		1,996 01
		$608,142 54

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.
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INTO THE ENEMY'S RANKS.

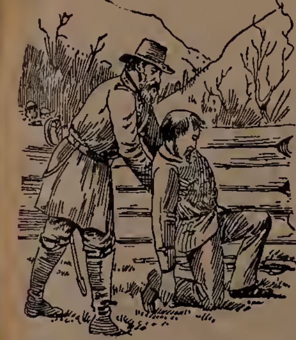
How General Rutherford B. Hayes Got Into a Ticklish Situation and Out Again.

An interesting war story was told recently by a man who took part in a meeting on board the steamer Sylvia coming from Porto Rico to New York. The chief speaker in the party was Maj. Webb C. Hayes, son of the late president, who has been recently made lieutenant colonel of the Thirty-first infantry. Beside him sat Capt. Paget, the British military attache, and a third was a western newspaper man. They had been speaking of luck in war, and the major remarked:

"I don't know whether I'm lucky or unlucky. I've been in a number of battles and in every one I've been wounded or had my horse wounded. None of my wounds, however, has been grave enough to disable me permanently."

Capt. Paget, who has witnessed or taken part in 20 wars, said: "I suppose that I'm rather lucky, because I've had very much the same experience and am alive to-day, while most of my old colleagues have passed away."

The western editor spoke up: "In the major's case I think it's heredity. I knew his father, the president, during the civil war, where he was one of the bravest generals. He was certainly unlucky in many things, but very lucky in not being killed. He frequently led forlorn hopes or maintained desperate defenses in which the loss of life was appalling, but he came out without a scratch. He told me once of an experience in the Lynchburg campaign which I shall never forget.



"I'M ONE OF EARLY'S BRIGADE."

"The unionists had been outnumbered and probably outmaneuvered, and were falling back, pursued by the confederates. Hayes was ordered to hold the enemy in check in a narrow valley until the artillery and supply wagons were safe. He promptly intrenched himself and erected barricades of logs and stone fences. He had Gen. Hastings to hold one side of the gorge and Maj. William McKinley, now president, to hold the center. The night wore on and soon the firing began.

"Suddenly Gen. Hayes saw men wounded and staggering in front of one of his barricades, and in the darkness took them for his own soldiers. He ordered the firing to cease, and ran himself out of the line to save them as far as he could. A few feet from a cannon he heard a man moaning. He picked him up and carried him within the lines and said gently in the dark:

"'My boy, what regiment do you belong to?'

"The man gasped: 'I'm one of Early's brigade.'

The general had run into a body of confederate troops, and had he been known the history of the republic might have been changed."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

DEWEY'S FIRE.

How the Admiral Effectually Quenched a Threatened Blaze on Shipboard in '95.

President Brown, of Norwich university, the military school at Northfield Vt., was formerly a naval officer, and is a warm friend of Admiral Dewey. He recently told the story of an amusing experience which fell to the lot of Admiral Dewey while he was serving as executive officer of the Colorado at the close of the civil war.

"A new officer on board a ship," said President Brown, "is put through a 'course of spouts' by the 'jackies'—the common sailors—who are pretty skillful at that sort of hazing. It is often disagreeable and embarrassing for the new officer, but the sailors usually manage it so cleverly that they keep within the regulations.

"One of the rules on board ship is that the men shall not carry matches. A lantern is kept burning for the convenience of smokers.

"As young Dewey came on deck early one morning, one of the Colorado's roughest characters said to a shipmate who was confined with him in the 'brig,' or ship's prison, in a tone loud enough for Dewey's ear:

"'Bill, I've got some matches in my pocket, and I've a blamed good notion to burn this old ship under his feet.'

"Dewey didn't say a word, but immediately turned on his heel and rang the fire-bell, at the same time calling out: 'Fire in the brig!'

"Such an alarm, so early in the morning, before the men had tumbled out of their quarters, was unwelcome, but in a few seconds the decks swarmed with half-dressed sailors, who manned the four powerful fire-nozzles which protected the brig.

"Of course Dewey, as executive officer, directed the streams, and in a few moments two very wet, very cold, very much disgusted and half-drowned sailors were howling for mercy.

"Dewey shouted: 'Fire out! Make secure!' Then he turned to the dripping sailors, and said: 'I guess those matches of yours are too wet to do much damage now.'"—Youth's Companion.

Pessimism.

They say this world of ours is round,
And though reformers dare
To agitate with zeal profound,
'Twill never be quite square.
—Washington Star.

Use a Telephone.

When you have occasion to question a man's veracity it is usually advisable to use a telephone. — Chicago Daily News.

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ODD NAMES FOR NEWSPAPERS

Perhaps as good a name as a newspaper could have is that of the Oklahoma Sunbeam. If it lives up to its name it ought to be genuinely popular, except, perhaps, in midsummer.

An odd name seems to be a good advertisement for a newspaper in the far west, and probably that is why the Sedalia Bazoo, the Texas Jimplecute and the Tombstone Epitaph of other days have plenty of imitators or successors.

Kansas and Oklahoma are prolific in queer newspaper titles. The Shawnee Daily Dinner Bell no doubt expected its name to have a welcome sound to the people of the region, but the founders of the Kingfisher Kicker, of the Thomas County Cat or of the Western Cyclone could not so expect.

The Pottawatomie County Plain People has a good sound, and so has the Hill City Lively Times. The Kansas Cowboy, the Comanche Chief and the Kiowa Chief are picturesque, while singularity is the strong recommendation of the Ensign Razzoop, the Jayhawkeye and the Palladium, the Prairie Dog, the Prairie Owl, the Whimwham, the Open Eye, the Frantic and the Grigsby City Scorcher.

BRIEF BITS FROM ABROAD.

Paris has 142 daily papers.

London now has women barbers.

Mexican dollars are current in China.

India has immense coal deposits.

Piquette made of American dried apples is a popular drink in Paris.

Vessels cannot be loaded or unloaded on the Sabbath at Hamilton, Ont.

Ether drinking has become so prevalent in northeast Germany that the authorities are taking steps to suppress the habit.

The German post office at Kaio Chau, China, forwarded 236,288 letters, papers and packages during the first year of its existence.

More than 400 men and women have been frequently counted at one time during the past summer at the gambling tables at Ostende.

Great Britain's post office authorities are considering the question of doing away with postage stamps entirely, and using some form of automatic cancelling machine instead.

Card playing has increased of late in Britain. The number of new packs brought into use last year exceeded 2,250,000, an increase of 250,000 on the year before and of 300,000 on 1896.

Held His Head High.

Friend—I know you are a proud and happy father, and I've no doubt that baby is a regular cherub, and all that; but I don't see why you need hold your head quite so high.

Young Father—That's to keep from dropping asleep.—N. Y. Weekly.

Fully Prepared.

"Don't you dare kiss me!" she cried warningly.

"Why, I wasn't thinking of such a thing," he said.

"Well, I was," she replied, firmly.—Philadelphia North American.

Bismarck's Iron Nerve

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where stomach, liver and kidneys and bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c. at A. C. Mason & Co.'s

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Soup in France.

It is rumored that the French, after having taught the world the merits of soup, are themselves falling off in their love for the traditional national dish. Until the Franco-Prussian war soup was regularly taken at luncheon as well as at dinner and the older custom included breakfast No. 1 as well, but it is now coming to be the fashion to restrict its use to dinner. In this country the soup habit has increased prodigiously within the past ten years, though less importance is attached to it than in Europe.

How To Gain Flesh

Persons have been known to gain a ***pound a day*** by taking an ounce of SCOTT'S EMULSION. It is strange, but it often happens.

Somehow the ounce produces the pound; it seems to start the digestive machinery going properly, so that the patient is able to digest and absorb his ordinary food, which he could not do before, and that is the way the gain is made.

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You will find it just as useful in summer as in winter, and if you are thriving upon it don't stop because the weather is warm.

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FIRE IN THE UNITED STATES.

Last year 6,891 incendiary fires occurred.

Lightning caused 3,470 conflagrations in 1898.

Natural gas was the cause of 94 fires last year.

Friction in machinery started 295 fires last year.

Last year 14 fires originated in dust explosions.

There was no assignable cause for 12,294 fires last year.

Of the fires last year spontaneous combustion was the cause of 1,179.

Defective flues were responsible for over 11 per cent. of the fires last year.

Five fires last year were caused by the sun's rays passing through window glass.

The average loss by fire in the United States has been reduced in ten years from $6,922 to $1,860. The insurance loss in the same period was reduced from $3,993 to $1,056.

The prevailing use of electricity has brought about a large increase in fires, owing to crossed wires. Ten years ago there were only 66 such fires, and last year there were 958.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with typhoid fever that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened; I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed; nothing helped me; I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief; I continued to use it and am now well and strong; I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all throat and lung trouble. Regular sizes 50c. and $1. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

A Tangled Affair.

Sandy Pikes—Yes, lady; 20 years ago I parted—

Lady—And from the looks of your head I'd say you haven't parted since —Chicago Daily News.

Volcanic Eruptions

Are grand, but skin eruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them, also old, running and fever sores, ulcers, boils, felons, corns, warts, cuts, bruises, burns, scalds, chapped hands, chilblains. Best pile cure on earth; drives out pains and aches. Only 25c. box; cure guaranteed. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co , druggists.

In on the Gloomy Functions.

Mrs. Rheinstone—Is your cousin in New York society?

Mrs. Pinchbeck—Well, yes; that is, she has attended a great many fashionable funerals.—Indianapolis Journal.

Does Coffee Agree With You?

If not, drink Grain-O, made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain-O I did not like it but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." The children can drink it freely with great benefit. Get a package today from your Grocer, follow the directions and you will have a delicious and healthful table beverage for old and young. 15 and 25c.

No Assistance Needed.

"Help! help!" cried the man who was being robbed.

"Calm yourself," said the highwayman. "I don't need any assistance."—Tit-Bits.

Mothers! Mothers! Mothers!

How many children are at this season feverish and constipated, with bad stomach and headache. Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children will always cure. If worms are present they will certainly remove them. At all druggists, 25c. Sample mailed free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Addie I. Hutchinson to Edwin Childs, dated Sept. 28, 1896, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 770, fol. 618, for breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed, will be sold on the premises in Medway at public auction on

MONDAY, APRIL 30, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit: two tracts of land situate in the westerly part of Medway, bounded as follows:

1st. Beginning at land of said Hutchinson and said Childs at easterly corner, and running S. 81 degrees 45 minutes E., 575 ft. to a stone wall; thence north 11 degrees 15 minutes E., 330 feet to corner of a wall; thence west 467 ft. to a wall and continuing N. 82 degrees W., 133 ft. to said Childs land; thence south 8 degrees 15 minutes W., 254 ft. to point of beginning; the whole containing 3 45 acres.

2d. A certain parcel of woodland situate north of the above described tract, and is bounded east by said Childs' land, north by land of Wm. Hodges, west by land of D. Hastings heirs and south by land of —— McIntosh and —— Fish; the whole containing about ten acres and is all surrounded by a stone wall.

Terms given at time and place of sale.
EDWIN CHILDS, Mortgagee.
Medway, April 4, 1900. ap6,13,20

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been duly appointed administratrices of the estate of Joseph G. Ray, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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ANNIE R. THAYER,
Administratrices.
Address: Franklin, Mass.
March 30, 1900. mh30,ap6,13

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ANNUAL STATEMENT JANY. 1, 1900.

Assets	$128,840,728.45
Liabilities	121,112,030.71
Surplus	5,534,697,74
Insurance in force	$497,606,125.00

Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE

In Franklin, Mass.

Pursuant to a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Henry B. Kimball to the Benjamin Franklin Savings Bank, dated the fourteenth day of May, A. D. 1892, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 673, folio 570, and for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage, will be sold at public auction, on the premises hereinafter described, on

SATURDAY, the FIFTH day of MAY,
A. D. 1900,

at nine o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described as follows, to wit:

The following described pieces or parcels of real estate situated in said Franklin, with buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows.

1st. A certain piece or parcel of land on the westerly side of Forest street and bounded, beginning on Forest street at the center of the brook and land of Ernst E. Holmstrom et al.; thence running westerly by the center of said brook four rods; thence turning and running southerly five rods, more or less, to a fence; thence running westerly by said fence and said Holmstrom's land to land of heirs of Adin Sargent; thence running westerly on said land of Sargent's heirs to land known as the Peter Adams farm; thence southerly various courses on said Adams farm to land of heirs of Fenner Grant; thence on said land of said Grant's heirs to land of Charlotte M. Woodward, formerly of Providence County Savings Bank; thence easterly by said land of Charlotte M. Woodward various courses to said Forest street; thence northerly on said Forest street to place of beginning, being part of the "Bradford Farm," so called, containing fifty acres, more or less; also

2. A certain piece or parcel of land on the westerly side of said Forest street, bounded on the north and west by land of heirs of Fenner Grant; on the south by land of heirs of George Grant and on the east by said Forest street, containing eleven (11) acres, more or less; and also

3. A certain piece or parcel of land on the easterly side of said Forest street, and bounded, beginning at the northwesterly corner of the premises on said Forest street; thence running southerly on said Forest street forty (40) rods, more or less, to an old rail fence; thence running easterly forty (40) rods, more or less, to a stone wall; thence running northerly by said wall to land of this grantor, formerly of Gilmore; thence on said land formerly of Gilmore westerly to said Forest street and the place of beginning, containing seven (7) acres, more or less. Reserving to the grantor the right to pass and repass with teams or otherwise along the northerly side of said land last above described; also reserving the wood and timber on the lot first above described and the right to Jason Tower to remove the same at any time prior to December 1, A. D. 1888.

4. A certain lot or tract of land situated in said Franklin, on the westerly side of the road leading from West Wrentham meeting house, so called, to Franklin Centre, and bounded, beginning on the westerly line of said road at the northeasterly corner of land late of Joseph and Fenner Grant; thence running northeasterly with said road forty (40) rods, more or less, to land now or formerly of Abner Fiske; thence running westerly with the southerly line of said Fiske's land one hundred and twenty (120) rods, more or less, to a turn of said Fiske's land; thence southerly with said Fiske's land forty (40) rods, more or less, to land late of Joseph and Fenner Grant; thence easterly to the said land of said Grants one hundred and twenty (120) rods more or less, to said road at the place of beginning, containing thirty (30) acres, more or less, and is known as the "Choice Lot," and the same premises described in a deed from the Providence County Savings Bank to this grantor, dated January 28th, A. D. 1880, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 517, fol. 239, to which deed reference is hereby given for more particular description; reserving and subject to the right of Jason Tower to remove the wood and timber lying on said land at any time prior to December 1, A. D. 1888.

5. A certain piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in the southerly part of Franklin aforesaid and on the westerly side of Forest street, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point on the westerly side of said street at land now or formerly of Amos P. Woodward; and thence running westerly on a stone wall about sixty (60) rods to a corner in the fence; thence southerly on land of said Woodward as the wall now stands to land of the heirs of Adin D. Sargent; thence continuing southerly by said heirs' land until it reaches an old stone wall and fence; thence continuing southerly across the wood lot and pasture to a corner; thence turning and running easterly on a fence and wall to a corner at a stake four (4) rods westerly of said street; thence turning and running northerly in a straight line to the center of the brook; thence turning and running easterly again by the center of said brook to the westerly side of said street; thence running northerly on said street to the point of beginning; containing twenty-five acres, be the same more or less.

Being the same premises which were conveyed to Ernst Edwin Holmstrom, Charles Holmstrom and James Holmstrom by Amos P. Woodward by a deed dated the twenty-ninth day of March, A. D. 1887, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 590, folio 551, to which deed reference is hereby made for a more particular description of said land.

Terms made known at the time and place of sale.
BENJAMIM FRANKLIN SAVINGS BANK,
By Charles W. Stewart, its Treasurer.
Franklin, April 3d, 1900. ap6,13,20

Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE

In Franklin, Mass.

Pursuant to a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Johanna McLellan to the Benjamin Franklin Savings Bank, dated the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D. 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 737, folio 195, and for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage, will be sold at public auction, on the premises hereinafter described, on

SATURDAY, the FIFTH day of MAY,
A. D. 1900,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described as follows, to wit:

A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Franklin, and bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the town road leading from Duty Ware's to the City Mills (so called), near the brook; thence running northeasterly on the road leading to Medway to a post standing nearly opposite the grave yard by land now or late of John Shepardson; thence westerly on said land now or late of said Shepardson to an oak tree at land of Dr. E. D. Miller; thence southerly on land formerly of Miller to a corner on the hill; thence easterly on said land formerly of Miller to a corner; thence southerly on and formerly of Miller to land now or late of Nahan Staples; thence easterly and southerly on said and now or late of Staples to the new road leading from the first mentioned to the meeting house in said Franklin; thence northeasterly on said new road and the road first mentioned to the point of beginning.

Also another lot of land situated in said Franklin, bounded, beginning at said new road by land formerly of said Miller; thence running westerly on said land formerly of said Miller to said road leading from Duty Ware's to City Mills; thence northerly on said road to said new road; thence southwesterly on said new road to the point of beginning.

The two lots of land hereby conveyed together contain about forty acres and are the same premises which were conveyed to late husband by Martin Green and his wife, Lois F. Green, by deed dated April 30, 1859, recorded with deeds, libro 277, folio 109, and conveyed in mortgage by my late husband to the Dedham Institution for Savings by deed of Oct. 6, 1859, recorded libro 281, folio 14, discharged on the record March 2, 1895.

Terms made known at the time and place of sale.
BENJAMIN FRANKLIN SAVINGS BANK,
By Charles W. Stewart, its Treasurer.
Franklin, April 3, 1900. ap6,13,20

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Johanna McLellan, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Martin J. Lee of Franklin, or to some other suitable person,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of April, A.D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
mh30,ap6,13;

New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad

—AND CONNECTIONS.—

EASTERN DISTRICT.

OCT. 22, 1899.

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WRENTHAM.

Arthur Fuller was knocked down Monday night by two unknown men who secured a silver watch and a sum of money. He was unable to identify his assailants.——The Italians who are to work on the electric railway have arrived in town and are quartered all over the village. There are now 150 in town. The surveyors are at work on Franklin street and the rails are laid as far as the residence of Mrs. Laura Noyes.——Edward Bailey of Montreal, Can., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Henry Morrison.——E. F. Newell, formerly principal of a high school, but was obliged to relinquish his position in that city and bought a farm at Blake Hill, is to teach at the Blake Hill school.——Samuel Leonard of this town and Miss Myrtle Grant of Franklin were married by Rev. Mr. Minchin on Wednesday.——There will be a special Easter service next Sunday morning at the Congregational church and a special Easter concert in the church in the evening.——A large delegation from Wampum lodge will visit Foxboro this evening as the guests of Reliance lodge, I. O. O. F., and will have two candidates to take the first degree.——The selectmen met Wednesday and drew the name of J. J. Eiden as juror for the May term of court.

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Young Tremolo—I backed out. She was too much a slave of fashion—too English, you know.

"You amaze me."

"Fact. She wanted me to go by myself and ask her father's consent."—N. Y. Weekly.

Church Services.

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor; theme, "The Resurrection of Christ." Sunday school Easter concert at 7.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30; Easter service and communion. Concert service at 5. Y. P. C. U. at 6.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector; Rev. M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Congregational church—Preaching by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, at 10.30; theme, "Resurrection Truths." Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Sabbath school Easter concert at 7.30; special music and recitations.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. Frank B. Sleeper, pastor. Theme, "Christ the Supreme Force Over Life and Death." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5 45. Easter concert at 7; the ordinance of baptism will be administered; short address by pastor on "Raised to Newness of Life."

The Editor's Mistake.

Editors have their troubles. One of these men who presides over the destinies of a western newspaper is mourning the loss of two subscribers. No. 1 wrote asking how to raise his twins safely, while the other wanted to know how he might rid his orchard of grasshoppers. The answers went forward by mail, but by accident the editor put them into the wrong envelopes, so that the man with the twins received the answer:

"Cover them carefully with straw and set fire to it, and then the little pests, after jumping in the flames for a few minutes, will be speedily settled."

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Her Mistake.

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"Then what did she marry for?"

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of Seneca Adams, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Henry A. Whitney, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of certain parcels of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county, on the twenty-fifth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

ap6,13,20

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Michael J. McLellan, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Martin J. Lee of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby ordered to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this eighteenth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

mh30,ap6,13 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Sabra Morse, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by George W. Wiggin, Charles J. McKenzie and Lester L. Burrington, all of Franklin, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named, without giving a surety on their official bonds.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioners are hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

mh23,30,ap6 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles H. Whipple, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Julia M. Whipple of Bellingham, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this twenty-eighth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
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Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Rev. Mr. Koehne tonight.

It was indeed a joyous Easter.

The electrics were well patronized on Sunday.

Thursday, April 28, has been selected as Arbor Day.

Mrs. Celestia Ballard is convalescing, after her long illness.

A. W. Leslie of Coney Island spent a few days here last week.

From Franklin to Boston by trolley within six weeks? It looks that way.

There will be half-hourly service on the Woonsocket electrics on Thursday.

W. H. Jackson has been appointed assistant inspector of the G. A. R. for 1900.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Healey of Lynn spent the Sabbath at "Sunnyside farm."

Miss Mary L. Smith of Lewiston, Me., has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Applebee of Cambridge spent the Sabbath here with her parents.

A select social dance will be held by invitation in Odd Fellows' Hall this evening.

The schools and some of the stores and business establishments will be closed on Thursday.

The latest report from Henry Bemis is hardly as encouraging, his old age being against him.

The directors of the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket street railway company met here today.

Fred W. Haslam has secured a situation in Adams, Sutcliffe & Co.'s printing establishment in Pawtucket.

Frank Pendergast entered upon his duties with the Combination Clothing company Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Spencer spent the Sabbath with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Lincoln, Alpine street, extension.

Lucien B. Newell of Bowdoinham, Me., and formerly many years a resident of Franklin, was in town over Sunday, the guest of relatives.

Dean proved altogether too much for the English High on Saturday afternoon, beating them 20 to 1. A large crowd watched the game.

The electric line to Bellingham is about completed and cars will soon be running there from Franklin and Woonsocket. Then on to Milford!

The barn on the premises of Mrs. W. F. Ray on Union street is being torn down and will be replaced by a handsome stable of modern architecture.

Miss Ethel McFarland, aged 12, of City Mills school, has a very creditable original poem in the Brooklyn Daily Eagle, entitled "A Happy Pair."

The Franklin National bank and the Benjamin Franklin Saving bank will be closed Thursday, and the postoffice will be closed from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

The members of Franklin Relief Corps wish to thank the public for so generously patronizing their sale held April 10 and 11. It was a grand success in every way.

Every one who has heard Dr. Crowe of New York will be sure to be present at Dean Academy next Thursday evening, when he delivers the gem of his lecture collection, "Shakespeare at Work and at Play."

Little Lillie Martin was the lucky winner of the doll given away at the W. R. C. sale. Angelia Whiting, the contestant, also received a present of her own choosing.

Messrs. George W. Bacon and E. S. Cook will represent the Congregational church at the Mendon conference at Norfolk tomorrow and Mrs. Ada L. Rockwood the C. E. society.

The members of St. Mary's Dramatic society have decided to postpone the presentation of the drama, "Nan, the Mascot," from Wednesday evening next to Thursday evening, May 3.

The next regular meeting of the Alden club will take place April 23, it being Magazine evening (original) in charge of Misses Whiting and King, editors. A large attendance is requested.

If sufficient power can be obtained from the power house at Woonsocket Franklin people will be enabled to take a trolley ride to Wrentham within a few weeks. Then on to Attleboro!

Franklin sent a good delegation of the Eastern Star to be guests of Quinobequin chapter, West Medway, upon the occasion of its institution last Friday evening by Grand lodge officers.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church have decided to place a veranda upon the front and side of the parsonage, and appointed a committee to take the matter in hand.

When Rev. F. A. Everett left his pastorate at Oxford for Uxbridge his parishioners presented him with an easy chair and some silverware at a farewell reception tendered him by his people and his friends in town.

William H. Wales is a juror in the manslaughter case at Dedham, where Mrs. Mary E. Ross of Sharon was acquitted of shooting her husband during a quarrel. There is also another case of killing which is expected to come before the present term at Dedham.

Contractor Grant is to build a new mill at Unionville for the Norfolk Woolen company upon the site of the present building, which is to be taken down. The new mill will be larger than the old one to meet the growing demands of the company, and will be two stories in height. The small building near by will be moved further away.

Dr. A. J. Gallison was called to North Woodstock, Vt., last week, by the very severe illness of his father, J. M. Gallison, who was suffering from pneumonia. Word was received here yesterday that death ensued on Monday morning, and the funeral will be held there on Thursday. He was 83 years of age. Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Gallison and also Dr. A. J. Gallison will attend.

The Y. P. C. U. will hold a colonial party and sale in the Universalist church parlor and dining room tomorrow evening. Refreshments and fancy articles will be on sale and there will be a museum of old-fashioned and curious articles. Appropriate music will be rendered through the evening. A small admission will be charged; doors open at 7 o'clock. Come and see Paul Revere's musket.

The announcement of the sudden death of Mrs. J. B. McKinnon yesterday forenoon came as a shock to the many who knew her. She had never entirely recovered from the birth of a child some time ago, though she was able to be about. It is an especially sad case, as there are four children left to the care of the bereaved husband. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning from the Catholic chapel.

The employes of the Textile Company at Unionville have organized a base ball team for the coming season, under the management of Henry Tebo, with Irving Cross captain. The team is composed of the following players: E. Cross, c.; I. Cross, p.; P. Lanigan, s. s.; H. Tebo, 1b.; R. H. Potter, 2b.; A. Desmarais, 3b.; E. Lavalle, l. f.; D. H. Johnson, c. f.; Wm. Burgess, r. f. The team will be known as the Textiles.

Fred. Sherborne, the veteran expressman between Milford and Boston, who changes cars here daily, allowed his train to go off and leave the other morning. The laugh was on him, and Conductor Moulton saw to it that he was later presented with a huge nickel watch, with a steel chain and a long wire nail as a bar. Mr. Sherborne is an inveterate joker and proposes to get "square" with his tormentors.

Easter services at the M. E. Church were well attended. The pastor preached in the morning on "The Resurrection of Christ," a helpful and deeply thoughtful sermon. There was singing by a quartette and violin solos by Miss Razee. The S. S. concert in the evening was in every way a credit to the musical director, Mrs. C. L. Stewart, and the committee in charge. Mrs. Mark Knowlton sang soprano in the quartette very acceptably.

The congregation of St. Mary's parish attended Easter services in the chapel in basement of the new building, which has been put in neat order and is commodious, having a seating capacity of nearly 1,000. The ceiling is of metal and will be painted white. The walls are built of white enamel brick. The place is well lighted and heated and presents a cheerful appearance. The altar was artistically arranged in the usual Easter style, with potted plant, ferns and flowers.

Mr. Koehne's closing lecture, to be given in the Congregational church this evening upon "The New Aristocracy" is spoken of in the Pittsburg Times, as follows: "Men and empires long in the dust were called forth to tell their part in the development of human society. The mission of prophets—great reformers—the principles they advanced, the cause of the downfall of illustrious nations, the ideas which gave birth to political revolutions, and their effect upon modern times were outlined and grouped together in a magnificent combination."

Mrs. E. K. Ray, Mrs. C. L. Stewart, Miss Myrtie Whiting and Miss Gould were guests as well as entertainers at the Round Table, the women's club of Attleboro, last Tuesday afternoon, providing for the occasion a "Mendelssohn afternoon." The ladies of the club made it the society event of the year, over three hundred being present, and the occasion was a notable one indeed. The Franklin ladies were greatly pleased at the reception tendered them as representatives of the Alden club, and the Attleboro ladies were equally pleased at the merit and pleasure of the affair.

Easter services at the Baptist church last Sunday were attended by large congregations and were very interesting. The audience room was finely decorated with potted plants and lilies, the Episcopalians and Baptists uniting in this. There was excellent singing by a chorus choir. Rev. F. B. Sleeper gave a discourse on "The Resurrection and the Spiritual Body." In the evening the church was crowded to its utmost. There was a fine program for the Easter concert and well carried out. Five candidates were baptized, one young man and four young ladies, the latter robed in white. The closing baptismal ritual was a fitting benediction for the worship of the day.

Rarely has the Congregational church looked more charming upon an Easter day than it did last Sabbath. The attendance was unusually large and the Easter sermon by the pastor appropriate and interesting. The music was excellent. The decorations were in charge of Miss Mabel Ray and Miss Caroline Rockwood, whose taste and decorative skill delighted every beholder. It was not the profusion, though there was an abundance of flowers, but it was the harmonizing groupings, colorings, etc., that made it so pleasing. In the evening the Easter concert was given by the little ones, in charge of Miss Amy Briggs, who had labored indefatigably for its success. Every number, both recitative and musical, was given without hesitation or hitch, and the large number present enjoyed the occasion fully. The chorus choir rendered efficient assistance. In every way the day's exercises were profitable and interesting.

At the meeting of the selectmen Friday evening bills were approved. M. J. Hart, Jr., was given a permit to move a small building at Unionville. A plan of the street railway from the Medway line to Emmons street was received and considered. It was generally satisfactory, except in two or three places, and a conference between the company, engineer and the board will probably adjust those points. A representative of the New England Telephone and Telegraph company appeared and asked a permit to erect poles on King and Summer streets and the petition was granted. Supt. Blanchard of the lighting company was given leave to repair and put in some new poles, under approval of the selectmen. The secretary was instructed to transmit to the representatives and senators from the district a copy of a vote declaring that the board was opposed to any enactment which would abridge the rights of towns in their own highways. The matter was considered on account of some proposed telephone legislation now under discussion in the legislature.

Somewhat Confused.

We stated Friday that J. B. McKinnon had taken possession of the Hotel Briggs. On Saturday he learned that a portion of the furniture had been obtained upon a lease and therefore did not go to him. He immediately placed an attachment upon such furniture as he was able for $300 for groceries furnished the house, and A. B. Chilson placed an similar attachment for $500 for meats and provisions. Officer Fitzpatrick served the papers and placed E. S. Mosenger in charge of the house. It is understood that a portion of the furniture is claimed by Austin S. Cook of Woonsocket, having been sold upon a lease. It is needless to say that the Misses Modjeska are very much distressed over the state of affairs, and how matters will turn out is very problematical.

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

The Auxiliary's Reception.

As anticipated, the reception given at the Opera house last evening under the auspices of Ladies' Auxiliary, Div. 12, A. O. H., was a complete success, and afforded pleasure to a large number of resident and out-of-town guests. The ladies managed all the details themselves and managed them well, seeing to it at the same time that the guests were entertained in fine style and made to have pleasant recollections of the event when it was all over. The hall was tastefully decorated and cut flowers, ferns and potted plants were neatly arranged upon the stage, where also were displeyed conspicuously displayed the American and Irish colors.

A pleasing feature of the affair was the concert by the Savoy orchestra of Providence, assisted by excellent local talent, the programme being made up as follows: March, "The Man Behind the Gun," orchestra; duet, Master M. Carney and Miss Bessie Walsh; violin solo, Miss Katherine Dalton, Miss Margaret Dalton, accompanist; "Fortune Teller," orchestra; medley of popular airs, orchestra; solo, Miss Elizabeth Pendergast; "Bohemian Girl," orchestra; solo, Miss Agnes M. Sullivan; march, "American Volunteers," orchestra. Each number was finely rendered and received due recognition from the audience.

The concert was not concluded until 9.30, when preparations began for the march. This was started at 9.15, with Master M. Carney and little Miss Bessie Walsh in the lead, followed by Bernard J. Callahan and Miss Mary O'Sullivan, president of the Auxiliary and floor directress; the other officials and escorts came next and were followed by fifty couples, the two little leaders retiring after the second circle of the hall had been completed. Following the march, dancing was the order for the remainder of the evening, with an intermission at 12 o'clock for supper, which was served in the hall. There were 20 numbers on the dancing programme and the last number was executed at 3 o'clock this morning. Many out-of-town guests were present and remained to the close.

Miss O'Sullivan, the floor directress, was ably assisted by eight Auxiliary members, and the reception committe and committe of arrangements consisted of Mrs J. H. Riordan as chairman and seven assistants.

Easter at the Universalist.

The Easter services at the Universalist church were of great interest and well attended. The church was appropriately decorated with Easter lilies, callas, jonquils and violets. The choir at the morning service gave some well-rendered and appropriate music by the quartet, assisted by Mr. Shipman, son of the Rev. Dr. Shipman of Tufts college, who gave two violin solos. Mr. Shipman is an exquisite performer on the violin and his playing was indeed a treat. Dr. Hodge's sermon treated the subject of the resurrection in the broadest and most inclusive way. After this sermon three persons were baptized, two were confirmed and six persons in all united with the church. The service closed with the communion.

At the afternoon service the choir was assisted by an admirable chorus. The principal musical feature was the cantata of "The Resurrection" divided into two parts, between which came the Sunday school concert program, the young people acquitting themselves very creditably. A solo by Miss Jessie Corbin was a special feature. The cantata was very finely rendered and was much appreciated. It showed painstaking work on the part of the chorus and its director. At the Y. P. C. U. meeting which followed Mrs. Haslam gave an interesting talk on "Newness of Life."

Mass. State Federation of Women's Clubs.

By invitation of the Newburyport woman's club the Mass. State Federation will meet in the Unitarian church Friday, April 20. Subject, "Arts and Crafts and Village Industries." Speakers, Prof. H. Langfred Warren of Harvard university, "The Relation of Art to Manufactures;" "Village Industries," "The Abnekee Hand-made Rugs," Mrs. Helen Albee; "The Deerfield Blue and White Needlework, Rugs and Basket-making," — Indian Industries — Miss Sparhawk. An interesting feature will be an exhibit of these village industries. The olive-colored federation ticket can be obtained of club secretaries. Round-trip tickets from Boston $1,15. Trains leave Boston Union station 9, 10.10 a. m. Return 3.35, 4.50 (express) p. m.

Republican Caucus.

The Republican voters of Franklin are requested to meet in caucus at the town hall on Wednesday, April 18, at 7.30 p. m., for the purpose of choosing three delegates each to a state and congressional convention, to be held for the purpose of electing delegates and alternates to the Republican national convention.

Fine hair cutting, smooth shaving, razors honed and put in order. Ochee the barber.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

The New Telephones.

Below we append the list of new subscribers to the telephone exchange which have recently been secured through the efforts of the solicitor, R. E. Healey. Spasmodic efforts to increase the exchange have been made before, but nothing of any moment has resulted, three or four having been added at a time, perhaps. But Mr. Healey came here determined to make the Franklin exchange worthy the town, even though his time was short. His efforts have been rewarded, and it is certain that more will be added by further work. Mr. Healey proved himself the right man for the place and he has made a number of friends during his stay here. He was well versed in telephone facts, was gentlemanly and as persistent as it was wise to be in dealing with prospective patrons. In a word, the company has had a good representative, as the result of the work will show—twenty-three new house phones, four offices and three changes in service:

Residences—Dr. Solon Abbott, Thos. B. Allen, Fred P. Chapman, J. E. Clark, Dr. J. M. Crowley, E. D. Daniels, W. Dinsmore, Dr. A. J. Gallison, Dr. J. C. Gallison, George H. Grant, Rev. Dr. Hodge, C. J. McKenzie, C. F. Nye, Clarence Quilter, Miss Lydia P. Ray, Mrs. W. F. Ray, Dr. C. H. Randall, Chas. L. Stewart, J. J. Stewart, A. D. Thayer, A. M. Thayer, Rev. G. W. Miner, Wm. A. Wyckoff.

Business—Colonial Rubber Co., Franklin Water Co., Winslow's Express, Crescent House.

Changes in Service—Norfolk Woolen Co., Stony Brook, Hosie Bros., Benjamin Franklin Savings bank.

Franklin to Boston.

The Medway and Medfield Street Railway company is negotiating with the owners of the steel edge plant of Millis for its purchase, to be used as a power station, car stable and repair shop. The building is the very best on the line of the railroad for the above purposes, as it is a long building, one story high.

Thirteen new, long, open, double track, air-brake cars will be on hand by the first of June, and the present plan is to run cars from Franklin center to Forest Hills. The company will run certain cars from Dedham to Franklin with only five or six stops, connecting at Dedham with the steam cars from the city. The time between Medway and Dedham will be one hour for the fourteen miles. The track is the very best, and is laid in firstclass gravel all the way.

There is now a bill before the legislature authorizing the joint use of street railway tracks, so that passengers will not be obliged to change cars at Forest Hills between Franklin and Boston. Quite naturally the Boston Elevated opposes the bill, but it is in the interest of the people and ought to pass. The bill provides that whenever the board of aldermen of a city or the selectmen of a town shall determine that public necessity and convenience require, and the board of railroad commissioners confirms and sanctions such determination, the provisions of Chap. 113 of the Public Statues, in sections 48 to 55 inclusive, shall be applicable to connecting street railways operated by electricity or other motive power.

Going Abroad.

Dr. A. J. Gallison has for some time been planning a trip abroad for study and rest, and has at last been enabled to make his arrangements looking toward that end. He will leave here Friday, April 27, sailing from New York the next day upon the "Statendam" of the Holland-American line, disembarking at Rotterdam. From there he will go to Vienna, where he will remain a month or more, thence to London and possibly spend a short time at the Paris exposition. He will be accompanied across by Walter A. Hawkins, who returns to his duties at Carlsbad, in the interest of the firm with which he has been connected for a number of years. Dr. Gallison has made arrangements for the care of his patients during his absence, and has secured the services of Dr. William Elliott of Hanover, N. H.

Dental Notice.

I have, since the death of my associate, the late Dr. John T. Stetson, disposed of my Boston office. I will devote my entire time to Franklin patients of myself and the late Dr. Stetson. I extend sincere thanks to all who have for so many years held confidence in my ability, assuring them that renewed efforts will be made to merit a continuance of their patronage.

DR. METCALF E. POND.

Franklin, March 23, 1900.

Children Change

so noticeably from year to year that a faithful record can only be kept by having them photographed frequently. The expense need not be great. This is a favorable time to have sittings before the heat of summer. All school children receive a special discount during this term at

CALKIN'S STUDIO, Depot street.

Linn Hendricks of Norristown, Pa., whose feat of riding at least three miles every day during 1899 brought him into prominence, covered a total distance last year of 10,000 miles, every inch of which he traveled on an Orient bicycle fitted with the Sager gear.

A Half-Fare Law.

The people of Franklin will be pleased to learn that the state legislature the past week adoped the half-fare law and it has received the governor's sanction. The act provides that "the rates of fare to be charged by the street or elevated railway companies in this commonwealth, for the transportation of scholars of public schools between any given point necessary for them to ride to and from the schoolhouses in which they attend school, and their homes, whether said schoolhouses are located in the city or town in which said scholars reside or in any other city or town, shall not exceed one-half the regular fare charged by said street or elevated railway company for the transportation of passengers between said points. The tickets for the transportation of said scholars shall be sold in lots of ten each, and shall be received on said street and elevated railways on the days on which said schools are in session. Any railway company violating this act by refusing to transport a scholar or to furnish a package of the tickets as aforesaid shall forfeit the sum of $25 for each offence." The last section of the act exempts the Boston elevated railway from its provisions.

The United States Census.

The census enumerator of the United States will begin June 1, and is to be completed in a month. The questions to be asked relate to name, age, condition, as married, single, etc., native or foreign birth, naturalization, birthplace and nativity of parents, occupation, time employed during the past year, and regarding ownership of a home, the records all to be made in ink on large sheets so they can be bound in volumes. Each applicant for the position of enumerator has a test card, which he is required to fill out and send to the supervisor. The test contains several of what are sometimes called catch questions, designed, probably, to test the judgment of the applicant, as they are capable, under certain conditions which may be assumed, of different answers. In Franklin no great increase of population over the census of 1895 is looked for, but the number will probably not vary a great deal one way or the other. After the census of 1895 it was estimated that the population decreased for a time when business was dull, but that falling off has been made up by a gain during the past year.

A movement is on foot to put a one-half cent coin in general use in the United States. Several suggestions have been made to the government, and last week a document was presented, signed by the heads of the big department stores of New York, Chicago, Philadelphia and Pittsburg, showing the need for this money in making change where articles are sold at 3 1-2 cents, 7 1-2 cents, 12 1-2 cents and at similar prices. The half-cent coin has been in use in Chicago for the last two years, and last week one of the New York stores ordered 500,000 one-half cent coins. These coins are to be made of copper, size one-half inch in diameter, or just two thirds the regular size of one-cent piece. So far the United States government has nothing to do with issuing this new money.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Up stairs tenement to let on Central street. Inquire of A. M. Haggart. 6tf

All kinds of wood, oak, maple, birch and pine at Allen's wood yard, Franklin.

Wanted—Capable Protestant girl for general housework. Mrs. T. L. Martin. 6tf

For Sale—Horse, Buggy and Harness. R. B. H. Morrill, Grove street, Franklin. 17,20*

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

Competent girl wanted at once to do general housework. Good wages. Apply at SENTINEL office.

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

To Let—A Tenement of 6 Rooms on Summer street. Rent will be taken in board if rented to small American family. Apply to E. M. Cargill, 8 Cottage street. 17*

For Sale—About 20 fine cows, Jerseys and Holsteins, all giving milk, some coming in soon; one or the lot at private sale. Call at the Waite farm or see Enoch Waite for prices, etc. 6,10,13

Round-trip Boston tickets can be had at $1.05, (less than the five-trip rate), of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office. Also round-trip Providence and Milford tickets at a saving of 12c from regular fare. Mileage books to let.

House to Rent—Near Lake Pearl, in fine condition, 18 rooms, electric cars run through the yard; to be let at reasonable price or will be sold cheap. About 8 acres of land. House can be used for two tenants if desired; three good cellars; rental price low. Inquire of E. Waite, Franklin, Mass. 6,10,13

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

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Business and Professional Cards, to occupy one-half inch space, once a week, $5.00 per year; twice a week, $7.50 per year.

Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

TUESDAY, APRIL 17, 1900.

Men with Schemes.

Men who have been prominent in public life and have retired to the fields of quiet business are in constant demand by the man with a scheme, says the Chicago News. If the promoter can only secure the name of some well-known man in connection with his money-maker, either as stockholder, director, or president, the public is ready to take an interest. Ex-Mayor George B. Swift was talking with a party of friends in the rotunda of the Great Northern and telling of the army of men with schemes who called upon him. "Before Col. G. R. Davis died we were discussing this ever-present man," said Mr. Swift. "The colonel had them call upon him by the score. It is rather funny to listen to some of their stories. All he wants is just your name, not a cent of money, you know. He will make you president of the company, which will make anywhere from $2[illegible] to $1,0[illegible]0 a year. You do not need to sign a paper, all you need do is to draw your pay and spend the money. Sometimes I find myself nearly believing these fellows, as their yarns are so good."

Things Looked Dark.

A very agreeable talker, an educated colored man, addressed the students at Adelbert college the other day, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer. He talked interestingly about his experience in his chosen profession, that of a lawyer, asserting that on but one occasion he ever met with discourtesy at the hands of white men during his legal experience in his native state, Virginia. This happened in a backwoods hamlet, where the general ignorance of the inhabitants was some excuse for their boorishness. In the course of his remarks he perpetrated an unconscious humor that brought a smile to the students' faces, and drew a laugh from the speaker himself as soon as he realized the suggestion in his statement. "I started out in my profession with somewhat gloomy anticipations," he said. "When I reached Alexandria, where there were 7,000 colored people, everything looked dark." It was at this point that the smile ran around.

Several days ago Dr. Alvey, says the Morganfield (Ky.) Sun, of Waverly, drove to town in a buggy. Upon his arrival here he discovered that one of his hens had ridden all the way with him in the back end of the buggy. The doctor had to go further down the road, so he "shooed" the hen out of the vehicle and left her here. Dr. Alvey was gone all that day and night and a part of the next. The hen, in the meantime, found her way to Jailer Snodgrass' chicken coop, where she spent the night. When Dr. Alvey returned to Morganfield the next day he put his horse in a livery stable, and, of course, the buggy belonging to the medicine man was only one of a large number about the stable. But, strange to say, that old hen seemed to know when the doctor returned, and, with a remarkable display of animal instinct, picked out his buggy, got back into her place and waited for the doctor to start back home.

A barn in Aroostook, Me., has long gone unshingled because the farmer who owned it was too infirm to climb to the roof, while one of his sons had gone to war in the Philippines and the other to the Klondike. The other day, however, the farmer's only daughter came home from the normal school and shingled the barn as well as any man in town could have done, and she didn't once pound her fingers with the hammer, either.

The latest wrinkle in market gardening is to keep tomatoes in a green state in cold storage, to be ripened by putting into heat and sunshine as wanted.

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FISHING IN THE WEST.

A Favorite Place with Former President Harrison for Casting a Line.

Such streams as the Fox river of Illinois, the Kankakee, the White or the Tippecanoe of Indiana, afford at times even to-day very good sport to the fly rod.

Ex-President Harrison and a few chosen friends often take a fly-fishing trip for bass along the Tippecanoe, which was once a famous bass water and even yet is not quite shorn of its ancient glory. These gentlemen would as soon think of grand larceny or highway robbery as to entertain the idea of using anything but the fly on the small mouths of the Tippecanoe. This stream may be waded on many of its best reaches, though it is best to take along a boat, and some anglers prefer to fish it from a boat all the way. The bass of this river are very good fighters, and show the leaping instinct of the small-mouth species, sometimes springing out higher than one's head as one stands playing the fish. The average run is a pound or thereabouts, though often one will take a fish very much heavier. The bucktail flies are good on the Tippecanoe, though this seems to be also a water where one may with profit indulge in his notions for bright-colored millinery in laying out one's day's supply of flies. The Ferguson and the silver doctor are sometimes used effectively, and the Seth Green, with a cinnamon wing, has been found good upon occasion, though as to these matters it is not well to set forth dogma. There is no ultimate truth discoverable in the matter of bass flies in stream fishing. This method we may as well call "broad fishing," since it is followed at all times of the day and on all parts of the water. This is late spring and summer fishing, when the bass are lying about in the weedy pockets, under logs, or close to sharp banks, and this method, of course, ends when the cold weather comes and the bass begin to congregate in the deep holes.

The Fox river in the summer time offers an occasional evening of good fly fishing at such points as the reefs near Clintonville or Elgin, when the bass are taking the natural fly in the cooler part of the day, and on this river as well as the Kankakee one may now and then pick out a bass from midstream even in the middle of the day, while the fish are lying pretty well down and only looking up lazily at the panorama which sails past them outlined against the sky. This sort of fly fishing, not restricted absolutely to any part of the water, but intended for any fish that may happen to be lying about loose, is the most common form of fly fishing, and is sometimes very successful when the bass are in the humor.—Chicago Record.

Anti-Climax in a Mine.

Prof. Weed, the noted geologist, recently had a thrilling and hair-raising experience in Butte. He was descending a mine on a ladder and when several hundred feet down the ladder parted, leaving him suspended in the dark. He hung to the round with all the tenacity his being was capable of, determined to strain the very last drop of his vitality in the hope that succor would come. He cried out for help, but the deep, dark walls returned his voice unanswered. His whole life came back to him in vivid retrospection; perspiration dripped from his forehead as he realized that only for a short time could he withstand the awful strain. And then he dropped. Four inches below him he struck a heavy body, which afterward proved to be the globe.—Chicago Chronicle.

Tiresome Jokes.

Low Comedian—These newspaper jokes about theatrical companies busting up and the actors walking home are getting rather tiresome.

Heavy Man (reflectively)—Yes, but not half so tiresome as the—the walking.—N. Y. Weekly.

ACCIDENTS TO BANKNOTES.

Used as Gaslighters, Chewed by Dogs and Boiled with Cabbage.

"While it cannot be stated that it is an American habit to light lamps and gas with money," explained an official of the redemption division of the treasury department to a Star reporter, "there are a number who appear actually to have money to burn, and who now and then burn it. There are more money burners, too, than come to the front and demand a redemption of their partly destroyed money, for some people hesitate before they are willing to appear in such an indefensible position. I don't want to be understood as stating that it occurs every day, for that would probably be stretching it somewhat, but it is a fact that it occurs many more times than would be supposed. A case of the kind came to the division last week, where a fellow lighted a match at the door of his room and from that lighted what he supposed was a piece of paper which he had in his pocket. He started with the lighted paper to find the gas jet. He found it, and as he blew out his lighted paper he ascertained, to his surprise and disgust, that his taper was a ten-dollar bill, more than half of which had been burned. In his communication to the secretary of the treasury, to whom he was advised to write, he admitted that he was a fool and deserved a kick instead of anything else, but said as grass was rather short with him he would have to appeal for redemption. He furnished the necessary affidavits which under the law have to be filed in such cases, and a new bill was sent him for the half-burned note which he sent in for redemption. Lots of times people burn money, but make no claim for redemption, supposing that they have no redress in the matter. But the treasury department does not as a rule hunt up trouble, so unless the claim is made none is suggested.

"I had a case somewhat in the same line recently, and there are frequent similar occurrences, as where a one-dollar dog puppy ate up two-thirds of a five-dollar note. 'The pup was of a playful disposition,' wrote the man who owned it, 'and, though I saw him playing with the note, I did not recognize it as money. But he won't play any more in my back-yard.' Later on, when the puppy got tired playing with it, the owner discovered that the dog had been amusing himself with a note which had by accident fallen on the floor. The affidavits in the case were very amusing, but the man got his remnant of a note redeemed at its full value. The lamp and gas-lighting people are by great odds in the majority. Out of a number of such cases the percentage of women sufferers is so small that it can almost be said they don't lose money by using it as lighters. I knew of a woman who boiled almost out of existence several bills which by some means got in the folds of the leaves of a head of cabbage. The money dropped into the basket on her way back from the market. The notes were pretty well wrecked, for the cabbage was being cut up when they were discovered, but there was enough left on which to base a redemption."—Washington Star.

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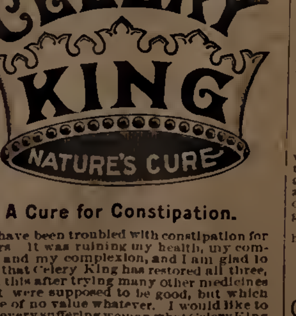
Ye editor can't go to church next Sunday unless he has a new pair of pants. Pairs of pants taken on subscription.

Link Bumblethorn paid $75 yesterday for a match for his sorrel filly, and he has a team now that can do its mile in 2:97.

The Hawville Clarion has a good pair of shears, but no pen and ink. It clips our editorials right along and never gives credit.

We will give the Blizzard for a year to the person who brings us the biggest pumpkin. Some small-minded people say we do this in order to get a winter's feed for our cow for nothing. This is a stupendous falsehood. We haven't any cow. We can't afford to keep a cow. We want the pumpkins for our own feed.



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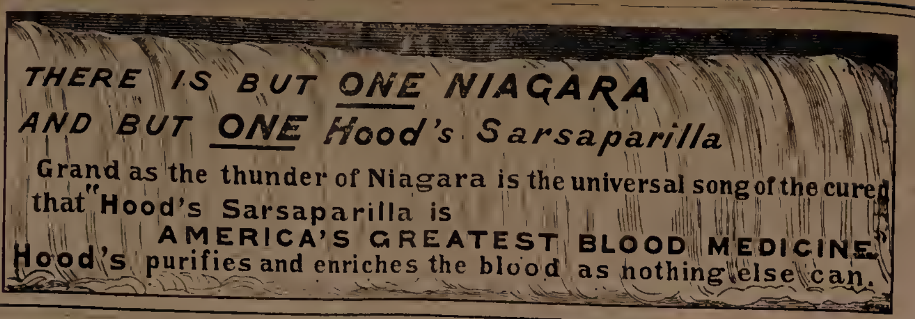

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Des Moines boasts of a printer who has passed his fifty-fifth year at the case, and Milwaukee union sees this and goes him a couple of years better.

A London coroner on resuming duty after an illness said he wished to offer advice to the public—never to use medicine which they had kept for any length of time. His illness had been caused by taking stale medicine.

A spasm of generosity was experienced by a gentleman of Sullivan, Ind. during the delivery of a sermon for charity, and to the church he gave his note for $50. Now he refuses to pay the note on the ground that it was drawn on Sunday.

An ex-judge is cashier of a certain bank. One day recently he refused to cash a check offered by a stranger. "The check is all right," he said, "but the evidence you offer in identifying yourself as the person to whose order it is drawn is scarcely sufficient." "I've known you to hang a man on less evidence, judge," was the stranger's response. "Quite likely," replied the ex-judge; "but when it comes to letting go of cold cash we have to be careful."

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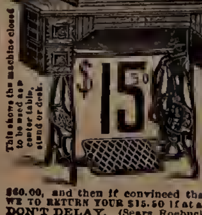

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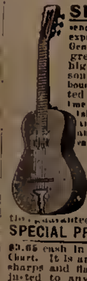

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If blue be the predominating tone of a room it will have the effect of making the room look larger than it is, and it can be introduced in some degree in a small room for that purpose. It must be used judiciously, however, for if it be in excess or of a wrong shade it will give a room a cold, cheerless appearance.

Red makes no difference in regard to size, but it always gives the idea of warmth and comfort. It will always accentuate any tint of green that lurks in the other colors employed. Red in some tone or another might be used to advantage in a room that was not lighted from without, or in one that had a north light. On the other hand, green should never be used under such conditions, but only where a room is powerfully lighted, or a flood of sunshine penetrates. This serves to light up the yellow tint that would be otherwise inappreciable and gives a cheerful color tone.

IN THE LINE OF ROYALTY.

The princess of Wales makes pickles.

The prince of Wales weighs 207 pounds.

Emperor William has learned to speak Swedish.

The prince of Molfetta recently fought a young bear.

Russia's nuns include Grand Duchess Nicholas Nicolaiewitch and Princess Clothilde Bonaparte, sister of King Humbert.

Prince Nicholas of Greece, who is to marry Princess Xenia of Montenegro, is one of the handsomest men in Europe. Princess Xenia is a great beauty herself.

The crown prince of Germany is fast becoming an expert cyclist. At a fete held recently at the cadet school in which he is a student, at Plon, the young prince won two first prizes in bicycle races, in which he had pitted against him quite a number of claver young riders.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Li Hung Chang has a $100,000 collection of furs.

Miss Rebecca Lash celebrated her ninety-sixth birthday with a reception to the people of Chelsea, Mass., to whom she related personal recollections of Paul Revere.

Fred J. Mauren, who looks after Uncle Sam's mails at Portland, Mich., is the youngest postmaster of the presidential class in the United States, being only 30 years old.

When Edward J. Victory asked to be excused from serving as a juror in New York he gave as his reason that he is a man of bad character and that he had been arrested three times.

One of Mr. Chamberlain's favorite recreations is to hear his daughters read French aloud. He is very particular in the choice of their reading and likes to be consulted about every new book that comes into their hands. He is also very strict in the matter of their theatrical attendance, and will never allow them to witness any play to which the most fastidious taste could object.

Some one asked a friend of Alfred Beit how much the South African billionaire was worth. "He probably could not get out more than a thousand millions now," was the response, "but if he would let the price of rough diamonds go below 28 to 32 shillings per carat no one knows how much he would realize. For no one else except Rhodes knows how many barrels of diamonds they have salted away down there to keep the market steady."

An unusual marriage was witnessed at Perry, O. T. A swollen creek separated Albert Perry, a cowboy, from Emma Moyer, about the time they were to be married. The clergyman was with him. The groom plunged in and swam the creek, but the clergyman feared to follow. The happy couple and their friends assembled on one side of the stream and the clergyman howled his questions and benediction from the other side, and thus they were married.

AMERICAN TIMBER.

One and one-quarter million square miles is the estimate of the timber area of Canada, as given by the United States consul general at Montreal.

One of the most valuable timber trees in the great northwest, the red cedar, grows to a maximum height of 300 feet and a diameter of 14 feet.

Some historical trees have lately come into the New York lumber market from the Wilderness battlefield of the civil war. The bills of lading showed that the trees had been felled and the lumber sawed there. In some of the planks the minie balls can be seen plainly, the wood directly adjacent to the bullets being discolored or rotten, but not enough to damage the lumber.

The portion of the state of Washington west of the summit of the Cascade range is covered with the heaviest continuous belt of forest growth in the United States. This forest extends over the slopes of the Cascade and Coast ranges, and occupies the entire drift plain surrounding the waters of Puget sound. Excepting the highest mountain peaks and the sand dunes of the coast, which are treeless, the valleys of the Cowlitz and Chehalis rivers, which are dotted with small oaks and other deciduous trees, and the stunted yellow pines occupying with open growth the barren Steilacoom plain, all of western Washington is covered with a magnificent forest.

A Definition.

Seldum Fedd—What's your idea of an aristocrat?

Soiled Spooner—Feller dat washes his neck in cold weather—or in any other weather.—Judge.

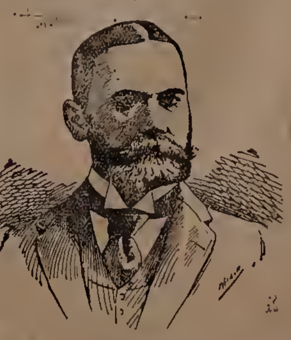
NEXT TO PRESIDENT.

Death of Vice President Hobart Elevates John Hay.

In the Event of McKinley's Passing Away the Secretary of State Would Become the Nation's Chief Executive.

John Hay, who, by reason of his position of secretary of state, would become president of the United States in the event of Mr. McKinley's death, is a man of wide experience and attractive personality. He was born in Salem, Ind., 61 years ago, but spent most of his boyhood days in Urbana, Ill. His father was the leading physician of that section of Illinois, and stories are still told about the "old doctor" by the older residents of Champaign and adjoining counties. The doctor and his sorrel horse were famous for 50 miles in any direction from Urbana. He was a man of affairs and gave his sons fine educations and a good start in the world. John Hay graduated at Brown university, and early in 1861 was admitted to the practice of law in Springfield. Won by the young man's pleasing address and by his evident strength of character, President Lincoln asked him to go to Washington as his private secretary. Thus, at the age of 23, he was thrown into the midst of mighty events—the most important in the nation's history.

John Hay remained with President Lincoln until the assassination. He then tried the army for a time, but soon went abroad, spending two or three years as secretary of the American legations at Vienna and Madrid respectively. In 1870 he became editorial writer on the New York Tribune, which position he held for five years. In 1875 he removed to Cleveland, O., where he married the daughter of Amasa Stone, the king of lake navigation and iron interests. He was active in politics for several years and in 1879 was appointed assistant secretary of state, a place he held about 18 months. He was appointed ambassador to Great Britain by President McKinley early in 1897 and in the autumn of 1898 was invited to become secretary of state. He is now in line of succession for president. It will be seen that for nearly 40 years Mr. Hay has been in the whirl of national politics and diplomacy. He is equipped by nature and training for the discharge of the duties of any office to which he might be called by choice or circumstances.



SECRETARY OF STATE HAY.
(Official Next in Succession to President McKinley.)

Secretary Hay lives in a fine mansion on the north side of Lafayette square, fronting the white house and two short blocks distance therefrom. It is a four-story brick and stone house surrounded by generous grounds. Across Sixteenth street is situated St. John's church, the fashionable Episcopal establishment in Washington. On the north corner of the square is the famous Corcoran mansion, occupied for many years by the celebrated philanthropist of that name. The Hays have been social leaders in the capital for 20 years or more. They are very popular there. Personally Secretary Hay is affable and courteous under all circumstances. He is approachable and easy without inviting familiarity.

The elder Miss Hay is what is known as a new girl. She writes and is athletic, but she is also quite a society girl, for she dances and enjoys her chances to the utmost.

Not long ago she wrote this poem:

Sigh not for love, the ways of love are dark.
Sweet child, hold up the hollow of your hand
And catch the sparks that flutter from the stars.
See how the late sky spreads its flushing bars:
They are dead roses from your own dead land
Tossed high by kindly breezes, lean and hark
And you shall know how morning sheds her lark
The Timid Dawn, herself a little child.

Mrs. Hay and Mrs. Hobart, the two richest women in Washington, were accused of measuring swords, each trying to outdo the other in hospitality, but the utmost good feeling existed, and no one regretted the serious condition of the head of the Hobart family more than Secretary and Mrs. Hay.

Not Troubled That Way.

Because of a little family tiff he was still disgruntled when he reached the club.

"Say," he said to the first man he met, "does your wife need a new bonnet every two weeks?"

"I don't know," was the reply. "I married an heiress."—Chicago Post.

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WAY STATIONS.

About 3,000 miles of railway must be constructed to complete the line from Cape to Cairo.

The Baltimore & Ohio railroad recently placed an order with the Pullman Palace Car company for 1,500 box cars and with the South Baltimore car works for 1,000. The cars are to be built according to the B. & O. standards. This makes a total of 8,860 box and coal cars ordered for delivery within the next six months.

A western railroad company has adopted the method of making up its passenger trains with the sleepers next to the engine; the coaches come next and the baggage cars last. This reverses the usual practice. It is claimed that this arrangement makes the sleepers ride steadier, and there is also less dust.

John I. Blair in his earlier days owned a western railroad, along the route of which he established a series of lunchrooms, at which the employes were to be charged 50 cents and all passengers 75 cents. Mr. Blair once dined at one of these places, and, concluding his meal, laid down a half dollar. "Hold on!" cried the cashier. "You don't belong to this road." "I know that," replied Mr. Blair; "the road belongs to me."

The use of steel ties for experimental purposes on the New York Central railroad has not given satisfactory results, says the Engineer. They are durable, but hard to line; the ballast shakes away from them and they give a rattling sound from the stone ballast and from the bolts, and this sound is disagreeable to the passengers. Some have proved to be so unsatisfactory that they are now being removed and are being replaced by oak ties.

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Simply Had to Do It.

Tommie—Mamma, see where sister struck me.

Mamma—Did you strike your brother, Tillie?

"I couldn't help it, mamma."

"Couldn't help it, child?"

"No; you see, we were playing house, and Tommie was papa, and I was you, and Tommie did something I told him not to do."—Yonkers Statesman.

PUT TO THE TEST.

Public Endorsement is what Counts.

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ON THE STAGE AND OFF.

London is importing American ballet girls.

Mrs. Le Breton, Mrs. Langtry's mother, lives in Jersey and is still one of the best looking women in the island in spite of her advanced age.

"Cyrano de Bergerac" is at present being played in Brussels, Moscow, Vienna, Madrid, Rio Janeiro and Buda-Pesth. It has been translated into eight languages.

Richard Mansfield was examining the Shaw monument in Boston the other day when he noticed a man with a kodak pointed at him. He thundered loud protests at the impudence of the photographer, and was then apparently still more annoyed to find that the man only wanted to get a picture of the state house.

An actress playing in small parts in a Berlin theater has turned her marriage to some account. The usual formal invitation has been suppressed in favor of something that reads like this: "Fraulein X—— invites all her friends and admirers to see her debut in a piece called 'Marriage.' The other part will be taken by Herr X——. It will depend on the latter whether this play turns out a comedy or a drama." One admires the courage of a man that could read this and then walk to the altar.

VEGETABLES FOR THE TABLE.

The onion was worshiped by the ancient Egyptians.

Asparagus was fashionable 200 years before the Christian era.

Parsnips were much thought of by the ancient worshipers of Venus.

It was the custom of the Greeks to offer beets on a silver tray to Apollo in his temple at Delphi.

Lord Bacon loved the onion so that he declared the rose would be sweeter planted in a bed of them.

Asparagus promotes the appetite while furnishing little nourishment and is a good substitute for clams.

Egg-plants, with the inside scooped out and filled with bread crumbs and butter, are favorite vegetables for the table.

The cauliflower is a patrician among vegetables and was taken from its Cyprus home in Italy and England in the reign of Elizabeth.

Parsley should always garnish a dish containing onions, as it takes away the odor most people object to. It even prevents the aftertaste if eaten by the individual who loves onions and must have them.

One Exception.

The Philosopher—A young man should begin at the bottom and work his way up.

The Youth—I can't very well do that. I am apprenticed to a well digger.—San Francisco Examiner.

For La Grippe.

Thomas Whitfield & Co., 240 Wabash avenue, corner Jackson street, one of Chicago's oldest and most prominent druggists, recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for la grippe, as it not only gives a prompt and complete relief, but also counteracts any tendency of la grippe to result in pneumonia. Sold by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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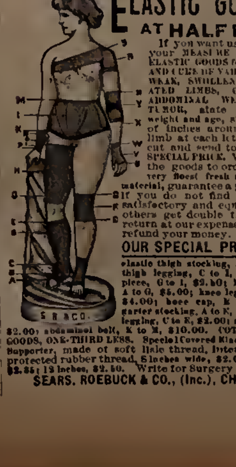

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WRENTHAM.

Easter services were held Sunday at the Trinity, Catholic and Congregational churches. At the latter church the platform and front of the pulpit were beautifully decorated with potted plants and flowers. Mrs. C. E. Brown was the soloist. The pastor announced that the church debt had been paid and the sum of $1,200 raised by almost voluntary contribution. In the evening a Sunday school concert was held. Clarence M Dunbar gave several cornet solos and Ralph Nowell was the soloist.——Chas. B. Perry of Holyoke is visiting his brother, Lewis B. Perry.——The funeral of Mrs. Augusta George was held in the Congregational church Monday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.——Joseph J. Mora, who is at work illustrating a new edition of "Aesop's Fables," has arrived in town for the summer and taken the Elliot cottage in Gilmore row, Lake Pearl. A large delegation of Odd Fellows paid a visit to Reliance Lodge at Foxboro Friday night.——Miss Mary S. Stone entertained the Kipling Club Monday evening ——An inventory of the estate of the late Lucas F. Mendell has been made. The amount of the estate is $2,396.84 ——Miss Amelia B. Cook, who has been visiting this winter in New York with Rev. William B. Allis, has been in town for a few days before leaving for Lawrence. Miss Cook will spend the summer at her house on South street.

Cordoroy Roads.

What a pleasant ride together through Alpena county! — pleasant save for the corduroy roads, which set us both aquiver, as with the old-time ague, recalling the days when they rang the church bells every half hour in Alpena to remind the settlers to take their quinine, and when sawmills (so runs the tale) were operated solely by fever and ague power. Curious sights met our unaccustomed eastern eyes as we rode—log homesteads chinked with plaster, root houses half buried in the earth, sheds thatched with straw, "stump-pullers" (immense portable derricks) at work "clearing up," frequent "dreens," huge mounds of cobblestones newly plucked out of the fields, wagons loaded with cedar ties moving cityward, splendid crops on every hand; so, bless you! who minded the corduroy?—R. L. Hartt, in Atlantic.

Queer Breed of Foxes.

Gilbertsville, Pa., can boast of either the boldest liar in the country or a breed of foxes hitherto unknown to natural history. A hunt club started a fox in that vicinity the other day and reported that after a chase of seven hours the fox, being hard pressed, took refuge in a tree, from which the hunters took him alive.—Chicago Chronicle

Twenty-three miles of aluminium cable will be used to transmit 2,000 horse power at a pressure of 10,000 volts from Tariffville to Hartford, Conn. The cable is three-fourths of an inch in diameter and consists of seven strands, each made of seven wires.

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Followed His Instructions.

"In editing copy remember to cut out all superfluous words," said the managing editor to the new copyreader. "Very often there are many words such as 'still,' 'but' and the like used in a way not only useless but absolutely bad. Now, remember and knock 'em out." Not long afterward the copyreader was editing a short story sent from a fishing resort up north. The copyreader never went fishing in his life and didn't know one piscatorial term from another. In the copy he found "the men finally quit still fishing and began trolling." He remembered very distinctly the instructions of the managing editor about "still" and such words and with one sweep of the blue pencil obliterated "still." The men to whom the story referred were rather surprised to read in the account of their fishing expedition in the paper that "they finally quit fishing and began trolling."—Chicago Chronicle.

Shipbuilding in 1899.

The year 1899 produced 2,447,538 tons of new shipping, Great Britain leading, with 1,763,914 tons. The United States followed, with 283,964 tons, and Germany came next, with 179,235. One of the remarkable achievements of the year was the Oceanic, one of the largest vessels ever built. Another novelty was the steam turbine torpedo boat destroyer Viper, which makes some 35 knots an hour. A striking feature of the year's record was the increase of tonnage built on the great lakes. Seventy vessels, of 72,094 tons, were built on the great lakes. On our seaboard 75,313 tons of steel steam vessels were built, the largest output in our history.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

A late report says that the meat of a sheep killed by a dog fatally poisoned a Kalamazoo (Mich) girl. That was a case of rapid rabies

In Old Kentucky.

In the spring the bibulous farmer
Plants his corn, with vim,
In the fall the juice he extracts,
And then the corn plants him.
—Chicago Daily News.

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Was Cured of It.

"Jove, old man, I'm glad to see you, I haven't seen any of the boys for ages."

"That so?"

"Say, where's Charley Green? When I was here last he was heels over head in love with Miss Dendimple. Got all over that by this time, I suppose?"

"Yeup, all over it."

"Gave her the throw-down, did he?"

"No; he married her."—Detroit Free Press.

The Lover.

We know that love is blind.
'Tis writ by every pen;
And yet he often makes
A sight for other men.
—Puck.

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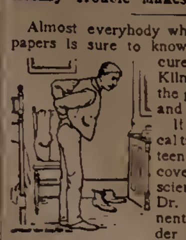

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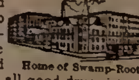

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One gallon every week day, per month......$1 00
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Salt used in sweeping carpets keeps out the moths.

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ELECTRIC FLASHES.

According to an article in the Journal Telegraphique the total number of submarine cables was 1,459 last year.

In the harbor at Honolulu telephone service between vessels and the shore may be obtained by connecting with the permanent telephone cable in the harbor.

Fire engine manufacturing companies have lately begun the construction of portable electric lighting outfits, consisting of boiler, engine and dynamo mounted on wheels.

ART AND ARTISTS.

The monument to Bismarck is to be erected in Munich from designs made by Architect Theodore Fischer.

John Newbury, the first man to collect and publish the immortal melodies of Mother Goose, is to have a monument erected over his grave, which is in St. Thomas' churchyard, Waltham.

The memory of the American poet, Edgar Allen Poe, was honored recently by the unveiling of a portrait bust of the poet at his alma mater, the University of Virginia. The bust is the work of the Hungarian sculptor, George Julian Zolnay.

W. Q. Orchardson is at present painting a portrait of Queen Victoria. Mr. Orchardson has painted four generations of the English royal family—the queen, the prince of Wales, his son, the duke of York, and his grandson, Prince Edward.

Mr. Herbert, the sculptor of the Trinity church bronze doors, New York, has completed a statue of Alexander Mackenzie, the Canadian statesman, which is to be erected in Ottawa. All travelers will remember Mr. Herbert's masterpiece, the Maisonneuve monument in Montreal.

Heading Off Gossip.

Noel Little—I say, old man, can you keep a secret? Well, Smiggins told me in confidence that—

Noah Nuff—Hold on! Can you keep a secret?

"I? Why, yes; certainly."

"Then you'd better do so!"—Puck.

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For cleansing and preserving the teeth Dentifoam has no equal. It is a solution of pure castile soap, made aseptic and aromatic, which imparts a refreshing taste and feeling to the mouth and purifies the breath.

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If you have one you are glad of it; if you haven't one you'll be glad to have one. It is not profitable to pay board,

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what you pay in that way will go a long way towards paying for the very furniture you are using. Probably you would prefer to select more modern furnishings.

$5.00...

per month will pay for furniture and carpets enough to furnish a modern home with all the necessities and comforts enough to make the ordinary mortal supremely happy. We charge no interest. We only ask your promise to pay a little at a time as you earn it and you have the goods set into your house at once.

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CHAS. W. STEWART, Clerk and Treasurer.

Dividends declared the first Monday in January and July, payable on and after the 15th of said months.

Money may be withdrawn at the option of the depositors. The treasurer may, however, require a notice if necessary, in accordance with the Statute Law.

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BOARD OF INVESTMENT.

D. Thayer, Jr., E. H. Sherman, A. D. Thayer, Chas. J. McKenzie, E. P. Chapman, Charles Stewart, George W. Wiggin.

STATEMENT MARCH 31, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$560,255 90
Guarantee Fund		27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account		15,811 27
Interest Account		4,267 34
Real Estate Income Account		55 24
		$608,142 54

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$22,128 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		28,517 62
Railroad Bonds		133,012 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		11,300 00
" " Mortgages		169,935 08
" " Personal Securities		190,368 24
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		671 58
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$5,331 40	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	15,414 57	
Mercantile Trust Co.	5,721 37	
		26,467 34
Cash on hand		1,996 61
		$608,142 54

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

E. P. CHAPMAN,
E. H. SHERMAN,
Committee of Examination.

April 2, 1900.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Sabin Hubbard, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Ernest E. Hubbard of Boston without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the 25th day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 29th day of March, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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If you want to buy or sell anything have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

The Franklin Sentinel.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
"	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

W. A. Pond is on the sick list.

Most of the new telephones are in.

A daughter was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Ochee.

Miss Grace Whiting is entertaining her sister from Worcester.

The Heliotype nine beat a town team yesterday forenoon, 9 to 0.

Patriots' day was a typical one, and was quietly celebrated here.

Don't fail to plan to hear Dr. Crowe at Dean Academy next Thursday evening.

The pleasant weather called out the golfers on the County links yesterday."

Miss Blanche Gilman of Norridgewock, Me., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heaton.

The King's Daughters will meet next Tuesday evening, at 7.30, at the home of Miss Myrtle Cooke.

The A. F. & A. M. attend service at the Universalist church next Sunday morning in a body.

The social in Odd Fellows' hall on Tuesday evening was a representative one, and thoroughly enjoyed.

Mrs. Charles H. Prince and daughter, Helen, returned today from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Danielson, Conn.

C. L Stewart attended a meeting and banquet of the savings bank treasurers at the Parker House in Boston yesterday.

Gov. Winslow Colony, No. 84, U. O. P. F., celebrated their thirteenth anniversary on Patriot's Day with a dancing party.

Dr. J. C. Gallison did not feel equal to the trip to Maine to attend his father's funeral this week, but Dr. A. J. Gallison attended.

The marriage business is good, the returns since January 1 showing a slight increase over the corresponding period last year.

W. C. Sherman, who is becoming enthusiastic over golf, saw Vardon, the champion, play on the Wollaston links on Wednesday.

William Nickerson, son of S. W. Nickerson, who has been away from Franklin for the past three years, is visiting at his parental home on Central street.

Mr. Sneath will speak on Sunday evening upon the question "Shall the Saloon Continue in the Philippines and Our Other Colonial Possessions?"

H. W. Thayer represented the Congregational Sunday School at the Meudon conference on Wednesday, and reports a very helpful meeting. Report later.

J. B. McKinnon has given up the idea of taking Hotel Briggs, and his claim and that of Mr. Chilson have been arranged. The Misses Modjeska continue.

Some of the farmers have done a little plowing, but not much of the early spring work has been completed. Peas and some early vegetables have been planted.

A solemn high mass was celebrated at the funeral of Mrs. J. B. McKinnon on Wednesday by Rev. Frs. Lee, Sullivan and Riordan, in the presence of many sorrowing friends.

Mrs. Henry Poor's new farmhouse at South Franklin, to replace the one burned, is plastered and will soon be ready for the occupants. It is a roomy, two-story structure, painted sage green with white trimmings.

A number from here are planning to attend the Clifford Eccles entertainment in behalf of the Christ church guild in Medway next Tuesday evening. In addition to a fine entertainment there will be dancing and refreshments.

Rev. Chas. J. White, D. D., of Woonsocket, has withdrawn his resignation as pastor of the Universalist church there, at the unanimous wish of his parish. He was proffered a vacation, but may not accept one.

An Italian who was charged with attempting to make away with a pair of overalls that were hanging outside the store of the Providence Clothing Company on Monday evening was fined $3 by Justice Doe in the district court Tuesday.

There is something of a sensation in Worcester where Fred. Fulton, aged 16, was married the other day. He told the authorities that he was 21. Young Fulton is a brother of Mrs. Jacob Quilter of this place. The bride was 18. The parents are furious.

Mrs. Robert Souther, formerly of this place, died at her home in Providence yesterday. The remains will be brought here for the funeral on Monday at the Methodist church at 1 30. She was the wife of Contractor Souther, who was in business here about six years ago.

The past two or three months have been noticeable on account of the comparatively large number of elderly people who have died in the vicinity. The generation that numbers its years from sixty to ninety is fast leaving places vacant for the younger generation to fill.

Two or three applications for concrete sidewalks, according to the vote of the town to pay half, have been received and placed on file. The amount appropriated this year is $400. With the like amount paid by abutters it will make the sum available for the purpose $800.

After an interval of six weeks the regular meeting of the Greenhalge Literary society was held on Friday afternoon. The program was as follows: Roll call; piano solo, Miss Billings; reading, Miss Morey; piano solo, Miss Helen Thompson; reading, Miss Nixon; reading, Alden Abbott.

At the Republican caucus held in the Town hall Wednesday evening, L. L. Burrington was chairman and John E. Barber secretary. and these delegates were chosen: State, L. L. Burrington, B. M. Rockwood and Charles J. McKenzie; congressional, Nathan C. Nye, Herbert W. Thayer and George W. Wiggin.

The petition for opening the school at South Franklin has been sent to the school committee, but no decision announced. If the petition is granted it will require some time and money to put the school building in condition for use. General repairs are needed and to some extent new desks will probably be required.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles William Knapp issued cards for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lucilla Breed Knapp, to Henry Steward Bosson, last Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock, in the Congregational church, Auburndale. Miss Knapp will be remembered here as the granddaughter of the late Stewart Brimblecome.

The Medfield & Medway Street Railway company has submitted a plan of the proposed extension of the line to Franklin with the selectmen. A conference will probably be had and the line gone over and the plan thoroughly understood before it will be signed. Except, perhaps, at one or two points the plan appears to be satisfactory.

There will be a special service at the Baptist Church next Sunday forenoon in connection with giving the hand of fellowship to new members. Rev. F. B. Sleeper will preach on "Fulfilling Our Church Covenant." In the evening the pastor will give a short discourse on "The Backslider — An After Easter Thought." The testimony meeting following in the vestry is of great spiritual interest.

Dean played a picked nine from town yesterday afternoon, affording sport for a large crowd. The town boys were a trifle ragged in their work at first, settling down somewhat later on. Gilroy umpired and was a trifle erratic, both sides "catching it." The town won by a score of 13 to 12. Dean's regular pitcher, Jennes, did not pitch, saving himself for tomorrow when they play Tech. sophomores.

The Hayward house is one of the oldest in town, probably much over a century in age, and practically retains the outlines of its younger days. It has been kept well painted and its old oak timbers hold together in good shape. Although the building is on what is now Summer street, the original road to Wrentham was around this way and Cross street, instead of where the street railway is laid.

Coming April 28, at Morse Opera house, Capone's band of twenty-five pieces, from Providence, R. I. This will be the finest concert of classical and popular music that has been given in Morse Opera house since Brooke' Marine band of Chicago was here. There will be solos, cornet, trombone and clarionet. The band has a first-class reputation and is giving great satisfaction to large audiences in their concerts. Don't miss the treat.

The local society of King's Daughters have been working hard for the home for aged people. The committee on location has just received a tempting offer from Virgil S. Pond, a prominent business man of Foxboro, who offers a large estate in Pondville to the association for $1, provided certain minor restrictions are agreed to. Mr. Pond desires that it be named, if the offer is accepted, the Pondville Old Folks' Home, and that the home be continued for fifty years.

The closing lecture on "The New Aristocracy," by Rev. Mr. Koehne at the Congregational Church on Tuesday evening, was the masterpiece of his series, and he held the interest of a large audience to the close. His bursts of eloquence, sound common sense, humor, literary style, etc., were marvelous, and all who heard him testified their appreciation by abundant applause. Arrangements have been made for his six lectures upon six successive nights in Wrentham for week after next, when a number from here will attend. Particulars later.

A very novel and interesting affair was the Colonial party at the Universalist church Wednesday evening, by the Y. P. C. U. The museum of colonial curiosities was worthy of much larger attention than on a rather unpleasant evening it received. There were many things there familiar to our grandfathers, but strange to this generation, and the number would have done credit to a much more pretentious occasion. Cake and ice cream, a reading by Dr. Hodge of a wonderfully clever parody on Kipling, and a sale of fancy articles, confectionery, etc., made up the rest of the features of the evening.

Dean Academy has recently received a very beautiful picture, the gift of the class of '74 to the school. It is a reproduction in color of three of the best-known works of Sir Frederick Leighton, combined artistically in one large frame. The central picture is the "Garden of the Hesperides," which is flanked on either side by a figure representing "Solitude" and one called "Lachrymose." The picture is perhaps the most valuable one in the school, and gives a representative selection from the works of a great modern artist. The money for the picture was raised through the interest of Mrs. A. D. Thayer, a member of the class.

Passed Away.

The funeral services of Gertie Cook, who died Monday morning, were held at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert A. Cook, Bullock Place, Thursday afternoon, Rev. I. W. Sneath officiating. A quartette, composed of Misses Myrtie and Flossie Whiting and Messrs. Hosford and Hartshorne, rendered two selections. The bearers were Messrs. Nathan Hayward of Milford, Arthur Bigelow of Whitinsville, William Kester, Lester and Edward Stewart of Franklin.

Gertie had been an invalid from her birth, being a great care to her loving parents, who have done all that lay in their power to make her life pleasant and comfortable, and they have nothing to regret now that she has passed into that life where there is no pain or suffering. Although they will greatly miss the care she has been for almost sixteen years, they have the great comfort of knowing that "He doeth all things well" and that it is well with her.

The floral tributes were as follows: Fifteen pink and white roses from Mrs. Delilah and Miss Dora Cook, grandmother and aunt of the deceased, representing her age—fifteen years. A wreath with the name "Gertie" in blue immortelles from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Cook. Basket of flowers, Mrs. Jennie Everett. Wreath, Mr. and Mrs. James D. Stewart. Bouquet of carnation pinks, Mrs. W. H. Baker of Milford. Fifteen white pinks, Miss Bertha A. Hood. Bunch of pink carnations, Clifton Crooke of East Woonsocket. White carnations, Miss Edith Hamilton. Variegated pinks, Mrs. J. D. Hatch. Bunch of violets, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Holden of Boston. H.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending April 18, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. Mary Holmes, Miss Annie Ward.

Gentlemen—H. Brunner, R. A. Cook, Franklin Mills, Alfred Mangeor, F. W. Noyes, W. E. Patterson, Leavitt Sleeper, Oslen Tyler, Narisse Paquin.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Fine hair cutting, smooth shaving, razors honed and put in order. Ochee the barber.

A Fine Showing.

The directors of the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket Street Railway Company held a meeting here Tuesday at Director Wiggin's office and after a business session made an inspection of the Foxboro, Wrentham and Attleboro ends of the line. One of the officials stated that the construction of that part of the route named above will be completed by May 30, and that the company will then turn its attention toward building from Bellingham Four Corners to Milford and thence to Hopkinton and Westboro.

The line to Milford by way of Caryville will be running by May 1, and by June 1 it is expected the power house will be in running order. A most gratifying financial statement was presented to the company, showing that the single Woonsocket line, with two cars, had earned about $9,000 in six months, paying all expenses, including interest upon the bonds, and leaving a surplus of nearly $2,000. The officials selected at the meeting are as follows: President, George W. Wiggin, Esq.; treasurer, E. K. Rey; clerk, W. H. Tylee; directors, Messrs. Wiggin, Ray, Tylee, J. F. Ray, A. D. Thayer, Wm. S. Reed, C. W. Shippee.

Laid at Rest.

The funeral of Vitaline Longua took place Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Rev. M. J. Sullivan performed the service for the dead at the parental home on Fisher street. Delegations from the senior and junior sodalities of Children of Mary attended and a number of beautiful floral tributes were received, among them being the following: Hayward weavers, pillow, with inscription, "Shopmate;" Henry Jordan, anchor, with the inscription "Vitaline;" Mrs. Charles Whiting, cross; bouquet twenty-three white pinks, representing the age of the deceased, Filomena Cataldo; bouquets, Mrs. Hugh Murphy, Mrs. Patterson; bouquet twenty-three pinks, Mary Kenney.

The interment was in St. Mary's cemetery, where there was prayer by Father Sullivan and responses and appropriate hymns by the Children of Mary.

> The cold, cold hand of cruel death
> Upon her good life fell;
> No more on earth we now can hear
> The voice we loved so well.
>
> The sunshine of our happy home
> Will ever clouded be,
> But Thou, Oh Lord, hast sent this cross,
> We bear it all for Thee.

Has Honor Abroad.

A Wallingford, Conn., paper makes the following reference to A. L. Pierce, formerly of this town, at present superintendent and general manager of the Wallingford municipal electric light works. "Not one man in a thousand can fill the place of Supt. Pierce who combines such a list of qualities that not only makes him a good public servant, but a very desirable citizen. As a mechanic he knows every bolt in his machines. As an electrician he might be safely given charge of a thunderstorm plant. As a bookkeeper and accountant he can grace any kind of a roller top. As sagacious business man there are but few who could better have popularized the system among its very opponents, and as an indomitable worker he earns his salary on an eighteen hours a day schedule, and it will be some time before his services will be exchanged for anything local that is in sight. We have no desire to flatter Mr. Pierce, but in addition to the above enumeration, he is the best natured cuss we have ever struck."

Largely Attended.

Vicar General Byrne, representing Archbishop Williams, was here on Wednesday evening to investigate the matter relating to the abandonment of the Catholic church because of its condition. Both sides of the matter were presented, Selectman McCarthy, Postmaster Conroy and D. F. O'Sullivan speaking for the repair and retention of the church. Father Lee expressed his views in favor of abandonment, William Cody and Thomas Neelon speaking in a similar vein. While the sentiment of those present appeared to be in favor of retention, the vicar expressed the desire to have a committee appointed by Father Lee to hold a further consultation with him (the vicar) this week to see if some amicable agreement might be reached. If it could be shown that the church could be repaired to advantage, he would so advise the archbishop, whose decision in the matter would be final.

Richardson's Market.

Poultry, fresh killed and tender, from 16 to 20 cents, together with all the vegetables, including spring-dug parsnips. We shall also have all the meats, and a roast of beef costing from 8 to 12 cents. We make a specialty of butter, 5 pounds for $1.25, also 5 pounds for $1.50. Then we have tub butter from 23 to 30 cts, and our fancy print at 30 cannot be beaten. No. 1 cider vinegar at 15 cts per gallon.

Weights and Measures.

Notice is hereby given to all interested persons to bring in their weights and measures to be examined and sealed according to law.

F. L. DAVIS, Town Sealer,
Cor. Central and Summer Sts.

A MOUNTAIN HERMITAGE.

William Gillette's Cottage, "The Thousand Pines."—The Lynn Valley.

OAK HALL, TRYON, N. C.,
March 6, 1900.

This little hamlet of about 500 inhabitants nestles beautifully among the foothills of the Tryon range of mountains, 1,500 feet above the level of the sea. Virgin forests of pines and resinous gum trees clothe the great heights to their tops and fill the air with Nature's balm for delicate throats and lungs, and as the temperature is ten degrees warmer than surrounding resorts, violets bloom freely in the gardens all winter.

Mountains 4,000 feet high make a wall around us, tempering the wind to the shorn lamb, indeed. But coming down those mountains to get bare! Are you fond of a real thrill? A feeling of awe, fright, dread and yet fascination? Do you like to tremble and be afraid, and yet gaze with eyes of delight at what scares you? We go to the theatre to get that—we look upon tragedy with an intense desire to actually feel it,—for, with Tennyson, "Life, more life, is what we want," but all the time we know that it is a play! The curtain will go down, the lights will go out, and we shall discuss crab salad and tutti-frutti at some agreeable place in half an hour!

But coming down over this Spartanburg branch from Saluda to Tryon we get the real thing—we feel the dread—we shrink and yet we gaze, or dare not gaze, at the wild, gorgeous scenery we pass over,—the narrow shelf cut along the winding, quick curves of the mountain side hanging perilously over valleys so far below, with rivers and rocks of threatening grandeur rushing and defying beneath us, while over our heads seem to topple such boulders as would crush to powder the little caterpillar of a train in which we breathlessly creep along! It is a grand, an emotional ride and full of that element which we seek in vain save among great heights and the sublimity of great hills.

Facing as we do a splendid height, where, eight miles up, shines against the sun a white building, called "Skyuca," from an old Indian who dwelt there in his skysy wigwam, we glance over the valley of Lynn, a place of such exquisite and restful beauty that no wonder the delightful poet of the South, Sidney Lanier, sought it and loved it so well. Here, amid the scent of the rich vineyards, amid the million pink blossoms of unnumbered peach trees; here, where, amid a thousand acres of yellow corn, flows the clear mountain stream he celebrated—the poet-musician, who lived in sweet sounds, breathed his last sigh, while the mountain airs

> "And short-breath'd winds, under the gracious moon,
> Doing mild errands for mild violets,
> Or carrying sighs from the red lips of June,
> What happy way the odor-current sets,

caught it and wafted his spirit on and up—to higher flights of being.

The director of the Peabody Symphony orchestra of Baltimore, thus characterizes his genius: "To him as a child in his cradle Music was given: the heavenly gift to feel and express himself in tones. His human nature was like an enchanted instrument, a magic flute or the lyre of Apollo, needing but a breath or a touch to send its beauty out into the world." The ladies of this charming little hamlet have paid a tribute of appreciation in forming a library association in his honor.

If Lanier loved the Valley our beloved author-actor, William Gillette, equally loves the obscure and secluded hill-top which he discovered and visits periodically for absolute rest and silence, the opportunity to think, read and write and the blessed indulgence of exquisite scenery, unbroken quiet and only the whisper of his thousand pines to suggest that murmur of applause which for many years has greeted his every appearance before an assembled audience.

Some years since, exhausted and nearly prostrated with the long strain of public work, management and authorship, he sought out this point of vantage and securing a spot a mile up the hills, with the aid of a servant and a single mechanic built with his own hands one of the most roomy, rustic, unique "lodges in this vast wilderness one could find in a lifetime. It is literally pinned together with wooden pins! So is the furniture, substantial and firm and positively comfortable, and made of the beautiful woods that give out their odor night and day. The huge chimneys, built right through the rooms, are of boulders and queer-shaped stones set firmly in cement and forming convenient shelves and niches, while every door is fastened by huge, carved latches, whittled out by the master as he sat dreaming by his blazing hickory fire.

Screens and doors of fret work and rich carving, tables and walls ornamented by the same handiwork, draperies hung on bolts cut by a jackknife, and even the piazza rail pinned with wooden points, shows the labor and pains and thorough enjoyment of the man who could ward off nervous prostration by such happy and natural means. It was here that "Too Much Johnson" came into its hearty, laughable being, and under the swift pen grew to be a play that has shaken the sides of thousands. And who shall say that it is not due to the brightness and sparkle of the skies and streams, the gay call of the Kentucky cardinal, who flits all winter in his scarlet coat among the pines, and the rich glow of mirth that perforce grows within one on such heights, that this smart little production of his struck home with such sympathetic success?

As a winter resort Tryon is equipped with all those necessities which alone make such places acceptable to the traveling public. No matter how delightful a place may be in itself, if you cannot get satisfactory bread and butter, bed and bath, if you are wordly wise you skip from it as from the plague. For after all, "nobody can live upon a view," and the tourist of today demands a fine table and civilized accommodations. Tryon lacks nothing of all this. Massachusetts people, with the ideas prevalent in the Bay state, have come here bringing their household with them, and their hospitality, even to the traditional "baked beans," is shared by us who come and linger and pass on, or by those who can find no more attractive place in the coveted dry, high atmosphere of an equable climate, than this wherein to spend a winter. Very many of the permanent inhabitants are from New England, and almost all the guests are from Boston or its suburbs.

Two or three millionaires are building up this quiet spot with a sort of enthusiastic recklessness. Fine stone villas, beautiful stone bridges, rustic arbors and graceful bowers give a touch of elegance and refinement even to the common roads. As the vicinity abounds in small game it is a perpetual shooting preserve, and the hunter is supplemented by the artist who pitches his umbrella like a tent and works and dreams before the beauty of the scene. And I, standing beneath an enormous pine which towers to heaven like a cathedral spire, repeat the lines of Lanier, gazing across a sunlit plain on to the blue mountains beyond:

> "Airs sway in sighs from Florida's Spring
> Or Carolina's Palm—
> What time the mocking-bird doth bring
> The woods his artist's-balm,
> Singing the Song of Everything
> Consummate—sweet and calm."

CORA LINN DANIELS.

The Way It is Done.

O. G. Cash, chief of the Westfield police, writes thus of the Curfew law: "We have had the law since 1897, and I consider it the best possible way to deal with the children. We use a whistle which blows at 9 p. m. from April to October, and at 8 p. m. from October to April. After the whistle sounds the children all leave the streets except such as are with their parents or sent on errands of importance. Whenever we find a boy who does not intend to obey the law we take him over to the lock up and give him a good talking to, and we seldom have any trouble afterward. We have never found it necessary to lock a boy up. I want to say that the parents can aid the police very much in this matter. I find that the boys soon fall in line and as a rule they mean to do pretty near right. I can say that the curfew law is a success here in Westfield."

Card of Thanks.

I wish to extend our most heartfelt thanks to our neighbors and friends for their deeds of kindness and words of sympathy in our bereavement.

MR. AND MRS HERBERT A. COOK,
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MISS DORA COOK.

Notice.

The public of Franklin and adjoining towns is hereby warned not to purchase from traveling agents tickets bearing my name and entitling bearer to either photographic or crayon work at my studio. I understand the canvass is not being conducted on the square, and I therefore withdraw my connection with the enterprise. I shall honor all tickets sold up to this date and endeavor to give satisfaction to holders, but do not agree to stand behind tickets sold after this date. Wrentham, Sheldonville, Unionville and Medway people please note.

R J. CALKIN,
Photographer.

Franklin, Mass., April 20, 1900.

Emerson's Market.

Drop into our market for spinach, dandelions, radishes, lettuce, rhubarb, cucumbers, Bermuda onions; fresh killed fowls, lamb, veal, pork, choice beef, and as a delicacy we have Van Camp's celebrated concentrated soups of all kinds. Try them. Also the Brunswick canned goods. Remember, your Easter Sunday dinner will taste right if bought here.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 1900.

Every true Yankee should look with a great deal of quiet, internal pride upon the Yankee-evolving south, says the Criterion. That an Englishman under a southern sun should ever become a genuine Yankee has often been despaired of. It is now a swelling fact. When the Spaniards called Lee a Yankee a year ago it pleased the whole south, though there is as yet a comparatively small spot on the southern map where the Yankee, sprung out of the very soil, threatens to outstrip his own blood elsewhere. This soil out of which the southern Yankee is springing with such robust energy extends from Lynchburg, Va., on the east, and Bristol, Tenn., on the west, to Eufaula and Birmingham, Ala., on the south. It is about 500 miles in length, and from 200 to 300 miles in breadth. It embraces the iron, coal and cotton mill site, and decidedly the most interesting phase of all this energy here is the cotton mill, for this phase is the latest and is developing more of the genuine characteristics of the New England Yankee in the southern man than elsewhere in the country.

Hartford, Conn., has had a man with a marble heart. The heart was partially covered with a deposit of calcium salts, of which marble is composed. It felt like stone, and when struck gave out a sound as of stone. It offered the same resistance a piece of stone or marble would. Calcareous deposits about the heart are common, but no case is known here where so much of the heart was turned into a substance resembling stone. The man who had this marble heart died in the Hartford hospital. He would not tell where he was in pain. Little is known of the history of his case. He was a tailor, 50 years old.

If you are at a loss to know what to give for a wedding present to some one you like very much, follow the example of a well-known New York merchant. whose granddaughter left him to set up a home of her own the other day. He made the bride hold her dainty hands together and then filled them brimful and flowing over with $20 gold pieces. You will not find that those philanthropists to the newly wed, the purchasers of duplicate wedding presents, will ever be called on to put your gift to same practical use.

The year 1900, according to the Gregorian rule of intercalation for centurial years, is not a leap year because it is not divisible by 400 without a remainder. The object of this rule is to make the calendar year coincide with the solar year. The last leap year was 1896. The next leap year will be 1904. February of 1900 will have only 28 days.

The most unique experiment in medical annals as a cure for insanity has been successfully tried in Philadelphia. The cure is starvation. For 45 days a young girl, whose mind was unbalanced, went without food; and at the expiration of that time she had recovered her reason.

The American consuls at all foreign ports have the lawful right to examine intending emigrants for the United States for the purpose of ascertaining that they are fit for admission to this country.

One Kansas town proposes to get rid of the pest of jack rabbits by making them into sausage. Ultimately there's a likelihood of the animals being much cut up over it.

Among the immense number of international conventions to be held in Paris next year the quietest will be a world's convention of deaf-mutes and their educators.

The total eclipse of the sun in 1900 comes two days before Memorial day

OVERWORK

You know all about it. The rush, the worry, the exhaustion. You go about with a great weight resting upon you. You can't throw off this feeling. You are a slave to your work. Sleep fails, and you are on the verge of nervous exhaustion.

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Never Touched Her.

"And you say that you were there when the earthquake happened?" said Miss Tommey to Miss Templeton.

"Yes."

"How did it feel?"

"Oh, I didn't notice it at all. You see, my Paris gown had just got home and I had discovered that there was a wrinkle down the back."—Judge.

Inducement to Hurry.

Customer—How long will it take to put a small patch on this shoe?

Cobbler—About ten minutes, I guess.

Customer—Then I'll smoke a cigar while I am waiting.

Cobbler (after the first whiff of the cigar)—I will have it done in about two minutes, sir.—Chicago Tribune.

Their Engagement.

Maud—Tell me about it.

Mabel—Well, when it began he was on his knees.

Maude—And how did it end?

Mabel—In the end—er—I was on his knees.—Town Topics.

And Then He Left.

"But I'll be a sister to you," she said, as if to console him.

"Thank you," he replied; "that's kind of you. I always thought it would be nice to be a younger brother."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Great Deal Worse.

Giles—When you proposed to her, I bet you found her a very self-possessed girl.

De Garry—Worse than that. I found her possessed by another fellow.—Town Topics.

A Complete Exhibit.

"Eliza, there is to be a model American post office at the Paris exposition."

"Well, Henry, you ought to go along to show how the model American husband forgets to mail his wife's letters."—Chicago Record.

A Neighborly View.

Caller—Your next-door neighbors appear to be very quiet people.

Mrs. Spinks—Yes, the walls are very thin, and I s'pose the mean things keep quiet to hear what we say.—N. Y. Weekly.

She Thought They Were Swells.

Harold—How did Jack Nomuno manage to capture that Chicago heiress?

Percy—He made her believe that his people objected to the match.—N. Y. Journal.

Experienced.

Mrs. Hicks—Do you have any trouble in keeping your children clean?

Mrs. Wicks—Not a bit. I don't try.—Detroit Free Press.

One Thing in the Way.

Mrs. Newcomb—How did you enjoy your voyage to Europe, dear?

Niece—Splendidly—all but the water, auntie.—Judge.

An Expensive Luxury.

She—What did papa say?

He—He said he'd be delighted to have me for a son-in-law, only he couldn't afford it.—N. Y. Journal.

What He Wanted.

Mamma—No; you've had enough cake.

The Four-Year-Old — O mamma! please can't I have too much?—Puck.

Relieved.

Sillicus—She is a finished artist.

Cynicus—Glad to hear it. I was afraid she was going to sing again.—

KNOWS EVERY DOG IN TOWN.

Former Lightning Calculator of the Treasury Can Tell the Ownership of Washington Curs.

The man who knows everybody, and the way to every place in the town where he lives, is quite common. But there is a man in Washington who was "born and raised here," as the native Washingtonian speaks it, who knows everybody's dog, and the dog's name. He will stand on a corner and point them out as they travel hither and yon. He was in front of Willard's the other day when a cur of low degree poked his nose around the corner, says the New York Sun.

"That's Beriah Wilkins' dog," he said to his acquaintance who also prides himself upon knowing a good deal about everything in Washington.

"It looks more like Jim Riley's dog," said the acquaintance.

"Jim Riley's dog don't wear any collar," replied the authority.

"'Cause that dog wears a collar it's no sign he's Beriah Wilkins' dog."

"No, that's so. But Beriah's dog has got a goitre in his neck, and is a little off in one eye."

The authority whistled to the cur, and when he came up familiarly, the authority showed his friend the marks of Mr. Wilkins' dog. This led to a bet that the authority could name the owner of every dog that passed the corner, and in 30 minutes he called the ownership of 14, and offered as testimony of his claim to follow the dogs home. It may have been a bluff, but people who know say it wasn't. Not only does he declare that he knows these things, but he offers to wager that he can tell the ownership of the dogs by their bark.

This man was at one time known as the lightning calculator of the treasury department, and now sells dogs for a livelihood.

ASKED TO TEACH THE QUEEN.

How a Young Jewess from America Lost an Interesting Opportunity.

"This is a brand new stitch," said the young woman, holding up a dainty piece of embroidery, "and if you will come some day when we can be alone I'll teach you how to do it."

"That reminds me of a good story," said her companion. "You know that Queen Victoria is a crank on the subject of needlework, and spends much time learning new things in embroidery and crochet work. Well, a few years ago she was spending some time at Wiesbaden, and she used to drive to the bazar and look at the needlework, while people looked at her and wondered why she would persist in wearing the old, rusty bonnet. One day the young woman who usually waited on her showed her what you just showed me—a brand new stitch—and was asked to call the next day and teach her majesty how to make it. She was to make a second call to finish the job several days later, but in the meantime was taken ill, and the proprietor of the establishment was beside herself, and worried as to how and where she would get a substitute.

"On the day before the appointed time a young girl from a western city in the United States came to the bazar and saw and admired the piece of needlework, and told the saleswoman that it was the first she had seen since she had finished a similar piece.

"'Then you know how to do the stitch?'

"'Certainly,' said the young woman. 'Why?'

"Well, there was a whispered consultation, and then the girl was asked if she would act as substitute the next day and teach the queen. You may imagine that she did not hesitate. She went to the hotel and, radiant with joy and excitement, told her mother of her good fortune, and, after she had received the congratulations of her friends, her mother shattered all her plans by reminding her that the next day was Saturday, and that, as a good Jewess, she could do no sewing on that day. And now the young woman tells the story of how near she came to teaching Queen Victoria a new stitch."—N. Y. Tribune.

Every Little Helps.

Dramatic Critic—Jack, I've an article to write on "The Elevation of the Decadent Stage of To-day." Can't you give me some points?

Amateur Critic—Yes; throw out those cheap red worsted chenille table covers.—Indianapolis Journal.

Cautionary.

(Slipping the ring on her finger)—"Let's keep this secret a little while, darling. Don't say anything about it."

(In a whisper)—"I won't, love—till I find out whether the stone is genuine or not."—Chicago Tribune.

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An Excuse.

"Science," remarked the eastern man, "is a great thing."

"Yes, indeed, suh!" exclaimed Col. Kaintuck; "by findin' germs in watuh, suh, it confirmed ouah suspicions."—Kansas City Independent.

Brave Men Fail

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A Difficult Task.

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"I wish they would," said the pastor. "I am tired of trying to raise it myself."—N. Y. Journal.

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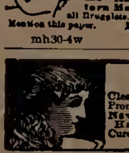

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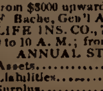

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Surplus.................................. 5,534,697.74
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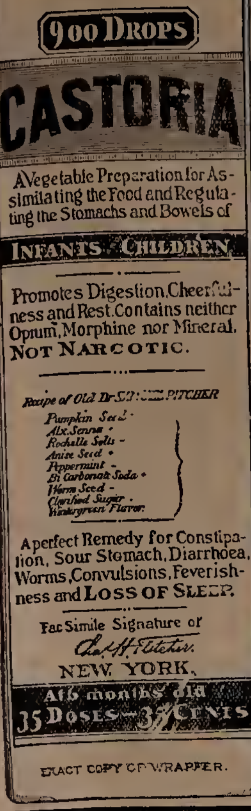

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Wreck of a Wreck.

In the space of a single year Sable island claimed more than 200 lives. In fact, so many wrecks line the shoals of this ocean graveyard that the new pile up on the old, like bodies heaped in one ditch. The Crofton Hall, an iron sailing ship wrecked two years ago on the northeast bar, broke in two about amidships. The pieces have drifted together again and the islanders suppose that she struck crosswise upon an old submerged wreck, and is settling over it, which accounts for the two parts coming together. Nor is the island satisfied with the awful tribute which it exacts from the living. The same informant who writes me about the Crofton Hall adds that the bark John McLeod, which was wrecked off Devil's island at the entrance to Halifax harbor, has drifted ashore on Sable island bottom up—a wreck of a wreck!—Ainslee's Magazine.

Zulu Servant Stories.

The Zulu boy servants are much appreciated in Africa, but they have difficulties with the English language. Their special weakness is the confusion of the letters "l" and "r." As a result, instead of saying that "breakfast is ready" they announce, to the astonishment of the stranger, "Black-faced lady, lbsas." They make excellent servants. One particularly faithful boy was always very careful as to whom he admitted into the house. One day three visitors called, one of whom had come without a card. He ushered the first two into the drawing-room, but insisted on the other staying in the hall. "Two misses," he explained, "got ticket; you got no ticket, you wait outside!" The wise boy knew quite well that he himself wouldn't be allowed in a saloon without a ticket; why, then, should he admit white ladies?—London Globe.

People We Meet.

"Rebecca, you seem to have an antipathy to Prof. Muddler."

"Yes; he's so frightfully learned."

"You don't like Mr. Noodler, either."

"No; he's so desperately stupid."—Indianapolis Journal.

His School.

Churchby—Does Mr. Thindly belong to the advanced school of thought?

Layman—Well, I have heard him but once; then he impressed me as belonging to the kindergarten.—Brooklyn Life.

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DISEASES OF CORN.

They Are Not Only More Numerous But Also More Destructive Than Is Generally Supposed.

The corn plant is subject to rust that is similar to the red rust that affects wheat and oats. Usually its presence may be noted about the middle of summer, by the appearance of blotches on the leaf of the plant. These blotches are dust-like, and contain the spores of the disease. Near the end of the summer the blotches become blackish. Fortunately the disease does not attack corn until the plant has arrived at a stage of growth when it will not suffer as much injury as it would if it were attacked in the earlier stages. It has never been regarded as economically important, yet a healthy plant is always better than a diseased one.

Prof. Burrell's bacterial disease of corn is a more serious matter. It causes a dwarfed condition of young plants on areas of a few yards to an acre or more, and more usually than otherwise upon the richest soil of the field. The plants that are attacked are sickly in appearance, being more yellow than a healthy plant. Especially is this the appearance of the lower leaves. The lower and older roots are badly affected as is also the lowest portion of the stalk which often dies. On the surface of these diseased stalks may be found spots that are of a brownish color and are corroded. After the middle of the summer the sheath leaves of the stalk will be found to be spotted on the outside. But on the inside they are much more affected.

Sometimes the ears become diseased. In bad cases everything connected with the ear, husks, cob, kernel and silk are reduced to a condition that may be called nothingness, and such ears often become moldy through and through, the fungus being very white. The juices the ear, husks, cob, kernel and silk, are shown by the microscope to be alive with bacteria. It was at one time thought that cattle feeding upon such diseased corn would be poisoned, but, like smut, it has more recently been shown to be harmless.

Like smut in wheat the remedy for the disease is probably rotation, though we are not prepared to say just what the rotation should be. However, if the disease is bad on any part of the farm, it would prove profitable to experiment as to the proper rotation. It is not often that diseases of this character will attack crops that are dissimilar in character.—Agricultural Epitomist.

Chinese Visiting Cards.

The Chinese visiting cards consist of a large sheet of bright scarlet paper bearing the name of the owner in very large letters, the larger the better. The paper is folded ten times, and the name is written on the right-hand lower corner, prefixed thus: "Your unworthy friend, who bows his head and pays his respects," "Your very stupid brother," or something to that effect. In place of "Yours truly," "Your stupid" is written on the Chinese card. The return of these cards to the visitor is considered etiquette. They are too costly for general distribution. So it is necessary that each card should do duty several times.

Giraffe Is Disappearing.

A good giraffe skin is worth from ten to twenty dollars in South Africa to-day, and much more in Europe. On their hunting trips ten or fifteen years ago it was a common matter for one hunter to kill 40 or 50 of these graceful animals in one day.

Something Unusual.

Jimmie—Ain't you goin' ter lick me to-day, teacher?

Teacher—No; why should I?

Jimmie—'Couse if I go home an' tell paw I didn't git no lickin,' he'll think I'm lyin'.—N. Y. Journal.

FAMED IN HISTORY.

The House in Which "Yankee Doodle" Was Written.

Greenbush Manor House on the Hudson, Near Albany, Is Still Standing and Is a Landmark of Great Interest.

Upon the right bank of the Hudson, opposite the city of Albany, stands an ancient mansion, known since 1708 as the Greenbush manor house, before that as the Patron's fort, Crailo. Recently it has been called the "Yankee Doodle house," from the fact that the lines of the famous song were composed there.

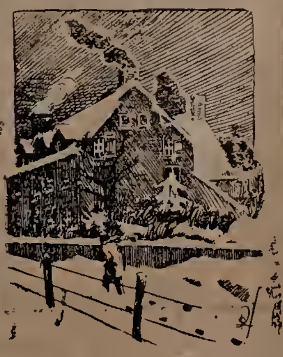
Fort Crailo, as it now stands, says the Philadelphia Press, is a massive brick structure, consisting of three stories. The third story has dormer windows, and an attic with a shingle roof.

The rude, fortress-like walls of the main building, still pierced by stone portholes, amply bear out the assertion that it was used for purposes of defense in early colonial days. The bronzed tablet on the front wall of the Crailo, above one of the ancient stone portholes, gives the date of erection, 1642, as cut in the stone on the cellar wall. It also states that the lines of Yankee Doodle were composed there.

Gen. James Abercrombie, with his staff, made the manor house his headquarters on his way to defeat at the hands of Montcalm, at Ticonderoga, July 8, 1758.

The British officers were the guests of Col. Johannes Van Rensselaer and his lovely wife, Angelica Livingston, daughter of Robert Livingston, Jr., for nine years mayor of Albany. On Abercrombie's staff was a young surgeon, whose derision was excited one day by the sight of the raw American recruits straggling in from the country side, clad in all kinds of motley garb.

Sitting on the edge of the well in the rear of the house, he scribbled the few lines of doggerel which alone preserve his name and were destined to be adopted and proudly sung to the stirring quickstep which led so many of those despised country lads to victory when the spirit of '76 called and found their glad response.



CRAILO ON THE HUDSON.
(Old Mansion in Which "Yankee Doodle" Was Written.)

The author's name is given variously as Schuckbergh, Shackberg and Stackpole.

In June, 1775, the continental army held its cantonment in the gardens back of the manor house, on its way to Ticonderoga, taken by a handful of Americans under the gallant Ethan Allen, May 10, 1775. The despised Yankee Doodle had gone to the front with a vengeance.

Welcome guests were these to the proprietor, Col. Johannes Van Rensselaer, who had ranged himself with the radicals in the Twenty-first provincial assembly as far back as 1737. He had seen Abercrombie march by while yet he owed allegiance, grudgingly given, to an English sovereign. He was captain of a company of foot in 1743. Now his country was struggling to cast off the hated yoke, and to him and his compatriots it often seemed as though there were naught to gain and all to lose.

Too old himself for active service, his three sons, Robert, Henry and James, held commissions in the continental army, as brigadier general, colonel and major, respectively. Killian, the youngest brother of Col. Johannes, held a commission as second lieutenant in his brother's company of foot, November 10, 1743, under the royal governor, George Clinton, and received his commission as colonel from George Clinton, governor of the state of New York, in April, 1778.

All of these, with others too numerous for detailed mention here, were born in the old manor house, and went in and out on their country's errands until the end of the war.

A brother, therefore, three sons and eight nephews of Col. Johannes Van Rensselaer served in the continental army; some with distinction, all with credit. The active part in military service taken by so many members of the family and his relationship as son-in-law to the aged proprietor, would naturally operate in the selection by Gen. Schuyler of this old house as his headquarters when the American army, moving north under his command, took up its temporary station upon the Greenbush estate.

The many scions of the younger branch all looked to Greenbush manor house as the ancestral home, and were welcome within its walls, when baptismal and marriage feasts called together a joyous company. Geo. Washington dined there and Lafayette also, while in later times, Daniel Webster, Harrison Gray Otis and many other celebrated men were numbered among its guests.

Ceylon's Silk Spiders.

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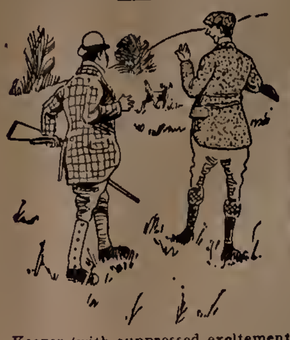
In the Wrong Places.

'Tis a problem to me very puzzling—
I'm wondering if anyone knows
Why for happiness we're ever searching
In the spots where unhappiness grows.
—Judge.

TRULY A FINE SHOT.



Keeper (with suppressed excitement and evident relief—to Fitznoodle)—That's a fine shot, sir!

Fitznoodle—How so? I didn't hit anything!

Keeper—That's just it, sir. An' th' dawg right in range, too!—Punch.

Informative.

Friend—How came you to know your wife?

Mr. Sourby—I married her!—Puck.

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"Can't use it. What we want on our daily bread is butter."—Atlanta Constitution.

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Mr. Crimsonbeak—Do you think it gets a chance, dear?—Yonkers Statesman.

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Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE

In Franklin, Mass.

Pursuant to a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Johanna McLellan to the Benjamin Franklin Savings Bank, dated the twenty-fourth day of May, A. D. 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 737, folio 196, and for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage, will be sold at public auction, on the premises hereinafter described, on

SATURDAY, the FIFTH day of MAY,
A. D. 1900,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described as follows, to wit:

A certain lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Franklin, and bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the town road leading from Duty Ware's to the City Mills (so called), near the brook; thence running northeasterly on the road leading to Medway to a post standing nearly opposite the grave yard by land now or late of John Shepardson; thence westerly on said land now or late of said Shepardson to an oak tree at land of Dr. E. D. Miller; thence southerly on land formerly of Miller to a corner on the hill; thence easterly on said land formerly of Miller to a corner; thence southerly on and formerly of Miller to land now or late of Nahan Staples; thence easterly and southerly on said and now or late of Staples to the new road leading from the first mentioned to the meeting house in said Franklin; thence northeasterly on said new road and the road first mentioned to the point of beginning.

Also another lot of land situated in said Franklin, bounded, beginning at said new road by land formerly of said Miller; thence running westerly on said land formerly of said Miller to said road leading from Duty Ware's to City Mills; thence northerly on said road to said new road; thence southwesterly on said new road to the point of beginning.

The two lots of land hereby conveyed together contain about forty acres and are the same premises which were conveyed to late husband by Martin Green and his wife, Lois F. Green, by deed dated April 30, 1850, recorded with deeds, libro 277, folio 109, and conveyed in mortgage by my late husband to the Dedham Institution for Savings by deed of Oct. 6, 1859, recorded libro 281, folio 14, discharged on the record March 2, 1895.

Terms made known at the time and place of sale.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN SAVINGS BANK,
By Charles W. Stewart, its Treasurer.
Franklin, April 3, 1900. ap6,13,20

By F. W. CUMMINGS & Co. Auctioneers,
MEDWAY, MASS.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Addie I. Hutchinson to Edwin Childs, dated Sept. 28, 1896, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 770, fol. 618, for breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed, will be sold on the premises in Medway at public auction on

MONDAY, APRIL 30, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit: two tracts of land situate in the westerly part of Medway, bounded as follows:

1st. Beginning at land of said Hutchinson and said Childs at easterly corner, and running S. 81 degrees 45 minutes E., 575 ft. to a stone wall; thence north 11 degrees 15 minutes E., 330 feet to corner of a wall; thence west 467 ft. to a wall and continuing N. 82 degrees W., 133 ft. to said Childs land; thence south 8 degrees 15 minutes W., 254 ft. to point of beginning; the whole containing 3 45 acres.

2d. A certain parcel of woodland situate north of the above described tract, and is bounded east by said Childs' land, north by land of Wm. Hodges, west by land of D. Hastings heirs and south by land of —— McIntosh and —— Fish; the whole containing about ten acres and is all surrounded by a stone wall.

Terms given at time and place of sale

EDWIN CHILDS, Mortgagee.
Medway, April 4, 1900. ap6,13,20

Collector's Notice

The owners of the following described parcels of real estate in the town of Medway, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon assessed for the year within specified, according to the list committed to me by the assessors of taxes, remain unpaid, and that the said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Town Clerk's office in said Medway, on

MONDAY, MAY 14, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the cost and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

Franklin Savings Bank or Owner—About two and one-half acres of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the south side of Village street, in the westerly part of Medway; bounded on the north by New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, east by land of Mrs. N. E. Parker, south by Charles river, west by land of Mrs. Edith C. Rodgers; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $161.70.

L. A. Chapman or Owner—About one-quarter acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the north side of Village street, in the westerly part of Medway; bounded on the north by land of F. L. Smith, south by Village street, east by land of Grayson Cronk, land of Mrs. Clifton E. Seavey, land of Fred C. Clark, west by land of Mrs. Richard Whalen; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $24.15.

Hugh Lyons—About (38) thirty-eight acres of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the west side of West street, in the westerly part of Medway; bounded on the north by land of heirs of Aaron Wight, south by land of heirs of Seth Wight, west by land of Sarah Simpson, east by West street; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $22.05.

Helen A. Merrill—About one acre of land situated on the west side of Oakland street, in the easterly part of Medway, and known as part of "Gladstone Heights;" bounded on the north by land of Putnam Clark and land of Isaiah Cousins, east by land of Putnam Clark and land of Isaiah Cousins and land of Herbert J. Mann, south by land of estate of William Jencks, west by land of Ambrose Mareau; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $3 36.

George S. Lovejoy—About five acres of land on Oakland street, in the easterly part of Medway, and known as "Gladstone Heights;" bounded on the north by land of Putnam Clark and land of Isaiah Cousins, east by land of Putnam Clark and land of Isaiah Cousins and land of Herbert J. Mann, south by land of estate of William Jencks, west by land of Ambrose Mareau; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $25.52.

Dennis J. Bresnahan or Owner—About fourteen and three-quarters acres of land, situated on the south side of Village street, in the southerly part of Medway, and known as the "Kenney Section;" bounded on the north by Village street, south by Charles river, west by land of E. C. Wilson, east by land of Mrs. Frank Nealon and land of Mrs. Francis Karnes; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $18.59.

A. C. Walworth, Administrator—About one-half acre of land, with buildings thereon, situated on the east side of Holliston street, in the easterly part of Medway; bounded on the north by land of John P. Grant, south by land of Thos. Mullen, east by land of Mrs. Jesse Darling and by land of Mrs. Lucy T. Snow, west by Holliston street; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $37.80.

James H. Wentworth—About fifty-five and one-half acres of land, with buildings thereon, situated on the north side of Village street, in the easterly part of Medway; bounded on the north by land of heirs of J. P. Peck, land of Willard K. Ellis and land of heirs of Sewall Sanford, east by Farm street, south by land of Mrs. Maria Gallagher, land of Ellen Mawn and Village street, west by land of Lawrence McGinnis; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $159.39.

GEO. F. MADDEN,
Collector of Taxes for 1899.
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BOSTON—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex.) 6 05, 9 38 p m; Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, 8 30 a m; 12 04, 3 36, 4 32, 5 19, 6 22, 6 57, 8 17, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 15 a m, 5 15, 7 10 p m.

BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 49, 4 10, 5 11, 6 01, 7 19 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7 54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 58, f5 21, 6 10, f7 25, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58, a m; f1 01, 5 25, 6 15, f7 28, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 20, 10 30 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

NEW YORK, all rail—9 15 a m; 4 23 p m. Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

New York, via Norwich Line, 7 45 p m. Return New Pier 36, North River, 6 00 p m.

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Trains leave FRANKLIN for

PROVIDENCE—7 04, 9 04 a m; 1 08, 4 25, 7 04 p m. Return, 6 04, 8 10, 12 04 a m; 4 35, 6 04 p m.

MILFORD BRANCH.

Trains leave Franklin for

MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 35, 6 50 p m; S 6 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.

ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

Trains leave Unionville for

MILFORD—9 25 a m; 1 19, 4 37, 5 42, 6 57, S 6 44 p m

FRANKLIN—6 49, 8 41, 11 28 a m; 4 03, 6 19 p m. S 8 15 a m.

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WRENTHAM.

The funeral of Mrs. T. C. Goddard, who died Tuesday in Petersham, was held Monday afternoon.——The funeral of Mrs. Almira Bolton was held at her late residence in South Wrentham Wednesday afternoon. She was in her 70th year and leaves a son, Joshua Bolton, and two grandchildren, Fred and Florence Bolton.——Miss Sarah Fuller died at her residence in South Wrentham on Monday. She was in feeble health for many years.——F. O. Pierce has sold his farm to T. L. Emerson of Lynn. Mr. Pierce has purchased a house in Foxboro.——A large delegation from Reliance and Excelsior lodges paid a visit to Wampum lodge Tuesday evening.——Mrs. M. K. Bates has purchased Strawberry cottage of F. P. Redding and has had it moved to her house on East street.——A Republican caucus was held in the banquet room in the town hall for the purpose of electing delegates to the state and congressional conventions. E. J. Whitaker was chosen chairman and D. S. Farrington secretary. The following delegates were chosen. State—E. J. Whitaker, W. F. Mainlein; congressional—James E. Carpenter, D. S. Farrington.——The old S. P. Fisher farm is being completely renovated by its new owner, Benjamin Gilman, of the art museum. The interior has been renovated, a piazza has been put on and steam heat and a wind mill will be added conveniences.

A Depressing Outlook.

"That young woman missionary looked sad when she went away."

"Yes; we fixed her up so she won't have to have any new clothes made for seven years."—Chicago Record.

A Capable Woman.

Jones—Brown married a very capable woman, didn't he?

Smith—I guess so. At least she seems to be capable of making a living for both of them.—Detroit Free Press.

Hood's Pills

Are prepared from Nature's mild laxatives, and while gentle are reliable and efficient. They

Rouse the Liver

Cure Sick Headache, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, and Constipation. Sold everywhere, 25c. per box.

Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Obeyed Instructions.

Auntie—Where is the money you had saved up last week?

Tommy—Father said I was to save it up for a rainy day. It was a rainy day yesterday, and so I spent it.—Tit-Bits.

The Prospect.

Freddie—If I ate all those mince pies ma made do you think she would lay me out?

Cobwigger—No; but I think the undertaker would.—Judge.

Red Hot From the Gun

Was the gun that hit G. B. Steadman of Newark, Mich., in the Civil War. It caused horrible ulcers that no treatment helped for 20 years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Cures cuts, bruises, burns, boils, felons, corns, skin eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co., druggists.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your grocer today to show you a package of Grain O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. Grain O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress; one fourth the price of coffee; 15c. and 25c per package. Sold by all grocers.

"Delays are dangerous." Those who have poor, weak, impure blood should take Hood's Sarsaparilla at once. It never disappoints.

His Family Sapling.

Social Aristocrat—Did the founder of your family come over with the Conqueror?

Social Democrat—No; I came over alone.—Harlem Life.

Mystery.

"Got a job?" asked one urchin.

"Yes," answered the other, with superiority. "I'm workin' fur a lawyer."

"I suppose he'll be takin' you into the firm next."

"Not me. The whole thing is a mystery to me. I don't do a thing but sit on a chair by the door all day and try to figure out where he gets the four dollars a week he pays me."—Washington Star.

A IS for Angel who came from the skies
To bless the new baby and guess on its size;
Ten pounds are sufficient to cuddle and rock.
Get a Go-Cart at once from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

B IS for Baby who cried half the night
For sunshine and air, which of course was all right.
"I'll fix you at once," said the head of the flock
He got a Go-Cart from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

C IS for Cherub, a name that is used
To soften up baby when babe feels abused.
But nothing can satirize, nothing can mock
A Carriage that comes from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

D IS for Devil, who came "in the dark"
To steal baby's jewels; but he missed his mark.
One jewel had baby which gave him a shock—
The Carriage it slept in from "Cook's Rolling Stock.

E IS for Easter, return to good cheer;
Eat, drink and be merry the rest of the year.
Keep well to the right, build your house on a rock.
Push a Carriage at once from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

F IS for Fragance, the charm of the rose
On baby's round cheek, where the sweetest rose blows,
As nestled in laces it rides and it rocks!
In a Carriage direct from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

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Go-Cart, $3.00. A Beauty for $7.00 to $9.00. Carriages for $11.70 that are marvels of beauty. Buy now; then pay $1.00 each week and have the use of the carriage every Sunday till snow flies again.

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In After Years.

Old Beau—Ah, Miss Clara, I love you. May I hope to some day call you my wife?

Miss Clara—Have you spoken to my mother on the subject?

Old Beau—Why—er—yes, I believe I did—some 20-odd years ago.—Chicago Daily News.

Sympathy.

Mrs. Greaves — Herbert suffered dreadfully yesterday morning from shooting pains.

Mrs. Cutter (who does not love Mrs. Greaves, sweetly)—What a shame! Mr. Cutting mentioned that he saw him last night "half shot."—N. Y. World.

The Alphabet Advertiser

A for apricots, both dried and canned,
B for biscuits of all the best brands,
C for crackers and clams for chowder,
D for doughnuts and Dalmation powder,
E for extracts of Baker's best make,
F for fish that will make fine fish cakes,
G for groceries kept neat and in shape,
H for honey to eat on wheat cakes,
I for Indian corn meal and ink,
J for fruit juice for a summer drink,
K for Kennedy, whose goods we stand by,
L for lemons that make a nice pie,
M for mince meat, molasses and mace,
N for Nestle's, whose milk suits the taste,
O for onions, a sure cure for the croup,
P for potatoes to eat in your soup,
Q for Quaker, those rolled oats so nice,
R for raisins for puddings and rice,
S for sugar, sand soap and saleratus,
T for tubs, tapioca and tomatoes,
U for undoubtedly the cheapest in town,
V for vinegar as sour as can be found,
W for witch hazel that makes one strong,
X for Xebec, a vessel it was used on,
Y for yeast that will raise bread best,
Z for zeal in which we stand the test.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of William M. Thayer, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, Rebecca W. Thayer, executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of her administration upon the estate of said deceased.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the ninth day of May, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this sixteenth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of Seneca Adams, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Henry A. Whitney, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of certain parcels of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county, on the twenty-fifth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
BOARD OF RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS,
BOSTON, April 16th, 1900.

On petition of the Medfield and Medway Street Railway Company for authority to extend its railway into the town of Franklin from the town of Medway, in which said railway is now constructed, the Board will give a hearing to the parties in interest at their office, No. 20 Beacon street, Boston, on Monday, the thirtieth day of April instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

And the petitioner is required to give notice of said hearing by publication hereof twice prior to said date in the Franklin Sentinel a newspaper printed in the town of Franklin, to serve a copy hereof on the selectmen of Franklin and to make return of service at the time of hearing.

Per order of the Board,
WM. A. CRAFTS, Clerk.

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Franklin and Wrentham STAGE LINE.

Leave Wrentham P. O. for Franklin at 8.15 a.m. 3.30 p. m. Leave Franklin depot for Wrentham at 9.30 a. m., 4.30 p. m., connecting with trains for Boston and Providence via N. Y. & N. E. railroad, trains leaving Boston at 7.40, 8.30 a. m. and 3.30 p. m. leaving Providence at 8.35 a. m.

☞ Orders may be left at Railroad Station.

N. B. WEBBER, Prop.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector; Rev. M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor; theme, "What We Owe." Sunday school at 12. Junior league at 3.45. Epworth league at 6. Preaching at 7; theme, "Little Things."

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. Frank B. Sleeper, pastor. Theme, "Fulfilling Our Church Covenant." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45. Preaching at 7; theme, "The Backslider, an After Easter Thought." Short after service in vestry.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D.; theme, "What is the Risen Christ Doing for Us Now?" Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30; subject, "Four Important After-Resurrection Facts." Chorus choir. All are welcome.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 to Excelsior lodge, A. F. & A. M., and Fern chapter, Eastern Star, on "The Stone Which the Builders Rejected." Vesper service at 5; "The Doctrine of a Future Life Among the Jews of the Time of Jesus." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

One on Him.

"Blast that lamp!" roared Mr. Pegel, who was heating some water for shaving purposes.

"It reminds me of you at the theater," said Mrs. Pepel, sweetly.

"Reminds you of me?" he thundered. "In what way? Speak, woman."

"Why, this makes the fourth time it has gone out, and every time it goes out it smells of alcohol."—Chicago Record.

Too Early for Them.

"Methusaleh was the oldest man," said the Sunday school-teacher, "but the Bible makes no mention of an oldest woman. Why do you suppose this is so?"

"I guess," said little Robert, "they didn't have no chorus girls when the Bible was wrote."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Easy for a Woman.

Braggles—I know a woman who had twins and one of them was five months older than the other.

Miss Ingenue — How perfectly absurd! Twins have to be born at the same time.

Braggles (with a superior air)—Yes; but they don't have to die at the same time.—N. Y. World.

Willie Has an Idea.

Teacher—If one man can perform a piece of work in six days, how long will it take six men to do it?

Willie—About six weeks.

Teacher—How do you get that?

Willie — Six men would get up a strike.—Tit-Bits.

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1 bbl. best Haxall Flour,	$4.35	Squire's Boneless Bacon	11
4¼ lbs. best Butter.....	1.00	6 dozen Fresh Eggs....	1.00
Squire's Skinned Back Ham, lb	13	Duck Eggs, doz.......	30
		Geese Eggs, doz.......	10
Squire's Sugar-Cured Shoulders, lb.........	9	16 Oranges...........	25
		10 lb. tub Lard........	90

New Maple Syrup, qt... 25

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what you pay in that way will go a long way towards paying for the very furniture you are using. Probably you would prefer to select more modern furnishings.

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per month will pay for furniture and carpets enough to furnish a modern home with all the necessities and comforts enough to make the ordinary mortal supremely happy. We charge no interest. We only ask your promise to pay a little at a time as you earn it and you have the goods set into your house at once.

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Mortgagee's Sale
—OF—
REAL ESTATE
In Franklin, Mass.

Pursuant to a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Henry B. Kimball to the Benjamin Franklin Savings Bank, dated the fourteenth day of May, A. D. 1892, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 678, folio 570, and for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage, will be sold at public auction, on the premises hereinafter described, on

SATURDAY, the FIFTH day of MAY,
A. D. 1900,

at nine o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage and therein described as follows, to wit:

The following described pieces or parcels of real estate situated in said Franklin, with buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows:

1st. A certain piece or parcel of land on the westerly side of Forest street and bounded, beginning on Forest street at the center of the brook and land of Ernst E. Holmstrom, et al.; thence running westerly by the center of said brook four rods; thence turning and running southerly five rods, more or less, to a fence; thence running westerly by said fence and said Holmstrom's land to land of heirs of Adin Sargent; thence running westerly on said land of Sargent's heirs to land known as the Peter Adams farm; thence southerly various courses on said Adams farm to land of heirs of Fenner Grant; thence on said land of said Grant's heirs to land of Charlotte M. Woodward, formerly of Providence County Savings Bank; thence easterly by said land of Charlotte M. Woodward various courses to said Forest street; thence northerly on said Forest street to place of beginning, being part of the "Bradford Farm," so called, containing fifty acres, more or less; also

2. A certain piece or parcel of land on the westerly side of said Forest street, bounded on the north and west by land of heirs of Fenner Grant; on the south by land of heirs of George Grant and on the east by said Forest street, containing eleven (11) acres, more or less; and also

3. A certain piece or parcel of land on the easterly side of said Forest street, and bounded, beginning at the northwesterly corner of the premises on said Forest street; thence running southerly on said Forest street forty (40) rods, more or less, to an old rail fence; thence running easterly forty (40) rods, more or less, to a stone wall; thence running northerly by said wall to land of this grantor, formerly of Gilmore; thence on said land formerly of Gilmore westerly to said Forest street and the place of beginning, containing seven (7) acres, more or less. Reserving to the grantor the right to pass and repass with teams or otherwise along the northerly side of said land last above described; also reserving the wood and timber on the lot first above described and the right to Jason Tower to remove the same at any time prior to December 1, A. D. 1888.

4. A certain lot or tract of land situated in said Franklin, on the westerly side of the road leading from West Wrentham meeting house, so called, to Franklin Centre, and bounded, beginning on the westerly line of said road at the northeasterly corner of land late of Joseph and Fenner Grant; thence running northeasterly with said road forty (40) rods, more or less, to land now or formerly of Abner Fiske; thence running westerly with the southerly line of said Fiske's land one hundred and twenty (120) rods, more or less, to a turn of said Fiske's land; thence southerly with said Fiske's land forty (40) rods, more or less, to land late of Joseph and Fenner Grant; thence easterly to the said land of said Grants one hundred and twenty (120) rods more or less, to said road at the place of beginning, containing thirty (30) acres, more or less, and is known as the "Choice Lot," and the same premises described in a deed from the Providence County Savings Bank to this grantor, dated January 28th, A. D. 1880, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 517, fol. 230, to which deed reference is hereby given for more particular description; reserving and subject to the right of Jason Tower to remove the wood and timber lying on said land at any time prior to December 1, A. D. 1888.

5. A certain piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in the southerly part of Franklin aforesaid and on the westerly side of Forest street, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point on the westerly side of said street at land now or formerly of Amos P. Woodward; and thence running westerly on a stone wall about sixty (60) rods to a corner in the fence; thence southerly on land of said Woodward as the wall now stands to land of the heirs of Adin D. Sargent; thence continuing southerly by said heirs' land until it reaches an old stone wall and fence; thence continuing southerly across the wood lot and pasture to a corner; thence turning and running easterly on a fence and wall to a corner at a stake four (4) rods westerly of said street; thence turning and running northerly in a straight line to the center of the brook; thence turning and running easterly again by the center of said brook to the westerly side of said street; thence running northerly on said street to the point of beginning; containing twenty-five acres, be the same more or less.

Being the same premises which were conveyed to Ernst Erlwin Holmstrom, Charles Holmstrom and James Holmstrom by Amos P. Woodward by a deed dated the twenty-ninth day of March, A. D. 1887, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 590, folio 551, to which deed reference is hereby made for a more particular description of said land.

Terms made known at the time and place of sale.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN SAVINGS BANK,
By Charles W. Stewart, its Treasurer.
Franklin, April 3d, 1900. ap6,13,20

Herman M Fisher

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MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Elijah Leonard is quite ill at his home on Cottage street.

Ralph Dean of Watertown spent Sunday with friends in town.

Miss Eleanor K. Ray returned yesterday from her visit to Wisconsin.

H. W. Heaton is improving the Walte house owned by him on Emmons street.

Miss Razee will give a "summer dress" party Thursday evening, May 10, at Morse opera house.

Mrs. J. H. Tyler gains very slowly, being able to sit up only a part of the time each day.

Miss Bessie Blake of Newtonville spent the Sabbath with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Blake.

Arthur Jenckes is the new conductor upon the street railway, having resigned at the Bassett shop.

Alice M. Bright has just been granted a divorce from Charles A. Bright, Attorney Ruggles having the case.

Remember that Governor Crane has decreed that Saturday shall be "Arbor Day" for this commonwealth.

Wm. Grant has finished his labors at J. D. Hatch's blacksmith shop and gone to Boston to seek employment.

E. F. Sibley of the Olneyville (R. I.) Times made us a pleasant call on Saturday. That's practical fraternity.

The funeral of Mrs. Robert Souther was held at the Methodist church yesterday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Cook officiating.

The ground about A. M. Thayer's residence is being graded and put in order to correspond with the rest of the lot.

The High school freshmen defeated the Actives in a hard hitting and exciting game of ball Saturday morning, 18 to 17.

The graduating class of Dean and at the High school have voted to have their class work done at Calkins' studio this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Gilmore of South Framingham are rejoicing over the advent of a little son into their home on the 15th.

The town has made a few repairs in the highway properly belonging to the street railway, and the bill will be sent to the company to settle.

H. T. Hayward's automobile is now getting to be quite a familiar sight about town and horses are becoming somewhat more accustomed to it.

Rev. Father Lee has been appointed guardian of J. E., Mary A., Walter J., Maud A., Alice, Henrietta C., Grace G. and Archibald D. McLellan in a bond of $5,000.

Charles Hebert, former proprietor of the Hotel Briggs, was in town last week. He has been in business in New York, but has disposed of it and is now looking for a new location.

O. W. Bugbee of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting friends in town. He has disposed of his coal business there and is now on a "loose pulley," prospecting for an advantageous opening.

The Ladies' Social circle of the Universalist church will meet with Mrs. Winsor of Unionville tomorrow. Members are requested to take the car leaving the postoffice at 2.10 p. m.

Mrs. G. H. Sullivan left last week to join her husband in Tecumseh, Mich., where it is understood he has an excellent position. Their many friends here are pleased to hear of their good fortune.

The new fire pump for the American Woollen Company's mill arrived Friday. The work of laying the water pipes, which has been in progress during the past few weeks, is now nearly completed

Levi C. Lincoln of Woonsocket, well known here and manager of the Franklin Electric Light company, has just purchased the handsome residence of Dr. George H. Baker on South Main street in that city.

Deputy Sheriff Fitzpatrick arrested Dennis Long Friday and took him to Dedham jail for failure to appear when a charge of assault against him was called in Dedham court last week. He will be tried today.

Col. George W. Nason of Boston sends us his annual souvenir of the "Minute Men of '61," which is a remarkably well gotten up affair, evidencing a good deal of ability and "hustle" on the part of our veteran friend.

The members of St. Mary's alumni held a pleasant social at the home of Miss Catherine Sheehan on Union street Friday evening. There was a good attendance and the members were handsomely entertained.

James Connors, residing on Union street and employed at the Colonial rubber works, had his right arm badly bruised in a fall at the factory Saturday morning while assisting other employes in the work of repairing the flywheel of the engine.

A memorial brochure embodying the death and funeral exercises of the late Joseph G. Ray, as published in the SENTINEL, letters of condolence, together with a remarkably fine portrait, has been prepared by the family for distribution among friends.

The Boston board of health received the other day a communication bearing the address "Border of helth, Boston, mass." And on the other side was this interesting communication:—"Dear Sir—Please come at 19 F—street· down stairs to hear the smell."

Medical Examiner J. C. Gallison was called Friday to examine into the sudden death of an infant child whose mother lives in New Hampshire and is visiting a French family on Fisher street. Death was due to convulsions and a permit was given for burial.

A business directory, covering the Attleboros, Wrentham, Franklin, Foxboro, Medway, Medfield, Millis, Mansfield, Canton, Walpole, Norwood, is being compiled, and will be distributed free, by Mr. Anthony, connected with the New Bedford Standard.

Mrs. E. K. Ray is to entertain the Mothers' Section at Elm farm on Thursday afternoon, when Dr. Kate Sanborn of Medway is to speak upon a subject of interest to all who have to do with the bringing up of children. A most delightful afternoon is promised.

Postmaster Conroy has received a supply of two cent postage stamp books containing twelve, twenty-four and forty-eight stamps. The books are sold at one cent advance over the price of stamps. The stamps are protected from sticking by parafine paper. They will be found very convenient.

A subscriber calls our attention to the fact that he has two kittens 10 months old, each of which recently gave birth to kittens. All of them being destroyed but one, the two mothers now take turns in providing for the little one, one of them staying at home while the other goes out foraging.

An exchange says that a girl, named plain "Mary" at her birth, dropped the "r" when she grew up, and became Miss May. As she began to shine in a social way, she changed the "y" to "e," and signed her letters Mae. She was married, and now she has dropped the "e," and it's just plain "Ma."

It is told that a Franklin merchant who does not advertise was dozing in his store the other day when a little girl came in with a pitcher and asked for a quart of molasses. The merchant yawned, stretched himself, opened his eyes, and then said in an injured tone: "Well, ain't there nobody what sells molasses in Franklin but me?"

James McParland, who was arrested two weeks ago on two charges, one for cruelty to animals and the other for drunkenness, was tried before Judge Doe in the district court on Saturday. The complaint of cruelty to animals was dismissed, and on the charge of drunkenness McParland was adjudged guilty and fined $15. He paid.

G. I. Partridge, aged 73, is to assist in a concert given by an old friend in Grafton, on Tuesday evening, May 1. The latter is Dexter B. Hathaway, aged 83, who celebrates his 75th anniversary in connection with music. Other friends, well along in years, are to assist. Mr. Partridge and Mr. Hathaway formerly played together "on the road."

Franklinites going to the Paris exposition should get vaccinated before they start. According to the New York Tribune, private letters from that city say that smallpox prevails in an epidemic degree. It will be prudent to take precautions against this, and, as far as possible, against other infections and contagions which great miscellaneous gathering of all classes of people from every quarter of the world are apt to contain and propagate.

If close closets have moths in them in spite of your careful spring attempts to keep them out, burn sulphur in them. Put the sulphur in an old porcelain dish and set in a wide pan of water, light the sulphur and shut the closet up. Don't go far away or leave the blaze long unheeded. With the pan of water there is, however, next to no danger that a spark will fly off and set anything on fire. The scintilla of possibility, though, should not be overlooked.

At the M. E. church Sunday morning Rev. S. A. Cook preached on "Tithing, or Systematic Giving," a very logical presentation of this important subject. Incidentally he paid the local church a pleasing compliment by saying that in his experience of several pastorates and observation of many others he had never seen the equal of the Franklin M. E. church in liberal, willing and spontaneous giving, circumstances considered. A pleasing feature of the service were duets by Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Knowlton.

Those who miss hearing Dr. Crowe in his "Shakespeare at Work and at Play," at Dean, on Thursday evening, will lose one of the intellectual treats of the season. Dr. Crowe has a host of friends here who always give him a cordial welcome, knowing that he more than gives them adequate return in his addresses, and his topic this time is one that is full of interest to everyone. The lecture will commence at 8 o'clock, and the prospect is that the hall will be more than filled. The public is cordially invited; admission free.

Capone's band will appear in the Morse Opera house Saturday, April 28. This famous organization is composed of firstclass musicians some of the soloists as fine musicians as ever appeared in this town. The music, both popular and classical, is just the kind to make a very enjoyable entertainment. As this will be the last concert of the season, don't miss it. Miss Helen Green, the soprano singer, in addition to the band, makes a very strong attraction. Tickets at Dana's, on sale Wednesday: Orchestra 35, balcony 50, general admission 25.

At the meeting of the selectmen Friday evening Michael J. Costello was appointed the Democratic registrar of voters for the term of three years, and the present board of engineers were reappointed, as follows: John G. Cunningham, J. B. McKinnon, Charles H. Corbin, L. J. Kelley and William F. Buckley. Forest firewards were appointed as follows: William F. King, Chas. R. Gowen, James M. Parker, Charles E. Woodward, Fred H. Johnson, T. J. Daniels, H. T. Gates, Albert J. Newell, Frank S. Hill, E. P. Proctor. H. M. Bullock was drawn as juryman for the civil term at Dedham.

In a rattling game of base ball on the Dean campus, Saturday afternoon, between the academy team and the sophomore nine from the Boston School of Technology, the Dean boys were defeated, 4 to 1. The game was one of the best recently played on the campus and was characterized throughout by sharp playing on the part of both teams. Both pitchers were effective, but the "Tech" twirler had rather the best of the argument, Jenness letting up in the 8th and 9th, when the visitors batted out a victory, after the score had been tied from the third to the eighth. A large crowd witnessed the contest.

No persons on earth are to so great an extent constantly at the mercy of both friends and enemies as the editors and reporters of a newspaper. They must get much of the information concerning transpiring events second or third handed or not at all. Frequently statements are received from supposedly trustworthy sources which are subsequently found to be without foundation. Not one editor or reporter in a thousand willfully injures either friend or foe by misrepresentation. Go to them and ask for a correction, and if your case is just you will be received politely and proper correction will be made with pleasure.—Ex.

George E. Duffy of Franklin Falls, N. H., who has resigned the superintendency of Stevens mills, will shortly leave for Franklin, to take the position of agent of the Charles River Woolen company, with plants in Franklin and North Bellingham. Mr. Duffy has been connected five years with Hon. Moses T. Stevens & Sons' mills, two in Haverhill and Andover and the remainder here. He is an educated, progressive manufacturer, of the up-to-date school. His career as a mill man has been one of marked success, brought about by thorough training, close application, sagacious judgment and rare executive ability.—Lawrence American.

St. John's Guild will open its annual spring fair on Monday, April 30, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, at Odd Fellows' hall. It will run Monday and Tuesday evenings, and many fancy and useful articles will be for sale. The first evening there will be a May party, with a Maypole dance and sale of May baskets. There will also be a supper served in the small hall. Tuesday evening there will be an entertainment in the large hall, consisting of a dramatic sketch by a party from Mansfield and a lecture by Stanton H. King of the Sailors' Haven, Boston, on "Twelve Years Before the Mast." Mr. King will bring with him a number of seamen, who will dance sailor dances and sing the "Sailors' Shanties." There will also be a number of musicians and elocutionists from Boston.

T. B. Allen fell from the top of a load of wood, while standing upon it on Saturday last, subjecting himself to a severe shaking up, and affecting him somewhat internally. He was drawn as juror in the murder case of William J. Young charged with the murder of Benjamin F. Coolbroth of Randolph, but was obliged to present himself Monday and be excused from service. One hundred and ten jurymen were examined on Monday and only nine were accepted. An additional list of forty was made out last evening and the remaining three men will probably be secured today. W. H. Wales and Arthur A. Pond from Franklin were among the original nine selected.

The fact that Franklin is unprovided with a license law makes it easy for a stranger with two or three dollars to load a team with vegetables of unknown quality and peddle them from door to door at a supposedly small price. The profit is made by the short measure employed, and when the amount delivered is taken under consideration it is often found that a rate higher than the market price has been paid. Then, too, there have been a number of cases where bills were handed these peddlers to change and the only change forthcoming was a change in locality. Many of these peddlers are sneak thieves also, and clothing, etc., has oftentimes been missed after a visit of one of one of these itinerants.

The Providence Sunday Telegram has a picture and the following very flattering notice of one of Franklin's bright young men, a student in Brown university, Fred. V. Hussey, of Franklin, who has been chosen substitute debater in the contest between Brown and Dartmouth. "Mr. Hussey is a member of the senior class and is very popular among his college classmates. He is a member of the Delta Phi, and has been prominent in a good many of the student organizations. He is a good speaker and presents a logical argument. He is the president of the class, and is a member of the class day committee for the coming commencement. He played on his class base ball team during his freshman and sophomore years."

The case of Thomas Killela, who had been convicted in the district court here last winter of disorderly conduct, came up in the Dedham court last Wednesday on appeal and was concluded Friday, when a jury acquitted Killela after deliberating an hour and a half. At the time of his arrest Killela was riding from Woonsocket to Franklin on an electric car, and while on Rhode Island territory was ejected for alleged disorderly conduct. He was arrested by a Bellingham constable on the Massachusetts side, the conductor making the complaint, and was brought here and locked up. Killela, who lives here, threatens to bring a civil suit against the Woonsocket Street Railway Company for false detention. Attorney Henry E. Ruggles represented the defendant.

For some time the board of selectmen have recommended selling the engine owned by the town at the gravel pit on Pleasant street because it was not powerful enough to run a stone crusher of the size wanted if the town bought one. But at the annual town meeting in March the town voted not to sell the engine and and at the same meeting appropriated money to buy a crusher. Nothing was said about a new engine, and now the problem before the selectmen is this: If a crusher is bought there is no power provided to work it, and under the present conditions the expenditure would be useless. And as there is no money provided for an engine or authority to purchase one the board feels that nothing should be done.

Medway Guild Entertainment.

Christ church guild of Medway will present an entertainment at Sanford hall, Medway, this evening, consisting of the following noted Boston talent: Miss Flora H. Clifford, reader; Miss Bertha C. Smith, zither soloist; Walter Eccles, impersonator; also, Miss Alice J. Grover, of Mansfield, violin soloist, and Roy M. S. Hartshorne, of Franklin, baritone. The entertainment will begin at 7.45 and will be followed by dancing till 12. Ice cream and cake will be on sale.

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea-food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

People are very forgetful. They have to think pretty hard to remember the vice-presidential candidate two campaigns back, and yet he was pretty well advertised at the time. It has been truly said that the time to advertise is all the time. In business there is no such thing as standing still. A business man must go forward or he will fall back. Even if you do just as much business this year as you did last, some other fellow is doing more business and he is getting ahead of you. Each year's efforts should be to exceed last year's sales. The only sure way to do it is to advertise. Advertise in busy times because the iron must be struck while it is hot, and advertise in dull times to heat the iron. It can be done.—Charles Austin Bates.

There has been a great amount of sickness in town this winter. There has not for many years been the great amount of what might be termed serious cases in town, as there has been this winter. And while the number of serious cases has been large, the number of cases which have not been termed serious, but which has had the effect to keep the patient indoors for a time, have been something enormous. The doctors have been more than busy. They have been kept on the jump night and day, and many of them have been obliged to keep on the road most of the time. The principal trouble seems to have been grip, which manifested itself in various forms, sometimes resulting in pneumonia and at other times congestion of the lungs.

With more than 100 miles of highway in the limits of the town to look after and keep in ordinary repair, and from $7,000 to $8,000 to do it with, each year the road problem is a vexing one at the best, and when we remember the liability in this climate to big snow storms, which make many hundreds of dollars' extra expense necessary to shovel out, the problem becomes still more perplexing how to make ends meet—money and expenses. No man is a perfect road builder and repairer, able to see all definite results of his practical work before actual trial, and there is naturally a certain amount of criticism always on tap whatever is done, much of it no doubt honest, even if illogical. So the problem goes on from year to year without a perfect solution, but this year, with a little more money than last year and no large deficit for snow to begin with, and an experienced road builder as pilot, there may be as near a satisfactory ending of the annual campaign as could be expected.

Approaching Franklin.

The laying of the tracks of the new Medway and Medfield Street Railway Company in Medway was completed Saturday evening. The tracks were connected with the tracks of the Milford and Medway Street Railway Company, and now there is a continuous line of track from Milford to Medfield, a distance of thirteen miles. The switch that will connect the Medway and Franklin street railway with the Medfield and Medway line was also set in place. Considerable grading on Village street yet remains to be done to level the road. It is expected that the poles and wires will be in position by Wednesday, and in the meantime a new generator is expected to arrive at the power house in Norwood, the generator at present in the power house being unable to furnish power hardly for the cars running between Millis and Medfield, as they run very slow. Work will also be commenced immediately upon the Franklin road, which will probably be completed in June. Next Sunday bids fair to see the missing link between Milford and Boston supplied.

A Treat Promised.

Mrs. E. K. Ray is planning to attend the General Federation of Women's Clubs' biennial of 1900, to be held in Milwaukee, Wis., June 4 to 8, inclusive. It is the generally accepted verdict that Milwaukee is a beautiful city, conveniently located as regards railroad facilities (reduced rates, etc), with fine hotel accommodations and private homes available if required. The finely appointed building known as the Athenæum (of interest to club women as the result of the pioneer women's stock company) is to be made a center for the informal intercourse of delegates and visiting club members.

Card of Thanks.

To the friends and relatives, as well as members of Wonewok tribe, I. O. R. M., who were so kind to me in my late bereavement, I extend my heartfelt thanks.
JAMES B. MCKINNON.

Now is the time you want a wheel. The next six weeks are likely to be as fine bicycling as we shall have this season. If you are to purchase, call at the Orient Cycle Agency, 72 Union street, where we have a full stock of 1900 Orient models.

Fine hair cutting, smooth shaving, razors honed and put in order. Ochee the barber.

TYPEWRITING done at THE SENTINEL office.

Read the business announcements

Pictures at W. M. Thayer Building.

Miss Reilly's and Mr. Frazer's rooms have been most successful this year in picture decorations. The pupils have shown untiring zeal in the good work. Miss Reilly's pupils purchased a beautiful picture, Pharoah's Horses, by earning a few cents each, in ways interesting as well as amusing. Mr. Fraser's scholars, by selling old rubbers and giving a magic lantern exhibition, operated by Master Johnnie Desmond, bought the magnificent picture, Sir Galahad and His Horse.

At the suggestion of Supt. Daniels, Miss Reilly and Mr. Frazer, with the assistance of friends and pupils, gave a benefit entertainment, from which over $30 was netted. One most pleasant feature was the willingness of all those taking part to give their services. The heartfelt thanks of the pupils and friends of the school is assured. As a result of this entertainment the public are invited to see in Miss Reilly's room the following pictures: John Alden and Priscilla; Song of the Lark, by Millet; Reclining Lion, by Bonheur; The Shepherdess, by La Rolle; Holland Windmill. In Mr. Frazer's room are: Ploughing, by Bonheur; The Horse Fair, by Bonheur; Aurora.

Furthermore, by the generosity of Dr. Hodge, twelve steel engravings have been presented to the Thayer building, six of which have been framed: King Lear in the Storm, Leander, Music are in Miss Reilly's room, while Homer, The Centaur and Achilles, The Fight for the Standard hang upon Mr. Frazer's walls. Dr. Hodge has helped to sweeten the school life environment of the Thayer students and has their appreciative thanks.

Somewhat over a year ago Mrs. Thayer presented to Mr. Frazer's room a portrait of her late husband, Rev. William M. Thayer, which picture is a benediction to each child as he looks upon it. A few days ago Mrs. Thayer also presented some pictures taken from her former residence—The Old Oaken Bucket, Home on a Furlough, Signing the Agreement in the Cabin of the Mayflower, Emancipation Proclamation, and the late Mr. Thayer's certificate as a member of the Pilgrim Society.

Friends of the school and pupils alike are grateful to her for ministering to the adornment of the uncomely schoolroom walls and for the pleasant way in which she gave the pictures.

The citizens of Franklin are most cordially invited to visit the schools and note their attractiveness. We try to do our work faithfully and any just criticism will be gratefully received.

In behalf of the above-named schools, their teachers and school authorities, allow the writer to thank you, one and all, for your generous support in our good cause, and it is the hope that other rooms in town may be more beautifully adorned by the efforts of school friends. The good work has an excellent start; may it go on!
C. F. F.

Pupils

of any of the schools intending to avail themselves of the school discount should plan to come in as soon as possible. The possibility of bad weather, added to the rush of class work near the end of the term, makes delays unsatisfactory to all concerned. "Come early and avoid the rush."
CALKIN, Photographer,
Depot St.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Allen's wood yard is now connected by telephone. Call for 26-3.

To Rent—Cottage house, seven rooms, steam heat, Crescent street. F. Lesure. 24*

Up stairs tenement to let on Central street. Inquire of A. M. Haggart. 6tf

Wanted—Capable Protestant girl for general housework. Mrs. T. L. Martin. 6tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

Get your round-trip Boston, Providence and Milford tickets of Charles H. Prince at the SENTINEL office.

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

One thousand fine pansy plants, 500 geranium plants, 1,000 aster plants, also a full line of vegetable plants for sale at Slade's greenhouse.

To Rent—Cottage of six rooms, Seaside Park, Hyannis. Apply to Mrs. J. E. Clarke, 90 Union street, Franklin. 24,27,1,4*

Weights and Measures.

Notice is hereby given to all interested persons to bring in their weights and measures to be examined and sealed according to law.
F. L. DAVIS, Town Sealer,
Cor. Central and Summer Sts.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Orient wheels at the present prices are the cheapest, all things considered, because they are the best. Call and examine the 1900 models at the Orient Cycle Agency, 72 Union street.

See Farrington for genuine bargains in curtains. No need to go out of town.

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Business and Professional Cards, to occupy one-half inch space, once a week, $5.00 per year; twice a week, $7.50 per year.

Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 1900

STILL the Kentucky shooting matter "hangs fire." It's a pity the gun didn't.

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WILL the killing of Filipinos be ended before election? It will have to be, or else it will have its effect.

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IF you don't find anything in your favorite paper now but base ball remember that you have had a respite all winter.

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GET ready to tell the census enumerator all that he asks you and don't "keep back part of the price" or you will suffer.

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CAN it be that Kitchener and Roberts have fallen out? That was too strong a team to have any pulling apart. Perhaps that's only a diversion of the enemy.

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GEN. OTIS will be here soon. Will he go the way of Dewey? By the way, what has become of the admiral's presidential aspirations? Have his "managers" called him off?

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SENATOR HOAR may not have convinced the country that he is right, but he has added another star to his galaxy, indicative of honesty of conviction, however mistaken it may be.

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CLARK of Montana won't be allowed to remain in congress, and it will long be remembered that this congress has had three memorable contests on its hands, that of Mormon Roberts, Boss Quay and Briber Clark.

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IT appears that the British are not willing to exchange prisoners, man for man. It would seem as if they did not care to have any more Boer sharpshooters holden among the Vaal rocks, picking off the British "Tommies." That's natural.

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THE collection of our indemnity of $90,000 from the Sultan of Turkey for the destruction of missionary buildings looks as far off as ever, from the fact that the sultan has a number of cards up his sleeve which he can play which look like trumps.

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THEY are having a hard time in the third congressional district to find a man willing to run against Congressman Thayer, and it looks as if there would be warm times before the matter is settled. In any event this Republican district ought to send a good, staunch Republican to fill Walker's shoes.

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SECRETARY LONG is still a "long" way ahead of the other candidates for the vice presidency, but we do not believe that New England will capture the plum, after all. The politicians hope to stampede the convention to Roosevelt, but the latter declares that he won't be stampeded, any more than he was at San Juan.

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HILL has risen from his political grave long enough to advise Bryan to drop his free silver and turn his attention to the trusts and imperialism. There is no question but that would be Bryan's trump card, but it is a question whether he can be made to see it. These are the days when the party should make the platform and the candidate stand upon it.

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THE Schley Sampson matter has again risen to the surface, owing to an article by the editor of the Baltimore American, insisting that pressure has been brought upon President McKinley to do Schley justice. This matter seems as little likely to down as Banquo's ghost, and neither side is willing to give the other any credit. Perhaps the line will eventually be found about midway between the claims of each.

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NEARLY every British general who went to South Africa with a long military record has proven unable to sustain it there, fighting against civilized men. Unfortunately many of these famous "records" were secured in wars with semi-civilized peoples. South Africa has always been known as the "grave yard" of reputations. Will Roberts himself be able to conquer the hoodoo? At present he is England's only hope.

All tired out—

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The Office Boy Comes to the Rescue of the Editor at a Critical Moment.

"Lem," said the proprietor of the Podunck Clarion, "let's wake up."

"What's the matter?" asked the office boy, as he wiped his hands off on his apron.

"We're gittin' behind the times agin. We ain't keepin' up with the percession. We've got to give our readers something up to date."

"Somethin' about Admiral Dewey," suggested the boy.

"That's the idea. Let's write up a lot of anecdotes about prominent folks for our next week's issue. Maybe it'll do the circulation good."

"Every family in town takes the paper now. And puttin' in anecdotes won't make 'em pay up."

"Well, it'll look well, anyhow. You go to work, and I'll see what arrangements I can make about a load o' wood that a big advertiser has promised me."

He was absent an hour, and on his return Lem laid on his desk a proof slip containing the following:

A GOOD ONE ON DEWEY.

When Admiral Dewey first went to the Naval academy he was a very young man. As he grew older day by day, he began to get whiskers which he was obliged to cut off. For this purpose he was accustomed to use a razor. Another student, who was also a young man, came in and found the future admiral shaving. Of course, young Dewey did not know he was going to be an admiral then. But then if he had known it he would no doubt have joked familiarly with those around him, just the same. Such is the delightful simplicity of his character.

"What are you doing?" asked his class mate.

"Cutting off my whiskers."

"But you haven't any whiskers yet."

"No. But I expect to razor few."

Little did young Dewey dream that he would wake up to find his words thus treasured in history. It all goes to show what an American boy can do if he will only try.

"Lem," said the editor, as he looked at the office boy over his spectacles, "that's great. Write some more of 'em. That sounds just like the real thing."—Washington Star.

Baked Apples Glazed.

This is a pretty, though simple, dish. Choose some small apples of an equal size, remove the cores, peel them and let them boil in water acidulated with lemon juice or citric acid and sweetened. Do not let them boil too fast or the apples will break. Keep them covered. Drain when they are soft, place in a basin and pour a little sirup over them and let them cool. Well coat them with apricot or apple marmalade and decorate on the top with angelica cut into rounds. Fill the center of the apples with preserved cherries and fruit jelly and dish in a group, with strips of angelica cut to represent leaves at placed around the dish.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Cocoanut Bread Pudding.

Cut a small stale baker's loaf in one-third inch slices. Butter generously and put in a buttered baking dish, sprinkling each layer with shredded cocoanut. Beat three eggs slightly, add one-half cup sugar, one-quarter teaspoonful salt and one quart milk. Strain and pour over the bread. Let stand one hour. Bake in a slow oven 45 minutes, covering the first 15 minutes. Serve with hot or cold sauce.—Detroit Free Press.

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Will Was Her Own.

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"Him?" she ejaculated, turning to look at the meek little man sitting behind her. "I'd like to see him try to compulse me!"—Tit-Bits.

Woman's Prerogative.

The Judge—Have you anything to say before sentence is pronounced?

The Female Prisoner—No, your honor; but after you have pronounced the sentence will you kindly allow me to have what is every American woman's prerogative?

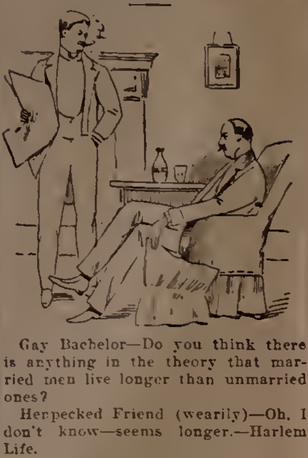
"And what is that, madam?"

"The last word, your honor."—Yonkers Statesman.

Sly Sister Prudence.

In every sewing circle there
  Is always one among
The number whom the others spare
  From Gossip's nimble tongue.
'Tis not her godliness nor grace
  They all respect—nay, nay:
She's first to reach the meeting place
  And last to go away.
—Elliott's Magazine.

HEARD AT THE CLUB.



Gay Bachelor—Do you think there is anything in the theory that married men live longer than unmarried ones?

Henpecked Friend (wearily)—Oh, I don't know—seems longer.—Harlem Life.

The Luckless Tramp.

He seeks some big, old-fashioned stove,
  And snuggles down behind it,
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  He's pretty sure to find it.
—Chicago Tribune.

Not Altogether Bad.

"From the way you talk," sneered the British sympathizer, who had been discussing the war with O'Rafferty, "I don't suppose you'll admit there's a decent person in England, at all."

"No. Faith, I wouldn't say that," replied O'Rafferty, "because I know there's some Irishmen livin' there."—Philadelphia Press.

A Fair Inference.

"It is said," remarked Mrs. Small at the breakfast table, "that the Zunis prefer tough meat, that they may enjoy the pleasure of mastication longer."

Do you not sometimes labor under the impression that you are keeping a Zuni boarding house?" asked Mr Watty, in reply.—Harlem Life.

Flighty Woman.

"Mrs. Bruggs, you have more faults than I ever dreamed of in any woman."

"Well, Mr. Bruggs, you have plenty of faults yourself."

"There you go again—always changing the subject when I try to talk to you."—Chicago Record.

Omnipresent Youth.

Minister—Good evening, Willie; is your papa at home?

Willie (aged seven, to his father in the library)—Say, paw, did you see him first?

Minister—Why do you ask your father such a strange question, my boy?

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—Detroit Journal.

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"Yes, I'm a cornetist."

"And your sister?"

"She's a pianist."

"Does your mother play?"

"She's a zitherist."

"And your father?"

"He's a pessimist."—Chicago Record.

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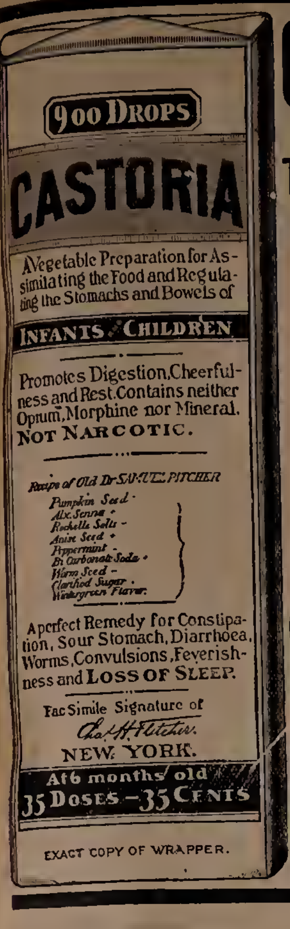
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A young married woman of Chicago residing on the North side has recently kept herself busy with an occupation which promises to be successfully remunerative, says the Chronicle. Her husband was unfortunate, which necessitated the sale of their home and most of the furniture. The remaining furniture was placed in a small house. The clever wife had two rooms left unfurnished save for a gas stove and a table she intended to use in her business. When settled in her new small quarters she sent letters to her friends and acquaintances intimating her desire to undertake the washing of their fancy handkerchiefs, laces of all kinds, silk stockings, waistcoats and all dainty articles that could not be intrusted to the usual laundress. In a very short time she had more work than she could undertake single-handed, so she employed the services of a woman, whom she allowed to wash the articles and do any of the rough work, while she devoted her spare time to the careful ironing. Very soon the energetic wife was earning quite a sum of money in a quiet way. The rooms devoted to the occupation were kept quite apart and the family put to no inconvenience.

A New African Town.

The Westminster Gazette tells of an English night editor who found in a dispatch this information: "The Boers have taken umbrage," and who wrote for it a displayed headline, starting off in this style: "Capture of Umbrage by the Boers." He tried to pad his dispatch by giving an account of the location of Umbrage, but was unable to find a town of that name in the gazetteer. It may be observed that the exploit of this night editor throws ordinary newspaper blunders into the shade.

The Alhambra.

The most curious place in the world is the Alhambra, in Spain. It was originally a fortress, so great in extent as to be capable of holding 40,000 men. It was begun in 1248 and finished in 1314.

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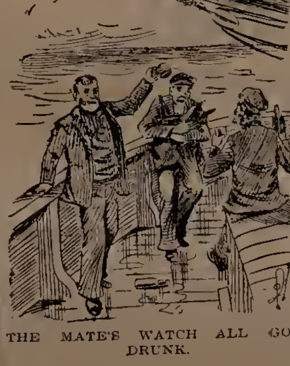
The secretary of the American Seamen's Friend society says in the Sailors' Magazine: One day not long ago an old sailor came into his office and spun the following yarns to him, and they are here reproduced as a specimen of "life on the ocean wave."

"We were on the Jason from Liverpool to Calcutta. We had good winds and set all sails, even the studding sails on both sides of the ship. We couldn't find a yard for one, and the second mate sent me and another to the hold to find a yard. When we got down there we saw boxes of spirits, and knocked the lids off some of them. I took a bottle out and handed it to him. The fore hatch being off, I jumped up and he passed the bottle up and I put it in the leg of one of my sea-boots; that night we drank it. One of the watch asked me where I got it. I told him. That night the watch went down and got a case up. We kept it quiet for two or three weeks, and the other watch did not know of it. One day one of our watch gave a drink to a man in the other watch. They found out we had liquor, and stole it from us. The mate's watch all got drunk on deck and got to fighting. While the men were fighting-drunk, a German sailor was at the wheel for four hours. When I took the wheel from the German the wind blowing off the starboard side, the captain stood close to me on the lee side to smell my breath, but smelt no liquor on me, because the other fellows had stolen it. I stayed at the wheel two hours, till two o'clock,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and the man who took the wheel from me was half full, and he told me that my watch mates had been down the hold and stole another case of gin and had it in the forecastle head. He told me to be careful when I went forward. When I went I had a drink. We picked out one man as the man who stole the liquor while we were asleep. Some wanted to take him out of his bunk and throw him overboard, when the vessel was sailing ten or eleven knots an hour. 'No,' said I, 'if we do, we'll be tried for murder. We'll just get his chest and throw that overboard.' We got it and threw it over the side. A German was asleep on the chest rolled up in a white blanket. When he was rolled over they thought he was awake and would tell on them the next day; so they determined to throw him overboard. 'No,' said I; I drew my sheath knife and said: 'I'll cut any man who touches him and I'll call the mate.' They left him alone. The next morning the man who owned the chest went to the captain. Fighting went on then every day for two months. The captain knew about the liquor, but couldn't stop it. At last we got to Calcutta, and the captain hoisted a flag for the police, and we were all taken before a magistrate and tried for mutiny and broaching cargo on the high seas. Some got three months, some six, some nine, and some 12 months.

"There was a ship going to New Zealand with emigrants aboard, and the crew got hold of cases of candles and matches; and they lighted three or four candles in the hold to look for liquor. They found it, and went down night after night and became crazy from the effects of the liquor, and left burning candles in the hold. The ship caught fire, and out of 360 emigrants there was only one boat's crew saved, 12 out of 22 being seamen. There was nothing in the boat—no water, no food. A sick woman in the boat was killed and eaten to save life. Days after the boat was picked up by the British Princess and the saved were landed in St. Helena. This was in the seventies.

"I worked four or five nights on a ship to get off the planks that covered the cargo so as to get at the liquor. Got one or two planks down, and I got inside, but there was little room to move, but I got hold of one case, but it turned out to be jam. I passed it up, took the jars out and threw the empty case overboard. Found out the liquor was at the other end of the ship. Got another case, which looked like a long trunk and had a padlock on it. I broke it open and found it filled with fancy slippers, and divided them among four of us toughs, each taking 50 or 60 pairs, and threw many overboard. Had jam enough to last all the way to Sydney. Two weeks before we got there the captain found out we had been broaching cargo. My mate told me the carpenter told him that. I told him I didn't believe it, and that he was frightened because he had 60 pair. He and his partner threw away what slippers he got. Me and my partner got ours into Sydney and the captain never knew about it. We sold them to a Jew shop night after night.

"Three years ago, when I was 67 years old, I was on a vessel at pier 9, New York, and the German cook belonged to the Mariners' church, and he took me up there several nights, and he was a good Christian. I went with him just to pass the time. Heard many sailors give their testimonies. When I went back the devil said to me: 'Don't listen to those men—they get their living out of that.' The German cook talked to me night after night. I heard Mr. Boult, and his words made a great impression on my heart, and he made things plain and made me feel that there was a God and another world. His words made an impression that I didn't want to hear anybody else preach. For two or three months this went on, and then I came to Christ. I never knew a day's happiness until I came to Christ. And now I want to do all the good I can."

This is the sailor's yarn, almost word for word. The editor has looked up his record since his conversion and finds that he is an earnest out-and-out Christian. What hath God wrought!

THE SOCIAL FEATURE.

Proves the Greatest Attraction of the Saloon—Experience of a Patron of Saloons.

A correspondent of the New York Sun touches upon a vital point in the saloon business when he says: "An experience of about 15 years as a patron of saloons qualifies me to speak with knowledge, if not with authority, on the subject, and my observation is that the saloon keeper derives a large part of his revenue by conducting his place in such a manner as to meet the social wants of his customers and to foster the convivial spirit among them. During the first five or six years of this experience, what drinking I did was done wholly in the convivial way, and not either from the need or the desire of alcoholic stimulation. In time, of course, the desire and perhaps the need of the stimulation was created, and I visited the saloons for drink as well as for social recreation, but even then, under the influence of the attractive surroundings, absorbed more alcohol than I needed, and left more money in the proprietor's till than would have been the case had the drink been the sole object of my visit."

NOTES OF REFORM.

The saloon never takes a vacation.—New Voice.

With the sanction of the law the liquor traffic robs men of money and health and character.—New Voice.

The man who is not prepared to be as radical as truth will never wear a reformer's crown, or bear a reformer's martyrdom.—National Advocate.

Mrs. Callas obtained a verdict of $1,000 in a suit against Fred Muntz, a Carbondale, Ill., saloonkeeper, for selling liquor to her husband, who was murdered after he left the saloon.

The Haverhill (Conn.) Temperance union, over the signature of the president, has offered a reward of $50 for the conviction of anyone concerned in the illegal sale of liquor.

Toronto, which has a population of 200,000, boasts of having "more universities than distilleries, more colleges than breweries, more churches than barrooms." Good for Toronto!

Mrs. Maxwell, the Miss Braddon of literary fame, never touches stimulants of any kind. For 40 years she has been at her arduous work, and her pen is still brilliant and apparently exhaustless. She attributes her perennial youth to her total abstinence.—League Journal.

The Church of England Temperance society has formed a legislative board with the object of agitating for the carrying out by parliament of Lord Peel's report. The new board is practically the old evidence board, which furnished evidence before the royal commission. If possible a committee of members of parliament will be got together to represent inside the house the action of the board outside.

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DELAYED THE WEDDING TOUR.

Sad Story of a Young Man's Downfall on the Night of His Marriage.

There were a whole lot of sensational features at a recent swell wedding on the West side, which, for obvious reasons, never got into the society columns of the papers. They are too good to remain in obscurity, however, and are here related, the names, of course, being fictitious.

Hawkins was the groom, and the bride was the only daughter of a wealthy family, who are fervent members of the Methodist church. After the ceremony a reception was held at the house, the departure of the young couple on their wedding tour being set for 10:30 o'clock. About 9:30 o'clock Hawkins stole away from the house to a saloon about a block away.

As it happened, two of his acquaintances, who had not a very high opinion of him, and had a grudge to satisfy, were in the saloon. They noticed Hawkins' full-dress suit, and he, in an unwonted burst of generosity, asked them to take something.

"Give us a small bottle of champagne," said Hawkins.

"Why all these togs?" asked one of the men.

"Been getting married," responded Hawkins. "The old folks are teetotalers, and it was pretty dry around at the house, so I just slipped out to get a bracer. You know I seldom drink anything, but I feel pretty nervous tonight."

The two acquaintances congratulated Hawkins, and in honor of the wedding insisted on buying another bottle of wine, which was followed by another. By the time the third bottle had disappeared, Hawkins insisted on a fourth, and when that had been disposed of he was decidedly overcome. It was then 10:30 o'clock.

"Better go home, Hawkins," said one of his companions.

Hawkins wept at the suggestion. "Goin' sthay in here," he announced. "Giv's 'nother bot'l."

The bottle was duly finished, after which Hawkins sat down in a chair and went to sleep. The other two men, who were pretty gay by this time, began to undress the unconscious bridegroom. They took off his collar and white tie, then his shirt and undershirt, after which they replaced his vest and coat. Then they removed his shoes and stockings, after which they put his shoes on. Last of all, they blacked Hawkins' face and then they roused him from his sleep.

"Come on, Hawkins, we'll walk around to the house with you," they said, and almost carrying the staggering Hawkins they sallied out, one on each side of him.

When they reached the house there was a scene. The bride was standing on the steps, almost distracted, and her parents had blood in their eyes. The wretched Hawkins was oblivious to everything, however, and had to be carried upstairs and put to bed, while the bride had a fit of hysterics and her mother snapped out: "I told you you'd regret this. I never was satisfied with the match."

As the two conspirators left Hawkins' room after putting him to bed, the mother-in-law stopped them and asked how he had got into such a disgraceful condition. They professed entire ignorance.

"We were coming along Madison street," they explained, "when we saw him sitting on the curbstone, with a lot of boys tormenting him. We drove the boys away, and after finding out his name and address brought him home. He is an entire stranger to us."

How Hawkins squared himself is not known, but he did eventually, and the wedding tour began two days later than the date set for it. It is believed that the teetotal principles of his wife's parents have been adopted by him, as he has not been known to take a drink since that night.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Knew the Sex.

"I don't see how you ever won that cold Miss Snow."

"It was really quite easy."

"How did you do it?"

"I made her think I didn't want her, and it became a matter of pride with her to get me."—Chicago Post.

Not at All Strange.

Mrs. Bronxborough—I really believe that Mrs. Roxe loves her husband more than she did when they were first married.

Mrs. Richmond—That is quite natural. He has more money than he had at that time.—N. Y. Journal.

Not Realism.

"I thought you said that you believed in realism in literature."

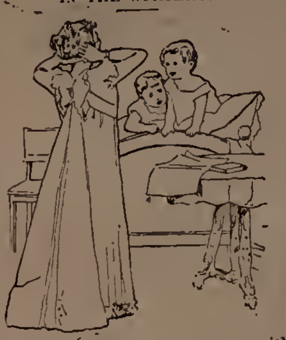
"What makes you think I don't?"

"Because in your last story you said they were married and lived happily ever afterward."—Chicago Post.

The Battle of Life.

'Tis no wonder we feel squirmish
When the men of wedlock prattle;
An engagement's but a skirmish,
But a marriage a pitched battle.
—Judge.

IN THE NURSERY.



Mother—What is the matter with you children; why do you make so much noise?

Ella—I am so cold on my back and want you to cover me.

Mother—And you, Clara, what are you crying for?

Clara—You did not hear Ella and so—I helped her cry. — Meggendorfer Blaetter.

Just a Little Game.

The sighing lover led a heart,
A club the villain played;
The hotel clerk a diamond had,
And the sexton held a spade.
—Chicago Daily News.

In Chicago.

Mr. Smithers—That girl wants the earth.

Mrs. Smithers—She says all she asks for is a foothold.

Mr. Smithers—That's the same thing.—Judge.

Too Noisy.

"The march of civilization," said the Old Man with the Chin Fringe, "is all right, except for the rattle of artillery that accompanies it."—Kansas City Independent.

Who He Was.

Visitor—And who are you, my little man?

Cuthbert (with conscious pride)—I'm the baby's brother.—Pittsburgh Bulletin.

His Experience.

Singleton—Do you believe that marriage is a failure?

Wederly—No; merely an assignment in which the wife is the preferred creditor.—Chicago Daily News.

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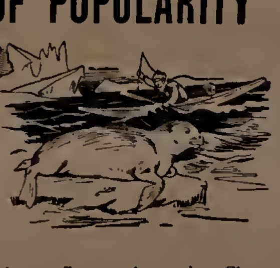
Bettie—Mamma, does Satan whisper in people's ears?

Mamma—Yes, dearie.

Bettie—Then I guess if he went to tell gran'ma anything he'd have to holler, 'cause she's so deaf, mamma.—Chicago Daily News.

THE PENALTY OF POPULARITY



sometimes is death, as in the case of the fur seal.

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BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

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Miss Alice Warren of Boston has been visiting her aunts, the Misses Gerould.——H. A. Cowell has been drawn as juror for the next term of court at Dedham——Owing to glanders in a number of horses the water supply at the fountain has been shut off.——Mrs. William Smith of Boston has been visiting Mrs. S. C. Dean.——Harry B Lewis was a guest at a banquet at the Adams House last Saturday night.——The Holly club met Tuesday with Mrs. N. H. Fales. The subject was "Colonial History."——Mr. and Mrs. D. Mora of Boston and F. Lewis Mora of New York were recent visitors in town.

Face About.

Face about, I say, because, although for nearly half a century the church and the saloon have been at war, they have never faced each other in an open field Which means, of course, that the saloon has determined, for both itself and its antagonist, a policy for the conduct of hostilities.—The New Voice.

Celery Fritters.

Mix one cupful finely-chopped celery with one cupful butter, drop the mixture, a tablespoonful at a time, in boiling fat; when well browned drain, sprinkle with finely-chopped parsley and serve at once.—Mothers and Daughters.

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Though au fond their natures and characters may be much alike, there is at this day a considerable difference in many of their ideas owing to the different life they have led for several generations; and it must also be remembered that the Transvaal Boer is of a rebel stock—his band against every man, and every man's hand against him. In 1835, when the great trek from the colony took place, these men's ancestors were the men who defied the government—with great good cause in many instances—and whose hearts were filled with bitterness and loathing, whose one idea was to get away from their oppressors, says Mrs. Lionel Phillips in "Some South African Recollections."

The difficulties and dangers that they went through, fighting wild beasts as well as Kaffirs, although it gave them a rugged independence, at the same time developed some of the very qualities possessed by their new foes—namely, treachery and a callous cruelty. Hence, one has to distinguish between them and the colonial Boer, who during the same period has gradually been enjoying the advantages of settled government and contact with a superior class of persons. The Boer living on his solitary farm has been so exempt from laws and has gone his own way for so many years that now force is the only argument that appeals to him.

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To soften up baby when babe feels abused,
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D IS for Devil, who came "in the dark"
To steal baby's jewels; but he missed his mark.
One jewel had baby which gave him a shock—
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E IS for Easter, return to good cheer;
Eat, drink and be merry the rest of the year.
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Uncle Oatbin—Don't ye think it. Don't ye think it! Read the advertisements in the papers an' ye'll find that there's been enough "breakfast foods" invented within the last year ter do in case of a pinch fer each of the three meals a day fer everybody on earth!—Puck.

Puzzled.

"Papa."

"Yes?"

"Does the fall of night have anything to do with the break of day?"—Demorest's Magazine.

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Apple Sauce for Roast Fowls.

Quarter and core tart apples, bake until tender in stock seasoned with salt, white pepper, stick cinnamon and a little cayenne, and press through a fine sieve; when cool beat with a wire egg whip until light, add the stiffly beaten whites of eggs, allowing two to each pint, beat well together and heap in a pretty serving dish.—Boston Budget.

Quinine.

Two-thirds of the quinine consumed is produced in the island of Java, from cultivated trees, the young plants having been procured by the Dutch government from Peru in 1852. The English government also started cinchona plantations in India, which now produce large quantities of quinine.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Rice and Raisin Croquettes.

Stew raisins till tender, then stir them into the boiling rice. When cold, form them into croquettes, sift powdered sugar over, or serve with a sweetened sauce.—Housewife.

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LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$560,255 90
Guarantee Fund		27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account		15,811 27
Interest Account		4,267 24
Real Estate Income Account		53 24
		$606,142 54

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$22,1[illegible]8 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		28,517 62
Railroad Bonds		133,012 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		11,300 00
" " Mortgages		169,335 64
" " Personal Securities		190,368 24
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		671 58
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$5,331 40	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	15,414 57	
Mercantile Trust Co.	5,721 37	
		26,467 34
Cash on hand		1,996 01
		$608,142 54

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

E. P. CHAPMAN,
E. H. SHERMAN,
Committee of Examination.

April 2, 1900.

DEADLY SEASONINGS.

They Are Sometimes Used in the Orient to Assassinate Objectionable Persons.

The ways of the east are devious, and an intelligent anticipation of coming events is a marked feature in Indian palace rule. The dreaded cholera is an ever present disease, but more men die "officially" of it than is actually the case. The cholera morbus kills its tens of thousands, no doubt; but powdered glass, finely cut up camel's hair and bamboo chips assist in the fell work, says the New York Journal.

Is a resident inconveniently active? Then in his curry he may discover pulverized glass, which, once swallowed, imitates the disease sufficiently closely to account for death. The papers the other day announced the attempted assassination of a well-known Indian resident by this method; but, happily, enough, the deadly plot failed. The camel's hair and minute portions of bamboo are equally efficacious, and are exceedingly difficult to discover when cunningly mixed by a suborned cook.

These facts sufficiently explain the elaborate precautions against poisoning taken by all oriental monarchs. The sultan of Turkey actually has each dish sealed so as to avoid any tampering with the food in transit from kitchen to the dining hall.

A taster partakes of each dish before the autocrat and lord of millions can safely eat from it, and even then the haunted dread of death waits ever upon him.

WHEN NOT TO KEEP BOOKS.

Getting Ahead in the Accounts Without Anything to Show for It.

She decided that the only way to run a house economically was to keep a set of books, so she made all necessary purchases, including a bottle of red ink, and started in.

It was a month later when her husband asked her how she was getting along.

"Splendidly," she replied.

"The system is a success, then?"

"Yes, indeed. Why, I'm $66 ahead already."

"Sixty-six dollars!" he exclaimed. "Heavens! You'll be rich before long. Have you started a bank account?"

"No-o; not yet."

"What have you done with the money?"

"Oh, I haven't got the money, you know. That's only what the books show. But just think of being $66 ahead."

"Um, yes. But I don't exactly see—"

"And all in one month, too!"

"Of course; but the money? What has become of that?"

"I don't exactly know," she said, doubtfully. "I've been thinking of that, and I think we must have been robbed. What do you think we had better do about it?"

He puffed his pipe in solemn silence for a moment, and then suggested:

"We might stop keeping books. That's easier than complaining to the police."

Dentifoam * * *
FOR THE TEETH.

For cleansing and preserving the teeth Dentifoam has no equal. It is a solution of pure castile soap, made aseptic and aromatic, which imparts a refreshing taste and feeling to the mouth and purifies the breath.

25C. PER BOTTLE.

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PUBLIC TELEPHONE STATION.

CURTAINS! CURTAINS!

Muslin Curtains, $1, $1.15, $1.75 per pair.

Nottingham Lace Curtains, 50c. to $3 per pair.

Chenille Curtains, $3 to $7.50 per pair.

Tapestry Curtains, $3.50 to $9 per pair.

Come early and buy Curtains while the stock is complete.

ALFRED FARRINGTON,
Central Square, Franklin.
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Just Arrived!

One Car of White Sponge Haxall Flour. Per bbl., $4.50. 24 1-2 lb. Paper Sack, 60c.

Best Pastry Flour per bbl. $4.00. A 24 1-2 lb. Paper Sack for 50 cents.

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POST OFFICE BLOCK.
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WE SELL.....
Atwood's Hamburger Steak * * *
PRICE:
10 cts. lb.
.....Nothing Like it in Franklin
McKinnon's Grocery Store,
CENTRAL SQUARE.

A HOME...

If you have one you are glad of it; if you haven't one you'll be glad to have one. It is not profitable to pay board.

FOR...

what you pay in that way will go a long way towards paying for the very furniture you are using. Probably you would prefer to select more modern furnishings.

$5.00...

per month will pay for furniture and carpets enough to furnish a modern home with all the necessities and comforts enough to make the ordinary mortal supremely happy. We charge no interest. We only ask your promise to pay a little at a time as you earn it and you have the goods set into your house at once.

The Weeks Furniture Co.,
48 NORTH MAIN ST.,
Near Opera House.
WOONSOCKET, R. I.

☞ Store open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

SUPERIOR COURT.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court, next to be holden at Dedham, within and for the county of Norfolk:

Respectfully represents and libels George E. Despeaux of Medway, in said county, that he was lawfully married to Addie E. Despeaux, now of Eastford, in the state of Connecticut, at Hopedale, in the county of Worcester, September 3, 1884, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Addie lived together as husband and wife in this commonwealth at Medway, in said Norfolk county, that your libellant has always been faithful to his marriage vows and obligations, but the said Addie, being wholly regardless of the same at said Medway on or about the twenty-fifth day of January, 1900, committed the crime of adultery with one Nelson Tanner and has committed said crime with said Tanner on divers days and times between January 25, 1900, and the date of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Addie E. Despeaux.

Dated the eleventh day of April, 1900
GEORGE E. DESPEAUX.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, SS.

SUPERIOR COURT.

On the foregoing libel it is ordered that the libellant give notice to the said Addie E. Despeax, the libellee, to appear before the justices of this court, to be holden at Dedham, within and for said county, on the first Monday of June next, by causing an attested copy of said libel, and of this order thereon, to be published once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first Monday of June next, and further, by sending through the mail, as soon as may be, by a registered letter addressed to the last known residence of the said Addie E. Despeaux an attested copy of said libel and of this order thereon, that the said Addie E. Despeaux may then and there show cause why the prayer of said libel should not be granted.

By the Court.
LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.
April 16, A. D. 1900.
A true copy of said libel and of the order thereon.
Attest: R. B. WORTHINGTON,
Assistant Clerk.
ap24,my1,8

SHERIFF'S SALE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, SS.
FRANKLIN, MASS., April 24, A. D. 1900.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

TUESDAY, the TWENTY-NINTH day of MAY, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse Block in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Lawrence McGuinnis, alias McGinnis, of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the twenty-eighth day of November, A. D. 1899, at ten o'clock in the forenoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process) in and to the following described real estate, to wit: A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the northerly side of Village street, with buildings thereon, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the southeasterly corner of the premises on said Village street; thence running northerly on land formerly of one Eaton, and known as the Eaton place, to land supposed to belong to one Wentworth, formerly of one Philbrick; thence westerly on said Wentworth land to a stake and stones at the northerly end of a drain at land of William Scroeder; thence southerly along the line of said drain and with said Scroeder land to said Village street; thence easterly with said Village street to the point of beginning, being the Phillips place, so called, and a part of the Dr. Brown estate, so called.

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the southerly side of Village street, opposite the above described tract, and bounded northerly on said Village street, southwesterly by Charles river and easterly by land supposed to belong formerly to Mrs. A. H. Clark, and being the second parcel described in the mortgage of Lawrence McGinnis to Margaret H. Kenny, dated August 6, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 744, page 522.

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
Deputy Sheriff.
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Jane D. Fisher, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Metcalf E. Pond of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the sixteenth day of May, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register
ap24,my1,8

AGENTS WANTED.

Liberal contracts to intelligent men of good character and address. Can earn in commissions from $3000 upwards per year by applying to Wm. F. Bache, Gen'l Agt. NORTHWESTERN MUT. LIFE INS CO., 7 Water st., Boston, Mass., from 9 to 10 A. M.; from 12 to 1 P. M.

ANNUAL STATEMENT JANY. 1, 1900.

Assets	$126,646,728.45
Liabilities	121,112,030.71
Surplus	5,534,697.74
Insurance in force	$497,608,125.00

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Herman M Fisher 1Jan00

The Franklin Sentinel.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Tenements are in active demand.

Report of Dr. Crowe's lecture Tuesday.

Grosvenor Aldrich has moved to Ashcroft.

Mrs. Joseph Bourbeau of Pond street is ill with malaria.

The Ramblers' play at Woonsocket tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. C. F. Baker of Boston was here with friends yesterday.

The High school nine defeated the freshmen yesterday, 20 to 14.

Painters have improved Mrs. L. A. Harris' house on West street.

The Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., will hold a regular meeting this evening.

Mrs. George Shay of Bozeman, Montana, is visiting Mrs. Lovell Metcalf.

J. P. Hosie and family left on Wednesday for a summer's stay in Liberty, N. Y.

Mrs. Malissa Fisher of Putnam, Conn., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. B. Johnson.

Rev. Mr. Sleeper speaks before the Y. M. C. A. in Woonsocket on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. P. Metcalf has moved into one of Mrs. A. P. Woodward's houses off Central street.

D. W. Corson is to have charge of the sale of horses for Selectman McCarthy next Tuesday.

Mrs. G. C. Stott moves from the Nason house on Union street to J. O. Chilson's house on Dean avenue.

William Buckley and T. B. Allen were among those excused from jury duty at Dedham on Monday.

The Dean ball team is scheduled to play the Groton school nine, at Groton, tomorrow afternoon.

Principal Daniels attends a meeting of the "Classical Teachers' association," in Cambridge tomorrow.

Prof. Ernest Green of Mansfield will sing basso next Sunday morning at the Congregational church.

The Dean avenue ladies' afternoon whist club will meet Friday afternoon, May 11, with Mrs. Fred Chapman.

C. A. Carr has secured a position in a machine shop in Woonsocket and enters upon his new duties next Monday.

John Healy shows us a mammoth egg, which, if it doesn't "take the cake," would surely be enough for one cake.

The assessors have posted their notices calling upon persons liable to taxation to bring in a list of their property.

Charles F. Nye is keeping pace with the times by making additions and alterations upon his house on Central street.

The railway hearing concerning the Medway-Franklin electrics comes up before the railroad commissioners on Monday.

Mrs. Mima Holmes was called to North Attleboro on Wednesday to attend the funeral of her father in-law, Charles Holmes.

John Kingsley of the U. S. Marine corps stationed at Charlestown has been mustered out, and has returned to Franklin

William Walker of Fales street has been called to Newburyport to begin a new form of manufacture in connection with the straw goods factory in that place.

The domestic and fancy booths of St. John's guild will offer an exceedingly fine display of goods for sale at extremely low prices.

Mrs. A. Callahan, her son, Bernard, and Mrs. Elizabeth Carney attended the funeral of Martin O'Brien at Uxbridge Wednesday.

Rev Dr. Hodge is to treat the Universalist ministers' meeting in Boston, next Monday to "A Few Bible Readings, Translations and Interpretations."

Artist Geb is putting on the finishing coat of paint to C. J. McKenzie's house and Messrs. Spence & Granger are doing a similar work on Mrs. D. C. Cotton's.

At the summer dress party, May 10, Miss Razee's juvenile class will present upon the stage a program of society dances, figures of the German and the cake walk quadrille.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Thayer and Mr. and Mrs Howard Callahan moved here from Highland Lake, Saturday, and have taken the house next to Slade's greenhouse on Central street.

Charles Hebert left for New Hampshire Monday morning. It is understood that he has given up the idea of purchasing the interests of the Misses Modjeska in the Hotel Briggs.

The first May Festival of St. John's guild will be a notable occasion. It will be the most pretentious affair held in Odd Fellows' hall this year. Monday and Tuesday, April 30 and May 1.

Joseph Sullivan, formerly in the employ of Clark & Gaskill, and for the past three years a clerk in the Boston postoffice, is visiting at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Daniel Mahoney, at South Franklin.

Franklin people will be charged 40 cents per hundred for ice this season, the mild weather last winter having forced the dealers to raise the price of 25 cents, which has prevailed for several seasons past.

Miss Annie L. Judd has resigned as assistant teacher at the High school to accept a more advantageous position at Great Barrington, where she will teach modern languages. Miss Lillian Favour of Wellesley has been secured to take her place here.

Telegraph Operator Croissant is making arrangements to obtain the base ball scores of the league teams about 7 o'clock each evening, so that lovers of the sport may not have to wait until the next morning to learn the result of their favorite game.

The new tree warden, Dr. Hodge, has arranged for the planting of three trees at the High school grounds, on Saturday morning, at 9 o'clock, with exercises by the pupils. The public is invited. The trees are two magnolias, stellata and soulangenena, and a catalpa dignonioides.

Miss Laura E. Blake gave her very instructive lecture on "Banks and Banking" before the economics class of the High school, Monday. This is the first of several lectures which are to be given to the class on economic subjects by friends of the school.

The bill of the M. A. & W. Street Railway company which passed the house was amended in the senate Tuesday by adding a clause which makes the company more or less dependent on the selectmen in the various towns through which the company is to operate.

Now that the Norfolk Western District court is to be telephonically connected it would seem to be very easy to appear before his honor Judge Doe by telephone rather than appear in person. The new 'phone cannot fail to be found of convenience and will surely be appreciated.

Mrs. G. R. Winsor, Mrs. C. B. Johnson and Miss Caroline W. Rockwood attended a reception tendered Miss Mary E. Wooley, the newly elected president of Mt. Holyoke at the Vendome in Boston yesterday. Miss Wooley was a graduate of Wheaton in 1884 and is greatly beloved.

N. B. Stone, former manager of the Town farm here, but now in charge at Medway, tells us that he is very pleasantly situated, having but about thirteen patients to care for, no farm to till and a new $10,000 establishment. At the same time he has a very pleasant remembrance of Franklin, and numbers many friends here.

The street railway committee reported Tuesday favorably to the senate the general bill giving rights of joint use of tracks of adjacent street railways when public necessity seems to require, under supervision of the state railroad commissioners. This is the action urged by the SENTINEL recently and opposed by the Boston Elevated.

There will be a social and entertainment under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church at the home of Mrs. A. F. Pendleton on Union street, next Wednesday evening. The house is large and will easily accommodate all who wish to attend. Supper will be served from 6 to 7.30. A very enjoyable time is expected.

The Milford News says of the entertainment Monday evening arranged by Rev. Mr. Miner in Medway: "The entertainment of Christ church guild, which was held in Sanford hall, was of a high order and by far the best entertainment that has been given in the hall this season and deserving of the large attendance which it had.

Charles E. Clark died Tuesday night, aged 55 years, at the residence of his mother on King street. He had been sick a long time and was a great care to relatives. At one time he was engaged in manufacturing enterprises, and was twice married. He was born in Milford, and was the son of the late Willard Clark, who carried on the meat business here for many years.

The funeral of Mrs. Bliss Cook was held last Friday afternoon at the house, Rev. Mr. Sleeper officiating. The bearers were C. W. Shippee, Charles Hull, Sanford Wales and Mr. Coates The singers were Mrs. M. F. Coleman, Fannie Darling, Roy Hartshorne and Eben Thurber. There were floral offerings from her bible class and shopmates. There was singing at the grave and the committal service.

Dean academy went to Cambridge on Wednesday to meet the Harvard freshmen, losing by a score of 3 to 1. They were up against Walter Clarkson, the semi-professional pitcher, who is in Harvard this year, and he was quite effective against our boys, striking out eighteen of them. Errors on both sides were responsible for the runs. Jennes did good work, however, striking out twelve men.

The Heliotype and Trowbridge Piano company nines are getting into condition for what bids fair to be an exciting and hair raising battle for supremacy on the base ball diamond. Both teams are taking daily practice and confidence is not lacking on the part of the players of either nine that their side is surely to be in the lead at the finish. The game will be pulled off at Indian Rock park tomorrow afternoon.

Dr. A. J. Gallison and Walter Hawkins leave for New York tonight, sailing for Europe tomorrow. As this is the doctor's first trip across the water be is looking forward with pleasant anticipations to many new and novel experiences, to say nothing of the increased facilities for pushing his medical researches. He has not settled definitely upon the length of his stay, but it will probably be a number of months. Bon voyage.

Another aged resident passed away in South Franklin on Tuesday, Herman B. Miller, aged 76. He was born here, but his boyhood was spent in Maine. He leaves two sons, George and Arthur, and two daughters, Olive, and Mrs. Wadsworth. He was an uncle of F. M. Richardson, the marketman. He was formerly a blacksmith and later a farmer, and was highly respected by all. The funeral was held this forenoon, Rev. Mr. Sneath officiating.

"Nan, the Mascot," is to be the attraction at the Opera house on Thursday evening, produced by the St. Mary's Dramatic society. This organization is composed of Thespians of unusual talent, and the play has been under excellent supervision for some time, so that its production might be at once meritorious and pleasing. There is little doubt but that the players will be greeted by a crowded house. A dance will be enjoyed after the play.

Rev. Dr. Hodge announces a list of subjects for the next few Sundays somewhat out of the usual line, and it would seem of considerable interest. "Alexander Dumas' Reasons for Being Happy," "The Psychology of the Scarlet Letter," "Kipling's Story of the Ship that Found Herself," "Ruskin's Crown of Wild Olive" and "The Man with the Hoe" are the morning subjects up to June. In the afternoon Dr. Hodge is treating the history of the doctrine of a future life along the line of its Jewish and Christian development.

The St. John's Guild entertainment next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock will be novel and interesting. Stanton H. King, superintendent of the Sailors' Haven, Charlestown, Mass., will deliver a lecture entitled "Twelve Years Before the Mast," being a detailed account of personal reminiscences and the recital of adventures in the merchant marine and naval service. Mr. King possesses great descriptive power and much magnetism, and will surely interest his audience. He will bring with him several sailors, who will sing "Shanties," or sea hauling songs and give sailor dances. An elocutionist, vocalists and a dancer, all from Boston, will add spice and interest to the entertainment. Afterwards dancing will be indulged in by those who may desire.

So delighted were many of our people with Rev. Mr. Koehne's lectures at the Congregational church recently that quite a number are planning to go over to Wrentham next week to hear him again. He commences on Sunday evening in the Congregational church, the subjects being as follows on succeeding evenings: Sunday, "The Preparation for Christianity Through Judaism;" Monday, "The Preparation Through the Gentile Religions;" Tuesday, "The Apostolic Church;" Wednesday, "The Church of the Reformation;" Thursday, "Modern Skepticism;" Friday, "The New Aristocracy." It is possible that a barge will be secured upon some of the evenings provided a sufficient number care to go.

Speaking with prominent Republicans about town every one expresses himself as being decidedly pleased with the action of the senate in turning down "Boss" Quay, on the principle that this was the first step in the purification of Pennsylvania's politics. There are plenty of other states boss-ridden, and Massachusetts is none too free from managerial dictation. In any event it is hoped that the lesson which the Keystone state is to learn will not go unheeded by other states.

Mrs. William Thayer has presented the Congregational church for its curio room some rare copies of sermons and other papers. Also the following interesting receipts: "Franklin, 23d Aug., 1770. Rec'd of Peter Whiting ten pounds for to hire men for the Rhode Island Expedition, Amos Partridge St" "Wrentham, September 7, 10, 1767, then Received of Daniel Holbrook, the first gardain of Miriam Thayer, the sum of sixteen shillings Lawfull money and sundry other things, as one Quilt, one chence gown, one silk crape gown, one white gown, one Russel gown, one Red camblet Riding hood three ribbins two pitten beers two towels two white Neccloath one black gaws Neccloath and a Vail one Velvit hood one pare of shoes and one pare of stockings two white aprons and three sheets, Six puter platters and six puter plates one Quart pot to basons two porringers one black chist with draws. I say Received by me. Samuel Morse gardein."

Full of Years.

With the death of Henry Bemis on Wednesday morning there passed from Franklin its oldest and one of its most respected residents. For more than fifty years he has resided here and has a host of friends. He was born in Lincoln and survived his wife and one son many years. In his day, when Franklin's inhabitants were few, he was undertaker, church janitor, blacksmith, wheelwright, jeweler and harness maker, and his old red shop at the north end has for years been a landmark in Franklin. It was also his duty to toll the church bell, indicating the death of residents, the stroke announcing the years of the deceased. After the introduction of the Woonsocket electrics last fall he took his first ride by that means of propulsion, and remarked that he never expected to travel by electricity. Although so well along in years, aged 91, he enjoyed excellent health until quite recently and his genial good nature made him a friend to everyone.

The funeral will be held at the house on Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Hodge officiating.

At Dean Tonight.

The Dean Literary society will hold an open meeting this evening to which the public is invited. The society will present "The Happy Pair," and a meritorious entertainment is assured.

An Afternoon of Profit.

The Mothers' section were delightfully entertained at Elm Farm yesterday. After a greeting from Mrs. Ray in her usual happy manner, Dr. Kate Sanborn of Medway was introduced. A most entertaining paper followed in which Dr. Sanborn gave the mothers present the benefit of her thought, experience and reading, the subject being "The Care of Girls from a Physician's Standpoint." The doctor was ready with bright and sensible answers for the questions put to her in the informal chat "over the tea cups" which followed. The class felt that they not only spent a pleasant and profitable afternoon, but one which they should long remember.

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Richardson's Market.

Our roasts of beef, from 8 to 12 cents, are in constant demand and are selected pieces. We have also all the vegetables, such as lettuce, cucumbers, spinach, dandelions, radishes, rhubarb, and all that the Boston market affords. Besides, we have choice meats of all kinds—pork, veal, lamb, freshly killed fowls, etc. We cannot be beaten on choice creamery butter, canned goods, maple syrup, etc.

Do not miss the famous St. John's Guild supper, at Odd Fellows' hall, next Monday night, at 6 o'clock. Tickets to supper admit to May Party, at 8 o'clock, in large hall

Remember the auction sale of household goods, at 8 Cottage street, tomorrow, at 1 p. m.

Fine hair cutting, smooth shaving, razors honed and put in order. Ochee the barber.

Orders for Allen's wood yard taken here can be transmitted by telephone at once.

See Dr. T. L. Martin's new adv. in this issue.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

An Interesting Service.

There was a large turn-out of Masons at the service at the Universalist church last Sunday morning. The Eastern Star order was also represented. The choir consisted of Messrs. Sherman and Hartshorne, and Misses Adams and Stark, the latter being a Cambridge lady who sang here Sunday for the first time, and whose singing was very much admired. Dr. Hodge's sermon was upon the text, "The stone which the builders rejected, the same is become the head of the corner." We presume there were many things in the sermon which meant more to the initiated than to anyone else, yet the various points were clear enough to all. Dr. Hodge said all masons are builders. The practical mason builds with tangible material. His work is upon houses, temples, churches, factories, public works. The speculative mason builds with intangible material. He builds character, he is shaping the edifice of a life.

After giving the history of the text—a quotation from a psalm written after the Hebrew exile—Dr. Hodge said the head of the corner is the stone which changes the line of advance and direction. The builder builds up to that, then turns and builds another way. Jesus turns the direction of the world's thought in regard to God. God is no longer a hostile Being needing a sacrifice to put him in good humor. He is always in good humor. He will always do that which is just, that which is best for men. It is not God who needs to be changed, but men. Jesus also changes the direction of human thought in regard to man. He revealed the value of the individual soul. And it is this which has abolished slavery and elevated women. Masonry is one of the grand expressions of this new thought of man. It holds to the brotherhood of man. It puts men on an equality.

There are certain people who may not be made Masons. But among them is not the man who is poor. Whoever crosses the Masonic threshold does so, not by virtue of his wealth, his rank, his position in society, but by virtue of his humanity. Jesus changes the direction of the world's thought also in regard to the way of living. One of the earliest names of Christian believers is "People of the Way" The old way was the way of selfishness and of vindictive justice. The new way is the way of unselfish care and thought for others. It is the way of forgiveness, of sympathy. Of this new way Masonry is an expression Dr. Hodge then went on to say that a thought involved in his text was that often the people who, from their profession, might be supposed to know what is needed for the future, in reality are the ones who do not know. The priests and Pharisees of Christ's time thought they knew. But they rejected the stone which has been the turning point of the world's life and the basis of all that is best in society civilization. Over and over since then the same kind of mistake has been made.

Applying the principle of the text to the individual, Dr. Hodge said there were some who rejected the religious element from their lives. No Mason, he said, could do this without being inconsistent with Masonry. Religion is not only the greatest element in shaping the life of the world today, but it is given to man to be the great helper in the living of his life as it ought to be lived. He who dispenses with it is a foolish builder. The Masonic brethren present paid very close attention to the discourse and expressed themselves as approving It very heartily

Report Denied.

It has been commonly reported and believed by many that in a certain room corporal punishment is very commonly inflicted. "Every day a number are whipped," one parent said, and was believed by many. Schools have been in session since last September—about 150 days. One scholar punished a day would mean 150 cases; two a day, 300 cases; three a day, 450. There have been six cases only in this room in 150 days.

Are you sure that other reports have any better foundation? Is it wise to trust the gossip of the streets without investigating? E. D. DANIELS.

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EMERSON'S MARKET.

Pupils

of any of the schools intending to avail themselves of the school discount should plan to come in as soon as possible. The possibility of bad weather, added to the rush of class work near the end of the term, makes delays unsatisfactory to all concerned. "Come early and avoid the rush." CALKIN, Photographer, Depot St.

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Of Unusual Interest.

The first magazine evening of the Alden club was held on April 23 The receipts from the sale of tickets for Mrs. Murphy's recital were $18 25. Mrs Ray spoke of the annual club social, May 14, which this year is to combine the features of the musical (postponed from Jan. 22) with the usual annual reception. Notice was given of the biennial convention of women's clubs to be held in Milwaukee June 3 9

Mrs. Whittaker then gave a detailed report of the State Federation meeting in Newburyport, April 20. The general subject of this meeting was "Arts and Crafts," being chosen because of the interest taken by club members in introducing among women in rural districts methods of textile manufacture which could be employed at home. Mrs. Ray explained the duties of the club members in regard to the election of officers at the last meeting of the year, when the chief question for discussion will be that of rotation in office.

The meeting was then put in charge of Miss King and Miss Whiting, the editors of the first club magazine, which contained the following very attractive table of contents, each number of which, together with the editorials, was greatly enjoyed by all: "The Club's Influence, What is It?" Mrs. E. K Ray; "The Mothers' Section," Mrs. Belle Sherman; "Imagination or Reason," Mrs. Chapman; "A Summer Holiday," Mrs. Haslam; "Boat Song," Miss Burrington; "Life in the Woods," Mrs. Martin; "The Boat of the Blessed Ghost," Mrs C. L. Daniels; music, Miss Tippan; "Fashion and Originality," Miss Burrington; "Even Song," words and music by Miss Hodge, song by Miss Whiting.

Owing to the lateness of the hour the reading of two numbers, a poem by Mrs. C. L. Daniels, and "History of the Club," by Miss Lydia P Ray was deferred till the meeting on May 28. It was unanimously voted that the magazine be printed and placed on sale at the last meeting of the year. The meeting was adjourned till the annual social, May 14

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The Tent Caterpillar.

The tree warden makes the following suggestions regarding the tent caterpillar:

It is not now of much use to band trees with printer's ink or bodlime to protect them from the tent caterpillar. After the first frosts in the fall is the right time to apply bands of bodlime. Two measures can now be adopted: First, the eggs can be found on twigs of the tree in clusters, covered with a varnish which makes them impervious to water. Cut off all such twigs and burn them Second, the trees can be sprayed now and again just before the blossoms come with arsenate of lead. Paris green may be used, but the arsenate of lead in the proportion of three or four pounds to one hundred and fifty gallons of water is more effectual. When the tents are formed they can be pulled away, but this is not apt to be a thorough remedy. Burning the nests is not recommended. The great enemy of the tent caterpillar is the Baltimore oriole He should be encouraged. Firearms and unusual noises prevent him from building where they are to be heard, and the predatory cat also influences him in his selection of a location. All birds, more or less, destroy the tent caterpillar. The warden will be glad to advise in regard to the destruction of the tent caterpillar or the canker worm.

Capone's Band.

The following is the programme to be rendered by Capone's band of 25 pieces (of Providence) at the Opera house tomorrow evening:

March—Willon Grom	E. Sorrentino
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Scene—Ugunotti	Megerbeer
Soprano Solo—La Traviata (Cavatina). Miss Helen S Greene.	G. Verdi
a.—Idillio Capriccioso	F. Capone
b.—Pizzicato (Polka)	Straus
Selection—Mefistofele	Boito
Duetto—Miserere (Trovatore) Messrs. C Cambio and A. Zambarano.	Verdi
March—Orientale	Matricano
Soprano—Una Voce poca fa Miss Helen S. Greene.	Rossini
Selection—Lucia di Lammermoor	Denizetti
Scherzo—Un giorno a Napoli	F. Capone
March—American Republic	Thiele

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FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 1900

Waste in Cornfields.

The editor of Wallace's Farmer computes that Iowa loses $8,000,000 a year in ungathered cornstalks. In making this estimate he puts the value of the cornstalks at the low rate of one dollar an acre. On the same basis of valuation how much do Minnesota and the Dakotas lose? Would not the sum at least reach the million mark? Such loss is appalling. In the corn belt it reaches a prodigious sum. It must be stopped. No nation, however prosperous, can afford to waste the gifts of a kind Providence. The man who only cuts half his hay would soon be dealt with by the authorities. But where is the difference in such a course and in leaving cornstalks ungathered? The excuse made for not cutting cornstalks is the scarcity and dearness of labor. The remedy is not an impossible one. Grow less corn and turn up some other kind of food that can be harvested at some other season. The ability to grow so much corn is fraught with promise to the live stock interests of the country. It means that two or three times as much live stock will some day be grown as we have at the present time.

Mrs. J. C. Croly, who has just rounded her 70 years, is the literal embodiment of the woman's movement, being not only the progenitor of woman's clubdom, but the pioneer press woman of the country, says the New York World. Few of her contemporaries know that her pen name, "Jennie June," is one of the sweetest reminiscences of her childhood. When she was only 12 a gentleman who had been visiting her family wrote to a friend: "She is the Juneist little girl I ever knew!" In after years when she made her first adventure into print and sought for a signature she remembered the quaint fancy and promptly became "Jennie June."

Augustus Rice, of Cleveland, aged 35 years, of stalwart form, a sailor, and steeple climber, while en route from Green Bay, Wis., to Baltimore to board ship, was run over by a train at Sandpatch and his foot crushed. Rice is tattooed from head to foot. On the leg just above the crushed foot, is a beautiful tattoo representing the stars and stripes. He begged the doctors piteously not to mutilate the stars and stripes, saying: "Please save the old flag. I love it," just as he was overcome by the anaesthetic. The doctors were able to make amputation just below the emblem, and when Rice recovered consciousness he shouted with joy to know that the flag was saved.

Oklahoma enjoys the unique distinction of being the only state or territory east of the Rocky mountains which produced more wheat in 1899 than in 1898. The government statistician at Washington gives Oklahoma credit for 1,218,000 acres in winter wheat and a crop of 16,202,000 bushels. Only 12 of the 46 states of the union raised more wheat than Oklahoma did this year. The prominent grain states which produce less than Oklahoma are Missouri, Illinois, Michigan, Kentucky, Tennessee, Maryland and Texas.

During a recent holiday in New York the price of American Beauty roses went up to the usual figure of $30 a dozen and remained there. Lilacs sold in some places for four dollars a dozen. But it was the azaleas that brought the highest price. A basket of them was made up by a certain florist for a millionaire. The millionaire was a regular customer, but his basket cost $175.

"The women of Wichita," remarks the Kansas City Journal, "have been canvassing the town for subscriptions in aid of the poor. They tackled L. R. Delaney, of the Santa Fe, in a cigar store. He had just one nickel in his pocket. He took this out, walked over to the slot machine and dropped it in. Out rolled five dollars in nickels, which Delaney piled into the apron of one of the women."

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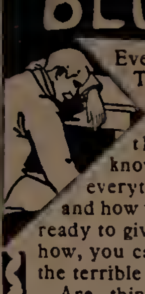

Ever have them? Then we can't tell you anything about them. You know how dark everything looks and how you are about ready to give up. Somehow, you can't throw off the terrible depression.

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CHINESE LAUNDRY HUMOR.

The Demure Mongolians Have Many a Quiet Laugh at the Expense of Caucasian Customers.

"Most people suppose," said an ex-Californian, "that the vertical row of hieroglyphics on a Chinese laundry check are merely so many numerals. As a matter of fact, they are nothing of the kind, but constitute a brief and spicy description of the individual who left the bundle. If you will take the trouble to notice it, you will see that the laundryman always goes through exactly the same programme. He takes the package, gives you a swift, comprehensive glance and then proceeds to decorate a slip of rice paper with from two to five India ink chicken tracks. What he has really written is probably something like this:

"'Fat foreign devil who resembles a pig; squinty eyes and a wart on the left side of his nose.'

"You carry around this flattering pen portrait, innocently imagining that it reads 'No. 4-11-44,' and when you call for your wash you will find that the Chinaman who receives the ticket will invariably look you over, making mental comparison before he reaches for the bundle. A Mongolian friend of mine out in 'Frisco put me onto the scheme, and I took the trouble to ascertain whether he was telling me the truth. I got a laundry slip, copied it with microscopic fidelity and submitted it to several expert native translators. They all agreed that it ran something like this:

"'Ridiculous old man; very pompous; bald head like a speckled egg.'

"You will observe that my hair grows rather high on my forehead and I have a few freckles, although nothing to justify such an insulting description. However, it proved the point. The next ticket I got declared I was 'an elderly gentleman resembling Yun-Tai, the wind god,' which pleased me immensely until I persuaded a native curio dealer to show me a statuette of the deity. Then I wanted to murder the laundryman. The Chinese are a deep people. They look as demure as guinea pigs, but all the while they are quietly sizing us up and having a big laugh in their sleeves."—N. O. Times-Democrat.

The Merciful Motorman.

"The fellow coming out of that saloon owes his life to me," said the Brooklyn motorman to the new hand to whom he was teaching the business.

"How's that?" asked the beginner, as he piled all the passengers to the front of the car by a quick movement of the brake.

"One night," explained the motorman, "he was lying helpless across the track, and I resisted, and conquered the temptation."—Brooklyn Life.

A Narrow Mind.

Brassey—How I hate those fellows with only one idea in their heads!

Stymie—Bores, aren't they?

Brassey—You know Sewidge, the tailor? Well, he was calling on me today, and, though I tried to draw him out on politics, art, literature, religion, he would always hark back to his one idea.

Stymie—What was that?

Brassey—His bill.—Brooklyn Eagle.

A Woman's Secret.

She vowed upon her lips she'd set a seal
And never to the world her plans reveal.
But when she walked about the tale was told—
Her hat was new—but all its trimmings old
—Detroit Free Press.

Why He Loved Wagner.

"Who is your favorite composer?" asked the young woman.

"Well," answered Mr Blykens, "so far as I am able to judge my favorite composer is Wagner."

"Wagner?"

"Yes. I love Wagner. I don't profess to know much about him, but I am assured on competent authority that he never wrote any of those ragtime tunes for the street pianos to play."—Washington Star.

Honesty Rewarded.

Jim—Honesty is the best policy after all.

Bill—How?

"Remember that dog I stole?"

"Yes."

"Well, I tried two hull days to sell im, an' no one offered more'n a bob. So I went, like an honest man, an' guv him to th' ole lady what owned 'im, an' she guv me 'alf a sovering."—Tit-Bits.

His Only Alternative.

The Lady—What caused you to become a tramp?

The Tramp—I wuz drove away from a happy home an' forced ter become a wanderer.

The Lady—How did that happen?

The Tramp—Me wife an' me mudder said dat I eider had ter go to work er git out, an' I got out.—N. Y. Journal.

Further Evidence.

"There is something, after all, in the idea of opals being unlucky."

"What new light have you had on it?"

"Young Hankinson has a fine opal ring. He was wearing it the evening he proposed to Miss Garlinghorn."

"And she refused him?"

"No. She accepted him."—Chicago Tribune.

Not a Showman.

Bobby—Are you in the show business, Mr. Wedder?

Mr. Wedder (with eight children)—Why, no, Bobby; what made you think so?

Bobby—Oh, I heard papa tell Kate that if she married you she'd have a whole menagerie to look after.—Brooklyn Life.

Matronly Advice.

"And remember, dear," said the experienced matron to the bride, "if you wish to preserve your husband's love, do not be jealous. Merely pretend to be. That will give him a good opinion of himself, and of your appreciation of his fascinations."—Indianapolis Journal.

Needed Cheering.

Husband—Smikeson's wife is away, and I'm going over there this evening to cheer him up.

Wife—Why don't you bring him here?

Husband—Well—er—I'm not feeling very well, and need a little cheering up myself.—N. Y. Weekly.

A Plain Declaration.

Fond Mother—Has Mr. Brown, with whom you have been dancing all the evening, at last declared his intentions?

"Yes, mamma."

"Thank goodness! What did he say?"

"He declared he would never get married."—Tit-Bits.

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Because his racket is immense,
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—Puck.

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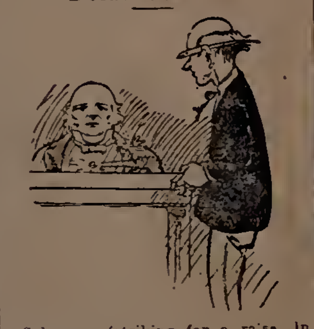

Salesman (striking for a raise in wages)—I have been working for you for 18 years.

Employer—Um—yes; just see how patient I am.—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

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"We have all heard people scoff at women who married men to reform them, and it is generally supposed that the scheme never proves to be successful, but Jaggerson used to be a fearful drinker before he got married, and now look at him. He never takes a drop."

"Well, his is an exceptional case. Almost any man would be sobered up if he were to suddenly discover that he was married to that woman."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Evidence.

Father—But our boy is only 15 years old. What makes you think he is in love?

Mother—He washed his neck this morning without being told to do so.—N. Y. World.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

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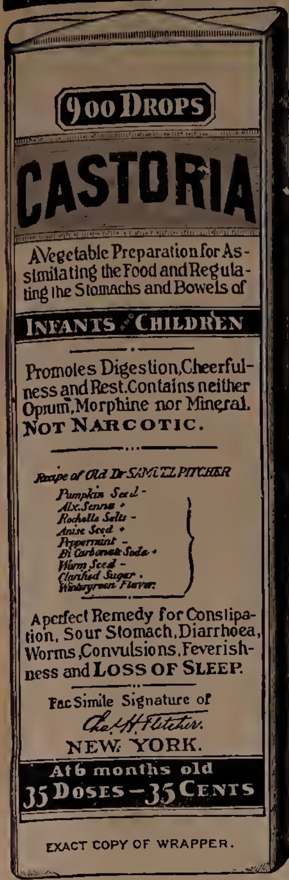

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IN CYCLEDOM.

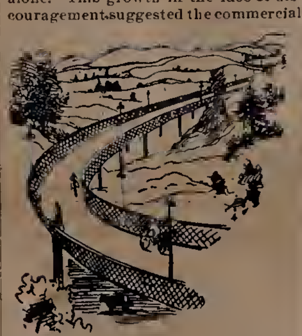
NOVEL CYCLING PATH.

An Elevated Affair Nine Miles Long About to Be Built in Southern California.

In the mountainous region about Los Angeles and Pasadena, in southern California, the lot of the wheelman is not an altogether happy one, for cycle paths are unknown there and beyond city limits the way for riders is so rough and rolling that the pleasures of cycling scarcely compensate for the pains. A change is about to come over the face of these conditions, however, by the construction of the most novel and elaborate wheelway in this country and probably in the world. An elevated cycle path of framework nine miles long has been designed to connect the two places. An account of present cycling conditions in that locality and how much of a boon the aerial structure will be is obtained from an interesting article in the Los Angeles Land of Sunshine, which, on the whole, suggests speculation as to whether in the future all things are to become possible to the bicycle.

Pasadena and Los Angeles are sister cities, and the problem of transportation between them has been slow to find solution owing to the rolling character of the intervening country and the waterways. The amount of traffic between the towns demanded facilities, and as ways to furnish these were found the travel increased, until now they are bound together by a chain of four railroads, three of steam power and one electric. After the last link was added to this chain there remained a large contingent of the population in both cities that was still unprovided for. There was not a fit route for cyclists. The common wagon roads, with their dust and mud and ruts, had to be followed over hill and along ravine, among cattle and fowl and across railroad tracks, by those who fain would wheel their way from place to place. The topography of the country and injudicious road building combined to keep wheel riders miserable.

The lack of good roads between Los Angeles and Pasadena has been keenly felt for years, and the hills intervening made the construction of an ordinary cycle path impracticable. The trip northward to Pasadena is an uphill grind. In spite of these discomforts many made the intercity trip for business or pleasure, and, notwithstanding all disadvantages, the ranks of the cyclists increased, until there are at least 30,000 in Los Angeles county alone. This growth in the face of discouragement suggested the commercial wisdom of catering to so persistent a sport, and the genius for the emergency appeared in the person of Horace M. Dobbins, of Pasadena, who organized the California Cycleway company. Capital was quickly forthcoming and plans were drawn for an elevated balcony, stretching between the sister cities, exclusively for cyclists. The franchise and right of way have been secured, the engineers' estimates completed and work begun, and now the natives wonder why some one did not think of it before.



ELEVATED CYCLE PATH.

The path will be supported by pillars of different heights, to equalize the grade, and the floor will be of boards. The width will be about ten feet, and each side will be inclosed by lattice work rising to a height of about four feet. The path will be lighted by a double row of lights, placed so as to alternate, and half way between the cities a park and casino will be established by the company. The tariff for the use of the structure has been figured down to a nominal basis, on a plan of issuing annual passes with a share of stock. The cycleway will start from a central point in Pasadena, and, winding down the Arroyo Seco on its eastern side, will cross the Los Angeles river some distance below Buena Vista street and terminate at the plaza in Los Angeles. Wheelmen and wheelwomen will be able to glide along this smooth way almost without exertion going south to Los Angeles, looking off upon the rolling scenery or down upon the woods, the fields, the hills and hollows, the heavy roads from which they are freed and the car tracks that cannot jolt them. Reversing the ride and traveling north from Los Angeles will be no hardship, for the grade has been laid out so that it is almost imperceptible.

Exempt from Execution.

In Minnesota the legislature has enacted a measure exempting from execution one bicycle for each citizen. A similar measure will be presented for passage at the next session of the Ohio general assembly.

An Insurance on Wheels.

The Ohio division offers a reward of $25 for the arrest and conviction of each thief who steals the wheel of a league member. This constitutes an insurance on the bicycles of members of the division.

Ruined by Smoking.

"The average life of an engine only 30 years?" said an astonished passenger. "Why, such a tough-looking thing ought to live longer than that."

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LAYING UP A COMPETENCE.

Something That Practically Any Man Can Do by the Exercise of Self-Denial.

"There are some men of genius," said Mr. Nippingly, according to the New York Sun, "who accumulate great fortunes by great strokes, but by far the greater number of fortunes, including those of moderate dimensions, and these form the great majority of all, are made by the very simple process of living within one's income and investing the surplus, with more or less wisdom, but always where it will be safe.

"The older I grow the more amazed I am that more people don't lay up a competence for themselves, as most anybody can do, by beginning early in life to live within their income, and sticking to that course faithfully. Did I do this myself? No! Am I, however, having learned the wisdom of this course, now making a beginning? I am obliged to say: 'No;' I am still spending all I get and laying up nothing.

"There are some lessons that we all easily acquire, but never turn to our own advantage. One of these is of the benefits that arise from the exercise of self-denial. We get from this, at once, the direct benefit of what we save, and self-denial nourishes, strengthens and broadens the will and enables a man constantly to do and to earn more and more.

"There's simply nothing like self-denial; it is the key to every one of life's treasures; and everybody has one of those golden keys in his possession, eager to help him, and wating only for him to bring it in use."

A FIGHT TO THE DEATH.

It Was Between a Man-Eating Shark and an Alligator and the Shark Won.

Some fishermen down at Mayport, Fla., the mouth of the St. John's river, witnessed a strange fight a few days ago between a large alligator and a man-eating shark, says the Philadelphia Press.

The alligator was sunning himself on the river bank when the fishermen approached within 30 yards.

There was a roar from the alligator, which attracted attention to his presence, and he fell sprawling in the river.

Then a huge shark shot toward the bank and caught the alligator's tail in his mouth, causing the alligator to roar with pain and turn onto the shark's tail with his mouth.

The two monsters stuck their teeth firmly in each other's tail, and the shark snatched off a piece of the alligator's flesh, swallowing it at one gulp. The alligator let loose the shark and made a desperate effort to escape. The shark raised himself above the water and pounced upon the head of the alligator.

The entire head of the alligator was caught between the jaws of the shark and mangled.

Several hours later the dead alligator, without head or tail or legs, rose to the top of the water and was carried out to sea by the ebbing tide.

Several sharks have been caught at Mayport this year, and the fishermen who reported the above story will try to catch the shark that ate the alligator.

THE BUGLER WHO FORGOT.

Got a Chance to Run the Fight to Suit Himself and Made Things Warm.

It is not often that an enlisted man gets a chance to run a part of the fight to suit himself. That chance, however, came to one bugler, says a Manila correspondent of Leslie's Weekly. Capt. Hannay, finding that L company was too far away to hear orders, sent his bugler after the company to sound the charge. At the first notes L flew onward. It was right here that the bugler forgot, for the time being, that he was only the commanding officer's orderly. He saw another chance for L to move on the jump—too good a chance, he thought, to be lost. He sounded once more and Lieut. Ross, imagining, of course, that the order came from Capt. Hannay, executed it. Not even yet was the bugler's thirst for forward action sated. He sounded again and again, as the heat of generalship made his blood flow fast and hot.

By the time the bugler came to himself and relinquished the duties of fight-director the poor fellows of L company were troubled with shortness of breath. In this brisk affair, according to the official report, the dead reached a total of about 60, including some officers. It is the enemy's dead that is meant, of course. Twenty-one Mausers and six Remingtons were the spoils of this field.

Self-Protection in Plants.

Young long-leaf pines, according to Mr. Pinchot, of the department of agriculture, protect themselves against forest fires in a most interesting and remarkable manner. For four or five years the stems of the infant trees attain a height of only as many inches above the soil. During this time their bark is extraordinarily thick, and that alone gives some protection. But in addition, the long needles spring up above the stem, and then bend over on all sides "in a green cascade which falls to the ground in a circle about the seedling." This green barrier can with difficulty be made to burn, while the shade that it casts prevents inflammable grass from growing near the protected stem. Mr. Pinchot thinks that it is owing to this peculiar system of self-protection which the pine seedlings have developed that the growth of evergreen oaks in Florida has been restricted in regions where fires have raged while pure pine forests have taken their place.

ZEB'S NEW GUN.

The Boys Told Him There Was Something About It That He Could Not Make Out.

The rugged old fellow who always goes as guide and companion to a party of young men on their hunting expeditions was very proud of a new gun which he had just purchased. He had boasted of it many times before they get to his home, and lost no time in bringing it out for inspection.

"Thar," he said, as he held it out. "Ain't she a beauty?"

"Why, yes," answered his friend, as he took the weapon; "it looks all right. Say, you've never fired this, have you?"

"Not yet. I were waitin' fur you fellers all to come along so as to gin it its fust trial."

"Why, it's a handsome piece of work, and no mistake, but, Zeb, this gun shoots a blue flame."

"You don't say so."

"Yes, sir."

He took the gun back gingerly and was about to put it away, when another of the party came in.

"Now, Zeb," he said, "let's see that gun you were talking so much about."

He handed it over, and the newcomer returned it hastily with the exclamation:

"Why, Zeb, this gun shoots a blue flame!"

The old fellow's simple nature never permitted a suspicion that so small a matter as a joke could be made the subject of an organized conspiracy. He meekly took the gun back and said nothing.

A third hunter came in and said, cheerily: "Let's have a look at the gun."

"Oh, I guess mebbe 'tain't so much of a gun," he said, glumly.

"Nonsense. Don't be modest—why, Zeb!"

"That's all right. You needn't tell me. I know it a'ready. The gun shoots a blue flame."

"As sure as you're born it does. Here comes Joe," he added, as another member of the party straggled in. "Ask him. How about that gun, Joe?"

"Why," answered Joe, promptly, after a casual inspection, "it shoots a blue flame."

"You fellers kin go to bed when you git ready," Zeb said, abruptly. "I'm goin' to take a walk."

That night in the middle of sound slumber all the members of the party were awakened by a vigorous shaking. Zeb stood in the middle of the floor.

"Gentlemen," he said, "I've been sittin' out in the moonlight on a rock thinkin' it over ever since I left you. An' thar's one question I want to ask you all. S'posen this gun do shoot a blue flame. What the blazes difference do that make?"—Washington Star.

STAYIN' UP LATE.

A Little Home Incident Which Led to a Small Investigator's Disillusionment.

Everyone who has ever been a child will recall that sense of injury entailed by being sent to bed early—that conviction that you are being deprived of the most interesting part of the whole day. There is really no knowing what the elders are up to when once they get the youngsters tucked up safe in bed, but it stands to reason it must be very interesting or why would they be in such a hurry to get the youngsters out of the way?

With some children this amounts to more than mere feeling. It was a little girl of the latter sort who begged so hard to sit up just for once, that her mother one evening, not long ago, said that she might. How the little girl's eyes danced at the prospect of all the wonderful things she would see for herself upon this her first occasion of "sitting up!" How commiseratingly she regarded the other children, who were as usual packed off to bed at an early hour! She seated herself in her small chair and eagerly awaited developments.

But imagine her surprise when her parents, as was their custom, seated themselves at the library table, and unsociably, but hygienically, turning their backs to the light, began to read. For some time the small girl rocked away in her small chair in silence. Then came a sleepy, plaintive voice: "Is that all you do?"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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"I wonder," he said, "if I ought to be angry."

"What's happened?" asked his friend.

"Why, I went to her father and told him that because of my deep love for his daughter, I wanted to marry her."

"Well?"

"Well, he said that because of his deep love for his daughter, he wouldn't permit it. Now, do you think I ought to be mad or just disappointed?"—Chicago Post.

A Curious Collocation.

"Eh, Philbrick, just heard from your wife?"

"Yes."

"Well, what are you looking so sour about? Is she coming home?"

"No. It's the way she ends her letter. Listen: 'From your loving wife, dear, and don't forget to wash the dog!'"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Law and the Saw.

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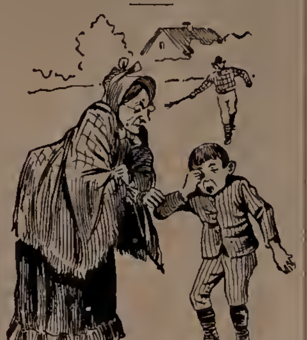

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Boy—Cos I'm goin' to git sumthin'.—Golden Days.

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Very Sharp.

Teacher—Now, Johnny, if the earth were empty on the inside, what could we compare it to?

Johnny—A razor, ma'am.

Teacher—A razor?

Johnny—Yes, ma'am; because it would be hollow ground.—Brooklyn Life.

How Some Men Do It.

"He told me last week that he had to economize, but I don't see that he has been doing it."

"O, well, you wouldn't notice it, anyway. You see, he economizes by cutting down his wife's expenses."—Chicago Post.

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WRENTHAM.

The two young men who assaulted and robbed Arthur Fuller two weeks ago have been caught with his watch in their possession. Fuller is still in a feeble condition from the result of his injuries.——It is reported that Principal L. V. Symonds and Miss Frances Shepard of the High school and Miss Grace Hill of the intermediate school are to resign in June.——The Odd Fellows are to give an entertainment in the town hall by the first of next month.——David Frazer of Cambridge has moved into F. P. Smith's house on Taunton street.——John Gardner dropped dead Tuesday afternoon while at work in a field at the John Jones farm. The funeral was held yesterday morning at 10 o'clock at the Catholic chapel. The interment was in Franklin. The deceased was a native of England and has resided in town for two years. He leaves a widow and several grown children.——John Odey is seriously ill.——The electric road crosses the street to connect with the Plainville end near the residence of David Hatch.——An unusually interesting programme was carried out at the meeting of the Holly club, held Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Nathan H. Fales at Rockdale. The subject was "Colonial History" and the ladies were dressed in Colonial costumes. There were readings by Miss H. Lizzie Wilkinson on "Personal Recollections of George Isaac Putnam from His Point of View," and F. A. Shepard on Tilghman's Ride from Yorktown to Philadelphia." The entertainment closed with a song, "Just as the Sun Went Down," by Mrs. C. E. Brown.

The Appetite of a Goat

Is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose stomach and liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, the wonderful stomach and liver remedy, gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25c. at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store.

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On retiring, and tomorrow your digestive organs will be regulated and you will be bright, active and ready for any kind of work. This has been the experience of others; it will be yours. HOOD'S PILLS are sold by all medicine dealers. 25 cts.

Sure Road to the Madhouse.

One of the surest ways of ending one's days in a madhouse is to stimulate a fagged brain by constant "nips" of spirits. Overindulgence in spirits injure the memory to an incredible degree. In years gone by no person who was known to have intemperate habits was permitted to appear as a witness in the Spanish courts of justice, the authorities maintaining that alcoholism was so prejudicial to the brain that it was unsafe to accept the testimony of an inebriate. There is a singular instance on record of a merchant who grew so accustomed to jogging his brain by brandy drinking that unless he could procure a "nip" he was utterly unable to work. Needless to say, he generally left his office in a state of intoxication. The day that his brain collapsed he went home and insisted on putting every member of his family to bed, under the impression that they too, had drunk not wisely, but too well.—Cassell's Journal.

A Truth Twisted.

"'It is a woman's lot to suffer in silence!' I wonder what is the origin of that sentiment?"

"Perhaps it is a corruption of the truth that a silent woman suffers a lot."—Detroit Journal.

A Life and Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost me $5.00 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and say it never fails to cure throat, chest and lung troubles." Regular size 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason's drug store.

Easily Amused.

Young Man—I have been—er—very attentive to your daughter for some time, and she—er—has listened favorably to my suit. If you will give your consent, I will do my best to make her happy.

Mr. Olddad—Oh, that's easy enough, my dear young friend, easy enough. Just give her a blank check-book, to fill out as she pleases.—N. Y. Weekly.

Another Great Reform.

"What reform are you interested in now?"

"I am advocating that people be paid double for the work they do when they don't feel like working."—Chicago Record.

G IS for Godess, just all baby shows
But when he'll get naughty, my goodness, who knows!
Too young yet to toddle and kick out his socks—
He rides a Go-Cart from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

H IS for Horrors, too good for the man
Who won't wheel the baby whenever he can.
One glance will convert him, if brains fill his block—
A glance at a Coach of the "Cook Rolling Stock."

I IS for Injun, a cruel nickname
For baby so pretty, and "dad" is to blame.
He squared himself, though, when he ran round the block
And bought a Go-Cart from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

J IS for Jingo, a child could see that;
But children are bright and know where they are at.
They don't hang themselves nor jump off the dock,
They jump in a Cart from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

K IS for Kicker just entered the world.
The neighbors inquire, "Is the baby a girl?"
It's none of their "biz;" turn the key in the lock
And run for a Coach from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

Continued in Friday's Issue.

AUSTIN S. COOK & CO.,
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Beautiful White Goods and **Embroideries** which surpass anything we have before shown.

White P. K. in a variety of weaves, **15** to **50c.** yard.

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Church Services.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D. Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

Universalist church—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "Alexander Dumas' Reasons for Being Happy." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector; Rev. M. J. Sullivan, curate.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. Frank B. Sleeper, pastor; theme, "One of God's Great Heroes." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor; theme, "Christ's Ideal for the Church." Sunday school at 12. Junior league at 3.45. Epworth league at 6. Union temperance meeting at 7; address by Rev. W. L. Lockwood of Boston.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending April 25, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. Clara Murrell.

Gentlemen—Ciro D. Ancilo, Rocco Silverio fu Carmino, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Cook, T. Gallery & Hurley, Mattio Mocind, Domenico Staffiere, Domenico Lepore du Andrew.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Rare Chance.

Mrs. Binks—The paper says a western woman has a baby that has never cried in its life.

Mr. Binks—By Jove! I wonder how she'll trade.—N. Y. Weekly.

To Be Had for the Asking.

The Caller—So Albertine is the oldest of the family. Who comes after her?

Little Brother—Nobody has come after her yet, but I heard papa say that if anybody did come, he could have her for the asking.—Tit-Bits.

Farming Machinery

Farmers of this section will find it to their advantage to inspect our line of McCormick Mowers, Rakes and Reapers, the Osborn Mower and Disk and Spring-Tooth Harrows, the Morgan Spading Harrows, the Reynolds Hay Spreader, Wierd's Plows and other farming machines at prices to suit the times. No wide-awake farmer can afford to work without some of these machines.

As always, we shall be headquarters this season for **HORSES.** Heavy Draft and Driving Horses suitable for all purposes.

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Summer St., Franklin, Mass.
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The Alphabet Advertiser

A for apricots, both dried and canned,
B for biscuits of all the best brands,
C for crackers and clams for chowder,
D for doughnuts and Dalmation powder,
E for extracts of Baker's best make,
F for fish that will make fine fish cakes,
G for groceries kept neat and in shape,
H for honey to eat on wheat cakes,
I for Indian corn meal and ink,
J for fruit juice for a summer drink,
K for Kennedy, whose goods we stand by,
L for lemons that make a nice pie,
M for mince meat, molasses and mace,
N for Nestle's, whose milk suits the taste,
O for onions, a sure cure for the croup
P for potatoes to eat in your soup,
Q for Quaker, those rolled oats so nice,
R for raisins for puddings and rice,
S for sugar, sand soap and saleratus,
T for tubs, tapioca and tomatoes,
U for undoubtedly the cheapest in town,
V for vinegar as sour as can be found,
W for with hazel that makes one strong,
X for Xebec, a vessel it was used on,
Y for yeast that will raise bread best,
Z for zeal in which we stand the test.

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FOR THE TEETH.

For cleansing and preserving the teeth **Dentifoam** has no equal. It is a solution of pure castile soap, made aseptic and aromatic, which imparts a refreshing taste and feeling to the mouth and purifies the breath.

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For SPRING and SUMMER.
PRICES:
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N. C. NYE,
FLETCHER BLOCK.

BUTTER!

Are you aware that if you have not used **Franklin County Butter** you have not received any as good? It is recognized as the leading Butter on the American market. We have decided to put this Butter on sale, not for one hour or one day, but this special deal is good until further notice at the following low prices:

FRANKLIN COUNTY BUTTER.

5 lb. boxes, each $1.15
10 lb. tubs 2.30
20 lb. tubs 4.40

Good Butter, cut from tub, 1 lb. quantities, **20c.** lb. If you are a lover of good Butter this alone will suit you.

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SEEDS! SEEDS!

All the 5c. packages of GARDEN SEEDS we sell for **3c.**, two **5c.**, or **25c.** per dozen. These Seeds are new this year, direct from the CLEVELAND SEED CO.

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Before buying your Seeds come and see what we can do for you.

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Do you ever have any watch, clock or jewelry repairing that no one cares to do? Bring it to us. Nothing too difficult. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Eliza A. Cook, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Bliss Cook of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the sixteenth day of May, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of Seneca Adams, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Henry A. Whitney, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of certain parcels of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county, on the twenty-fifth day of April, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fourth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

BOARD OF RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS,
BOSTON, April 16th, 1900.

On petition of the Medfield and Medway Street Railway Company for authority to extend its railway into the town of Franklin from the town of Medway, in which said railway is now constructed, the Board will give a hearing to the parties in interest at their office, No. 20 Beacon street, Boston, on Monday, the thirtieth day of April instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

And the petitioner is required to give notice of said hearing by publication hereof twice prior to said date in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed in the town of Franklin, to serve a copy hereof on the selectmen of Franklin and to make return of service at the time of hearing.

Per order of the Board.

WM. A. CRAFTS, Clerk.

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Franklin and Wrentham
STAGE LINE.

Leave Wrentham P. O. for Franklin at 8.15 a.m. 3.30 p. m. Leave Franklin depot for Wrentham at 9.30 a. m., 4.30 p. m.; connecting with trains for Boston and Providence via N. Y. & N. E. railroad; trains leaving Boston at 7.40, 8.30 a. m. and 3.30 p. m.; leaving Providence at 8.35 a. m.

☞ Orders may be left at Railroad Station.

N. B. WEBBER, Prop.

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If you have one you are glad of it; if you haven't one you'll be glad to have one. It is not profitable to pay board.

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what you pay in that way will go a long way towards paying for the very furniture you are using. Probably you would prefer to select more modern furnishings.

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per month will pay for furniture and carpets enough to furnish a modern home with all the necessities and comforts enough to make the ordinary mortal supremely happy. We charge no interest. We only ask your promise to pay a little at a time as you earn it and you have the goods set into your house at once.

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Collector's Notice

The owners of the following described parcels of real estate in the town of Medway, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon assessed for the year within specified, according to the list committed to me by the assessors of taxes, remain unpaid, and that the said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Town Clerk's office in said Medway, on

MONDAY, MAY 14, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the cost and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

Franklin Savings Bank or Owner—About two and one-half acres of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the south side of Village street, in the westerly part of Medway; bounded on the north by New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, east by land of Mrs. N. E. Parker, south by Charles river, west by land of Mrs. Edith C. Rodgers; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $161.70.

L. A. Chapman or Owner—About one-quarter acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the north side of Village street, in the westerly part of Medway; bounded on the north by land of F. L. Smith, south by Village street, east by land of Grayson Cronk, land of Mrs. Clifton E. Seavey, land of Fred C. Clark, west by land of Mrs. Richard Whalen; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $24.15.

Hugh Lyons—About (38) thirty-eight acres of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the west side of West street, in the westerly part of Medway; bounded on the north by land of heirs of Aaron Wight, south by land of heirs of Seth Wight, west by land of Sarah Simpson, east by West street; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $22.05.

Helen A. Merrill—About one acre of land situated on the west side of Oakland street, in the easterly part of Medway, and known as part of "Gladstone Heights;" bounded on the north by land of Putnam Clark and land of Isaiah Cousins, east by land of Putnam Clark and land of Isaiah Cousins and land of Herbert J. Mann, south by land of estate of William Jeucks, west by land of Ambrose Mareau; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $3.36.

George S. Lovejoy—About five acres of land on Oakland street, in the easterly part of Medway, and known as "Gladstone Heights;" bounded on the north by land of Putnam Clark and land of Isaiah Cousins, east by land of Putnam Clark and land of Isaiah Cousins and land of Herbert J. Mann, south by land of estate of William Jeucks, west by land of Ambrose Mareau; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $25.52.

Dennis J. Bresnahan or Owner—About fourteen and three quarters acres of land, situated on the south side of Village street, in the southerly part of Medway, and known as the "Kenney Section;" bounded on the north by Village street, south by Charles river, west by land of E. C. Wilson, east by land of Mrs. Frank Nenlon and land of Mrs. Francis Karnes, or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $18.59.

A. C. Walworth, Administrator—About one-half acre of land, with buildings thereon, situated on the east side of Holliston street, in the easterly part of Medway; bounded on the north by land of John P. Grant, south by land of Thos. Mullen, east by land of Mrs. Jesse Darling and by land of Mrs. Lucy T. Snow, west by Holliston street; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $37.80.

James H. Wentworth—About fifty-five and one-half acres of land, with buildings thereon, situated on the north side of Village street, in the easterly part of Medway; bounded on the north by land of heirs of J. P. Peck, land of Willard K. Ellis and land of heirs of Sewall Sanford, east by Farm street, south by land of Mrs. Maria Gallagher, land of Ellen Mawn and Village street, west by land of Lawrence McGinnis; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $159.38.

GEO. F. MADDEN.
Collector of Taxes for 1899.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of William M. Thayer, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Rebecca W. Thayer, executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of her administration upon the estate of said deceased,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the ninth day of May, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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If you want to buy or sell anything, have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

Herman M. Fis

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Office Hours from 6.30 a. m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
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Milford	6.40 "
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Providence	9.05 "
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West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Look out for May baskets tonight.

"Nan, the Mascot," at the Opera house Thursday evening.

Dr. C. B. Hussey appears on the street with a fine new rig.

Miss Emma Caldwell of Walpole is visiting at R. F. Clark's.

Anthony Connor has contracted to paint Clark Bros'. foundry.

T. B. Allen is making an addition to his residence on Union street.

Miss Helen Fiorani is visiting at the home of her sister in Milford.

Dean plays St. Mark's academy nine at Southboro tomorrow afternoon.

T. G. Thain has about finished work for the season with his sawmill.

Mrs. R. A Carley and Mae Ruth Tracy are visiting Mrs. T. M. Turner.

Griffin court, M. C. O. F., will hold a regular meeting tomorrow evening.

The Mothers' section will meet with Mrs. Whitaker on Friday at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Capt. Shirley and Frank Shirley have removed this week to Watertown.

Mrs. C. P. Caprou has been confined to the house the past week through illness.

Miss Emma Norton of Hallowell, Me., is making a week's visit with friends in town.

Mrs. Wyman Swanson of Readville has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Corbin.

Frank D. Blake of South Framingham spent Sunday at the parental home on Maple street.

The interment of John Gardner, who died suddenly at Wrentham on Tuesday, was made here.

J. E. Kelley is the new assistant in the Bresnahan grocery store, Walter Whitaker having resigned.

H. M. Bullock is gaining strength slowly and says he will be on hand for jury duty this month.

The High school and freshmen teams played another game Saturday and the High school boys won, 16 to 15.

The SENTINEL is installing an Otto gas engine in the press room this week, as auxiliary to the steam power.

J. G. Ray Engine company, No. 3, will meet Wednesday evening to nominate and elect officers for the ensuing year.

The Ramblers were defeated, 8 to 7, at Woonsocket Saturday afternoon by the team of that city bearing the same name.

George H. Gatchell sold at auction Saturday his household goods and will board in Woonsocket, where he is working.

Dean went to Groton Saturday and played with the Groton school team, but were defeated, 12 to 9, after a lively game.

Some of the trenches made under the sidewalks for sewer pipes are settling and make repairs on the sidewalks necessary.

Work on the two new brick tenements at Unionville is being rushed and the buildings will likely be completed within a month.

Supt. Blanchard of the Electric Light company is replacing a number of the old and dangerous poles with new ones about town.

The profits of the Japanese lecture given in aid of the High school art fund have been expended in the purchase of a "Reading from Homer."

People continue to be careless where the loose paper goes and stray sheets blow into yards and streets to make danger for drivers of horses.

A number from here went to Wrentham on Sunday and Monday evenings to hear Rev. Mr. Koehne's lectures and felt amply repaid for the journey.

Another case of scarlet fever was reported on Saturday, the victim being Annie, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. McHugh, of Union street.

Quite a goodly number attended the "open meeting" of the Dean Literary society at Dean on Friday evening, the occasion being a very enjoyable one.

William A. Wyckoff celebrated his birthday anniversary Monday and received the congratulations of friends and wishes for many happy returns.

Mrs Lottie M. Morrison and Mrs. Ethel Clark of Philadelphia are spending a few weeks in town, called here by the death of Charles E. Clark last week.

If you hear a suspicious tapping at the window tonight just remember that it is probably the small boy indulging in the time honored custom of hanging "tic-tacs."

A pupil at the City Mills school was sent home Thursday with indications which it is was feared might mean scarlet fever, but a physician found it to be a case of poisoning.

A Providence officer arrested Thomas Bently here last week, charged with jumping his bail in that city. He has been living here about six months, and claimed to be a builder.

W. A. Pond has sold the Richard Hardin place on Lincoln street to Dr. Ward of Cambridge, the sale including the stock and tools on the premises. The doctor will have the buildings improved.

G. S. F. Singleton left yesterday for Lake George and the Adirondack region for a ten days' fishing trip. This is old fishing ground for him, and he expects to get a good bit of excellent spring fishing.

Less than a week remains now before some of the anxious taxpayers will receive a call from the assessors. To those who have been unable to settle last year's account it may be rather an unpleasant call.

Mrs. A. G. E. Vose, of Manville, who will be remembered here as the very acceptable alto at the Universalist church a couple of years ago, has been selected as the director of the St. James choir in Woonsocket.

Everyone who has heard of Graham, the manager of the darkey troupes, knows he always brings a good show. That on Saturday evening will be no exception, and he will be greeted by a crowded house.

Thursday afternoon a forest fire started in the woods east of the railroad round house and made rapid progress for a short time, but a large gang of men were soon on the ground to fight it, and after a short struggle had it under control.

A statistician who has an eye for mortality figures hands us an item to the effect that out of the last thirty six deaths the average was over 73, which is something to ponder over. This is in the line of the saying that while the young may die the old must.

The open cars on the Woonsocket line give us quite the appearance of summer. Electric rides will be the fad shortly, when it will be so easy to slip over to Lake Pearl, down to Hoag, or even down the Providence river for a whiff of fresh air and a change of scene.

Postmaster Conroy announces an unexpected demand for the stamp books which have recently been issued from the local postoffices. Business men and ladies especially recognize at once the convenience of the book, and this fact accounts for the large sales.

Conductor L. H. Holmes, a former well-known conductor on the old New England road, was in town yesterday and was greeted by many who remembered him when he used to punch tickets. He was on the road for many years, but retired to go into other business.

A special funeral train passed through here on Sunday bearing the body of the late Engineer Louis Estey to East Blackstone, where services were held. About 200 railroad men were aboard, including a number of officials. Engineer Estey at one time had a Franklin run and was quite well known here.

A refreshing bit of honesty has recently come to light. Master Herbert Woolford, 8 years of age, pupil of the primary school in Wrentham, found a $10 bill in the postoffice and at once reported it to the postmaster, who shortly after found the owner. The boy was rewarded for his honesty.

Rumor had it that the machinery at the Unionville power station would be ready to start today, but there may be some things delayed, so that the actual turning on of the juice may be somewhat later. Men are at work in and around the station and car house and each day helps things along to completion.

An unusually large number are planning to attend the summer dress party to be given by Miss Razee's dancing class Thursday evening, May 10, in Morse Opera house. The juvenile class will present a fine program and there will be music by the Philharmonic orchestra.

There will be a social and conundrum supper and entertainment Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the Baptist Ladies' Aid society, at the home of Mrs. A. P. Pendleton, 9 Union street. Supper will be served from 6 to 7.30, and in the evening ice cream and cake will be for sale. A very enjoyable time is expected. All are cordially invited.

Miss Myrtie Whiting assisted the Piacere club of Woonsocket at a concert there on Friday evening. Concerning her work the Reporter said: "Miss Myrtie E. Whiting followed with a delightful soprano solo entitled, "Sing, Smile, Slumber," and this showed to good advantage her strength and range of voice. She modulated her rich voice excellently."

The regular meeting of the Greenhalge Literary society was held Friday afternoon at the usual time and place. The following program was given: Reading, Miss Hutchinson; piano solo, Miss Bly; reading, Miss Helen Thompson; mandolin solo, Miss Ednah Thompson; reading, Miss Ferrer; roll call, to which every member responded with some short sketch or anecdote.

Commencing sometime during this week cars on the Medway division of the M., H. & F. street railway will run from Camp's barn, on the rails of the M., A. & W. road, to the railroad crossing at North Bellingham, connecting with the cars of that road for Franklin and Woonsocket. A new turnout will be placed beyond the trestle on the Medway road, and a change of running time will be necessary.

The Heliotype and Trowbridge piano nines met on the Indian Rock park diamond Saturday afternoon and the Helios suffered a disastrous defeat, the piano boys "warming" them to the tune of 19 to 2. Smith and McKenzie did the battery work for the piano team, while Morrill and Adams alternated in the box and Embser was at the receiving end for the Helios. A good crowd witnessed the one sided battle.

All the favorites of St. Mary's Dramatic society who have in the past delighted Franklin audiences will appear in the cast of the pleasing comedy-drama, "Nan, the Mascot," which is to be presented at the Opera house next Thursday evening. The indications are that the clever amateurs will be greeted by a large audience, and there is no doubt that all who witness the presentation will be well pleased with their acting. The curtain will rise at 7.45 and at the conclusion of the play there will be a social hop.

Ernest Green of Mansfield sang as basso at the Congregational church on Sunday and delighted every one who heard him. He sang the bass solo, "Oh, Worship the Lord in the Beauty of Holiness," and also a bass selection entitled, "Oh, Jesus, Thou Art Knocking." In both of these the remarkably fine qualities of his voice showed to decided advantage One feature of his work was his articulation, which rendered it possible to get all of the words, unfamiliar as they were to many of his hearers. He would be heard here again with pleasure.

Friday evening the selectmen approved bills, including the rolls of firemen for the past year, discussed highway and street railway matters and attended to considerable routine business. A. J. Reilly was granted a billiard hall license and E A. Labardie a victualer's license. William F. King was authorized to buy three hand pumps for the use of the forest firewards. The application of E. P. Blackmar for a billiard hall and victualing license was laid on the table for a week. A. J. Newell entered complaint against the location of a pole of the street railway company on Central street, which it is claimed is too far into the street. Hubert H. Gates declined the appointment of forest fireward.

Some of the officials of the Milford, Hopkinton & Westboro Street Railway Co. had dinner and a meeting in the Reservoir house, Hopkinton, Friday afternoon. The officers present were: President, Wm. S. Reed of Leominster; secretary and treasurer, George W. Wiggin of Franklin; directors, Edgar K. Ray of Franklin, W. H. Tylee of Worcester, C. W. Shippee of Milford and Horace and Frank Wood of Hopkinton. The capital stock is $80,000. The assessment of 10 per cent, decided upon at Friday's meeting therefore will amount to $8,000. It is expected that a start is to be made in building the road soon, as the franchise owned by the Milford, Hopkinton & Westboro road expires July 1, and if nothing is done toward building the line before that date the franchise becomes worthless.

Thursday afternoon the funeral of John Gallison was held in the little church at Pinhook, the services being conducted by Rev. Gertrude Earle. Dr. A. J. Gallison of Massachusetts was present, but the elder son, Dr. J. C. Gallison, was unable to attend to his father's funeral on account of ill health. "Uncle" John, as he was familiarly called, was 83 years old. He was a lineal descendant in the ninth generation from five of the Mayflower passengers, viz: Richard, Warren, John Howland, John Tilley, his wife, and Elizabeth Tilley. On the celebration of his 80th birthday there were present at the dinner the old patriarch, "Uncle" John Gallison, two sons, one daughter, three granddaughters, three great-grandchildren and three great great grandchildren, two of whom were held in the lap of the venerable old man. A liberal number of friends and neighbors surrounded the circle and a snap shot was taken of the group.—Oxford County (Me.) Advertiser.

Arbor Day Exercises.

At 9 o'clock Saturday morning our tree warden, Dr. D. M. Hodge, in the presence of many pupils and friends of the public schools, set out three trees upon the lawn of the Horace Mann school. The trees were two magnolias, stellata and soulangenena, and a catalpa dignonioides. The exercises opened with the singing of "America." Dr. Hodge then made a short address, speaking of the appropriateness of the location for his first work as tree warden. He leaves the trees in the care of the Horace Mann students, and suggests that the best way to care for them is to leave them alone.

Rev. I. W. Sneath offered prayer for the welfare of the schools and gave thanks for lessons taught by Nature. As the trees were set out the ceremonies closed with each one present throwing a shovelful of dirt around the trees. The tree presented last Arbor day to the Thayer school having died, the donor, C. L, Fales, unbeknown to pupils or school authorities, set out another in its place. This is certainly most kind and thoughtful of him. How helpful it is to have the public interested in its schools!

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Almost a Fatality.

Judge Doe placed Johnny Leonard, aged 11, son of Liveryman James Leonard, under $500 bonds on Saturday for shooting Henry Languirand, a lad of 16. From the rather conflicting stories it appears that another lad named Blood had taken a revolver from the room of a boarder in his home and that the lads had been using it. Leonard and Languiraud were at the latter's home, in a shed containing a dove cote, and Languirand was up in the cote. He asserts that the Leonard boy asked him if he should shoot. Languirand implored him not to do so, but just as he was coming down from the cote the Leonard boy shot, the bullet entering Languiraud's leg. Young Leonard then gave the pistol to another boy, announcing that he had shot his playmate. He then disappeared and did not turn up till Saturday, much to the distress of his parents. Judge Doe continued the case till today. Too much cannot be said in regard to leaving fire arms where mere lads can get hold of them. It was only by chance that the bullet did not enter a vital spot, killing the boy instantly. He is still confined to his bed. The Leonard boy insists the shooting was purely accidental. Today the hearing was further continued till Saturday, May 12.

Now It's Clear Sailing.

The railway commissioners yesterday gave a hearing on the petition of the Medfield and Medway Street Railway company for authority to extend its railway into Franklin from Medway, and no one appearing to oppose the petition the board granted the authority asked for. Attorney H. E. Ruggles represented the company. Now it is clear sailing for the construction of the electric line between Franklin and Medway, and it is expected that the rails will arrive this week and work on the line will be commenced at once—at the Franklin end should the girder rails be shipped first, but if the T rails are the first to come work will be started on the Medway end. The company desire to have the road in operation as near the first of June as possible.

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned take this occasion to return their sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends for their kindness during the illness and death of Charles E. Clark.

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Views of Residences.

Now, before the trees leaf fully, is the best time to arrange for photos of your home, either exterior or interior. Call and see samples and let me quote prices. Business hours during the summer, 8 to 12 a. m., 1.15 to 5 p. m., 7 to 8 Saturday evenings.

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A Shakespearian Treat.

Rev. Dr. Crowe of New York delighted a good sized audience at Dean academy on Thursday evening by his masterly treatment of that prince of dramatists. He proved to the satisfaction of his auditors that Shakespeare was less of a god than we have been wont to regard him; that if he was divinely inspired, he was also humanly inspired by the stirring events which were transpiring around him from 1580 to 1590, while he was living in London. Small wonder was it that a man gifted as was Shakespeare used the material which he found about him on every hand for the glory of England and for his own deathless fame, as well. While his plots were almost entirely appropriated from sources other than his own brain, yet so wonderfully did he recreate that he was less of an adapter than a reconstructor; he was, indeed, more of a builder than an architect.

He traced Shakespeare's early life, giving his hearers a hint of his parentage, his school days, his unfortunate married life, and his disgraceful encounter with law and order. This combination of circumstances drove him to London, which proved a blessing in disguise. His initial work there was of the most menial order, but the man soon rose superior to his circumstances, and he drifted into the theatre, his natural vocation. Soon he ranked with Lyly, Peele, Greene and Marlowe, rising later superior to anything the world has since produced. Dr. Crowe's glimpses of the early English theatres, his bits of contemporary English history, his general conception of Shakespeare were some of the best literary pictures that a Franklin audience has been privileged to enjoy in a long time. The gifted speaker has so forceful a manner, such a thorough knowledge of good, honest, expressive English that he never fails to entertain, and always instructs. Prof. Peirce deserves the thanks of everyone who listened for this remarkably rich literary treat.

Tempora Mutantur.

The funeral of the late Henry Bemis took place Saturday afternoon at his late residence at the head of Main street, Rev. Dr. Hodge officiating. Interment was made in the Union street cemetery. With the death of Mr. Bemis probably passes away the man who was the last in this vicinity to perform the old time rite of tolling the church bell to announce to the village the death of one of its residents. The custom was discontinued thirty or forty years ago, but previous to that to have the bell rung was as much a part of the funeral preparation as going for the undertaker; three times three strokes announced the death of an adult male, and it was followed by one stroke for each year of his age. The death of a woman or child was indicated by a different number of strokes, and the age followed the same as for a man. Those were the days when one church answered the religious needs of all the people, or, at least, when the dissenters were so few that they had no church. There was a solemn impressiveness when, upon a week day, the old bell in the steeple gave out its sad message to the farmers in the fields and their wives in the farmhouses, for in those days the message went afar; no clattering of machinery of mills disturbed the quiet of the hamlet. And with Mr. Bemis go many items of interest about the old cemetery at the corner of Central and Union streets. Many years he delved there, and he had more recollections of past burials there than anyone living in his time since the demise of Jason Fisher, his predecessor in charge.—Cor. Woonsocket Reporter.

St. John's Guild May Festival.

St. John's Guild fair opened in Odd Fellows' hall last evening with a large attendance. The booths were very handsomely decorated and were replete with many articles beautiful and useful. The supper, served in the dining hall from 6 to 8, was largely patronized and invoked the appreciative encomiums of all patrons. The May pole dance and coronation of the May queen, under the direction of Miss Emily Poupart, by about 20 young misses of St. Katherine's Guild, was very pretty and highly appreciated by a large audience. Dancing was enjoyed later in the evening.

This (Tuesday) evening the booths will again be open for the sale of goods, fine bargains being offered, and at 8 o'clock one of the finest entertainments ever offered to the Franklin public of late years will be put on by Boston talent, including the highly entertaining and humorous lecture by Stanton H. King, on "Twelve Years Before the Mast." Dances, songs and "shanties," by a company of "old salts" just in harbor from long cruises. Mrs. Nickleson, elocutionist, will read: Misses Wing and Stevens and Mr Strayhorn will sing and Mr. Kelly will execute fancy dances. It will be an entertainment well worth the small admission fee. The guild has spent much pains and effort upon it, and trust that the Franklin public will show appreciation by attending. Dancing afterward until midnight.

Powers for Congressman.

Herbert W. Thayer and Nathan C. Nye attended the convention of the Eleventh Congressional district in Wesleyan hall, Boston, on Saturday, and report a most harmonious convention. George W. Wiggin, the other delegate from Franklin, was unable to be present. The convention selected Col. E. C. Benton of Belmont and M. J. Murray of Boston as congressional delegates to the Philadelphia presidential convention. One hundred and fifteen out of the 152 delegates selected were present, a very satisfactory showing. It was understood that the delegates were personally in favor of Samuel L. Powers of Newton for congressman to succeed Congressman Sprague, who voluntarily retires. The convention was unanimously in favor of Secretary Long for vice president, and there were not a few opinions expressed that Long could win.

The total vote of the electoral college is 447, and it requires 224 for the election of president and vice-president. The solid south, including Delaware, has 154 votes, and in order to elect their candidates the Democrats must carry all of these and 70 votes in the north. These 70 votes have heretofore, until 1896, been looked for in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and Indiana, which together have 67. Before the admission of states between the elections of 1893 and 1897 this number was sufficient, but now it is necessary to carry still another state.

Threshing Old Straw.

There was a large audience at the Methodist church on Sunday evening to listen to a temperance address by Rev. L. W. Lockwood of Boston. He proved a very interesting speaker, showing that there are still a great many interesting things that still remain to be said on this much-discussed subject. He took his text from the thought, "Come ye up to the help of the Lord against the mighty." His method of dealing with the traffic appeared to be through the church, since it was a fight for God and home and native land. To the church members the duty appears to be delegated, and a firm and consistent fight must be maintained if victory is to be won. W. C. Sherman and Mrs. C. L. Stewart rendered vocal selections, and the exercises were further enlivened by organ and violin selections.

Graham's Blackville Society Company.

This company is a swell organization to judge from its members and the reports concerning it. John Graham is the master of ceremonies, so that is sufficient guarantee that only real warm members are conspicuous in this ultra-fashionable colored coterie. Mr. Graham has exemplified "Blackville society" on several occasions, but this time he caps all previous efforts. Hannah Jackson is a real wench from the South. She comes North and would be a swell member of Blackville society here if she could only forget her rough and rowdy ways. But she can't. She will sing the wild rag-time songs, show how real colored Southern ladies walk for a cake, and uses a razor with a vim.

Her adventures and those of her soldier father, who is looking for his daughter in Blackville society, make the story of the play. It certainly affords every opportunity for a real new entertainment. Of course Blackville society is all represented and there is a special chorus of handsome Creole singers.

The above attraction will be at Morse Opera house Saturday evening, May 5. The entertainment is entirely different from anything seen in this town.

By Special Appointment.

Owing to the pressure of business in Boston I shall be compelled to give up my weekly visits to Franklin upon Thursdays, except by special appointment.

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1900.

Norfolk County Home for the Aged.

The King's Daughters' circles of Norfolk county have formed themselves into a corporation, with a charter, for the purpose of establishing a home for the aged. On Saturday, April 21, at the invitation of V. S. Pond, the board of trustees, with other friends, visited the old Pond homestead at Pondville, near Foxboro, which the owner proposed to give them if found suitable for their purpose.

The trustees were so well satisfied that the place could be made into a desirable and restful "home" that they voted to accept Mr. Pond's generous offer. It is believed that those who have happy homes of their own will be interested in giving toward needed repairs on the "Norfolk County Pond Home," that it may soon be opened for the worthy, homeless ones of the county, and that by gifts and bequests many will wish to help sustain this much needed charity. For further particulars address the clerk of the board, Mrs. H. M. Dean, Readville, Mass.

The house is a two story building with six rooms on the front, an ell on either side, and is provided with practically an inexhaustible supply of pure spring water, fed by an aqueduct located on high ground a short distance from the house.

The buildings are located on the main thoroughfare between West Foxboro and Norfolk—known as Valley street, and the property has never been out of the possession of the Pond family since the early settlement of Wrentham. It is two and one-half miles from Wrentham Center and about one mile from the electric car tracks already laid, and which are to connect Foxboro and Wrentham.

The buildings are located a short distance from what is known as the "Punch Bowl," a natural hollow in the woods, about 50 feet deep and 80 or 100 feet across. This hole is the place where the early white settlers hid during the burning of Medfield by the Indians. From here they were able to see the signal fires of the Indians from Mt Nero, or what is now known as Noon Hill.

The outbuildings consist of three barns, a stable and carriage houses and there are about seven acres of ground connected, with garden, orchard and a beautiful natural grove. What is known as Mount Pisgah, a high piece of ground from which a delightful view can be had, is included in the gift, upon this being a large part of the natural grove referred to. It is a quiet, retired spot and the surroundings are very pleasant.

Now that the matter is decided let all who are interested in the home—and who is not?—give liberally towards the fitting up and support of it. The circles in Franklin have offered to furnish seven rooms, and probably all the rooms will be furnished by King's Daughters and Sons.

To Levy Back Tax on Druggists.

Every druggist will be notified within a few days to make up a record of all sales of wine made by him since July 14, 1898, on which no war revenue stamps were used. When the report is made to Oscar J. Winslow, deputy collector of internal revenues, he will proceed to collect from each druggist enough money to furnish a 1-cent stamp for every half-pint sold. This must be paid on or before a date which will be named or a penalty of 50 per cent will be added and the whole collected by law.

Provided the druggists cannot remember the number of sales made and underestimates the number so as to create suspicion, the government officials will take charge of things, and after discovering the amount of wine the druggist had in stock July 14, 1898, and what quantity has been bought since, the whole amount will be added, the stock on hand deducted, and one cent charged up for every half-pint of the whole.

He, She and It.

"My darling," cries the hero, throwing off his disguise, "I am he." "And I," falters the heroine, laying aside her maidenly reserve, "am she." Meanwhile the villain cowers in a corner. "I am it!" he gibbers, for he has gone mad under the str[illegible]

Ancient and Royal Game of Golf

Is played with various degrees of skill, but all players agree that it is absolutely essential to have a good "tee," the little mound of sand upon which the ball is placed before the drive. Start right. The result will justify the pains.

So it is with your table.

Supply it with the right sort of *tea*, a good tea, the best that you can buy.

If you get Chase & Sanborn's package teas, you may be sure on this point.

Their famous Orloff is noted for its lilac flavor, the Kohinoor, an English Breakfast Tea, and the Orange Pekoe, a Ceylon and India tea, famous on account of its rich wine-like body, are all equally popular. They are the best of their kind.

These teas come only in pound and half-pound leaded forms, and are grown in tea gardens situated in high altitudes, which is an all important factor in the production of high grade leaves.

One pound makes over 200 cups.

Chase & Sanborn's Teas.

FRANKLIN NEWS.

Nearing Completion.

Last week Tuesday the selectmen and officials of the Medfield and Medway Street Railway company rode over the line of extension to Franklin, particularly to view certain localities where there was some doubt. The selectmen ask for 15 feet of traveled way and three feet for gutter from the rail of the railway, which was readily promised. This will require the removal of some of the ledge opposite the residence of Nathan A. Daniels, and some change in the location of fences on the slope of the hill toward Franklin. The layout of Lincoln street is supposed to be 45 feet wide, but there are several places where there is less than 40 feet between the side walls or fences. Some of the construction material has already arrived and the first consignment of rails is expected any time now. If the first to be delivered should be the girder rails the work of building will begin at this end, but if the T rails are the first to arrive then construction will begin at the Medway end.

The track of the street railway to Wrentham has been laid through Wrentham Center and 150 men are employed between the Center and Plainville. The rails are going down at the rate of a third of a mile a day, with about three miles to build to reach Plainville. Between Wrentham Center and Foxboro nothing has been done, except to distribute the rails. The double feed wire from here toward Wrentham is up to the old Pine Tree tavern. From there a single feed wire extends to the Creek road, so called. The trolley wire is strung a little beyond the boundary line between Franklin and Wrentham. The poles through Wrentham Center are hard pine, squared. The poles are put up to the top of Eagle hill. It is reported in Wrentham that 300 or 400 feet of the feed wire disappeared in the night recently. Who wanted it is not known. From the Pine Tree tavern stand to the top of Eagle hill the line is mostly outside the street limits, and many places have been widened, sharp corners cleared away and the view ahead much improved.

Intoxicants Fatal in Alaska.

In a recent interview in Chicago Joaquin Miller, the poet, who has spent some time in Alaska, said: "To use intoxicants in Alaska is fatal. No one can use stimulants without serious results. Even coffee is not necessary to the habitual coffee drinker. Tea is the proper beverage there and that is the popular drink. Whisky is a deadly thing to the Indians, and they are perishing in Alaska very rapidly."

CELERY KING NATURE'S CURE

A Young Girl's Experience.

My daughter's nerves were terribly out of order. She was thin and weak; the least noise startled her, and she was wakeful at night. Before she had taken one package of Celery King the change in her was so great that she could hardly be taken for the same girl. She is rapidly growing well and strong, her complexion is perfect, and she sleeps well every night.—Mrs. Lucy McNutt, Brush Valley, Pa.

Celery King cures Constipation and all diseases of the Nerves, Stomach, Liver and Kidneys. Sold by druggists. 25c and 50c.

SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

Ten denominations have established and maintain missions in Alaska.

The Evangelical alliance in Boston asks for a half day off for policemen on Sunday so that they may attend church.

Prof. George T. Ladd, of Yale, has received from the Japanese emperor the third-class decoration of the Order of the Rising Sun.

The native Christians in Uganda, Africa, purchase every month more than $500 worth of books and stationery, a large part of the books being Christian.

Among the women students at German universities the most favored studies are the literature and philology of modern languages, philosophy (psychology, logic and ethics) and history.

The Hebrew Educational society of Milwaukee has recently been established under the leadership of Rabbi Caro, and has for its purpose the establishment of a school, primarily for Russian Jews.

The Gospel mission to the Tombs of New York has been at work for nearly 20 years. It is managed by a board of ministers and laymen, representing the Baptist, Episcopal, Lutheran, Methodist, Presbyterian, Reformed and Reformed Episcopal churches. The chaplain holds services Sunday and week days and visits the prisoners in their cells at all times. In this way he comes in contact with 25,000 prisoners annually.

AN EFFECTUAL EFFORT.

The Eloquence of Three-Finger Sam Proved Too Much for the Tenderfoot.

"Talkin' about oratory," said Broncho Bob, "you ought to have been out to Crimson Gulch last fall, so as to hear some of the real thing."

"We have some pretty luminous specimens in congress," ventured the man who felt it incumbent on him to show a little local pride.

"Not a circumstance. I've read some of them kind o' speeches. I've heard 'em, too. A feller come from the east and started in to tell Crimson Gulch what it orter do. Some of the boys allowed things was gettin' ruther slack, an' they says anythin' fur a change; so they took his advice an' blazed away an' organized a city council."

"I see. You held an election."

"Nary. We didn't want any bloodshed. We jes' passed the word around that the city council was goin' to be held, an' made it an open game. Everybody was there except Nevada Bill, an' he didn't dare show up because he was under suspicion of sittin' in a poker game with a private stack of blue chips which he had bought unbeknownst from a store down in San Antonio. He wasn't long until, under the instructions of the tenderfoot, we had the city council goin' in good shape. Only officers was allowed to wear their weapons durin' the perceedin's, an' nobody was barred from debate. The first business we took up was the case of Nevada Bill. We reckoned that it wouldn't be no more than decent local pride to prevent the importation of any poker chips except by the duly reco'nized authorities fur said importation. Rattlesnake Pete said the only way to make the law bindin' was ter pervide that anybody breakin' it should be shot at least once. The tenderfoot got ril'd in a minute. He jumped to his feet, an' got off the most long-winded talk about constitutionality an' the rights of citizenship an' whereas and therefore that I ever heard. He talked hard, an' he showed he had read books. But you orter have heard Three-Finger Sam's historic reply. It jes' showed how quick a man who has the gift of genuine eloquence kin end an argument. Crimson Gulch hasn't got through talkin' about it yet. Three-Finger Sam drawed hisself up to his full height and p'inted his finger at the tenderfoot. 'I don't desire to use harsher words than is necessary,' says he, 'but I'd like to know what you mean, you low-down, lop-eared jack rabbit, by comin' into this town and tryin' to tell us whether a man needs shootin' or not. Have we got to wait fur some lantern-jawed coyote to come wanderin' in off the prairie an' tell us what's good fur us? Beware!' says Three-Finger Sam, still p'intin' his finger an' growin' more eloquent every minute. 'Beware, you bow-legged burro. Don't you think you can come here an' overawe people because you wear specs. Have a care, or the fust thing you know you'll be travelin' out o' this town with a bunch of patriotic citizens on your trail, every one of whom is dead anxious to shoot a freckle off'n the back of your neck!' The tenderfoot didn't have another word to say, an' he left town the next mornin'."—Washington Star.

Ribbon-Counter Clerk.

Pearl—Charley Lavender got left when he tied ribbons on his cane to look swell.

Ruby—In what way?

Pearl—People asked him if those were samples of what he sold at his counter.—Chicago Daily News.

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No man would care to have his wife know just exactly what he thinks of himself.—Philadelphia Record.

An exchange asks: "What will the next century bring?" "One hundred years, of course."—Norristown Herald.

When we see how anxious some people are to hold up their heads, it seems fortunate for them that their heads are light.—Puck.

A foolish man set the clock by his watch, and then judged his watch to be right by comparing it with the clock. Ledger Monthly.

Confirmed.—First Rabbit—"Some people think it's luck to have a rabbit's foot." Second Rabbit—"So it is. We're dead lucky to have ours."—Puck.

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STATEMENT MARCH 31, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$560,255 90
Guarantee Fund		27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account		15,8 1 27
Interest Account		4,267 34
Real Estate Income Account		55 2.
		$608,142 54

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$22,178 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		28,517 82
Railroad Bonds		133,012 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		11,300 00
" " Mortgages		169,935 04
" " Personal Securities		190,368 24
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		75 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		671 [illegible]
Bank Furniture		500 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$5,331 40	
Nat Bank of Redemption	15,414 57	
Mercantile Trust Co.	5,721 37	
		26,4 7 34
Cash on hand		1,986 01
		$608,142 54

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

E. P. CHAPMAN,
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Committee of Examination.

April 2, 1900.

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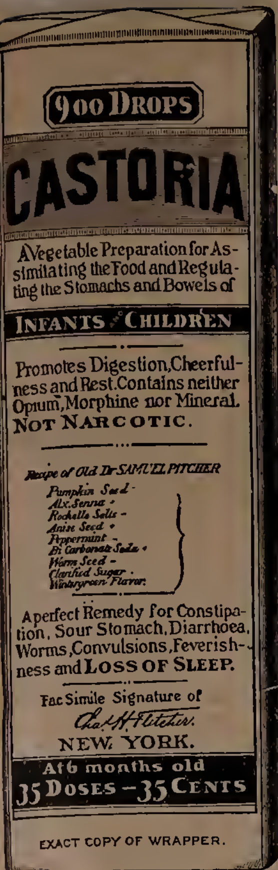
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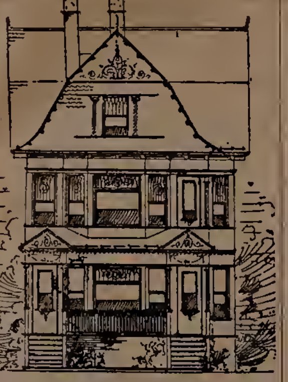

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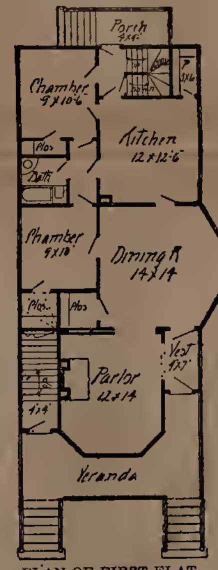

PLAN OF FIRST FLAT.

The parlors have fireplaces and the front of room is treated as a bay window. The dining-rooms have the same bay treatment at the side of the room. The entrance to the second story flat is an attractive feature and is quite separate from the entrance to the first story flat. Both flats have rear and front porches. The underpinning is built of rock-faced bluestone.

The exterior is covered with sheathing and paper.

The first story is clapboarded with 6-inch clapboards, laid 4 inches to the weather, while the second story is covered with 4-inch clpaboards laid 2½ inches to the weather. Both are painted colonial yellow, with ivory white trimmings. The roofs are painted or stained a dark red.

Dimensions: Front, 22 feet; side, 41 feet, not including porch or veranda; height of ceiling, basement, 7 feet; first story, 9 feet 6 inches; second story, 9 feet 4 inches; attic, 8 feet.

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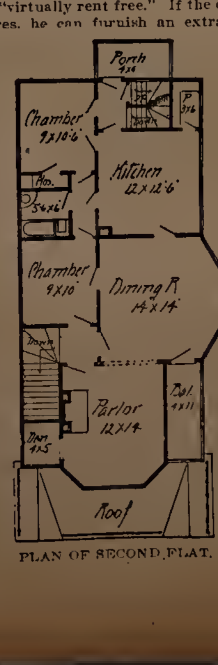

PLAN OF SECOND FLAT.

The parlors, dining-rooms and vestibules, including front stairs, are trimmed in ash; kitchens, chambers, pantries and rear halls trimmed in Georgia pine. The bathrooms are finished in white pine for white paint.

The kitchens and pantries are wainscoted, and are fitted up complete; the bathrooms are fitted up with the usual fixtures and exposed plumping. The house is piped for hot and cold water and is piped for gas. The house is heated by hot air, with a separate furnace for each flat, in basement.

The basement contains all the necessary apartments for each family.

The doors have plate glass, the windows are American glass, art glass is used in transoms as shown. Composition carving is used where shown on front elevation. There is yellow press brick facing on chimneys. The caps are of sandstone. Gutters, flashing, down spouts, etc., are complete in all details. Joist, 2x10; studding, 2x4; rafters, 2x6. Hardware used is of a neat design, and all workmanship and material the best of its respective kind. The house has two coats plastering, back plastering, the ceiling of basement consisting of one coat of brown mortar. The basement floor is cemented.

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A STRIKING CARTOON.

Published by French Paper to Illustrate Which Is the Greater Evil-Doer, the Saloon or the Bandit.

The current number of Le Bien Social has a very striking double cartoon, and beneath it is the question, "Which of the two is the greatest evidloer?" The one part of the cartoon shows a bandit who has seized a traveler by the throat and is pointing a dagger at his breast and demanding "the purse or the life." The other part shows the interior of a tavern, three of the tipplers turned round with terrified faces gazing at a man who has fallen on the floor and now lies full length on his back; the landlord, who has been counting his money behind the bar, looks with a horrified gaze at his prostrate customer, while the money he has been counting drops on the floor; and from the door leading to the house part of the premises the landlady peers with staring eyes, no doubt attracted to the spot by the noise and commotion consequent on the man falling. Underneath this part of the cartoon are the words: "Alcoholism demands the purse and the life." We have said that the cartoon is a striking one, but is it not also a true one? The victim of the highway robber is generally able to purchase his life with his money; the victim of the drink robber has to sacrifice both money and life.—National Advocate.

NOTES OF REFORM.

The saloon bird may be known by its nest and nestlings.—Ram's Horn.

It is not so much to tell the truth as to make the truth tell.—National Advocate.

A hero knows there is danger before him, but he thinks of something of more consequence than danger.—Lever.

When a burglar or murderer is to be run down, where do the police go to look for him? To the saloon.—Epworth Herald.

Two hundred women at Chattanooga, Tenn., went to the city council chamber and defeated a movement started by saloonkeepers to extend the closing hour at night from 10 to 12 o'clock.

A Bostonian shot himself recently because he could not give up the liquor habit. It seems strange that a man who had nerve to take his own life had not the will to save it.—Albany Journal.

On the west coast of Africa and far inland, bottles of gin and demijohns of rum are used as the common currency; and on the Congo one-half of all that the natives produce is paid for with liquor.

Our military authorities in the Philippines have found it necessary already to take action against American saloons introduced in the islands. The work of these places has been a fire in their rear destroying more soldiers than the weapons of the insurgents. The American saloon carries a curse with it wherever it goes.—Christian Work.

The famous Benedictine monks at Beatty, Pa., have discontinued brewing beer for the market. For 40 years they have brewed this beer and peddled it among the saloons all over the western part of Pennslvania. The growing temperance sentiment among Catholics is responsible, though it is said they will still brew beer for their private use.

Klondike Liquor Dealers.

Champagne brings $25 a bottle in Dawson. The regular price of a drink of whisky is 50 cents, and the saloonkeeper claims that he is making no profit at this price when he has to pay $40 to $50 a gallon for it at wholesale—because the miners take such large drinks. The saloonkeepers, however, are not unable to take care of themselves. They adulterate their whisky frely with Yukon water, and they are always careful to have the balance on their side when the weigher puts the customers' dust on the scales. Underneath the scale is a piece of Brussels carpet, and any particles of dust that may accidentally fall in the operation are hidden for harvest after the closing hour.—Champion (liquor organ).

Sheep as Barometers.

The wool on the back of a sheep is shepherd's barometer. The curlier the wool the finer will be the weather

TYROLESE HAY BATHS.

A New Fad Which Is Taking Hold of "Our Best People" Who Imagine Themselves Sick.

Latest of all bathing fads is the hay bath. Some one or other in the Tyrol devised it when he wasn't thinking of anything else. It is a simple process, consisting merely of being immersed in fresh, uncured mountain hay. The hay must be in "burning" condition—that is, not cured. The bath is taken under roof, and not in the open air. The peasants of the Tyrol, the Etschlanders especially, attach great value to the hay bath, and they consider the short hay of the mountains to be particularly beneficial.

One of these "cures" is on the top of the Schlern, near Voels, at an elevation of a mile and a half. At this place the baths are free to the villagers, but others are charged 30 kreutzers, or about 20 cents American money, a week.

To take a hay bath one digs a hole in the hay and crawls into it, after having divested himself of all his clothing. The covering up process is done by a friend or a regular attendant, and only the head is left exposed. Some one must stay with the patient during the bath, to give relief, for the effect of the heat and other influences is likely to be severe. The heart or some other organ occasionally is hard hit during this curing process. When the patient has perspired enough he is dug out by the attendant and rubbed down, for by this time he usually is too weak to exert himself, though he may be able to get into his clothes unaided. At the Aidein bath two patients have been found unconscious, and their condition was serious, it being not due to a mere fainting fit.

The Heat of the Sun.

It is estimated that the earth receives not more than one thousand millionth part of the total radiation of the sun's rays. If any considerable proportion of this heat were concentrated upon the earth it would not only become uninhabitable, but become speedily consumed. If the great accumulation of ice at the north pole were placed at a point on which this tremendous heat could be focussed it would melt at the rate of three hundred millions of miles of solid ice per second, and the heat is estimated to generate energy at the rate of about ten thousand horse power to every square foot of surface.

Some Marvelous Figures.

The complexity of animal structure is marvelous. A caterpillar contains more than 2,000 muscles. In the human body are some 2,000,000 perspiration glands, communicating with the surface by ducts, having a total length of some ten miles; whilst that of the arteries, veins and capillaries must be very great; the blood contains millions of millions of corpuscles, each a structure in itself; the rods in the retina, which are supposed to be the ultimate recipients of light, are estimated at 30,000,000, and Meinert has calculated that the gray matter of the brain is built of at least 600,000,000 cells.

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WRENTHAM.

The first of a series of six orations by John B Koehne of Chicago was given in the Congregational church Sunday night before a large audience. The subject was "The Preparation for Christianity through the Gentile Religions." The lecture was listened to with unusual attention by the audience and was a scholarly piece of oratory and composition. The admission is free, a silver contribution being asked as a free will offering. Tuesday night the subject is "The Preparation Through Judaism."——The funeral of the late Joseph Gilmore, who died Thursday morning of pneumonia, aged 74, was held from Trinity church Sunday afternoon, Rev. Geo. E. Osgood of North Attleboro conducting the service.——D Dearingforth, brother to Gen. Robert Dearingforth of Washington, D C., is the guest of J. E. Chamberlin. The latter is now on the Transcript

A Hint to the Cook.

Be sure to cool all soup stock rapidly This is most necessary if you want it to keep a few days. If it is allowed to cool partially on the range before it is strained it will not keep well. The more quickly it is cooled off after the straining the better it is. Again, cooking meat at a high and in a dry temperature develops a richer and more savory flavor, and that is why in some of the brown soup stocks, when it is possible to do so, it is well to brown the meat before adding the water to it. You cannot do this with bouillon or white soup on account of preserving the transparency and the whiteness. But in the family soups, where nourishing qualities are not sacrificed for appearance, it is a good thing to do.—Sallie Joy White, in Woman's Home Companion.

A Lubricant.

It's love that makes the world go round, but money makes it go round without squeaking.—Somerville (Mass.) Journal

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Woes of Mankind.

Though man has but himself to blame,
For nearly all his ills,
It makes him grumble just the same,
When he settles doctor bills.
—Chicago Daily News.

A Pleasant Prospect.

Hunter Miss Manly has persuaded me to take her after pheasants tomorrow.

Houser—Indeed! Shall I telephone for a freight car to bring in your game?

Hunter—No; you'd better telephone my size of coffin to your undertaker.—N. Y. World.

Had It All Fixed.

"Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins, "why don't you converse? What have you been reading about?"

"The proposed partition of the Samoan islands."

"Well, I think a partition is a splendid idea. If they can't agree they ought to build one, and each keep on his own side."—Washington Star.

Sympathetic.

Hix—Slim looks badly! he tells me he hasn't eaten anything for nearly a week.

Dix—I don't doubt it. His wife and nine graduated from the same cooking school.—N. Y. Herald.

Gentle Hint.

"Dreaming of the future?" he asked, as the conversation lapsed for the fifth time.

"Yes," she replied, "I find it much pleasanter than living in the present."—Philadelphia North American.

Crushed Him.

The Shoe Clerk—Beg your pardon, madam, but it is a number five shoe you want instead of a number three.

She—Number five? You must be thinking of the size of your hat.—N. Y. Press.

A Simple Test.

Mrs. Sharptong—I fear my husband's mind is affected. Is there any sure test?

Doctor—Tell him you'll never speak to him again. If he laughs, he's sane.—N. Y. Weekly.

Bringing Him to Time.

Mr. Love—Miss Elsie, your clock is awfully slow.

Miss Sweet—O, yes; it's going to be a bachelor, I'm afraid!—Jewelers' Week-

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But when he'll get naughty, my goodness, who knows!
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He rides a Go-Cart from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

H IS for Horrors, too good for the man
Who won't wheel the baby whenever he can.
One glance will convert him, if brains fill his block—
A glance at a Coach of the "Cook Rolling Stock."

I IS for Injun, a cruel nickname
For baby so pretty, and "dad" is to blame.
He squared himself, though, when he ran round the block
And bought a Go-Cart from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

J IS for Jingo, a child could see that.
But children are bright and know where they are at.
They don't hang themselves nor jump off the dock;
They jump in a Cart from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

K IS for Kicker just entered the world.
The neighbors inquire, "Is the baby a girl?"
It's none of their "biz;" turn the key in the lock
And run for a Coach from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

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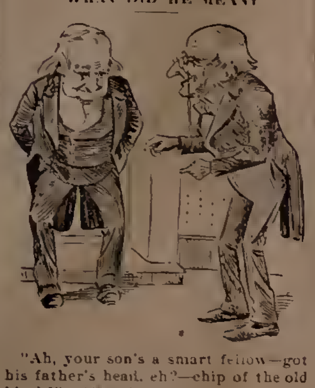
Meandering Mike's Request.

If as a hero I loom up
One t'ing I want to beg:
Don't offer me no lovin' cup,
I'd ruther have a keg.
—Washington Star

WHAT DID HE MEAN?



"Ah, your son's a smart fellow—got his father's head, eh?—chip of the old block!"—Ally Sloper.

Old Letters.

I cannot read his letters o'er,
'Twould wake my heart to pain once more;
His words of love would make me sad—
And then his writing was so bad.
—Chicago Record

[illegible]

Biggs—I met Dobbs last night. He had money to burn.

Boggs—What happened?

Biggs—We had a hot time.—N. Y.

Farming Machinery

Farmers of this section will find it to their advantage to inspect our line of McCormick Mowers, Rakes and Reapers, the Osborn Mower and Disk and Spring-Tooth Harrows, the Morgan Spading Harrows, the Reynolds Hay Spreader, Wierd's Plows and other farming machines at prices to suit the times. No wide-awake farmer can afford to work without some of these machines.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Henry Bemis, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, two certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament and one codicil of said deceased have been presented to said court for probate by Henry E. Ruggles of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-third day of May, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this thirtieth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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SHERIFF'S SALE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, ss.
FRANKLIN, MASS., May 1st, A. D. 1900

By virtue of a warrant of sale issued by the Superior Court within and for said county of Norfolk and to me directed, I shall sell at public auction on

MONDAY, the FOURTH day of JUNE, A.D. 1900,

at two o'clock p. m., on the premises described below, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging, the following described real estate, to wit

A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the corner of Village and Broad streets, in Medway, in said county, and bounded and described as follows, viz Southerly by Village street, westerly by Broad street, northerly by land of one Wilder and easterly by land of one Billings and Sarah Woodward, and known as the "Gladstone Hotel."

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
Deputy Sheriff.

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SAT NEXT TO GRANT.

And There Is Reason to Believe She Boasts About It to This Day.

Visitors to Washington will probably remember an old second-hand book dealer, who on nice days sits in front of his shop, on the north side of Pennsylvania avenue, just opposite the Peace monument, says the New York Herald. He is as much a part of Washington as is the white house, and he numbers among his friends many of those prominent in national affairs. He tells many amusing stories of the statesmen of the days just following the civil war. He relates one story in which he and President Grant figured rather prominently.

The old bookseller had received a ticket for a theatrical performance. He went early and took his seat in the parquet. Soon a family consisting of a husband and wife and several grown-up daughters took the seats to his right. A little later a man came and sat on his left, next the aisle. The old bookseller is blind in the left eye and did not pay any attention to the man on his left. At the end of the first act the lady on his right leaned over and asked him if the stranger were not President Grant. Sure enough, it was, and the lady was so informed.

"I reckon maybe you kin see a mite better from this chair where I'm sittin'," the old gentleman remarked, "and if you think you'd rather change with me I'm willing."

A second invitation was not required. "And I didn't have to change only with the woman, but with her hull family, and I thought they'd push me out in the aisle. But I'll bet that to this day the woman tells of the time when she sat next to the president," the old bookseller adds.

COSTLIEST IN WORLD.

The Cradle in Which Each First-Born Son of Marlborough House Is Rocked.

There is exhibited in the drawing room at Marlborough house the wonderful golden cradle in which each first-born son of the house of Marlborough is rocked during his infancy, says Ainslee's Magazine. In this cradle, which is perhaps the most beautiful and costly thing of its kind in the world, the present little marquis of Blandford was placed on his christening day, when he had been given the name of John Albert Edward William Churchill. The little heir, by the way, is named for three well-known persons: John, for the great duke; Albert Edward, for the prince of Wales, one of his godfathers, and William, for his grandfather and godfather, William K. Vanderbilt.

The two children are very closely guarded in the nursery, which consists of the most charming suite of rooms in the palace. Here the young duchess, who is a most proud and devoted mother, spends much of her time with her babies. When they go out in their blue and white perambulators for exercise they are wheeled about in what is known as the "kitchen gardens," among the fruits and vegetables, for except on show days the kitchen gardens are not delivered over to tourists for inspection. Thus the two little lords may hold high carnival without fear of public intrusion and snapshooters. On other days they are wheeled about where their nurses will, within the 350 acres of private grounds, which are walled off from Blenheim park.

Absent-Minded John.

"John is so absent-minded."

"What is the mater now?"

"He bought a load of hay for our motor-car."—Pearson's.

Her Status.

"She says she has never been kissed."

"I guess that's right—she always does the kissing."—Judge.

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Merritt—A dream? Why, my dear, it's a nightmare.—Judge.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
SUPERIOR COURT.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court, next to be holden at Dedham, within and for the county of Norfolk:

Respectfully represents and libels George E. Despeaux of Medway, in said county, that he was lawfully married to Addie E. Despeaux, now of Eastford, in the state of Connecticut, at Hopedale, in the county of Worcester, September 3, 1884, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Addie lived together as husband and wife in this commonwealth at Medway, in said Norfolk county; that your libellant has always been faithful to his marriage vows and obligations, but the said Addie, being wholly regardless of the same at said Medway on or about the twenty-fifth day of January, 1900, committed the crime of adultery with one Nelson Tanner and has committed said crime with said Tanner on divers days and times between January 25, 1900, and the date of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Addie E. Despeaux.

Dated the eleventh day of April, 1900

GEORGE E. DESPEAUX.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
SUPERIOR COURT.

On the foregoing libel it is ordered that the libellant give notice to the said Addie E. Despeax, the libellee, to appear before the justices of this court, to be holden at Dedham, within and for said county, on the first Monday of June next, by causing an attested copy of said libel, and of this order thereon, to be published once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first Monday of June next, and further, by sending through the mail, as soon as may be, by a registered letter addressed to the last known residence of the said Addie E. Despeaux an attested copy of said libel and of this order thereon, that the said Addie E. Despeaux may then and there show cause why the prayer of said libel should not be granted.

By the Court.

LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.

April 16, A. D. 1900.

A true copy of said libel and of the order thereon.

Attest. R. B. WORTHINGTON,
Assistant Clerk.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, ss.
FRANKLIN, MASS., April 24, A. D. 1900.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

TUESDAY, the TWENTY-NINTH day of MAY, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse Block in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Lawrence McGuinnis, alias McGinnis, of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the twenty-eighth day of November, A. D. 1899, at ten o'clock in the forenoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process) in and to the following described real estate, to wit: A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the northerly side of Village street, with buildings thereon, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the southeasterly corner of the premises on said Village street; thence running northerly on land formerly of one Eaton, and known as the Eaton place, to land supposed to belong to one Wentworth, formerly of one Philbrick; thence westerly on said Wentworth land to a stake and stones at the northerly end of a drain at land of William Scroeder; thence southerly along the line of said drain and with said Scroeder land to said Village street; thence easterly with said Village street to the point of beginning, being the Phillips place, so called, and a part of the Dr. Brown estate, so called.

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the southerly side of Village street, opposite the above described tract, and bounded northerly on said Village street, southwesterly by Charles river and easterly by land supposed to belong formerly to Mrs. A. H. Clark, and being the second parcel described in the mortgage of Lawrence McGinnis to Margaret H. Kenny, dated August 6, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 744, page 522.

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
Deputy Sheriff.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Jane D. Fisher, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Metcalf E. Pond of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the sixteenth day of May, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

ap24,my1,8 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

AGENTS WANTED.

Liberal contracts to intelligent men of good character and address. Can earn in commissions from $3000 upwards per year by applying to Wm. F. Bache, Gen'l Agt. NORTHWESTERN MUT. LIFE INS. CO., 7 Water st., Boston, Mass., from 9 to 10 A. M.; from 12 to 1 P. M.

ANNUAL STATEMENT JANY. 1, 1900.
Assets.................... $126,646,728.47
Liabilities.................. 121,112,039.71
Surplus...................... 5,534,697.74
Insurance in force........ $497,606,125.00
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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

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Milford	9.00 "
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Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
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Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Don't fail to see the cake walk quadrille May 10.

Fred W. Haslam is now engaged at the Heliotype plant.

The foundation for Mrs. W. F. Ray's new barn is being laid.

Division 8, A. O. H., will hold a regular meeting Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mildred Fairfield will present the cake to the juvenile cake walkers May 10.

Joseph Ray Wyckoff is to lead the singing at the Congregational Sunday school.

The telephone and electric lights were greatly disturbed by the electrical storm last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McKenzie returned last evening from a couple of weeks stay out of town.

The fence in front of the Baptist church has been removed and the yard is being graded as a lawn.

The grip still maintains its hold upon W. A. Pond, preventing him from attending to his business.

W. W. Haslam was taken sick at Bangor, Me., while on a business trip and is still compelled to remain there.

A. C. Dana has removed the fences around his residence on School street, planted trees and will improve the grade.

The engineers of the fire department met Monday evening and elected James B. McKinnon chief for the year beginning May 1.

R. J. Calkin has taken the J. P. Hosie house on Peck street for the summer, Mr. Hosie and family having gone to New York state.

Weeks, at one time one of Franklin's pet ball players, is a crack golfite, holding a record that is away down among the first two or three.

Work on the new paper mill at South Franklin has been resumed by the contractor, George H. Dauphinee, and is to be completed by July.

The public schoole will continue until late in June this year, the time of closing being later than usual on account of the vacation for scarlet fever.

Miss Phillips sang alto the Universalist church last Sabbath to the manifest satisfaction of all who listened. She is a conservatory singer and came as a candidate.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper will begin a series of sermons next Sunday evening at the Baptist church on "The Fine Arts. His theme will be "The Fine Art of Christian Love."

Hugh Donahue and John P. Daley of the Boston postoffice, were the guests, Sunday, of Joseph M. Sullivan, at the residence of his aunt, Mrs. Daniel Mahoney, in South Franklin.

There was little formal observance of Arbor day in town, though several people interested themselves in the practical part of the special occasion enough to have several trees planted.

The Philharmonic orchestra has been engaged to furnish music at the summer dress party to be given by Miss Nellie Razee's dancing class at the opera house on Thursday evening, May 10.

Work is now rushing upon the Unionville power house, as the early running of the cars to other places than Woonsocket is dependent upon the securing power from this central station.

Nightly a number go over to Wrentham to enjoy Rev. Mr. Koehne's lectures, the last one of which is to be given this evening. They are wonderful productions, both in matter and manner of delivery.

Dean was treated to a shutout at Southboro in the game with St. Mark's nine on Wednesday, 3 to 0. Only five innings were played, however, the game being called at this stage to allow the Dean boys to catch their train

Messrs. Chapman, Chilson and Rockwood are now making their annual rounds and, strange to say, find almost nobody who is willing to admit that he is possessed of more property than he was a year ago That's human nature.

Rev. W. E. Witter, secretary of the Baptist Missionary union, will preach in the Baptist church Sunday forenoon. He is a very interesting speaker, drawing from his experience abroad. A large collection for foreign missions is hoped for.

P. J. Daly has had an operation performed on one finger and pieces of bone removed. About seven months ago the finger was injured in a machine where Mr. Daly was employed and the wound has never healed. It is thought that the injured member will now get well.

Next Sabbath will be the first anniversary of the pastorate of Mr. Sneath. The morning service will have some reference to it. The Lord's Supper will be observed and new members will be received. In the evening the pastor will reveal the name of God in the Book of Esther.

Word recently received from Rev. Mr. Longren announces that he is to have a new charge at Longmont, Col., among very pleasant people. It is a self supporting church and is spoken of as one of the best outside of the large cities. All are glad to hear of his good fortune.

The tree warden is preparing to send a man to spray fruit trees, currants and rose bushes where desired, the owners paying a reasonable sum for labor and materials used. This may be a convenience, as not everyone is prepared with the necessary apparatus for the purpose.

Cataract Engine company of Unionville held its annual meeting Tuesday evening. The report of the treasurer showed $53 on hand to meet current expenses. Jeremiah Buckley was re elected foreman, Charles Feeley first assistant and F. E. Osbourne clerk. Nearly every member of the company was present.

The tree warden has been giving attention to the trees on the common. Dead trees have been removed and others trimmed, and the common is ready for the operations of the selectmen. Meanwhile the tree warden has been looking over South park with a view to improving the condition of some of the trees there.

Caponc's band gave an excellent concert at the Opera house last Saturday evening, being assisted by Miss Helen Green of Providence, a remarkably fine soprano singer. The concert, both vocal and instrumental, was the best heard here this season, and we hope they will come again, as they made a most favorable impression.

At the meeting of J. G. Ray Engine company, No. 3, Wednesday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Foreman, T. E. Feeley; first assistant, L. E Morrissey; second assistant, P A. Collins; clerk, Albert Burgess: treasurer, L. E. Morrissey; steward, Harry Spence; standing committee, Harry Granger, P. A. Collins, John Malloy.

J. J. Stewart has just had a long distance telephone put in at his home on King street. Mr. Stewart surmounted a number of difficulties, one of which was the fact that his house was such a distance out that the company had no poles or lines running there. Mr. Stewart, therefore, purchased the poles himself, the company setting them up He will find the 'phone exceedingly convenient.

The following children have been neither absent or tardy at the Nason Street Primary during the mouth of April: Helen Buck, Maud Blackmar, Irene Haggart, Annie McCabe, Hazel Whiting, Clarence Arnold, Burley Clark, Byron Coleman, Raymond Dean, Percy Fairfield, Gilbert Farrell, George Geb, Roy Hunter, Leo Long, Omer Snow, Raymond Schuster, Alfred Snow, Ray Tyler, Edward Westland.

Herdic Hose company elected the following officers for the ensuing year Tuesday evening: Foreman, Timothy Halloran; first assistant, Jeremiah Reardon; second assistant, William Mosher; clerk, John Keefe; treas., George Green; standing com., John Keefe, Jeremiah Reardon, Walter Crowninshield; steward, William Mosher; leading hose men, John Keefe, Jeremiah Reardon, George Keefe, William Mosher.

There was a large attendance at the Baptist social Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. A. P. Pendleton, 9 Union street. The house is very large and convenient for such a gathering. Supper was served from 6 to 7.30, and being of a conundrum character afforded a great deal of amusement. After this there was a watch test and a penny test. Ice cream and cake were served and sociability was unbounded. It was a most enjoyable occasion.

Bion B. Blaisdell, formerly living on the Mount and doing business in Boston, but for a year under indictment for embezzlement, was acquitted at Boston this week by order of the court, Charles Atkinson having refused to testify against his old partner. Atkinson is serving a long term in connection with the collapse of the corporation which bore his name. He refused to give evidence on the ground that his testimony might incriminate himself still further.

Miss Lizzie Pendergast entertained her friends on Tuesday evening, her 25th birthday anniversary. They presented her a beautiful May basket filled with all good things and also an elegant emerald pin, which was presented in a neat little speech by Miss Julia Curran. Miss Pendergast, although taken by surprise, responded in a suitable manner and tendered the hospitality of her home to all. Music, recitations, refreshments, etc., made it a very pleasant occasion.

William Mann is quite seriously ill at his home with heart trouble, preventing his lying down at night. What little sleep he gets he secures while sitting in a chair with his head resting upon a table. During the winter he had a severe illness, but recovered somewhat, though this attack is considered more dangerous than the preceding one. Although 80 years of age it was not till about three years ago that he knew what it was to be sick, his entire life being a continued state of good health.

It will pay one to take a drive on the Wrentham road any evening to see the Italians cooking their supper by out-of-door fires at the foot of Eagle hill. The figures flit about in the semi darkness, making wierd and fanciful pictures. A score of fires are snapping and sputtering, over which the Italians cook their frugal meal. It is asserted that they can live on a sum so small per day as would challenge belief by anyone not conversant with their methods of living. They are housed in the old mill close by.

The Medfield and Medway street railway is now in running order and will make half hourly time between Medway and Dedham on Saturday and Sunday, May 5 and 6. Indeed, the connection between Milford and Boston is excellent, as one may leave Milford at 6.50 a. m. and reach Boston at 9.10, taking steam cars from Dedham. The fare is 40 cents. The return trip takes more time, owing to a lack of close connection by the Milford cars at Medway. Later on the run both ways should not take over two hours.

G. I. Partridge went to Grafton last Tuesday evening and assisted in the concert given by D. B. Hathaway of that place, it being the seventy fifth anniversary of Mr. Hathaway's musical career. He began as a drummer boy for the Grafton militia, then he took up the fife and clarinet and became a fine performer, and his services were wanted wherever music was used. On this occasion he beat the drum and Mr. Partridge played the same old music that he drummed on Grafton common seventy-five years ago. Mr. Hathaway was in the 25th Regiment band in the war, went to California twice and now, at 87 years of age, plays the clarinet wonderfully.

Next Sunday, at the Methodist church, the pastor, S. A. Cook, will begin a series of sermons on the general subject, "The Sacred Feast, or the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper." There will be five sermons in the series, and they will be given successively on the first Sunday morning of each month, (sacramental Sunday). The following subjects will be treated: "Unity in Christ, Manifest in Church Fellowship;" "The Office of the Holy Spirit in the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper;" "The Lord's Supper as a Covenanting Act;" "Eucharistic Joy;" "Anticipative Communion." Those interested in a better understanding of this important sacrament of the church will do well to be present.

The May festival of St. John's guild closed last Tuesday night with most satisfactory results. The entertainment was thoroughly enjoyed by a large audience. Four seamen from the steamship "Irishman," now in port, were present and sang their numerous "shanties" with a heartiness and spirit that was truly rousing. Mr. Strayhorn of Boston sang most acceptably. Mr. Harvey sang a sailor song. Miss Wing and Miss Stevens rendered vocal selections with fine effect and Mrs. Nickleson's reading was encored most appreciatively The lecture by Mr. Stanton H. King was a typical sailor yarn replete with incident and adventures, and was spun with great wit and fervor. After the entertainment the booths did a good business and the young people danced till midnight. A generous sum was netted by the guild to be added to the building fund.

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Passes Away.

After a long illness of tuberculosis, Chester Ballou Smith died Thursday in Woonsocket. The illness of the deceased dates from March of last year, when he went to Boston on a business trip and was taken ill there. When summer came he went to Magnolia and was again taken ill and confined to the house until October, when he came home for a few days Later he went south and at Washington was seized with an attack of his malady. He was taken to the Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, and there underwent an operation, which seemed to better his condition. He then went to Saranac Lake, and he began to fail quite rapidly while there, and about a month ago he was brought home in a very weak condition. He has not suffered to any extent, and while there for the past month has been very comfortable.

His father dying when Chester was quite young, the subject of this sketch spent his youthful days as a member of the household of his grandfather, Hon. L. W. Ballou.

On Oct. 16, 1888, he was united in marriage to Mabel Rathbun, daughter of Lieut. Gov. Oscar J. Rathbun, and a granddaughter of Mrs. Edward Harris. One child, Rathbun H., who has since died, resulted from the union. Mrs. Smith survives He leaves one brother, and his mother and paternal grandfather also survive. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon, at 1.30 o'clock, from his late home.

A Miraculous Escape.

The terrific crash of thunder and the blinding flash which accompanied it during the thunder storm last evening sent a thrill of fear through every one, and it was felt that the bolt must have struck somewhere. This proved to be the case, as the Knowlton house, on Summer street, occupied by W. E. Scott, was badly shattered. The bolt entered the roof, ripping the boarding and actually severing the front of the house from the sides It entered an upper room where Mrs. Scott lay sick, setting clothing afire, and then went downstairs, separating plaster from lathes, circling the room, removing all the pictures from the walls by melting the cords, overturned the stove, ruined the organ and demolished the furniture generally. It crossed the carpet diagonally, went into the entry and out into the street, making a furrow in the yard as if done with a plough. All the windows were shattered in front and at the side, blinds were broken, and a more complete wreck is difficult to imagine. Although five people were in the two rooms affected, yet no one was injured beyond the shocks received, some of them requiring a number of minutes to recover. How the inmates could have escaped is indeed a mystery.

Almost a Panic.

The extinguishing of the electric lights during the second act of "Nan, the Mascot," which was being presented at the Opera house last evening when the severe thunder storm arose, came near precipitating a panic. The lighting of matches soon after the lights went out caused some one to yell, "Fire!" Then, in the darkness, some of the audience started for the door and a few made their way out. But the door was soon locked. Mr. Partridge and Mr. Cody joined with others in trying to restore quiet.

Rev. Father Lee was upon the stage urging the audience to remain in their seats and be calm, as there was no danger from fire. His words had a quieting effect on those who had become alarmed, and soon the excitement passed away and what might have been a serious panic was most fortunately prevented. The play went on with for a time with gas as an illuminator and later the electric current was again turned on. During the excitement three ladies fainted, and Mrs. Frank Woolford, who with her little daughter had made her way out of the hall, fell in a faint while descending the stairs and went down the full flight. She was picked up in an unconscious condition and taken to Winchenbach's store, where Dr. Hussey attended her. She suffered severely from shock, but revived after a time and was conveyed to her home.

Richardson's Market.

Think of it! Corned beef at 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 cents. Some of these are choice bits and cannot be beaten. Then we have the finest "green stuff" to be found in the Boston markets, all kinds. Try our new string beans. Home-killed veal, extra fine; roast beef as low as 8 cents, toothsome asparagus, fine, sweet butter for table or cooking, canned goods of all kinds.

Views of Residences.

Now, before the trees leaf fully, is the best time to arrange for photos of your home, either exterior or interior. Call and see samples and let me quote prices. Business hours during the summer, 8 to 12 a. m., 1.15 to 5 p. m., 7 to 8 Saturday evenings.

CALKIN, Photographer,
Depot St.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

An Excellent Presentation.

All who witnessed the presentation of "Nan, the Mascot," by the members of St. Mary's Dramatic society at the Opera house last evening were treated to a most creditable display of amateur acting. The play itself was replete with stirring situations and the plot was a good one, being acted out in a most realistic way by the performers, who portrayed the bright and dark sides of the play with remarkably fine effect. There was a good-sized audience present, and its pleasure was made manifest at various stages by liberal applause. The only thing to mar the pleasure of the occasion—and this was really for only a few minutes—was the excitement caused by the bolt of lightning that put out the electric lights.

The presentation last evening was perhaps the best of all the previous excellent renditions given by the talented members of the society. The cast was a strong one without a single exception. The foremost characters—taken by Miss Lamont, as Nan, the Mascot; Miss Macdermott, as Mrs. Baldwin; Daniel Griffin, as Deacon Smartweed; Thomas Macdermott, as Ben Flood, and Dennis Feeley, as Caleb Baldwin—were acted out in a really professional way by the ladies and gentlemen named, and they certainly were deserving of the flattering reception tendered them The full cast was as follows:

Nan, the Mascotte	Miss Lizzie Lamont
Caleb Baldwin	Dennis Feeley
Ben Flood, Baldwin's evil genius, alias Phineas Grabber	Thomas Macdermott
Edward De Lancy Van Spread, rather dudish	James Kelley
Deacon Smartweed, a pillar of the church,	Daniel Griffin
Arthur Sherwood, Nan's lover	George Cody
Dr. Windsall, Baldwin's physician,	Frank Lamont
Uriah Fox, a lawyer	Peter Embser
Jimsey, Frackett's fool	James Kelley
John, a servant	Peter Embser
Mrs. Baldwin, who tries to shine in society	Miss Rose Macdermott
Mrs. Van Spread, leader (?) in society,	Miss Margaret Doherty
Widder Jehonnett, who has designs on the Deacon	Miss Eliza White

During the play vocal selections were rendered by Alexander Boucher, George Cody and Daniel Griffin in excellent voice. Excellent music was furnished by the American band orchestra. At the conclusion of the play the floor was cleared for dancing which was enjoyed by a large number until an early hour this morning.

A Successful Sale.

Horsemen from all over New England came to town Tuesday to attend the sale of the trotting and breeding stock in the stable of J. J. McCarthy, and Franklin has seldom been visited upon any one day by so many prosperous looking turfmen. D. W. Corson, the auctioneer, was in his element. Two things the genial "Dave" is always enthusiastic upon, horses and the G. A. R. He could talk "hoss" till the visiting horsemen were tired, and he did so, but he managed to get for nine of the equines $5,060, a remarkably good figure. He insists, also, that every horse was sold on bonafide bids, all reports to the contrary notwithstanding.

Lady Bayard, a bay filly, with a record of 2.17 1-2, and next to Nordeau, the best horse in the McCarthy string, was knocked down to A. Sancier of Providence for $16.00.

The other horses sold included the br. g., Young Bayard, for $650, and the bay g., Rigby Wilkes, for $550, both being purchased for the Wellington stable at Oxford; the bay filly, Miss Lewis, for $600, and the blk. filly, Mary King, for $375, bought for the Lookout farm at South Natick; the bay g., Cornish Boy, sold to T. J. Kiley, South Boston, for $225; the bay g., Royal Boone, was taken by Samuel Milor of Pascoag for $235; the blk. mare, Crescent Wilkes, to Dr. McDonald of Boston for $170; the bay g., Mack, to E. L Hopkins, for $132, and Red Roan to William Johuson of Franklin, for $140.

The Postmastership.

It now transpires that there are a number of persons credited with desiring to step into Postmaster Conroy's shoes and serve Uncle Sam with the best of their ability. We noted the fact some time ago that the former encumbent, H. A. Talbot, was an aspirant and his candidacy had secured the endorsement of the Town committee and many of the influential citizens. At that time it was not thought that there would be other candidates, but the new developments have somewhat complicated matters, and will render Congressman Sprague's position in the matter somewhat more delicate. It is understood that Mr. Talbot's petition went in some time ago, but just why no action has been taken is not stated.

Not A Candidate.

I desire to heartily thank my friends for their interest, but to prevent misunderstanding, and wishing to avoid faction feeling, I withdrew my name early in the week absolutely from the post mastership question.

DR. J. C. GALLISON.
Franklin, Mass., May 5, 1900.

Fine hair cutting, smooth shaving, razors honed and put in order. Ochee the barber.

Mr. Rathbun Resigns.

Since the American Woolen company absorbed the Ray mills here some months ago, the company's interests have been looked after by E. H. Rathbun, the resident agent, although it was understood at the time that he did not care to retain the position permanently.

According to plans recently made by Mr. Rathbun he has resigned his position, as his varied interests here and elsewhere demand the major portion of his time and attention. Fred P. Chapman takes the place, which is distinctly in the line of promotion, a fact which all of his friends will be pleased to learn. Mr. Chapman will have as assistant superintendent Andrew J. Griffin, the designer.

Mr. Chapman's knowledge of the detail of the business, his faithfulness and natural adaptiveness to his work make it appear a wise and practical move on the part of the company to select him for this important position of superintendent and agent.

Coming May 5th.

Owing to the unusual success attained by the Graham company in Boston recently, this organization with many added and new features plays and engagement at Morse Opera house tomorrow evening "Greater than ever" and "everything new" are the claims made for this entertainment, as we shall see it now. This is probably the largest colored organization before the public, and it is probably safe to say that it is the best. Manager Graham was the first and still leads in the effort to combine the pastimes of the Southern negro, in every variety, in such form as to be acceptable to the very best class of theatre-goers. Here is an organization which includes a captivating chorus of merry mulatto maidens, coon comedies of much native wit colored "babies" indulging in pedal pyrotechnics, black Adonises, chocolate Venuses, "high born" colored ladies who display the suppleness of the willow, fancy steppers, and prize cake walkers of national reputation. With beautiful calcium effects, giddy costuming and scenic attractiveness, one may expect some fevelations in rag-time revelries.

Are You Ready?

With the opening up of the trolley lines to Wrentham and the Medways, every one expects that Franklin merchants will receive a large amount of what is practically new business, especially from those who have heretofore been compelled to do their trading at home largely, owing to the poor facilities for getting outside. The trolley will change all that. With reasonable fares between the Medways and Franklin, and also Wrentham, the trade is coming here in much larger amount than the volume of Franklin trade which goes to Woonsocket, which is admitted to be quite an important factor in our merchants' cash balance Therefore it behooves our merchants to be ready to receive the new trade, both by invitation through a reputable medium like THE SENTINEL, and also by a quality and quantity of goods upon their shelves which will continue to induce trading here in preference to elsewhere. The right kind of work will do this.

Fresh Lobsters.

All sold last week. We shall receive again on Saturday a selected lot of freshly boiled lobsters, finer than any ever received in town. You will want one when you have seen ours. Spinach, dandelions, radishes, lettuce, rhubarb, cucumbers, Bermuda onions; fresh killed fowls, lamb, veal, pork, choice beef, and as a delicacy we have Van Camp's celebrated concentrated soups of all kinds. Try them. Also the Brunswick canned goods.

EMERSON'S MARKET.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Sale—A quantity of manure. Inquire of K. R. Jewett.

Up stairs tenement to let on Central street. Inquire of A. M. Haggart. 6tf

Wanted—Capable Protestant girl for general housework. Mrs T. L. Martin. 6tf

Orders for Allen's wood yard taken here can be transmitted by telephone at once.

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

One thousand fine pansy plants, 500 geranium plants, 1,000 aster plants, also a full line of vegetable plants for sale at Slade's greenhouse.

To Rent—Small, convenient tenement at low rent within few rods of post office. A. C. Dana, Dana block. 27-tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

To Rent—Cottage of six rooms, Seaside Park, Hyannis. Apply to Mrs. J. E. Clarke, 90 Union street, Franklin. 24,27,1,4*

Wanted—A girl to do chamber work and assist in waiting on table. Apply at once to the Crescent house, Franklin, Mass.

Don't forget the auction sale of household furniture in the Opera House block this evening at 7.30, if you want bargains.

Round-trip Boston tickets can be had at $1 05, (less than the five-trip rate), of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office. Also round-trip Providence and Milford tickets at a saving of 12c from regular fare. Mileage books to let.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

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FRIDAY, MAY 4, 1900.

FRANKLIN NEWS.

O'Hooligan's Wedding

The greatest laugh producer on earth, with funny comedians, pretty girls, sparkling music, will be here Saturday evening, May 12. O'Hooligan's Wedding is imbued with Celtic wit and German philosophy. A comedy that brings laughter to many people who have not laughed in years. It is replete with pretty girls, funny comedians, novel specialties, gorgeous costumes and a star cast of metropolitan favorites. The specialties are high class and up to date. Among the well known performers are the following: Dupree and Dupree, the sketch artists; the only and original Pat Conroy, the Irish ambassador; the dashing soubrette, May Jackson, the clever Irish comedian, Dick Mack; the little magnets, Jackson and Douglas, character artists; the king and queen of comedy, Barr and Benton; those famous dispensers of German wit, Whiteley & Bell, and others. Secure seats in advance; on sale at usual places.

Their Pay Raised.

The street car men, comprising the motormen and conductors of the Woonsocket Street railway and the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket Street railway, have been notified of an advance in wages, to take effect June 3, the first in years. The advance is at the rate of two cents an hour, which gives the men twenty cents for that time where they have always received eighteen. The Woonsocket motormen and conductors have always received eighteen cents per hour, with the exception of about eight years ago, when President and General Manager Edgar K. Ray gave up control of the road for about a year. During that time the men were reduced to sixteen cents. When Mr. Ray came back into office the eighteen cent rate was restored. This restoration and the present raise were both voluntary. It will affect about fifty men of the Woonsocket Street railway, and by the time it goes into effect twenty five men will be at work on the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket road.

Base Ball Merely Slumbering.

Although the idea has not been abandoned by those who have been considering the scheme, it is said that the prospect for the formation of a valley base ball league, to include Franklin, Woonsocket, Milford and the Attleboros, is diminishing because of failure to secure the necessary financial backing to organize and maintain the league. There is talk of the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket Street Railway Company becoming interested with the base ball managers in the enterprise, but it is quite certain that the railroad people have as yet made no move in this direction. There are also rumors of intended changes in Indian Rock Park, the improvements said to be contemplated including an up to date ball ground in every detail, with modern grand stand, new bleachers, score boards, etc.

Whether the league is formed or not, Manager Carter will have a strong amateur team in Franklin this season, and it is certain that Milford and the Attleboros, with, perhaps, Woonsocket, will have independent teams, so that if the scheme of a league falls through, the lovers of the national sport in this section will not be inconvenienced thereby in the matter of witnessing games.

An alarm was rung in from box 13 at 4.30 Tuesday afternoon on account of a fire that was fast gaining headway in the woods at the northerly end of Pleasant street and that was in dangerous proximity to a number of dwellings in the neighborhood. Residents in the vicinity fought the flames for some time and a second alarm was sounded. The fire department was on hand soon after the first alarm, however, and the J. G. Ray engine company soon had streams on the burning brush and succeeded in extinguishing the blaze after 30 minutes' work before any material damage was done.

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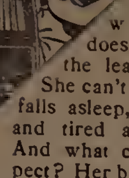

Many a schoolgirl is said to be lazy and shiftless when she doesn't deserve the least bit of it. She can't study, easily falls asleep, is nervous and tired all the time. And what can you expect? Her brain is being fed with impure blood and her whole system is suffering from poisoning.

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DUNRAVEN'S SECOND ERROR.

His Suspicions Were Once More Aroused Regarding Excess of Ballast.

The earl of Dunraven is a tory of the most militant, shellback type, and at the same time he ruined his reputation in America by his charges against the yacht Defender, which afterward he was unable to substantiate, he seriously impaired his popularity over here, says the Philadelphia Post. Englishmen object to a fellow countryman making an exhibition of himself, and the general impression there is that his lordship acted foolishly. Only the other day Lord Dunraven received a gentle reminder that his fatuous charges against American yachtsmen were not forgotten by any means. He is one of the reactionary members of the London school board. If only citizens of the United States knew how Londoners have to fight for popular education against thick-headed toryism they would not wonder at the ignorance and crankedness that are met with in the poorer quarters of the mighty metropolis. Dunraven was hauling a board school-master over the coals for being, as he claimed, the worse for liquor, and on investigation it turned out that the charge was quite unfounded. John Lobb, quite a character in his way, and also a member of the school board, in making a report of the matter wound it up in the following words: "In fact, this case turns out to be a second occasion on which the noble lord mistakenly believed a gentleman to have taken on an unjust amount of ballast."

A Superstitious Creature.

He—You acknowledge that you—er—like me, yet refuse.

She (belle of the season) — Yes, I must. Thirteen is an unlucky number.

"Eh?"

"You are the thirteenth man who has proposed to me; and if we should become engaged I'm afraid something dreadful would happen."

"You are foolishly superstitious. What could happen?"

"I might marry you."—N. Y. Weekly

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The Story-Teller's Habit.

"Whenever Jaunsen starts to tell a story he says: 'Maybe you've heard this one before.'"

"Then what?"

"I always say I have."

"Well?"

"Well, then he tells it just the same."
—Chicago Times-Herald.

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For Sunday Reading

WHAT LACK I YET?

The young man said unto Him: All these things have I kept from my youth up; what lack I yet?—Matt. 19:20.

I have kept the commandments and said my prayers,
Before the world I am pure and clean;
In the temple I worship and no one dares
To hint of a hunger or want unseen.
But I feel a longing—a vague unrest—
For something better than I have known;
I knock at Thy heart, good Master, in quest
Of something to satisfy my own.

The young man sorrowfully went his way;
The test was stronger than he could bear,
And with all his wealth he was poor that day,
For his soul was starving within him there.
Oh, we struggle and pray and yearning sigh
For the peace of God in our hearts, and yet
We cling to some secret idol and cry,
"Master, good Master, what lack I yet?"
—Anne H. Woodruff, in Good Housekeeping.

WHY?

Have a Purpose in Life—The Alpine Climber's Useless Struggle—A Strange Question.

Mr. Harold Spender, the Alpine climber, in his book on the High Pyrenees, recently published, tells of an unexpected climax to one of his feats.

With two companions he had scaled one of the most difficult peaks, and, descending, found refuge from the storm and night in the chalet of a goatsherd. The three men, half-frozen, and exhausted with the long and terrible strain, but glowing with triumph, crouched before the fire.

The goatsherd's wife, a dull old woman, stood looking at them silently for awhile, and then pronounced a single word:

"Per qui?" (Why?)

Spender declares that he and his companions looked at each other with an expression of surprise on each face. They had risked health and strength and life itself. "Why?" What had they gained?

There was no answer. The one word struck like a blank wall across their consciousness of useless struggle and suffering and danger.

The snow fell outside, and the mist shut out the hills. They did not talk to each other. Each was asking himself: "Why?"

There are other heights in the world beside those in the Alps, which men try to scale to as little purpose.

The man who gives his life to the gathering of millions, which he never uses or enjoys; the young wife who spends her husband's hard-earned wages in aping women of fashion; the girl trying to force her way into the "stylish set" of her town, dressing and entertaining beyond her means; the college boy who is struggling to show his manliness by leading the fast men of his class—all are climbing barren heights, at the top of which is neither profit nor honor.

Most of us have tried some of this Alpine-climbing in our day. It would have been well for us if some honest soul like the goatsherd's wife had stood in our path with the word: "Why?"—Youth's Companion.

THE HOUSEHOLD ANGEL.

Glad-Hearted Cheeriness in the Home—Christian Character Better Than Faultlessness.

The glad-hearted, cheery woman who makes the best of everything, is a treasure in her house. She may make a mistake, she may forget, she may spoil a dish in cooking or in baking, but with the mishap, she sends in a gleam of sunshine, a smile, a laugh, or some gay and kindly word, [illegible] forget their disappointments and make the best of what they cannot help.

How much better this than the unvarying precision of one who has no faults and no patience with those who have; who never makes mistakes and makes ill weather for others who do! Accuracy and precision are excellent; punctuality and promptness are invaluable, but "love is the fulfilling of the law," and Christian character is greater than faultlessness [illegible] anything else.

If you are born with sunshine in your heart, thank God for it, and let it shine [illegible] then upward gaze on the [illegible] to catch the [illegible] that beams from His face. [illegible]

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[illegible] We [illegible] in the place of duty [illegible] there is never [illegible] which [illegible] first [illegible] a child of God [illegible] an [illegible] question is [illegible] the [illegible] at the start. [illegible] the danger or the safety of the [illegible] is a [illegible] after [illegible] the path of duty [illegible] protected [illegible] every [illegible] where one had [illegible] from God to be at the time. God is more interested than the man himself, or his family, or his friends, as to the safety of every child of his who is where He has summoned Him to be just now. On that point we can rest assured.—S. S. Times.

Creeds.

Creeds, they say, are changing. But to change a creed does not change Christianity. Religion was before the Bible; it is the creed that is changing. Rev. Dr. Hillis.

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The Malaria Mosquito.

According to the observations of Maj. Ronald Ross in India the germs of malaria are borne, not by the ordinary brindled or gray mosquito, but by his cousin the spotted-winged mosquito. Maj. Ross was recently sent to the west coast of Africa to investigate the sources of malaria there and he reports that, as in India, the spotted-winged mosquito is the agent through which the disease is spread. Italian investigators have also shown that mosquitoes convey the germs of malaria into the blood of human beings.

Books are not furniture, and a library does not consist of cases. Bookcases are bodies necessary only for the protection of the souls of volumes within them. The less care the better, so long as it does its work. Too many persons have the furniture idea in their heads when they think of a library and will first provide a cumbersome, top heavy, over-ornamented receptacle with awkward doors, that in its massiveness dwarfs the volumes it contains and proves to be anything but an ornament to the room it is in, so much the worse for the general aesthetic effect; better plain, open shelves, that exhibit their contents and make them easy of access.—N. Y. Herald.

Raisin-Nut Rice Cakes.

Boil one-half pound of rice until tender and allow it to cool. Then add one-fourth pound each of chopped nuts and chopped raisins; mix well together. Add one well beaten egg, and form into balls. Dip in the white of egg, then in grated cake crumbs (stale sponge cake is best). Drop in hot lard and cook to a golden brown. Serve with whipped cream.—Good Housekeeping.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition: my skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately a friend advised trying Electric Bitters, and to my great joy and surprise the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks and am now a well man. I know they saved my life and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them; only 50c. per bottle at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store.

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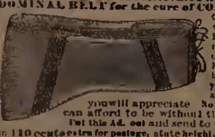

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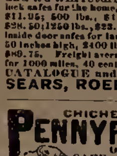

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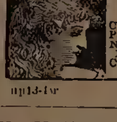

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[Special Arizona Letter.]

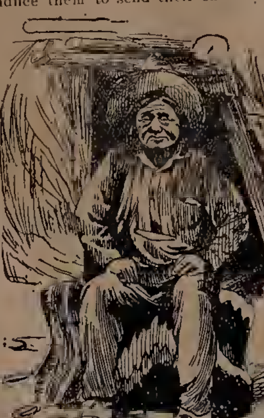
THERE has not been as much wild nonsense and unmitigated falsehood written about any tribe of Indians in the world as about the Yava Supais, or Coconincs, whose home is in Cataract canyon, one of the tributaries of the Grand canyon of the Colorado river, in Arizona. The reasons for this mendacity are clear. The home of the Supais is so difficult of access, and until within the last ten years was so almost inaccessible that not ten white men had ever reached it since the time the Spaniards first discovered the tribe, 350 years ago. They were an exceedingly shy people and most averse to leading anyone to their village, and the trails by which they did descend were so frightful that few would ever recommend their friends to brave the dangers and go.

Ten years ago I first visited them, was well received, and soon after was privileged to become a member of the family of the chief, and henceforth have been regarded as "a Supai with a white face."

The last chief of the tribe was a stern, stalwart old warrior, named Kohot, but generally known to the whites as Capt. Navajo. I once visited him at his royal mansion. He was sitting out of doors on a large deerskin, cross-legged, busily engaged in making for himself a pair of moccasins. His three wives sat near by, engaged in their domestic vocations, and occasionally helping their lord. The youngest squaw was quite good looking, and, at the command of Navajo, went out to the peach orchard and brought [illegible] large basketful of the delicious, ripe peaches, which, in such a spot, so far removed from civilization, seemed especially delicious and palatable.

Navajo, however, was by no means friendly to the white men, or perhaps I ought to say, he would have preferred that they keep away from the Supais. With the eye of a keen observer, he noticed the demoralization that followed contact with the whites amongst the neighboring tribes—especially the Hualpais—and, wisely and patriotically, he wished to avoid having his own people "civilized" in that way.

I was once present at a pow-wow held between the tribes and a special commissioner sent out by United States Indian Commissioner Morgan to investigate their condition, and, if possible, induce them to send their children to the Indian school at Fort Mojave. Never shall I forget the final decision of Navajo, translated by his son "Tom," and delivered with native eloquence and dramatic force: "Tell the great father at Washington that the Supais no want 'em white man—him come steal 'em Supai corn, teach 'em Supai drink whisky, teach 'em Supai gamble; him ask 'em Supai show 'em water hole and spling (spring), and then him no let Supai water him horses there; him ask 'em Supai show 'em mine, and then him say him belong all same white man. Him teach 'em Supai lie; him want to catch 'em Supai squaw. We no want 'em white man—Supai no like 'em." Then, with all the assembled braves of the tribe squatted on the ground around him, he and his one-eyed son the center of the group, the commissioner sitting on one side of the "ha-we," or wickiup, Navajo gave a dramatic summary of the whole question. Making a little heap of sand with one hand he called out: "White man's sugar! Ha-ne-gi!" This latter word means "good." This signified that the offer the commissioner had made of giving them sugar was all right. The whole tribe then solemnly and emphatically repeated the word "Ha-ne-gi." Then one by one Navajo named the other good things the "great father at Washington" had offered them if they would send their children to school, making a small sand heap to represent it, and naming it "ha-ne-gi." The braves repeated in chorus that it was good.



NAVAJO SUPAI CHIEF.

Then Navajo made another sand pile, naming it "white man's school," and exclaiming with vigor and disgust "ha-na-to-op-o-gi" — bad — and with one wide sweep of the hand erasing all the sand piles, the good and the bad, rose to his feet as the men shouted "ha-na-to-op-o-gi," and, bowing to the commissioner, marched silently away. The pow-wow was ended, and the offer of the commissioner refused.

Since that time, through the persistent endeavors of the best friend the Supais have ever had, Mr. W. W. Bass, the government has established a school there, where the children are taught all useful and practical knowledge, sewing, dress-making, knitting, etc., and a farmer gives instruction to the men in caring for their fields and crops. For one of the first things the visitor notices in the canyon where the village is located is the fine character of the soil, and the ease with which the creek can be used for purposes of irrigation. The soil in the whole of the tillable part of the canyon is exceedingly rich, and fine corn, melons, pumpkins, squash, chiles and peaches are grown in profusion.

That the Supais are more provident than many Indian peoples is evidenced by the fact that at certain places near the summit of their lofty and precipitous walls, paintings may be seen, representing ears of corn, which upon inquiry I found to be connected with the following tradition. Many, many years ago the valley was entirely covered with cotton wood and other trees and their flourishing cornfields, and the tribe was prosperous and happy. But one dreadful day a cloudburst came and washed away their "ha-wes" (houses), washed out their corn and drowned a large number of their men, women and children. The survivors were left homeless and without food. That year was an exceedingly hard one to them, and they barely subsisted on the few rats, etc., they could snare and the roots they could dig up. As a result the chief men of the tribe agreed in the future to lay aside a certain proportion of all their corn, peaches, mescal, etc., and store it in one of these inaccessible caves—that is inaccessible from above except by ropes, and perfectly safe from any fear of inundation from below. The paintings of the ears of corn denoted the location of those storehouses.

But of late years this custom has fallen into disrepute. Their excess of peaches and corn is sold to the white people at the nearest points on the railway, and now that they are beginning to sell their produce and the baskets they make they learn to keep the money thus gained until a "rainy day."

At the same time corn and dried peaches are still to be found in these wonderful and elevated granaries. The older men, to whom tradition appeals more powerfully than to the rising generation which is learning "white men's ways" at the school, still believe in keeping a surplus stock in reserve.

While not as accomplished basket-makers as are some other Indian women it is most interesting to watch the squaws engaged in the work of basket-making. They take the willows, strip them and then divide them into "skeins," with which they weave their baskets. They are not so elaborate in pattern, or daintily beautiful in design, execution and color as those of some of the California tribes, still they are well made, and are generally so closely woven that they will hold water. Indeed I have bought many of them that had to be emptied of mutton-broth, mush, batter for making their wafer-bread, etc., before I could bring them away. As soon as a girl is able to walk she is taught to weave.

Most white people would find it hard work to cook in a basket, but the Supais have been doing it for many generations. They have two methods. The simplest and most primitive way is to drop stones that have been heated in the camp fire into the water, or whatever other liquid is to be boiled or cooked. This, of course, requires constant attention, for as soon as a stone cools it must be fished out, placed in the fire and reheated before it can again be used.

The other method is to cover the basket with a thick layer of clay and sand, and then use it as an ordinary earthenware vessel, putting it directly over the coals.

According to our scientific experts it was by the falling from the basket of one of these clay bottoms that the art of pottery-making was discovered. Finding the bowl-shaped clay-basket separated from the wicker basket, the attention of the primitive Indian was directed to the possibilities of clay as an article for the manufacture of a vessel that would hold water, and once the principle was discovered it was easy to progress until pottery was made of all shapes and sizes desired.

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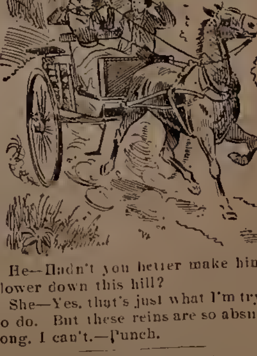


He—Hadn't you better make him go slower down this hill?

She—Yes, that's just what I'm trying to do. But these reins are so absurdly long, I can't.—Punch.

According to Statistics.

No young woman ever came
To fame
Dragging with her such a name
As Mayme.
—Chicago Tribune.

Something of a Hint.

"Stolen kisses are sweetest," he said.

"How I dislike a man who doesn't practice what he preaches," she returned.

Occasionally a man has to be jarred before he realizes what is going on.—Chicago Post.

The Mark of the Lydy.

The house surgeon of a London hospital was attending to the injuries of a poor woman whose arm had been severely bitten. As he was dressing the wound he said:

"I cannot make out what sort of a creature bit you. This is too small for a horse's bite and too large for a dog's."

"Oh, sir," replied the patient, "it wasn't a animal; it was another lydy."

BIG TRUCK AND BIG TEAM.

How the Heavy Cables for San Francisco Street Cars Are Transported.

San Francisco is the home of the cable road, and it contains the biggest truck for hauling the big cables used for street railway traffic and the largest team of horses ever put together to draw a single load. The numbers of cables in use in San Francisco and the frequency with which the manufacturers are called upon to move them, led to the invention of the truck, which weighs in itself 15 tons. It has two wheels behind and four smaller wheels in front, the four in front being arranged on a single line. These front wheels are on two separate axles, and the team has two tongues. This allows the two sets of front wheels to be moved independently of each other, and in case of need they may be turned at opposite angles and made to serve as an additional brake to the truck. The Fulton street cable is 31,000 feet long, and the entire load weighed 130,000 pounds. To support such a weight a wheel of special manufacture was necessary. The wheels are 16 inches broad and have a core of iron. They have two tires. Between the core and the inner tire the space is filled in with wooden wedges, so ingeniously arranged that the weight of the load has a tendency to draw the wedges together rather than force them apart. Between the outer and inner tires there is another and similar arrangement of wedges. The low body of the truck is of wood.

The cables are loaded on between the rear trucks, which are just wide enough apart to permit the passage of the reel, and the process of loading takes about an hour. They may be unloaded in 20 minutes.

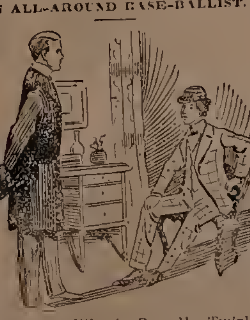
The team which draws this truck varies according to the size of the cable to be drawn. The smallest is composed of 36 horses. When a cable of large size is to be hauled in rainy weather 60 horses are used. These horses are arranged four abreast, but the pair on the right of each four is attached to the truck independently of the pair on the left. This arrangement continues throughout the team, so that in reality the team is made up of two parallel teams, harnessed two abreast and drawing from independent axles and tongues. The entire line of 28 horses on the right can be swung to the right and the line of 28 on the left swung in that direction, turning the two pairs of wheels in front in opposite directions and forming an effective brake in case the strap brake on the rear wheels fails to hold on a steep grade. The horses are driven in sets of four, the drivers usually riding one horse and managing the one at the side and the two in front. Sometimes the drivers walk beside the team.

On asphalt streets, no matter how nearly level the street may appear to the ordinary load, it is always uphill work for this truck when loaded. The enormous weight has a tendency to make the asphalt pile up in front of the wheels, and it seems a constant climb. In wet weather the resistance requires extra power, hence the use of additional horses.—San Francisco Chronicle.

What She Said.

She said he talked just like a book,
So his face wore a flattered look
Until the compliment was null,
When she said: "I find reading dull."
—Chicago Record.

AN ALL-AROUND BASE-BALLIST.



Hobson — What! Does MacTwirler, the pitcher, sing in the choir?

Jobson—Yes, he's a baseballer on week days and a bass bawler Sundays.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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Friend—You have given her one of the best pews in the church.

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But now, for awhile, we shall cast our smile
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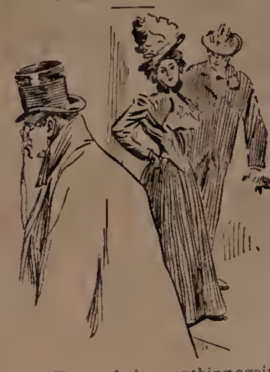
A SMALL MATTER.



She—Has my father anything against you?

He—Only a judgment.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Vegetable Roast.

Two cupfuls of strained stewed tomatoes, two cupfuls of cooked lentils (measured after being rubbed through a colander), four eggs, two tablespoonfuls of nut butter, five soda crackers rolled fine, one teaspoonful of finely powdered and sifted sage and one finely minced onion; season to taste, turn into a baking dish and bake in the oven until quite dry. Serve in slices with nut gravy.—Ladies' World.

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WRENTHAM.

Mrs. John Wills is sick at her residence Chestnut avenue.——The next meeting of the Holly club will be held with Mrs. Daniel Farrington.——The friends of Mrs. Athalia Howard, mother of Mrs. Sanford Cobb, hung her a well filled May basket last night. The company were then invited into the house and a social time was enjoyed.——The D. D. G. M.'s, S. W. Crook and suite, paid an official visit to Wampum lodge, No. 195, I. O. O. F., Thursday evening, to witness the working of the initiatory degree.——The poles for the electric line were laid as far as the residence of S. S. Allen Thursday morning. The lumber for replanking the Franklin street bridge has arrived and the arms are on the poles as far as George Barnes'.——It is reported that the electric cars will be running on May 30.

Meat Cooked by Cold.

Anyone who has ever picked up with a bare hand a piece of intensely cold iron knows that the touch burns almost as badly as if the metal were red hot. Indeed, the action of great heat and extreme cold are so similar that a Hungarian chemist has turned the latter to account to prepare meats for food. He subjects the meat to 60 degrees of frost, and then seals it up in air-tight cans. The result is that the meat, which is practically "cooked by cold," will keep any time, and can be eaten with very little further preparation.

Overheard in the Kitchen.

"I s'pose a bargain's a [illegible] Miss Miami Brown, "an' I s'g[illegible] to it. But I wished I hadn't [illegible] p'int I did befo' I took dis service place."

"What did you 'sist on?"

"I said I mus' hab de same to eat as de white folks. An' some meals dey doesn' hab nuffin' but crackers an' olives, an' caviare an' Roakfort cheese. Nex' time I goes ter work, I's gwanter specify po'k chops an' cabbage."—Washington Star.

Transvaal's Lack.

There are no textile mills of any importance in the Transvaal, and, in consequence, large quantities of cottons and woolens have to be imported.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "Kipling's Story of the Ship that Found Herself." At 5, sermon on "Early Christian Ideas of a Future Life." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D., on "Public Worship." Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30; consecration service. Evening service at 7.30; theme, "The Name of God Found Four Times in the Book of Esther."

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. W. E. Witter of Boston. Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Preaching by pastor at 7.30, the first in series of discourses on "Fine Arts;" theme, "The Fine Art of Christian Love." Short after service in vestry.

Methodist church.—Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor, the first of a series on the general subject "The Sacred Feast, or the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper;" special subject, "Unity in Christ, Manifest in Church Fellowship." Sacrament of Lord's supper. Sunday school at 12. Junior league at 3.30. Epworth league at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30; subject, "Christian Fraternity."

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Unreasonable.

Bramble—I wish my wife hadn't taken in that course of lectures on "First Aid to the Injured."

Thorne—Why?

Bramble—She seems to think I ought to break my arm or something just to give her a chance to show what she has learned.—N. Y. Journal.

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But buy me a cart from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

M IS for Mother, the angel of bliss,
Who makes home a heaven with one loving kiss
A smile lights her features when friends call and knock
To see baby's Cart from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

N IS for Naughty, the word that is clear
When papa leaves baby and calls for his beer
Just in for a quaff with the foam on the Bock.
Then off with that Coach from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

O IS for Orchard, where green apples grow.
When baby gets older he'll find them, you know.
We've been there and feel he'll need health for the shock.
Brace him up in a Coach from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

P IS for Paris, where girls put on style.
That great "Expo. free trip" beguiles us to smile.
When Brother John goes, may we wheel to the dock
The Prince in a Coach from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

Q IS for Quarter, the coin baby took
And swallowed in laughter while poor mamma shook.
She hustled the dear like a shot for the "Doc."
In a Go-Cart at hand from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

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Hoax—Your cold seems worse.

Joax—Yes; I went to see a doctor this morning and coughed up two dollars.—Philadelphia Record.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending May 2, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. Jas. F. Adams, Miss Mary I. Pendleton, Mrs. G. A. Nelson, Mrs. Geo. B. Stratton, Mrs. Ernest Watson, Miss Gertrude Wright.

Gentlemen—Franklin Mills, Domenico Lepris, G. H. McQueen, N. D. Price, Edw. Proctor, E. E. Sumner, Peter Collins.

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B for biscuits of all the best brands,
C for crackers and clams for chowder,
D for doughnuts and Dalmation powder,
E for extracts of Baker's best make,
F for fish that will make fine fish cakes,
G for groceries kept neat and in shape,
H for honey to eat on wheat cakes,
I for Indian corn meal and ink,
J for fruit juice for a summer drink,
K for Kennedy, whose goods we stand by,
L for lemons that make a nice pie,
M for mince meat, molasses and mace,
N for Nestle's, whose milk suits the taste,
O for onions, a sure cure for the croup,
P for potatoes to eat in your soup,
Q for Quaker, those rolled oats so nice,
R for raisins for puddings and rice,
S for sugar, sand soap and saleratus,
T for tubs, tapioca and tomatoes,
U for undoubtedly the cheapest in town,
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W for with hazel that makes one strong,
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of William M. Thayer, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Rebecca W. Thayer, executrix of the will of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of her administration upon the estate of said deceased,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the ninth day of May, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said executrix is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this sixteenth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Alice G. Cowell, late of Wrentham, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Aaron B. Cole of Wrentham, or to some other suitable person, without giving surety on his bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-third day of May, A.D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this first day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Collector's Notice.

The owners of the following described parcels of real estate in the town of Medway, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon assessed for the year within specified, according to the list committed to me by the assessors of taxes, remain unpaid, and that the said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Town Clerk's office in said Medway, on

MONDAY, MAY 14, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the cost and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

Franklin Savings Bank or Owner—About two and one-half acres of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the south side of Village street, in the westerly part of Medway; bounded on the north by New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, east by land of Mrs. N. E. Parker, south by Charles river, west by land of Mrs. Edith C. Rodgers; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $161.79.

L. A. Chapman or Owner—About one-quarter acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the north side of Village street, in the westerly part of Medway; bounded on the north by land of F. L. Smith, south by Village street, east by land of Grayson Cronk, land of Mrs. Clifton E. Seavey, land of Fred C. Clark, west by land of Mrs. Richard Whalen; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $24.15.

Hugh Lyons—About (38) thirty-eight acres of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the west side of West street, in the westerly part of Medway; bounded on the north by land of heirs of Aaron Wight, south by land of heirs of Seth Wight, west by land of Sarah Simpson, east by West street; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $22.05.

Helen A. Merrill—About one acre of land situated on the west side of Oakland street, in the easterly part of Medway, and known as part of "Gladstone Heights;" bounded on the north by land of Putnam Clark and land of Isaiah Cousins, east by land of Putnam Clark and land of Isaiah Cousins and land of Herbert J. Mann, south by land of estate of William Jencks, west by land of Ambrose Mareau; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $3.36.

George S. Lovejoy—About five acres of land on Oakland street, in the easterly part of Medway, and known as "Gladstone Heights;" bounded on the north by land of Putnam Clark and land of Isaiah Cousins, east by land of Putnam Clark and land of Isaiah Cousins and land of Herbert J. Mann, south by land of estate of William Jencks, west by land of Ambrose Mareau; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $25.52.

Dennis J. Bresnahan or Owner—About fourteen and three quarters acres of land, situated on the south side of Village street, in the southerly part of Medway, and known as the "Kenney Section;" bounded on the north by Village street, south by Charles river, west by land of E. C. Wilson, east by land of Mrs. Frank Nealon and land of Mrs. Francis Karnes; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $18.59.

A. C. Walworth, Administrator—About one-half acre of land, with buildings thereon, situated on the east side of Holliston street, in the easterly part of Medway; bounded on the north by land of John P. Grant, south by land of Thos. Mullen, east by land of Mrs. Jesse Darling and by land of Mrs. Lucy T. Snow, west by Holliston street; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $37.80.

James H. Wentworth—About fifty-five and one-half acres of land, with buildings thereon, situated on the north side of Village street, in the easterly part of Medway; bounded on the north by land of heirs of J. P. Peck, land of Willard K. Ellis and land of heirs of Sewall Sanford, east by Farm street, south by land of Mrs. Maria Gallagher, land of Ellen Mawn and Village street, west by land of Lawrence McGinnids; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, $159.39.

GEO. F. MADDEN,
Collector of Taxes for 1899.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Eliza A. Cook, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Bliss Cook of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the sixteenth day of May, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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If you want to buy or sell anything, have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

Herman M Fisher 1Jan00

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
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Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
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West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Feeley on Thursday.

Alphonso Briggs of Stoughton visited friends here Sunday.

Miss Hattie Porter has returned to her home in Searsport, Me.

Charles F. Nye returned on Saturday from a trip to Washington.

James Murray of Ruggles street is seriously ill with lung trouble.

Bert Turner has secured a position in a grocery store in Uxbridge.

Miss Emma Colby of Natick spent Sunday with friends in town.

The Franklin House and the J. G. Ray engine house are being reshingled.

Miss Huntress from Cambridge is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. H. Porter.

The Dean and High school teams will play ball on the campus Friday afternoon.

Dean will play the Tech. freshmen of Boston on the campus tomorrow afternoon.

Indications point to a large attendance from out of town at the Summer Dress party.

Caterer Fairfield will furnish refreshments at the Summer Dress party, May 10.

Henry Lilja and family, formerly living on Pleasant street, removed to Milford on Saturday.

The Ladies' Social circle will meet with Mrs. Lovell Metcalf, Central street, Wednesday afternoon.

R. W. Mayo of Monroe, Me., is spending a few days with his nephew, C. H. Porter, of Maple street.

Maroney Bros. moved their horses and rolling stock into their new barn on Washington street yesterday.

Mrs. W. H. Jackson will attend the sixth annual meeting of the Daughters of Liberty in Boston tomorrow.

Charles H. Partridge of Woonsocket was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George I. Partridge, on Sunday.

Miss Katie McDougall, sister of J. B. McKinnon, has just come here from Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, to keep house for him.

E. E. Hubbard of Boston has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late Sabin Hubbard in a bond of $1,200.

William M. Comey has been appointed census taker for the town of Norfolk. A good selection, as he knows the ground thoroughly.

The walls of both the new brick tenements at Unionville are now up, the roofs are on and work on the interiors is now being done.

Workmen are tearing down the 50-foot brick chimney at the Singleton Worsted mill, it having been replaced by a fine iron structure last fall.

Miss Rose McDermott fell down the cellar stairs at her home on Friday evening and was badly shaken up. She mistook the cellar for the hall door.

If you don't want to serve on a jury do as the New Jersey man did who told the judge he "had the dyspepsia and never agreed with anybody, and didn't want the state put to expense in a second trial of any case."

Business at the textile works, Unionville, is reported as very good. All of the machines are not yet running, as the full number of hands has not been secured.

The types made us say last Friday that Mr. McCarthy's speediest trotter went for $16. It was simply a misplaced punctuation point. Of course it should have been $1,600.

The 11 months'-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ingalls of Howard street died Saturday morning. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon, the interment being in Union street cemetery.

Station Agent Judd was called into Boston this week with other agents of this division, nearly 100, to be measured for the new spring uniforms. When he appears in his new regalia don't subject him to the old chestnut by asking "where was the fire."

The Brown freshmen won from Dean on Saturday in a hard-hitting contest, the visitors having the lead from the start. The academy boys, however, made a good stand and played hard to win, but the odds were against them. Score: Brown 16, Dean 8.

Students at Dean have provided a fine entertainment for Friday evening in aid of the Athletic association, the two plays being "Thirty Minutes for Refreshments" and "The Happy Pair." These dramatic entertainments are always enjoyable, and a fine presentation is assured.

H. W. Gay has purchased a restaurant at 171 West Springfield street, Boston, called the "Griswold Cafe," and he reports it to appear to be a very desirable opening. Of course he would be glad to see his Franklin friends there at any time. C. H. Gay will be in charge.

The road department has nearly completed the spring cleaning of highways outside the village, and about a week more will finish the outside brushing up. Saturday the department was on Prospect street, South Franklin, where there is always something to do after a rain.

The Trowbridge and Textile teams played a lively game of ball on the Indian Rock park diamond Saturday afternoon, the Trowbridge experts finally taking their opponents into camp, 15 to 11. The batteries were Smith and McKenzie for Trowbridge and the Cross brothers for Textile.

A number from here saw the Boston-Philadelphia game in Boston on Saturday, the former winning, 13 to 10. The rank and file of base ball enthusiasts in town are rather against the Bostons, and therefore do not feel greatly disturbed because the one-time champions are grovelling along absolutely at the foot of the ladder.

The May meeting of the Norfolk Christian Endeavor union will be held at the Congregational church in Millis on Tuesday, May 15, and the following will be the order of exercises: Praise and devotional exercises commencing at 7.30; address of welcome; reports and business; reports of societies; address; consecration.

All the dogs have not been licensed yet, although some of them, according to the estimates of the owners, are very valuable, even up to $500. Oftentimes, however, the appraisal would vary very materially from the value on the same animals if estimated by outside parties. Some citizens claim that, like Indians, the only good dog is a dead dog.

About twenty five of the friends of J. J. Stewart called on him Saturday evening to enjoy a "surprise party" in honor of his 41st birthday. They were made to feel perfectly at home, and a most enjoyable evening was spent, with refreshments, games, music, etc. Before leaving, they presented him with a fine shaving set as a memento of the occasion.

Two mortgagee sales took place Saturday. Several lots of land belonging to the Kimball farm on Forest street were put up at auction to satisfy a claim of the Benjamin Franklin savings bank. There were no bidders, so the property goes to the bank. The McLellan place on Pleasant street, near the Norfolk line, was sold to I. E. Darling for $1,180, which covers the claim against the property.

The following citizens of Norfolk county have been drawn from this section to serve as jurors at the Norfolk Superior court, civil term, which came in at Dedham Monday morning: Hubbard M. Bullock, Franklin, real estate agent; Charles H. Cole, Medway, farmer; William L. Cook, Bellingham, peddler; Hiram A. Cowell, Wrentham, retired manufacturer; Austin A. Jones, Norfolk, farmer.

Friday evening the selectmen granted innholders' licenses to the Franklin House and to Hotel Briggs, and victuallers' licenses to Willis A. Fairfield and E. P. Blackmar. Blackmar was also given a billiard hall license. Bills were approved. When the attempt was made to turn on the electric lights it was found that the fuse was gone and the session opened and continued with the light of candles until the electric man could appear and fix things.

On Friday the members of the Mother's section enjoyed a change in their program by listening to a description of the many points of interest in a trip abroad, vividly portrayed by Mrs. Farnum, and made still more interesting by her many fine photographs which were displayed. The next meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. Farrington Friday, May 11. Papers by Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mrs. Nye and Mrs. Estelle Stewart.

The following pupils of Primary school No. 2 were neither absent or tardy during the month of April: Gardner Barnstead, Walter Bristow, Carleton Corbin, Erwin Cummings, Irwin Daniels, Edwin Ferrer, Harry Gray, Herbert Gray, Erving Hurd, Franklyn Hurd, Carl Johnson, George Joyce, Emma King, Chester Ledbury, Esmah Metcalf, Hortense Razee, Mildred Rockwood, Grace Russell, Raymond Smith, Willard Smith, Russell Stewart, Robert Winters.

Our housekeepers will be glad to know that there never was such an abundance of fruit and produce in the Southern states as this year. There is a great plenty of peaches in Georgia, thousands of bushels in excess of any quantity grown for years. The strawberry outlook is just as good. When it comes time for Virginia and Maryland berries to be shipped north, they will arrive in such amount that strawberry shortcake will be easy eating for everybody.

Manager Partridge had a chance to book "Sapho" here, but he "turned it down." In Milford it was booked, but some doubts were expressed as to whether or not it would be allowed to be produced. Following the course taken in several other large towns and cities, a petition of remonstrance has been circulated which has been signed by every clergyman in town and by many prominent citizens. The selectmen under the circumstances refused permission for the play to be given there.

It was intended to have men go to work last week on the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket Street Railway company's line to Milford via Caryville, but owing to the delay in the arrival of a special piece of construction, a frog or a switch point, the work has not yet been started. The place of the delay is at Camp's corner, Caryville, at the junction of the Medway division of the Milford, Holliston & Framingham road, with extension of the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket Street railway. As soon as the material arrives the work will be commenced.

In reference to the curfew law the Framingham Gazette thus sizes up the situation: "One beauty about this is that it costs nothing and it may do a lot of good. There is no mistaking the fact that young ones of childish age are about nights later and oftener than is conducive to good manners and good morals. Parents ought to make the family law that calls children home before 9 o'clock, but if there are parents in Framingham who cannot or will not have their children in the house at a reasonable hour let us have a statute that will aid that end."

Base ball enthusiasts will be interested to know that the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket Street Railway officials have shown themselves alive to company interests by promptly appointing a committee to consult with the base ball association about local ball grounds in Milford as soon as the matter was officially brought to their attention. At a meeting of directors last week Contractor Tylee was instructed to see what could be done about securing available grounds between Milford and South Milford, and several possible locations will doubtless be inspected there within a few days.

Rev. Michael J. Sullivan, curate of St. Mary's parish, received notice on Thursday from Archbishop Williams of his transfer to St. Michael's parish, Brockton. He left Saturday noon for his new field of labor. Word of Father Sullivan's intended departure was learned with sincere regret by the parishioners of St. Mary's, and many called to bid him farewell. Father Sullivan came to St. Mary's parish from Boston last June, and he was the first curate stationed here, this being his first appointment since his ordination a little over a year ago. During his labors here the curate has earned the respect and love of all the members of St. Mary's, and regret is expressed on all sides at his departure.

N. E. Newell and Richard N. White have received appointments as census enumerators for Franklin, which comprises two districts. They are the same division as made in the census of 1895 and previously. The state census of 1890 was taken by Sabin Hubbard, now deceased, and Mr. Newell. At that time Mr. Newell's district, the same as his new appointment covers, had 850 more population than Mr. Hubbard's. The difference will probably be less now than at that time, although the latter district has not probably gained many hundreds. Most of the foreign and transient population are in Mr. Newell's district. Work begins June 1, and is expected to occupy about a month. Mr. White is a student in the Tufts college scientific department.

Sunday morning Rev. Dr. Hodge based his remarks at the Universalist church on Kipling's story of "The Ship That Found Herself," taking as a basis the words in the parable of the prodigal son, "When he came to himself." The speaker claimed that this parable shows the essential part of the declination and future of mankind; that all would finally come to themselves in a triumph of good over evil. When men learn the intention of God and understand themselves the elements of character adjust themselves to each other, just as the parts of the ship modify each other, contravening the intensity of action and making the whole a complete success.

Miss Ethel Hornick, formerly instructor in elocution at Dean, is making commendable headway in the dramatic profession. The Boston Times recently had the following pleasant note in regard to her: "It was unnecessary for the press agent to tell Boston people that Ethel Hornick, who took the part of an old maid in "Trelawney of the Wells," is in real life young and extremely good looking." Miss Hornick is a Boston girl, and her work as a student at the Emerson college, and later as a member of our fashionable amateur club, the Criterions, made her pretty well known and a great favorite in the best set here, before she took up a professional career."

Rev. Mr. Sneath observed the first anniversary of his pastorate on last Sabbath in the Congregational church. He made reference to the prosperity which had attended the church and remarked that to him the most satisfactory fact of the year was the excellent attendance at public worship. The conditions of the church, spiritually and financially, have been very good. During the year the parish expended $3,500, the Ladies' Benevolent society $187, the Sabbath school $126, the Mary Warfield Missionary society $113, and the Y. P. S. C. E. $166, making a total of $4092. This of course includes all monies for expenses and benevolences. The new year opens in a very auspicious manner. The pews have rented in a very satisfactory manner and the members of the church and congregation are enthusiastic to support all the varied interests of the church.

"O'Hooligan's Wedding," which will be at Morse Opera house next Saturday evening, will cause everybody present to laugh and laugh heartily. Some of the attractions are Conroy and Mack, the Irish aristocrats; the little magnets, Jackson and Douglas, who are big favorites; the king and queen of comedy, Barr and Benton; those famous German dispensers of German wit, Whitley and Bell; Bobby Matthews, the eccentric comedian; the cake walk of all Nations the funniest novelty on record; the celebrated comedian, George Dupree, who plays the jolly Dutchman, Klotz; that dainty soubrette, Miss Libbie Depree, as Mrs. Klotz; the Misses Gildea and Daytell, up to date song and dance artists, and a number of pretty girls in the chorus. Uneeda laugh. Ugeta scream when you see O'Hooligan's Wedding.

The New Postmaster.

Congressman Sprague has written to friends here that he sent the name of ex Postmaster Henry A. Talbot for confirmation last week, and the chances are that action will be taken upon the nomination very shortly. In a case like this, where there is no opposition, the endorsement of the congressman is equivalent to an appointment, as such cases are left by the President largely in the hands of the representative from the district. As Postmaster Conroy's term expired the first of May, it is expected there will be little delay in inducting his successor into office. There is one thing to be said: Mr. Talbot having been the former incumbent, the affairs of the office will go right on without the slightest friction or confusion which always results from a change in a public office of this nature. Mr. Talbot will pick things up just where he left them, and patrons of the office will scarcely know that a change has been made. It will be remembered that when Mr. Conroy was appointed to succeed him the change was purely a political one, Mr. Talbot's public service having been satisfactory in every respect.

Mr. Conroy will doubtless retire with the same feeling, a feeling to which he is honestly entitled. He has proven a most satisfactory and obliging official, and it is safe to say that he cannot long want for a good position. "Le roi est mort; vive le roi."

Do You Want Bargains?

You always get them when you buy "Orient" cycles, but just now we can make you a special offer. We have several sample wheels, which have only been run a few miles; they are just as good as the day they left the factory, but to close them out we will give a special price on them for the next ten days. If you are to buy this season now is the time. Call and examine.

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A clean fish market, complete stock of sea-food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Memorial Day.

Memorial day is rapidly approaching, and sharper and sharper grows the contest between those who feel that the day should be devoted largely to the purposes for which it was intended, and those who prefer to have the day given up to rest, recreation and sports. Of late it has largely degenerated into a day of sports, and possibly because it is the first holiday in the year in which out of door weather can be enjoyed.

Indeed, it is asserted by those who prefer the day for sports, that since these memorial exercises are so largely of a semi religious nature, the preceding Sabbath should be devoted to the annual exercises, which are now continued year by year through the loving remembrance of former comrades in arms. Be that as it may, it is a fact that the sporting side of the day is slowly obtaining the patronage and attention of the public, however much the opposite should be the case.

We have a duty to the dead and we cannot pay it by proxy. The annual exercises which the veterans conduct in no way pay our debt. The nation owes its existence to those men, and too little these days is it mindful of that debt. Whatever lack of observance there may be upon the part of any is not due to thoughtlessness. On the other hand, the profanation, if such it be, is deliberate, and therefore all the more blameworthy.

The remedy, however, is difficult to see. To so arouse our people to a realization of what we owe to those who faced the foe, endured the hardships, taking their lives in their hands and accepting their fate without a murmur because of their love of country, ought not to be difficult, but it is. As the years go by the war with its unpleasant memories is forgotten in the blessings which we accept as ours by right, forgetful of the cost to others; the sacrifices which others made and the hardships which others endured.

Youth sets the pace for the generation of today, and youth has little recollection and less appreciation of the awful days of '61 and '65. If, then, youth will not respect the day the burden must continue to fall, as it has in the past, upon the shoulders of those whose locks are whitening, whose steps are faltering and whose ranks are thinning with each recurrence of the day, till finally the memory of the past and the sight of the last survivor of that terrible conflict shall awaken the nation to its duty and, loving hearts shall consecrate themselves to a lasting perpetuation of the day.

The Last of Earth.

Adelbert D. Thayer and William H. Sweatt, together with E. Charles Francis, Charles E. Thomas and Samuel P. Cook of Woonsocket, and Walter S. Ballou of Providence, were the bearers at the funeral of Chester B. Smith in Woonsocket on Sunday. A special electric car took many from here to the funeral, which was very largely attended by relatives and friends from Woonsocket, Providence, Franklin and other places. The services were conducted by Rev. Charles J. White, D. D., of the Universalist church, assisted by Rev. William Sheafe Chase, rector of St. James' church. The ushers were Latimer Willis Ballou, Louis B. Sweatt and Charles Nourse Cook, the latter of Providence.

The music was of a very beautiful nature, Harry Ballou having it in charge, and the singing was by the St. Andrew's chapel vested boy choir of fourteen voices, in which Mr. Smith had always felt a deep interest and to the support of which he had generously contributed. The floral tributes were very numerous and exceedingly beautiful. The burial was at Oak Hill cemetery, where there was a short prayer service.

Mr. Smith was well known here, and there is general regret at his death, as he possessed the characteristics that go to create and to retain friendship. Deceased was a man of a singularly sweet and attractive disposition, a favorite with all who knew him. His death, while in the prime of his manhood, brings a feeling of sadness, and the family have the sincere sympathy of hundreds of friends in their bereavement.

More Pictures.

Again the William M. Thayer school has been most fortunate through the kindness of Miss Lydia Ray, who has just presented four beautiful pictures to Miss Reilly's and Mr. Frazer's rooms. Respectively in the two rooms you will find "Ann Hathaway's Cottage" and "Stratford-on-Avon," and "The Shepherdess" and "The Gleaners," by Millet.

The pictures are a great addition to the adornment of the rooms and Miss Ray certainly has the sincere thanks and gratitude of all connected in any way with Franklin's public schools. F.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

"The Fine Arts."

Rev. F. B. Sleeper gave the first in his series of sermons on "The Fine Arts" in the Baptist church Sunday evening. His theme was "The Fine Art of Christian Love." He spoke of entering into the great art galleries both in this country and abroad, and of the thrilling interest that he realized for long hours in such places. But there is a fine art as superior to these as the stars are higher than the earth. It is the heavenly science of pure love to God and to men. An ambitious pupil is proud of being trained by a superior teacher and to interweave his instruction into the very fibres of his highest being. Our teacher is Jesus Christ, the supreme Master of the heavenly and eternal arts. And the exaltation and refinement of our life depends on our making His thought the passion and law of the soul.

He teaches and trains according to a new philosophy—love toward men and toward our enemies. Our prejudices and hatreds are childish and worse than foolish in His sight. They are a curse unto humanity and kill out the divine. The entire being is to be thoroughly impassioned with profound, unselfish love for friend and foe. Then we begin to reach the altitude of God and move in perfect harmony with the deep and everlasting affection of Jehovah who bestows His blessing "both on the just and on the unjust." The theme next Sunday evening will be "The Fine Art of Christian Development."

What the Church Carpet Cost.

The Chicago Advance gives the following estimate of the direct and collateral cost of a church carpet. The price was $800, but as the women of the church raised the money by giving entertainments the pastor's estimate was that when all the items of cost were figured in the carpet had cost fully $4000.

He reached this astonishing total by estimating the work, worry, nervous strain bodily weariness and headaches of 100 women, the heroic efforts of men, women and children to eat the things which were to be eaten and hear, see or buy things which had been provided to extract money from them; the colds, fevers and other ailments contracted while attending the entertainments and the consequent doctor's bills; the money spent in other churches, for if they come to your entertainment you must go to theirs, and, worst and most costly of all, the demoralization of the church and the curtailment of the legitimate giving which follow in the train of such methods of raising money. But they got the carpet.

The following rules are said to be reliable for carrying a person to a green old age: "Keep cool, don't get excited, don't overload the stomach, don't eat late suppers, don't smoke all the time after you get out of bed in the morning until you retire at night, and take a snooze after dinner."

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Sale—A quantity of manure. Inquire of K. R. Jewett.

Baby carriage for sale. Good as new. Can be seen at 31 Peck street. 8,11*

Up stairs tenement to let on Central street. Inquire of A. M. Haggart. 6tf

Wanted—Capable Protestant girl for general housework. Mrs. T. L. Martin. 6tf

To Let—House and stable on Central street. Some land if wanted. Apply to Mrs. M. A. Pond, P. O. Box 141, Franklin. 8

Orders for Allen's wood yard taken here can be transmitted by telephone at once.

To Rent—House on Winter street with barn and carriage house. Emily F. Aldrich. 8,11*

For Sale—An extra good farm wagon, used very little, good as new. Inquire of R. A. Stewart or J. D. Hatch, East street. 8,15*

Girl Wanted—To assist in housework in small family. Apply to Box 609, Franklin. 8,11*

Wanted—A woman to wash and clean by the hour every Wednesday or Thursday. Box 682. 8*

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

One thousand fine pansy plants, 500 geranium plants, 1,000 aster plants, also a full line of vegetable plants for sale at Slade's greenhouse.

To Rent—Small, convenient tenement at low rent within few rods of post office. A. C. Dana, Dana block. 27-tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. See Chas. H. Prince, SENTINEL Office.

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TUESDAY, MAY 8, 1900.

IT'S about time for this May weather to March away.

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IT looks like Long, but how that Woodruff fle Tim!

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BRYAN refuses to bury silver. Well, silver'll bury him, then.

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SAD as it may seem Pingree appears to be very "small potatoes" just now.

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IF the Philippine war is over why don't Otis bring his army back with him?

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THAT was a very "Vet" river, but the British got across it. Roberts work is beginning to be veldt.

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THERE are a great many people who think that the steel and wire trust spells its name the wrong way. It does look so.

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THAT order of the Boston Board of Health that the tonsorial artists must be cleaner and keep cleaner is truly barberous.

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KIPLING'S "Absent Minded Beggar" has procured for the British war fund nearly a half million dollars. Kipling was a very successful beggar.

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CLARK of Montana is going to try again for the senate and this time he'll get it, but of course he will be more careful how he distributes his money.

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THESE ovations to Dewey are directed to his admiralship and not to his aspirations as president. He may make the mistake of not realizing that distinction.

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THE girls at Radcliffe got into "A Copper Complication" last week, and got out of it easier than most "lambs" do. It's probably because they were "dears."

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MAYOR VAN WYCK of New York is interested in the ice trust, which has the city by the throat. Oh, well; it'll be hot enough for him by and by, in spite of his corner on ice.

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MARK TWAIN'S announcement that he is coming home to accept the presidency is the best yet. His platform is good; every plank is sound, and he will win—if no one else runs.

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DELEGATES to the Kansas City Democratic convention will have to be very careful, for in spite of the fine, strong-looking building there are sure to be a number of weak planks in the platform.

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SECRETARY LONG censures Capt. Chadwick for abusing Schley, but it is safe to say had it been Sampson that had been abused by Chadwick he wouldn't have been let off with a reprimand. It all depends on whose bull is gored.

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THE seed of popular sentiment in favor of electing senators by popular vote is germinating, and must bear fruit later. It is not impossible that Quay might be led to favor it now, as he has had so much trouble with his legislature. We say "his" advisedly.

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A WALTHAM justice ordered as punishment for lads brought before him for some trifling misdemeanor that they be spanked, and the order was carried out in court. If the job was well done it was a far better lesson to them than to have their parents pay a fine.

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JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER and his brother Frank have aired some of their soiled linen in public and Frank now leaves the church which his brother attends. Large gifts and a long face is not always a definite assurance of a Christian spirit. Frank's story reads plausibly enough.

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EMPEROR WILLIAM is to visit the Paris exposition. A few years ago it would hardly have been a safe thing to do, and it may not be unattended with risks now, as there are so many irresponsible persons about. But His Royal "I"ness isn't a coward and thinks he'll get enough out of it to pay.

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JONES, the beer man of New Hampshire, a former Democrat, was welcomed with open arms into the highest councils of the Republican party and made a presidential delegate. The Republican managers must have overlooked his beer keg and looked at his bar'l, which may account for his warm reception.

Hot on the Trail of Coffee!

What will you take to try a single pound of Chase & Sanborn's High-Grade Coffee?

All beginnings are hard, as the theif said when he began by stealing an anvil. But listen to the facts!

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EXPERIMENTAL FARMS.

By the Aid of Practical Education Agriculture Is Encouraged in New South Wales.

The importance attached by the various Australian governments to the encouragement of agriculture, especially by the diffusion of practical knowledge is shown in the fact that in most of the colonies a department of agriculture has been established, the official head of which is a member of the colonial ministry. In New South Wales the necessity for providing the means of technical agricultural education, and establishing a college and model farms in various parts of the colony, became fully recognized, and a site suitable for a central establishment was selected at Ham Common, near the town of Richmond, in the Hawkesbury district about 39 miles from Sydney, where an area of about 4,000 acres was resumed for the purpose. The buildings and furnishings of the college and farm now in their seventh year of existence were completed in January, 1896, and officially opened on the 14th of April of the same year. Accommodation is provided for 96 resident students, and during 1898 there was a full roll. Theoretical as well as practical instruction is imparted by experts in every branch of agriculture, and experimental work is carried on with cereal and other crops fertilizers are tested, analyses of soils are made and the arts of dishorning and spaying cattle, with other veterinary surgeon practices, are taught. The live stock attached to the farm and college comprises 46 horses, 57 bullocks 151 head of dairy cattle, 140 pigs and 1[illegible] sheep. There is an orchard, 3[illegible] acres in extent, and a vineyard, ten acres in extent, and the cultivation of plants for the expression of scent has also been begun.

Beside the practice of general dairy farming work, instruction is imparted in cheese making, also in the management and breeding of poultry, in the rearing of bees and the preparation of honey for the market, in the killing and dressing of sheep, in the carpenter's and the blacksmith's arts, in the construction of fences, and in various mechanical trades. There are also experimental farms at Bomen, 304 miles from Sydney, in the Murrumbidgee district; and at Wollongbar, 366 miles from Sydney, in the Richmond river district. The former is near the town of Wagga Wagga, and embraces an area of 2,469 acres, of which 1,200 acres are in cultivation, 1,[illegible] acres being devoted to growing cereals, of which 5[illegible] acres are for seed wheat, the remainder being utilized for oaten hay and malting barley; 85 acres to fruit trees and grape vines; and 80 acres to forage plants such as maize, sorghum, millet, barley rye oats, cow pea, roots, grasses, etc.; while eight acres are under olive trees the remaining portion being taken up by irrigation plots, nursery, and experimental plots. Quarters have been provided for 25 students, and there are also cottages for the manager and workmen; likewise barns, a hayshed and stables. There is no natural water supply, but dams of 6,000, 10,[illegible] and 40,[illegible] yards' capacity have been excavated, and are used for supplying water to the irrigation plots. Some thousands of farmers have visited the farm since its establishment. — Brooklyn Eagle.

Hit the Nail.

"What did the poor man say when he was accused of taking the cattle?" inquired the tourist.

"The right thing, stranger," responded Amber Pete.

"What was it?"

"I'll be hanged!"—Chicago Record.

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HOME LIFE IN FRANCE.

Parents Are Greatly Honored by Their Children and Family Feeling Is Deep.

To understand the true nature of French home life one must see its place in the national life and its relations to society. There is a fact of transcendent importance that must be always borne in mind in trying to grasp the characteristics of the French people. It is that there is a difference between the aims, aspirations and ideals that run through the activities and institutions of France and those of the United States.

American society and American institutions are those of a pushing, enterprising and conquering people; the French are those of a nation which has found its place in the world, but kept within certain geographical limitations, has accumulated wealth—or what for it takes the place of wealth—and blessings of civilization, in themselves sufficient for happiness. The Americans are men who most value energy, power, endurance and determination of purpose; the French, ease, determined duties, an ornamental culture social order and a considerable social hierarchy. The land of Washington develops the isloated man, France the social body. The former represents a nation of individuals living in families, and the other a nation of families with individuals in them. The one is displaying unparalleled power in making for herself a civilization, and the other to increase and distribute to the whole the fruits of civilization that it has. The one is free from a burdensome past, and the other has its roots in the depths of centuries. The one is thoroughly competitive in its activities, the other accumulative and distributive.

The Americans wish men who can fight their own individual battles; the French, men linked by indissoluble ties to those who preceeded them and to those who follow, continuing family traditions. Hence domestic life in France must of necessity be very different from that of the United States. In the narrow compass of this article, I will bring out only the best and the most typical traits of normal French life.

This much may be fearlessly asserted—that the position of the father in France is still paramount.

The authority of the father is recognized even after the marriage of the son or daughter, until very late in life, but with it go dowries and financial help, which not infrequently entail great sacrifices on the part of the parents. French fathers, as a whole, are diligent in looking after the education of their children. Few there are who will not visit the teachers of their loved ones and be careful as to the associates in schools. On birthdays, Easter, New Year's day, or when he travels, the French father is the perfection of thoughtfulness—no one is forgotten. When his children are baptized or take their first communion, whatever his belief, he is present. When possible he will lunch with his family at noon, and at night he reigns supreme at a table around which everybody talks at once. Attentions to his family do not decrease much with time. The ideal of a business man is to retire from active life at 5[illegible], and thenceforth much of his time is devoted to his children, married or single.

A certain part of the French father's time is given to pleasure. Even among the workingmen, whose life is so hard during the week, Sunday afternoon is the time when the whole family goes to walk in the country, or in the woods, and in order that the poor mother may have a vacation the evening meal is often taken at a restaurant.

The place of the mother is also one of great consideration, though one of genuine subordination to her husband. If he is in business, she is thoroughly acquainted with his affairs, and in a large number of cases she is associated with him in the business management. This was especially true of the wife of the founder of that well-known commercial institution of Paris, the Bon Marche. At the death of her husband the enterprise is often carried on by the widow. The wife is thus associated, as all the members of the family are, not in the struggle for the acquisition of wealth, but for existence.

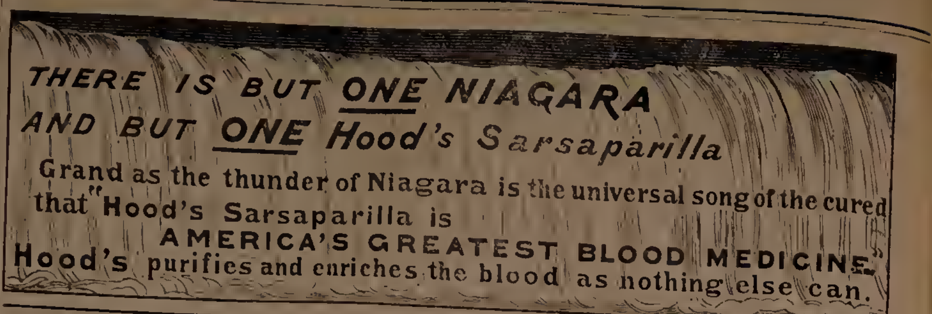
All the children until their marriage bring all their earnings to the common family purse, and if one member of the family is married a united effort will be made to provide the best possible dowry.—Prof. Jean C. Bracq, in the Congregationalist.

Honor in "Pairing."

A curious incident, involving the question of honor in "pairing," is reported from North Adams, Mass. A citizen who desired to be out of town on election day arranged a pair with another citizen of opposite political faith, the latter pledging himself not to vote. Citizen No. 1 went on his journey, but citizen No. 2 violated his pair and voted for his candidate. For this he was summarily discharged from his position in a prominent manufacturing establishment, the proprietors saying that they had no desire to dictate to their employes how they should vote, but that they could not regard as worthy of trust or confidence any person who would dishonorably violate his solemn pledge. This so impressed the discharged employe that he made a public apology for his offense, saying that he had not at first realize its seriousness.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Domesticated Ostriches in Africa.

Ostriches have only recently been domesticated in South Africa. Only 80 were in captivity in 1865; ten years later there were 21,751 being cared for in Cape Colony, and in 1897 237,960. The true wild bird still exists north of the Vaal and Orange river, but is eagerly hunted for its feathers, which demand a higher price than those of the domesticated feathers.—N. Y. Sun.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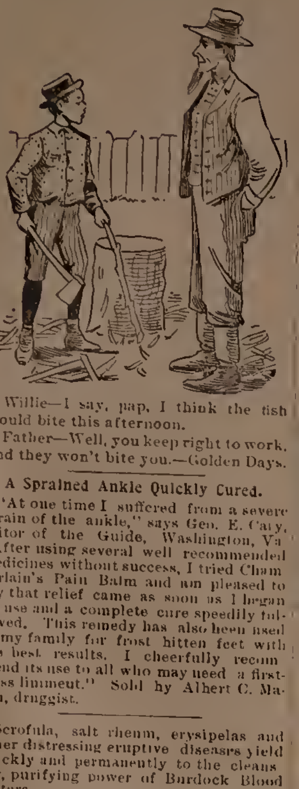

Willie—I say, pap, I think the fish would bite this afternoon.

Father—Well, you keep right to work, and they won't bite you.—Golden Days.

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LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors	$559,900 72
Guarantee Fund	27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account	6,268 89
Interest Account	6,696 13
Real Estate Income Account	184 63
Tax account	32 25
	$600,835 31

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$20,761 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		28,189 32
Railroad Bonds		166,262 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		6,350 00
" " Mortgages		106,360 00
" " Personal Securities		144,766 86
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		1,500 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		724 03
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits		
Franklin National Bank	$34,373 14	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	14,451 53	
Mercantile Trust Co.	1,926 54	
		50,751 21
Cash on hand		1,497 14
		$600,835 31

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Flank	6c	Dandelion	30c
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The most valuable book in the world is the Hebraic Bible. At the Vatican, in 1512, the Jews tried to buy it of Pope Julius II. for its weight in gold. It is so large and heavy that two men can hardly lift it, and it would have brought $100,000 if the pope had consented to part with it.

The smallest book in the world is not much larger than a man's thumb nail. It was made in Italy. It is four-tenths of an inch long and about a quarter of an inch wide. It contains 208 pages, each having nine lines, and from 95 to 100 letters. The text of a letter—before unpublished — written by the famous inventor of the pendulum clock to Mme. Christine, of Lorraine, in 1615. The next smallest book is an edition of Dante's "Divine Comedy," and it is a little less than an inch wide, with type so small that it takes a microscope to read the letters.

When it is finished the official history of the war of the rebellion will be the costliest book in the world. It is being issued by the government of the United States, and at a cost up to date of about $2,000,000. It will consist of 112 volumes, including an index, and an atlas, which contains 178 plates and maps illustrating the important battles of the war, campaign, routes of march, plans of forts, and photographs of interesting scenes, places and persons.

The most voluminous encyclopedia work in the world is in the Berlin Anthropological museum. It is in 1,000 volumes and is in Chinese. It embraces literature, philosophy, astronomy, natural science and industries. Each volume has from 100 to 150 pages. Originally only 100 copies were printed, and those were not put on sale. But recently a new edition was put forth which sells at $300 for the set. It is splendidly illustrated with maps and pictures.

The largest private library in this country was owned by the historian H. H. Bancroft. It consists of 50,000 volumes, valued at $200,000. A fine collection of manuscripts in dialect, and manuscripts relating to the early settlement of the Pacific coast, of the Spanish colonies and of the early ecclesiastical missions is included in the Bancroft library.

The highest price ever paid for a single volume was $50,000. It was for a vellum missal, which was presented to King Henry VIII. by Pope Leo X. The missal was accompanied by a document making King Henry the defender of the faith. It is now in the possession of the German government. Charles II. gave it to an ancestor of the duke of Hamilton, and it was sold a few years ago at the sale of the duke of Hamilton's library.

It was supposed that only two copies of Washington's first essay in authorship existed, but in 1897 a third copy came to light and was purchased by a gentleman who makes a hobby of collecting Washingtonia; he quite willing paid $1,000. "The Journal of Maj. George Washington" appears upon the title page, and it was printed in 1754.

In Russia miniature Bibles are often worn as watch charms. One of these Bibles is owned by a Bostonian, who received it from a friend living in Russia. It is about one inch long, three-fourths of an inch wide and three-eighths of an inch thick, and contains the first five books of the Old Testament. The text of the Book is in Hebrew and the titles in Latin. It can only be read with the help of a powerful magnifying glass.

Not only in numbers, but also in point of territory, the circulation of the Bible exceeds all other books. The American Bible society has printed it in 300 tongues. Thousands of copies even now are traveling through the frozen polar regions to people who have not only never heard of the book, but to whom books are unknown.—N. Y. Sun.

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Where Hope Lingered.

Negroes are unconsciously humorous. The other day two roustabouts were overheard talking. They met on the levee, after one had been absent from the city for several weeks.

"Hello, Bill; how is yer?" said the first.

"Well," was the reply, "de doctors is give me up, but de police ain't."—Minneapolis Scimitar.

Way of a Woman.

Salesman—This shoe is too small. Will you try a larger size?

Customer (haughtily)—No, sir. Bring me the same size a trifle larger. —Chicago Daily News.

Sure of Them.

"Jimmy, if you are going to wear a collar to school, you ought to wear cuffs, too."

"Oh, no, ma; the teacher furnishes them."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Great Disappointment.

Excitement is often the cause of strange telegrams, as well as other queer manifestations.

A man who had been one of the passengers on a shipwrecked vessel was rescued almost by a miracle. On arriving at a place from which he could send a telegraphic message, he forwarded the following dispatch to his brother:

"I am saved. Try to break it gently to my wife."—Tit-Bits.

Stored Energy.

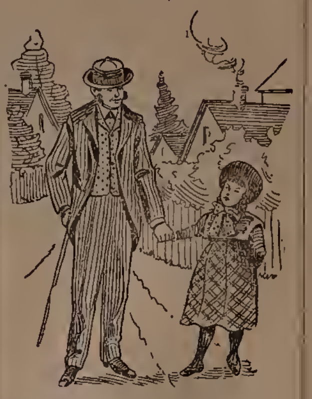
"You didn't act with your usual fire and enthusiasm," said the acquaintance.

"No," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes, "an actor sometimes finds it necessary to husband his powers for a supreme effort. I was saving myself for the argument with the manager when the box office receipts are counted."—Washington Star.

Our Debt.

O woman, what we owe to thee!—
Yet in thy debt we joy to be.
With grateful hearts must we recall
The wonder of thy giving—
First life itself, and then the all
That makes life worth the living.
—Harlem Life.

A YOUTHFUL DIPLOMATIST.



"Grandpa, it is very kind of you to take me out for a walk, and, as I've got a penny, I should like to give you a present. You can either have some flowers or some sweets. But I should recommend you to have the sweets."—Punch.

Before and After.

My heart was touched when first we met,
Her picture soon adorned my locket;
But we are married now, and when
I'm touched it's at the pocket.
—Chicago Daily News.

Sidelights on History.

"Come on," said Noah, looking at his watch. "It's time we were getting into the ark."

"You'll have to wait a minute," replied Mrs. Noah from the top of the stairway. "I'm not going out without my rainy day skirt on."—Chicago Tribune.

Almost a Suicide.

Biggs—I nearly killed my barber this morning.

Boggs—Judging from the appearance of your face I should say he nearly killed you.

Biggs—It amounts to the same thing. I shave myself.—N. Y. Journal.

There's Many a Slip.

Toffer—Have a cigar, old boy. I'm afraid, though, these are not very good. In fact, they may be worse than those I gave you last.

Friend (in a burst of politeness)—Impossible, my dear boy, impossible.—N. Y. Weekly.

An Original Discovery.

Professor—Now, Mr. Doolittle, what have you learned about your topic—the diamond?

Mr. Doolittle—That all women believe it harmonizes exactly with their complexions.—Jewelers' Weekly.

Caution Necessary.

"Always send a written proposal to a girl."

"Why?"

"It gives you a chance to forget to mail the letter."—Chicago Daily Record.

A Criterion.

Askington—What makes you sure that Gabbleby's statement is not true?

Grimshaw—Why, didn't you notice that he began with: "Well—er—h'm—fact is—?" Of course, he was lying!—Puck.

The Facts in the Case.

Brutus—What's this yarn about Caesar thrice refusing a golden crown?

Cassius—The dentist wanted to crown one of his teeth, and Caesar didn't have the nerve to let him go ahead.—N. Y. Journal.

At the Show and at Home.

Bill—Did you see the man at the show throw the knives all about his wife?

Jill—Yes; and I understand at home the wife throws cups and saucers all about her husband.—Yonkers Statesman.

His Worth.

"How much is Jane's new husband worth?"

"Oh, I suppose she could realize $5,000 for him if she could get him killed by the cars."—Indianapolis Journal.

A Matter of Nerve.

"Clementine seems to think she enjoys Wagner music more than anybody."

"Maybe she merely has more endurance."—Detroit Free Press.

Evidently.

"Wigsby strokes his nose as though he loved it."

"Yes; he's strongly attached to it, you know."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Usual Way.

Little Elmer—Papa, what does dieting mean?

Prof. Broadhead—Eating less at the table and more between meals.—Puck

JOHN HELPED HIM OUT.

But He Had to Get Beyond Earshot So John Could Turn Himself Loose.

Some 50 years ago there lived in northern Virginia a spirited old gentleman by the name of Col. Carter, whose habitual profanity made him notorious throughout the neighborhood. Pleadings and expostulations were equally vain to break him, and his friends at last hopelessly gave him up as one to whom swearing had become a second nature. In the course of time, however, the Methodists held a revival in the neighborhood, and much to the surprise of everyone, Col. Carter became converted of his sin, and made a professior of religion.

The next morning, in the woodshed, he interviewed his negro teamster to the effect that there was to be no more swearing, not even at the horses. The teamster, who was about as much addicted to the habit as his master, was at first incredulous and thought the matter a huge joke, but finding the colonel to be in earnest, he promised to do his best in future to manage the team without using profane language.

"But 'tain't no use no how, massa,' he said, in parting, "you dun train dem hoses up to it yo'sef, an' dey ain't gwine go wit out it!"

A week later the colonel and his teamster started out for Alexandria with an extra heavy load of wheat. The teamster guided the horses over the rough and hilly road while the colonel rode alongside on horseback. All went along smoothly at first, and the colonel had begun to eloquently expound the beauty of chaste language when they struck a steep hill and the horses stalled.

"Now don't get angry, John," said the colonel; "just speak to them gently and they'll start again."

But the team refused to budge. Coaxing, patting, scolding, lashing were equally without avail. The colonel grew perceptibly red and nervous, and the teamster had great drops of sweat on his brow.

"'Tain't no use tryin' any mo'," yelled the angry negro. "I dun tole you dis de way it gwine be!"

"Well, John," replied the colonel, in desperation, "I'll just ride on ahead a little bit, and you see if you can't get these horses started and overtake me."

And John did.—Detroit Free Press.

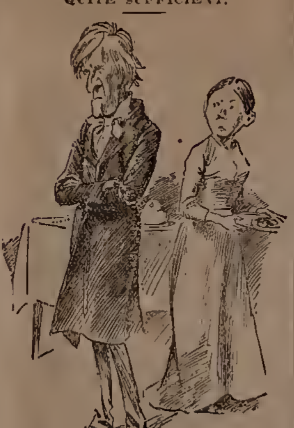
Ornithology.

The mocking bird isn't a parrot, but the parrot is a mocking bird.—Chicago Daily News.

Her Sure Thing.

"Ah, you will mourn when I am gone,
I know you will!" she cried.
She was his maiden aunt; her will
Had just received a codicil
That left him far outside.
—Chicago Times-Herald.

QUITE SUFFICIENT.



"Lor, Mr. Squebling, you ain't tasted your fish! Is anything the matter?"

"Yes, I smelt it."—Ally Sloper.

THINK IT OVER. There's a reason for those pains in your back and sides, for those dull, dragging aches, that listless, "keep-away-from-me" feeling. The kidneys are to blame. They get sick, can't do their work and the whole system feels the effect, just as a whole town feels the effect of a blockaded sewerage system.

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What "the Queen's Shilling" Is.

According to the British system of enlistment, a "queen's shilling" is paid over to every man who enters the service. The "queen's shilling," by the way, is not a coin of special design. It is exactly like every other coin of the same denomination and is termed "the queen's" from the fact that its acceptance from a recruiting sergeant makes the receiver a "queen's man," body and soul.—Chicago Chronicle.

Ye Street Car Conductor.

Street Car Motorman (mysteriously)—That young woman wot got in at Tenth street and the other young woman wot got in at Eleventh street is both company spotters. Look out fer y'r-self.

Conductor (confidentially—That's all right. I'm engaged to both of 'em.—N. Y. Weekly.

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BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 49, 4 10, 5 11, 6 01, 7 19 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7 54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m S8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 58, f5 21, 6 19, f7 25, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S10 26 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58, a m; f1 01, 5 25, 6 13, f7 28, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 20, 10 30 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD — 9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

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MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 35, 6 50 p m; S 6 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.
ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

Trains leave Unionville for
MILFORD—9 25 a m; 1 19, 4 57, 5 42, 6 57, S 6 44 p m
FRANKLIN—6 49, 8 41, 11 28 a m; 4 03, 6 19 p m. S 8 15 a m.

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WRENTHAM.

The series of lectures given by Rev. John B. Koehne in the Congregational church the past week were greatly enjoyed by good audiences. A number came over from Franklin and Walpole to listen to the lectures.——William B. Wicks, a former citizen of this town, but now of Sharon, died the latter part of the week.——On Wednesday a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dodd, and on Thursday a son to Mr. and Mrs. Chas E. Wilkinson.——A comedy drama, entitled "Diamonds and Hearts," will be given in the town hall Wednesday evening under the auspices of Wampum lodge, 190, I. O. O. F., by talent from Norfolk, to be followed by a social dance. This performance has been given twice in Norfolk to crowded houses.——The condition of Alonzo Cook is greatly improved.——Mrs. Charles J. Randall is on the sick list.——Charles Messenger of Brooklyn, N. Y., has been visiting his father, Henry M. Messenger.——E. D McClennen attempted to shoot himself in the head Sunday morning at 5 o'clock, but was not successful. Failure in business is said to be the cause of his strange action.——Daniel Brown, as tree warden, was called out last week to save a fine elm tree on the land of W. H. Ide, which workmen on the electric road were in the act of demolishing.

HOW TO PRESERVE WIVES.

If These Directions Are Faithfully Followed the Result Will Be Satisfactory.

This special sort of preserve might prove to be an invaluable household article, did the many conscientious and well-meaning men who believe in the propriety of preserving their wives understand the culinary art required for their best preservation. The following method, if carefully adhered to, never fails to give satisfactory results:

In the first place, wives are a fruit which should be selected for quality, more with regard to their flavor than appearance, which will result in the agreeable surprise of tasting better than they look. They should never be placed in an earthen agate-ware pot of any old dimension or shape, but into a generous loving cup, having a true heart shape. Cover with water judiciously flavored with pure grape sugar to keep them sweet and palatable.

That they may be kept thoroughly warmed, place the receptacle on the back of the stove in which must be used for heating purposes the free burning coal, never gas. Do not make the mistake of submitting the fruit to a varied temperature, as it is apt to impair the flavor and extract an uncertain bitterness. It may be necessary to stir it occasionally, but this should be done with a heart-shaped spoon.

Throw into the loving cup now and again a handful of herbs, sweet violets and fragrant mignonette. You will be surprised at their preserving quality, and the deliciousness of the aroma which will permeate the atmosphere will prove most appetizing. A few gold coins dropped gently at the right time into the water and allowed to simmer during the process of preservation will tinge the mixture to the king's taste.—N. Y. Sun.

Read the Business Announcements

Hood's Pills

Do not gripe nor irritate the alimentary canal. They act gently yet promptly, cleanse effectually and

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Washing and Drying the Hair.

Once a month at the very least, the head should be washed. Borax makes the best cleanser. Plenty of warm water is needed after the process of cleansing has been gone through. The warm water should be poured over the head by a second person, the hair being held over a bathtub while this is being done. Yolk of egg makes an excellent wash for the hair, but even greater care is needed after its application than in the case with borax. Otherwise the hair will be sticky when dry. No time should be lost in drying the hair after it has been washed. The best way to dry it quickly and thoroughly is, after a good rub with dry towels, to sit on a rug in front of a good fire, and, still rubbing, allow the heat to fall on the back, the sides and the top of the head alternately. A douche of cold water should always be poured over the head after the warm water, and in cold weather some alcohol should be rubbed well into the scalp. The hair should never be done up until it is perfectly dry, and it should be well shaken before beginning to brush and comb it after it has been washed.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Unappreciated Vocalist.

Clara (an amateur vocalist)—If you had my voice, what would you do with it?

Maude—I don't know, dear; but I believe I would give it a holiday till the man came round, then I would have it tuned.—Pearson's.

A Connoisseur.

Crawford—It's hard to understand a woman. Here's my wife buys me a box of cigars, and yet she never allows me to smoke in the house.

Crabsbaw—Judging from the cigars, old man, that's where she shows her good taste.—Judge.

It Always Works.

"Excuse my referring to so old a subject," said the funny man, "but do you know the quickest way to bring a man up with a sharp turn?"

"No," replied his friend.

"Put a bent pin under him."—Yonkers Statesman.

National Educational Convention.

The National Educational convention will be held this year at Charleston, S. C. The Atlantic Coast Line has just issued a neat booklet that will be of interest to teachers and others concerned in the convention. The book is entitled a "Short Sketch of Charleston—How it Fared in Two Wars and an Earthquake." Copies may be had by addressing J. H. Johnson, New England agent, 300 Washington St., Boston, Mass.

"Murder will out." Impurities in the blood will also be sure to show themselves unless expelled by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Behind Their Backs.

"You have moved three times this winter."

"Yes," answered young Mrs. Torkins, with a sigh. "It was a dreadful lot of work, but we had to do it. We have had so much trouble with servants. When I discharged them they got angry and when Charley discharged them they just laughed. So the only thing to do was to wait till their afternoons out and move to another neighborhood."—Washington Star.

L IS for Language, which baby soon learned,
And sweet were the words which betrayed how it yearned.
"Take all of my clothing and put it in "hock,"
But buy me a cart from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

M IS for Mother, the angel of bliss,
Who makes home a heaven with one loving kiss
A smile lights her features when friends call and knock
To see baby's Cart from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

N IS for Naughty, the word that is clear
When papa leaves baby and calls for his beer.
Just in for a quaff, with the foam on the Bock,
Then off with that Coach from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

O IS for Orchard, where green apples grow;
When baby gets older he'll find them, you know.
We've been there and feel he'll need health for the shock;
Brace him up in a Coach from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

P IS for Paris, where girls put on style:
That great "Expo. free trip" beguiles us to smile.
When Brother John goes, may we wheel to the dock
The Prince in a Coach from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

Q IS for Quarter, the coin baby took
And swallowed in laughter while poor mamma shook.
She hustled the dear like a shot for the "Doc."
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Continued in Friday's Issue.

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ESSENTIALS OF THE TOILET.

Aigrettes and Other Decorations of the Hair—Latest Things in Toques.

One very distinctive feature of evening dress is the decoration of the hair, and a fashionably dressed head is absolutely essential to the success of any evening toilet, no matter how simple the gown may be. The old days, when the locks were twisted into a simple knot, have passed away, and we have reached a happy medium between the high, outlandish headdress and the quaint simplicity so unbecoming to most women. An evening coiffure is not complete without some decoration besides the curling and puffing of the hair. Aigrettes, both jeweled and plain, are a prominent part of hair ornamentation, and then there are all sorts of fanciful wings and butterflies sparkling with spangles. One very uncanny design is a bat with wings of jet and steel and a body of steel sequins. Pretty dragon flies made of gauze and hand painted are charming in the hair, and then there are little silver gauze horns spotted with rhinestones. Flowers and upstanding bows of velvet ribbon wired in aigrette form are very much worn, and wired lace bows, both black and white, are very pretty. There are some variations in the mode of doing up the hair, but the full, round pompadour still prevails. Some of the latest modes show a suggestion of a parting; yet they are pompadour in effect, and softened a little by some little curls on either side of the forehead. A parting at one side and the hair drawn down on the forehead is another pretty mode, very becoming in some faces. Curls are worn in the back, and the little jeweled pin so commonly used to confine the short locks is very much in evidence. The golden rule for a becoming style of dressing the hair is to choose the one that is individually becoming, and not change with every passing fancy.

Toques with sable crowns and brims of mirror velvet, trimmed with muslin flowers, are a feature of millinery. Roses are the special kind, and the smaller sizes are much used, a wreath of white roses being the only trimming on a sable hat.

Long coats of velvet, a half-fitting loose sacque, in shapes without any seam in the middle of the back, are one of the specialties in winter garments. Wide bands of stitched panne are the trimming, and distinguishing feature in this style of garment, whether of cloth or velvet, are triple revers, one of cloth like the coat, one of white satin, embroidered with lace on the edge, and one of colored cloth covered with stitching.

The combination of mink and ermine appears among the novelties in fur neckwear.—N. Y. Sun.

He Did.

"Whenever she asks me to do anything," soliloquized Mr. Meeker, pensively, "I always go and do it, like a fool."

"Yes," said Mrs. Meeker, who happened along in time to overhear him. "Whenever I ask you to do anything you always go and do it like a fool."—Chicago Tribune.

Beware of a Cough.

A cough is not a disease but a symptom. Consumption and bronchitis, which are the most dangerous and fatal diseases, have for their first indication a persistent cough, and if properly treated as soon as this cough appears are easily cured. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has proven wonderfully successful, and gained its wide reputation and extensive sale by its success in curing the diseases which cause coughing. If it is not beneficial it will not cost you a cent. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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No. 1207

REPORT of the condition of the FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK, at Franklin, in the state of Massachusetts, at the close of business, April 26, 1900:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$317,809 79
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		6 88
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc		50,000 00
Due from approved reserve agents		102,767 05
Checks and other cash items		2,715 09
Notes of other National banks		4,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		47 36
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$9,500 00	
Legal tender notes	21,272 00—	30,772 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer 5 per cent. of circulation		4,995 00
Total		$613,113 18

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$200,000 00
Surplus fund	60,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	47,8 7 78
National bank notes outstanding	97,700 00
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	11,638 72
Dividends unpaid	906 00
Individual deposits subject to check	202,238 49
Certified checks	2,758 33
Exchange account	63 86
Total	$613,113 18

State of Massachusetts, county of Norfolk, ss:

I, F. H. Bartholomew, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. H. BARTHOLOMEW, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3d day of May, 1900.

ORESTES T. DOE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest.
EDGAR K. RAY,
EDWARD H. RATHBUN,
WILLIAM A. WYCKOFF,
Directors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the will of Mary Sullivan, sometimes called Maria Sullivan, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Jane D. Fisher, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Metcalf E. Pond of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the sixteenth day of May, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

ap24,my1,8 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, ss.

FRANKLIN, MASS., May 1st, A. D. 1900.

By virtue of a warrant of sale issued by the Superior Court within and for said county of Norfolk and to me directed, I shall sell at public auction on

MONDAY, the FOURTH day of JUNE, A.D. 1900,

at two o'clock p. m., on the premises described below, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging, the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the corner of Village and Broad streets, in Medway, in said county, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Southerly by Village street, westerly by Broad street, northerly by land of one Wilder and easterly by land of one Billings and Sarah Woodward, and known as the "Gladstone Hotel."

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
my1,8,15 Deputy Sheriff.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Edwin J. Fairbank, Jr., to Abner Chute, dated December 21, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 752, folio 233, will be sold at public auction upon the premises, on

SATURDAY, the SECOND day of JUNE, 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, the said premises being described in said mortgage deed as follows, viz:

A certain parcel of land situated easterly of Union street, in Millis, commonwealth of Massachusetts, being lot 111 on a "Plan of building lots in Millis, Mass., owned by Helen E. Van Kleeck, Oct. 13, 1893, Geo. A. Kimball, civil engineer," recorded with Norfolk Deeds, containing according to said plan 6484 square feet, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the southeasterly corner of said lot, at land now or formerly of Timothy Bullard and at a point 43.64 feet west of the westerly line of a proposed street 40 feet wide, as shown on said plan; thence running westerly by said land formerly of Timothy Bullard 50.14 feet to a corner; thence in a straight line a little west of northerly by lot 110 on said plan 128.03 feet to the southerly line of a proposed street 40 feet wide, as shown on said plan; thence in a direction a little north of easterly by the southerly line of said proposed street which leads easterly from Union street 50 feet to the northwesterly corner of lot 112 on said plan, thence in a direction a little east of southerly by lot 112 on said plan 131.75 feet to the point of beginning; together with a right to use for all the purposes for which public streets are ordinarily used all the streets laid down on said plan.

ELLA E. MORSE,
Assignee of said mortgage.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

SUPERIOR COURT.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court, next to be holden at Dedham, within and for the county of Norfolk:

Respectfully represents and libels George E. Despeaux of Medway, in said county, that he was lawfully married to Addie E. Despeaux, now of Eastford, in the state of Connecticut, at Hopedale, in the county of Worcester, September 3, 1884, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Addie lived together as husband and wife in this commonwealth at Medway, in said Norfolk county; that your libellant has always been faithful to his marriage vows and obligations, but the said Addie, being wholly regardless of the same at said Medway on or about the twenty-fifth day of January, 1900, committed the crime of adultery with one Nelson Tanner and has committed said crime with said Tanner on divers days and times between January 25, 1900, and the date of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Addie E. Despeaux.

Dated the eleventh day of April, 1900
GEORGE E. DESPEAUX.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

SUPERIOR COURT.

On the foregoing libel it is ordered that the libellant give notice to the said Addie E. Despeaux, the libellee, to appear before the justices of this court, to be holden at Dedham, within and for said county, on the first Monday of June next, by causing an attested copy of said libel, and of this order thereon, to be published once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first Monday of June next, and further, by sending through the mail, as soon as may be, by a registered letter addressed to the last known residence of the said Addie E. Despeaux an attested copy of said libel and of this order thereon, that the said Addie E. Despeaux may then and there show cause why the prayer of said libel should not be granted.

By the Court.

LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.

April 16, A. D. 1900.

A true copy of said libel and of the order thereon.

Attest: R. B. WORTHINGTON,
ap24,my1,8 Assistant Clerk.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, ss.

FRANKLIN, MASS., April 24, A. D. 1900.

Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction on

TUESDAY, the TWENTY-NINTH day of MAY, A. D. 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, at my office in Morse Block in Franklin, in said county, all the right, title and interest that Lawrence McGuinnis, alias McGinnis, of Medway, in said county of Norfolk, had (not exempt from attachment or levy on execution) on the twenty-eighth day of November, A. D. 1899, at ten o'clock in the forenoon (being the time the same was attached on mesne process) in and to the following described real estate, to wit: A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the northerly side of Village street, with buildings thereon, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the southeasterly corner of the premises on said Village street; thence running northerly on land formerly of one Eaton, and known as the Eaton place, to land supposed to belong to one Wentworth, formerly of one Philbrick; thence westerly on said Wentworth land to a stake and stones at the northerly end of a drain at land of William Schroeder; thence southerly along the line of said drain and with said Schroeder land to said Village street; thence easterly with said Village street to the point of beginning, being the Phillips place, so called, and a part of the Dr. Brown estate, so called.

A certain tract of land situated in Medway, in said county of Norfolk, on the southerly side of Village street, opposite the above described tract, and bounded northerly on said Village street, southwesterly by Charles river and easterly by land supposed to belong formerly to Mrs. A. H. Clark, and being the second parcel described in the mortgage of Lawrence McGinnis to Margaret H. Kenny, dated August 6, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 744, page 522.

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
ap24,my1,8 Deputy Sheriff.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Henry Bemis, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, two certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament and one codicil of said deceased have been presented to said court for probate by Henry E. Ruggles of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-third day of May, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this thirtieth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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AGENTS WANTED.

Liberal contracts to intelligent men of good character and address. Can earn in commissions from $3000 upwards per year by applying to Wm. F. Bache, Gen'l Agt. NORTHWESTERN MUT. LIFE INS. CO., 7 Water st., Boston, Mass., from 9 to 10 A. M.; from 12 to 1 P. M.

ANNUAL STATEMENT JANY. 1, 1900.
Assets $126,646,728 45
Liabilities 121,112,030.71
Surplus 5,534,697.74
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MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

"O'Hooligan's Wedding" tonight.

The paper mill at South Franklin is boarded.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Blake last Friday.

James Murray is recovering from his recent serious illness.

About this time the straw goods men look for a little Boston trade.

Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., will hold a regular meeting this evening.

The thermometer dropped to freezing point during Wednesday night.

N. B. Arnold has been confined to the house the past few days by illness.

Three new hand pumps have been added to the apparatus for fighting forest fires.

Mrs. Joseph Titcomb has so far improved as to be able to be about the house.

Henry Earle is seriously ill at his home, his physician giving but slight hope of his recovery.

Charles Fiske has taken the upper tenement in Henry Talbot's house on Central street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stewart were called to Brandon, Vt., today by the serious illness of his sister.

It looks favorable for a new grand stand and bleachers at the Indian Rock park ball grounds this season.

Rev. Mr. Sleeper is to deliver the G. A. R. sermon to the post on the Sunday preceding Memorial day.

George Green is having a new house built on the site of the old Sullivan homestead on Union street.

Mrs. E. B. Sherman has bought a house and lot on Emmons street from the Joseph W. Heaton estate.

Two more 5 o'clock services only will be held at the Universalist church previous to the summer vacation.

The local Epworth league report a very pleasant evening spent with the Woonsocket league Thursday.

As Allen Newell was driving in Sheldonville yesterday his horse shied, throwing him out and fracturing his ribs.

William H. Ledbury returned yesterday to Waverly, where he is engaged as attendant in the insane asylum there.

George H. Gatchell left yesterday for Providence, where he will have charge of the laundry in the Narragansett Hotel.

A stone curbing has been placed around the grounds in front of St. Mary's new building, giving a very good effect.

The Woonsocket Ramblers will come here to play the local Ramblers tomorrow afternoon, the contest to take place at Indian Rock park.

Through an error we stated that "O'Hooligan's Wedding" was to appear Saturday evening. It comes tonight and merits a crowded house.

Judge Doe will try Charles Burr of Bellingham, from whose premises two wagon loads of liquors were recently confiscated, on May 15.

The senior girls of the Dean graduating class gave a reception to the male members and the teachers Wednesday evening in the Dean chapel.

Mrs. Harlie S. Leighton and daughter of Milford have been visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bonsall on Chestnut street.

Joseph Sullivan, who has been visiting his aunt at South Franklin for the past few weeks, returned to his duties in the Boston post office yesterday.

A number of grangers went to Woonsocket Wednesday evening to enjoy "neighbors' night" with the Border grange, having a most fraternal time.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper will give the second of his series on "The Fine Arts" next Sunday evening in the Baptist church. His theme will be "The Fine Art of Christian Development."

Rev. Dr. Sneath proved the presence of the name of God in the book of Esther at the Congregational church last Sunday evening, the acrostic nature of the book affording the clue.

President J. H. Riordan and Vice President M. F. Kearns of Division 8, A. O. H., took part in the A. O. H. parade in Boston last Wednesday and were present at the banquet in the evening.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church will meet Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. A large attendance is desired, as this is the annual business meeting. Only an afternoon session.

Workmen have nearly finished the repairs upon the house occupied by Mr. Scott, recently struck by lightning. The plastering was so loosened upon the laths inside that much new plastering was required.

Pond & Tingley's men returned Tuesday night from camp near Kingsbury's pond, where they have finished cutting and sawing a large lot of wood and lumber on which they have been engaged since January 1.

The Deans had everything their own way in the game with the M. I. T. freshmen on the campus Wednesday afternoon, outclassing their opponents at every point and batting out a victory to the tune of 14 to 2.

Lack of iron is materially delaying work upon the Medway and Franklin Street railway, but just as soon as it arrives the work will be pushed as rapidly as possible, so as to get the benefit of the summer travel.

The Epworth league met with Miss Mary Bright at Hillside Farm Wednesday evening and after the business meeting a pleasing program, arranged by the social, committee, was enjoyed. Refreshments were served.

Rev. I. W. Sneath and C. B. Johnson have been selected to represent the Congregational church at the General Association of Congregational churches to be held at Amherst next week Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Quite a party from here went to Medway last evening to enjoy the High school entertainment, "Woodcock's Little Game" being presented. John Cosseboom assisted from here. The play was a good one and a fine sum was netted.

The "bloomer" cars were put on the electric line to Woonsocket on Wednesday morning, when the air was balmy, but a change in the atmosphere occurring in the afternoon the vestibule cars were again substituted and are still in use.

Revs. I. W. Sneath, F. B. Sleeper and S. A. Cook will all preach next Sunday forenoon on "What the Ecumenical Conference Saith Unto the Churches." This will be a very interesting description of the missionary council lately held in New York city.

Bicyclists will be pleased to know that the legislature has passed a law compelling railroads to carry wheels free, and also permitting wheelmen to ride in the park system about Boston without lanterns, both of which acts will be thoroughly appreciated.

Town and gown meet for the third time on the campus at Dean tomorrow, when the Dean boys and the town team will strive for supremacy, each side having taken one game. Both sides claim an ability to win, so the anxious ones must wait for the morrow.

A delegation of Excelsior lodge, A. F. & A. M., contemplates a fraternal visit to the Woonsocket lodge the latter part of the month. If the arrangements are carried out, special electrics or a special train on the steam road will probably be secured for the return home.

A number of citizens have already pledged their support to the Carter baseball team for the season by agreeing to purchase season tickets, which are now on sale at $5 each. The move is a popular one and no doubt there will be large number of tickets disposed of.

Some days ago a forest fire burned over several acres of valuable woodland, and there is evidence pointing to the supposition that the fire was started maliciously by a certain boy. The matter will be thoroughly investigated and if the facts warrant, an arrest and prosecution will follow.

Ice will be higher here this summer, while in Framingham the two principal ice companies have combined forces, under the name of the Framingham Ice Co., thus securing control of Framingham's trade in that commodity, under one management, and will kill out competition. More trusts.

It is understood that J. B. McKinnon is today concluding arrangements to take the Hotel Briggs, satisfactory terms having been settled upon. He took the hotel some weeks ago, but a misunderstanding occasioned a hitch in the transfer.

Waldo C. Everett was a member of the class of 1900 graduated from Emerson College of Oratory, Boston, on May 4, and received his diploma as a full-fledged orator. Mr. Everett intends to continue in this line of work, and he shows a natural talent for it which will prove of material value.

Lattimer W. Ballou of Woonsocket, well known here, and at one time treasurer and president of the board of trustees of Dean academy, died at his home on Wednesday afternoon, aged 88 years. Death was due to old age. He was one of the most prominent men of this section and was grandfather to William H. Sweatt.

There was a rumor current about the street that the repair of the Catholic church had been ordered by the bishop, but this proves not to be the case. More than likely the entire structure will be carefully gone over by an architect selected by the bishop, whose opinion will materially aid the latter in rendering a decision in the matter.

The street railway in Wrentham has, literally, run against a stump. About two days' more work will complete the line to Plainville, but a tree three feet through at the base stands directly in the line of the track. The authorities will not allow the road to go around the tree and other authorities will not allow the tree to be cut down.

John Fairbanks died early this morning at his home on School street of heart disease, aged 75 years. He was about yesterday and no intimation of an early demise was afforded him or his friends. He has been a resident here for many years and was a straw worker by trade. The funeral will be held on Monday at 2 o'clock at the house, Rev. Dr. Hodge officiating.

The funeral of Elijah Leonard, who died on Tuesday, was held from his residence on Cottage street yesterday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Hodge officiating. Mr. Leonard has been a resident here about four years, coming here from Holliston. He was born in New York state, going later to Kansas, where he had a fine farm. He was 74 years of age and leaves a widow.

In their newly-furnished home at 40 Dean avenue Neil McIvor and Miss Eunice McNeil were happily united in marriage on Wednesday evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath in the presence of a number of guests from Boston, Chelsea and Franklin. A number of handsome presents were received. Mr. McIvor is a carpenter and is one of Mr. Grant's thorough workmen.

As an illustration of how children are governed by sound rather than by sense in much that they learn in school, a Brooklyn family were horrified to hear their little girl singing "To hell with the birth of Christ." Investigation proved that the child had learned in school to sing "To herald the birth of Christ" in the above sacriligious manner, all ignorant of the irreverence which the sentence possessed.

Annual Social.

Alden club members will remember that next Monday night brings the annual social. This year the regular club "musicale" will be united with the social and the club wishes the gentlemen to understand it will also be a gentlemen's night. It is hoped the club members will come as in the old fashioned times, removing hats and wraps and joining with the committee in making the evening a truly social one. Following is the evening's program: Short reception, musicale, social. Artists: U. S. Kerr, basso; A. Frank Adams, baritone; George P. Long, mandolin; Miss Sherman (Dean), reader; Miss Whiting, soprano; Miss Gould, pianist. For the pleasure of hearing Mr. Kerr we are indebted to one of our honorary members, Mrs. Charles Whiting. Mr. Kerr needs no introduction to a Franklin audience. The harp and mandolin soloists are among Boston's best. We feel sure the club will appreciate this treat and respond heartily. R.

Dean Tonight.

The Dean pupils have provided a most pleasing entertainment for this evening for the benefit of the Athletic association, the two farces being "Thirty Minutes for Refreshments" and "A Happy Pair." Some of the best histrionic talent connected with the institution will participate, and a meritorious entertainment is assured. A slight admission fee will be charged.

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned desires to thank the neighbors and friends for their kindness during the illness and death of her husband, and for all who assisted at the funeral. MRS ELIJAH LEONARD.

Franklin, Mass., May 11. 1900.

Fine hair cutting, smooth shaving, razors honed and put in order. Ocbee the barber.

A Pleasant and Successful Party.

One of the pleasantest events of the season was the summer dress party given under the auspices of Miss Razee's dancing classes at the Opera house last evening, the affair marking the close of the season of 1899-00 for the pupils, which, under the guidance of Miss Razee, has been one of signal success. This young young lady has heretofore pleased the public by well-planned and highly entertaining affairs in this line, and last evening's party was abreast of all the pleasant events given in the past by the accomplished tutor and her pupils.

A most pleasant feature of the evening's programme was the exercises by the juvenile class, composed of seventeen accomplished and well-drilled little ones, including the little Misses Mildred Fairfield, Sadie Mannell, Hortense Razee, Grace Russell, Julia Coleman, Esmah Metcalf, Helen Halloran, Pearl Fairfield, Ruth Whitaker, Masters Herbert and Harry Gray, Willie Dauphinee, Raymond Schuster, Harold Talbot, Percy Fairfield, Stanley Chilson, Dana Searle and Ralph Tracy. The grace, ease and proficiency with which they executed the figures in the german, the society dances and the cake walk quadrille was a revelation and showed excellent training, and the juveniles fully merited the hearty applause given them.

The juvenile programme opened with a march and two-step, which was led by Mildred Fairfield and Herbert Gray, and at intervals between the execution of the six remaining numbers by the little ones the Philharmonic orchestra rendered selections. The cake walk quadrille was a taking feature, Percy Fairfield, Hortense Razee, Ralph Tracy and Ruth Whitaker forming the head couples, and Stanley Chilson, Henry Halloran, Dana Searle and Pearl Fairfield the side couples. Harold Talbot was the trumpeter who called together the graceful little walkers, and Mildred Fairfield deftly cut the cake and presented each little member with a generous slice when the cakewalk quadrille was ended. During the exercises Miss Bertha B. Razee presided at the piano.

The juvenile programme concluded, the order of dances for the adults was taken up, beginning with the promenade and two-step, led by W. F. Noyes and Miss Nellie Razee, and the seventeen remaining numbers were participated in by eighty couples, who danced away the hours to the sweet strains of the Philharmonic orchestra, the pleasant affair coming to an end at 2 o'clock this morning. The floor aids were W. F. Noyes, W. J. Stewart, Charles Whitaker and Edwin Stewart. There was an intermission at midnight for supper, which was served in the hall at midnight by Caterer Fairfield.

The party was a complete success in every way, and among the large number present were guests from Boston, Providence, Norwood, Wrentham, Sheldonville, Diamond Hill, Arnolds Mill and Abbott's Run. Altogether there were nearly 300 participants.

Support Needed.

For a number of years Franklin has had a firstclass base ball team, and for a number of years the expense has fallen upon one man, O. B. Carter. We should also add that the deficit for a number of years has also been borne by him. This year he naturally desires to shift the burden a little, and dispose in advance of a number of season tickets, which shall insure the financial success of the affair. Few realize how much it costs to run a ball team. Few games are played here costing less than $125, which means that the attendance must average 500 people per game.

In the event of a rain, with his and the other team here, the outgo is large for expense without a particle of income. Hence it may be seen that the financial burden is no light one, and that Mr. Carter has consented to bear it year after year is no reason why he should continue to do so, especially since he has so many other interests demanding his attention. But with a portion of this expense guaranteed he can see his way clear to continue to give Franklin a ball team worthy the reputation it has already secured. With the trolley bringing in patrons from Milford, the Medways, Bellingham, Wrentham and the Attleboros this season promises better than has any preceding one.

W. A. Fairfield is, therefore, going about among our merchants and other interested persons seeking to sell the season tickets, which have been placed at $5. We are glad to note that he is meeting with excellent results, and will doubtless secure a sufficient number of names to insure the success of the ball season of 1900.

Fresh Lobsters.

Our lobsters are boiled fresh every Saturday morning and received here at 4 30 p. m. You can get old, cheap ones elsewhere. Also asparagus, string beans, spinach, dandelions, radishes, lettuce, rhubarb, cucumbers, Bermuda onions; fresh killed fowls, lamb, veal, pork, choice beef, and as a delicacy we have Van Camp's celebrated concentrated soups of all kinds. Try them. Also the Brunswick canned goods.

EMERSON'S MARKET.

Beckett—Bent.

At 8 30 o'clock Wednesday evening, at the residence of Jacob Quilter, Wesley J. Beckett and Miss Maggie S. Bent were united in marriage, the ceremony being performed by Rev. F. B. Sleeper, of the Baptist church. Rupert G. Bent and Miss Sadie Barteaux, brother and cousin of the bride, acted as groomsman and bridesmaid, the wedding party entering the room to the strains of a march played by Mrs. George Bacon. The bride was attired in white organdie, with trimmings of white satin ribbon, and wore white pinks. The rooms were most artistically decorated with evergreens and branches of apple blossoms. Ice cream, cake and coffee were served after the ceremony.

Miss Bent is a native of Nicteaux Falls, Nova Scotia, but for the past two years has acted in the capacity of waitress at Dean academy, where she has made many friends Mr. Beckett's native place is Rutland, where his father, John R. Beckett, is proprietor of a large general store. He is employed as conductor on the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket Street railway, and his associates on the line did not forget to give the bridal couple rousing salutes as the cars passed the house during the evening.

Among the beautiful and useful gifts were a carving set and olive fork, Prof. Peirce and students; salad spoon, sugar spoon and two dessert spoons from teachers and young ladies at Dean, and a silver service from brothers of the bride. Out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. John R. Beckett of Rutland, Fred. O. and Rupert G. Bent of Marblehead, James N. Bent of Everett and Charles C. Balcome of Lynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Beckett have taken apartments at Mr. Quilter's.

The Street Railway Boom.

The street railway fever has struck Franklin in all its intensity. For the past two years there has been agitation for extensions along every one of the lines which now attract the local interest, and there has seemed to be enough in it to warrant actual building. This is undoubtedly due to the fact that there is just now a great deal of money seeking investment. The ride through the various parts of the town will be enjoyable and at times convenient. It will afford a connection with a cheap railway fare to Boston, Woonsocket and Milford and that those who have ample time will frequently avail themselves of. It will also serve to develop some sections of the town as a residential district. There are many acres of land yet free in parts of the town adjacent to places of employment, for a building boom to strike a spot a half hour or more away from all business. From Franklin to Unionville there is a large tract of very desirable land. The street railway will aid in bringing much of this on the market, and in such a way the town will receive large benefits.

Are You In It?

Father, dear father, come home with me now, for ma has some carpets to beat; she got all the furniture out in the yard, from the front door clear out to the street. The stove must come down and be put in the shed, and the yard must be cleaned of some grass; for it's time to clean house and the devil's to pay—and the front windows need some glass. Father, dear father, come home with me now, and bring some bologna and cheese; for 'tis most twelve o'clock and there's nothing to eat—I'm hungry, I'm weak in the knees. All the dinner we'll have will be cold scraps and such, and we'll have to eat standing up, too, for the table and all are in the back yard; Oh, I wish house cleaning was through. Father, dear father, come home with me now, for ma is as mad as a Turk; she says that your only a lazy old thing, and that she will put you to work. There's painting to do, and paper to hang, and the windows and casings to scrub; for 'tis house-cleaning time, and you've got to come home, and revel in suds and cold grub.—Exchange.

Are You Ready?

With the opening up of the trolley lines to Wrentham and the Medways, every one expects that Franklin merchants will receive a large amount of what is practically new business, especially from those who have heretofore been compelled to do their trading at home largely, owing to the poor facilities for getting outside. The trolley will change all that. With reasonable fares between the Medways and Franklin, and also Wrentham, the trade is coming here in much larger amount than the volume of Franklin trade which goes to Woonsocket, which is admitted to be quite an important factor in our merchants' cash balance. Therefore it behooves our merchants to be ready to receive the new trade, both by invitation through a reputable medium like THE SENTINEL, and also by a quality and quantity of goods upon their shelves which will continue to induce trading here in preference to elsewhere. The right kind of work will do this.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Safe Home from Manila.

Valentine Schaeffer, brother of Romey Schaeffer of City Mills, aged about 18 years, has just returned from the Philippines, where he served in the navy. When the Spanish-American war broke out Schaeffer was serving his time at Newport. When the United States fleet was chasing Cevera's fleet about the West Indies he was placed on the Brooklyn as a messenger, where he served while the Spanish fleet was bottled up in Santiago. His ship took part in the chase and destruction of the fleet. He came home with the Brooklyn in the fall of 1898 and was presented a medal from the citizens of Brooklyn, as were all the sailors who were on the Brooklyn at Santiago. After a brief furlough Schaeffer left on the Buffalo for Manila. On reaching there he, with 300 companions, was transferred to the Charleston, which was wrecked on an uncharted rock. There were 300 men on the ship when she struck, and every one, with some rifles and ammunition and a small amount of provisions, got safely away from the vessel. The men took to the boats and after rowing all day landed on a barren island. The next morning a band of friendly natives came over to the island and the marines went to their town, where they remained for four weeks.

A crew sent out to find an American boat returned with the Oregon at the end of the fourth week and the sailors were taken on board. While in Manila Schaeffer met his brother Jacob, who was in Company G, 18th infantry, and who went to Cuba with this regiment and afterwards to the Philippines.

Tonight, at Morse Opera House

"O'Hooligan's Wedding" will be produced with their own scenery. O'Hooligan is full of human interest, the dialogue is breezy, the characters bright and the comedy all that could be desired. The most refined and elegant comedy company on the road, presenting more new features, new acts, more laughable oddities than any other similar enterprise. Remember that "O'Hooligan's Wedding" is a play which, though boisterous in merriment, yet is pure in sentiment, refined in tone, correct in moral bearing and spontaneous in action; in fact, it is the theme of praise for editors and the public everywhere. Furious fun from start to finish. Excitement and laughter sandwiched with charming instrumental music. Latest vocal oddities, topical songs and choruses are offered patrons of "O'Hooligan's Wedding. Tickets, whole orchestra, 35 and 25.

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Think of it! Corned beef at 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 cents. Some of these are choice bits and cannot be beaten. Then we have the finest "green stuff" to be found in the Boston markets, all kinds. Try our new string beans. Home-killed veal, extra fine; roast beef as low as 8 cents, toothsome asparagus, fine, sweet butter for table or cooking, canned goods of all kinds.

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Pleasant furnished rooms and board. Mrs. Stewart, over Bachelor's store. 11,15

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Up stairs tenement to let on Central street. Inquire of A M. Haggart. 6tf

Wanted—Capable Protestant girl for general housework. Mrs T. L. Martin. 6tf

Dr. J. C. Gallison will sell a light driving horse or exchange for a heavier one. 11tf

To Let—House and stable on Central street. Some land if wanted. Apply to Mrs. M. A Pond, P. O. Box 141, Franklin. 8

Orders for Allen's wood yard taken here can be transmitted by telephone at once.

To Rent—House on Winter street with barn and carriage house. Emily F. Aldrich. 8,11*

Girl Wanted—To assist in housework in small family. Apply to Box 609, Franklin. 8,11*

To Rent.—Small, convenient tenement at low rent within few rods of post office. A. C. Dana, Dana block. 27 tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

One thousand fine pansy plants, 500 geranium plants, 1,000 aster plants, also a full line of vegetable plants for sale at Slade's greenhouse.

Pasture to Rent.—Persons desiring pasture for horses or cows can rent same on reasonable terms. Call on or address address Enoch Waite for particulars. 11,18,25

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Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

FRIDAY, MAY 11, 1900

The Event of the Century.

Getting persons to agree as to the one great event of the century is about as difficult as reaching a decision on the "100 best books," and so on. The old saying, "Many men of many minds," is well illustrated in the experiment of the Philadelphia North American, which has collected the opinions of several prominent gentlemen as to what is the preeminent achievement of the century now closing. Their opinions are as follows: Secretary Root—The process for making Bessemer steel. Russell Sage—The progress that has been made in electrical appliances. Mr. Sage thinks that the complete mastery of electrical power will probably be the great work that will mark the coming century. Dr. Cyrus Edson—The application of electricity to useful ends in general, and in particular the discovery of the Roentgen ray. Nikola Tesla—The mastery of electrical forces. C. W. Cridler, third assistant secretary of state—The abolition of slavery. Senator Depew—The development of electricity. He thinks the peril of the twentieth century will be in congestion. Maj. Gen. Miles—The preservation of the American republic. Rev. Dr. Hillis, of Plymouth church—The laying of the Atlantic cable. Prof. Langley—The advent of electricity. A. A. Adee, second assistant secretary of state—The aseptic treatment used in surgery. Henry Irving—The civil war of 1861-1865. Regarding what may be accomplished during the next century he quotes: "Never prophesy unless you know."

To Catch Tax Dodgers.

A company formed in Iowa for the unique purpose of the prosecution of tax dodgers has submitted a proposition to the board of supervisors of many of the counties of the state. The concern offers to make investigation and determine whether or not any persons, firms or corporations in any given county carelessly or fraudulently omit any part of their personal property or real estate subject to taxation in their statements furnished to the assessors. The company proposes to report all such property that it may find to the proper official for assessment, collection and entry, and assist in collecting much as does a bad debt collecting concern. The concern that makes this offer does not do so from philanthropic motives. On the contrary, it asks the large price of 50 per cent. of all that it collects—a price which is rather larger than is usually asked by bad debt collecting agencies. The scheme will tempt many counties, as it would undoubtedly bring to the surface much property that has hitherto been concealed, and whatever taxes may be received in this way will be so much more than nothing, while the proceedings would be apt to discourage future dodging of taxes. It is a pity, says the Chicago Tribune, that the county officials cannot be fearless enough to make investigations of their own and not suffer the humiliation of an offer such as that of the tax collecting company.

Members of the house are getting very particular about the cards that are sent in to them, says the [illegible] Washington Star. The agitation of [illegible] has made them sensitive to the suspicion of too much gallantry. [illegible] the members now [illegible] sent from the ladies' [illegible] a half dozen members have been [illegible] sitting in the ladies' gallery [illegible] their wives were [illegible]. The deep window recesses [illegible] the corridors, where [illegible] flirtations were wont to be held, are now vacant, except when occupied by men only. It was amusing to observe the alertness of members to whom flowers were sent on the opening of congress, in getting possession of the cards of presentation, lest some cards should bear a lady's name and excite comment.

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THE BUZZING MOTOR BOX.

Pump Arrangement in Under Trolley Cars That Sets One's Teeth on Edge.

Every change in the street car transit facilities in this city produces some new sensation to the riders. The latest of these is felt by those who travel in the new 41-foot long, cross-seated cars of the Third avenue line, and is particularly noticeable when the cars come to a stop. In the comparative quiet which then prevails the passenger suddenly becomes aware of a peculiar noise and vibration which is transmitted throughout the body of the car, and appears to be caused by some one being at work sawing the track in two under the car with a coarse-toothed saw.

It is a sensation which has a tendency to set one's teeth on edge, and the passenger is glad when the car starts up again, hoping that he will soon be over that bad spot in the track. He discovers then that the sawing is still going on under him, and if he is nervous will be pretty nearly ready to leave the car to escape it, when it will suddenly cease. After a period of quiet, during which the car may have made two or three stops, the sawing will start up again for a new effort.

This annoying noise and vibration is made by an electric motor and pump which is carried under the bottom of the car inclosed in a thick, wooden case attached to the body of the car. Its work is to keep up the supply of air under pressure which works the air brakes, and the reason it does not run all the time is that it is so arranged that it is only put in operation when the pressure in the air storage cylinder falls below a certain point. When this is reached a plunger fails and makes an electric connection which starts the pump motor and the pumping continues until the pressure reaches a maximum point, fixed at the will of the company.

To avoid the transmission of the unpleasant noise and vibration to the car and passenger, it will probably be necessary to separate the pump motor box from the car body and suspend it on a spring connection.—N. Y. Sun.

Not Complimentary.

Mrs. Stamford Hill—I hear you are trying joint housekeeping with the Lovejoys. How does it work, dear?

Mrs. Mincing Lane—Oh, splendidly! We never have the slightest disagreement.

"Ah, the Lovejoys are so sweet and amiable. I'm sure they would put up with anything rather than quarrel."—London Punch.

Cooking by Guesswork.

Mr. Newwed—[illegible] coffee is weak is [illegible] again.

Mrs. Newwed—I can't [illegible] for it, my [illegible]. No matter how careful I am, it's always the same way.

"Perhaps you don't use enough coffee."

"Nonsense! I put in a whole halfcupful, and everybody says that's plenty."

"Do you measure the water?"

"Hah! Whoever heard of measuring water? All cooks pour it right out of the tea-kettle. I've seen 'em often, so there!"—N. Y. Weekly.

For Others.

The more we see of football,
The more we want to say
That 'tis the finest game on earth
For other men to play.
—N. Y. World.

MACADAMIZED ROADS.

A Prominent L. A. W. Official Tells How They Should Be Constructed and Maintained.

"As the necessity for good roads increases, more frequent attempts are made by the country road builders to construct stone or macadam roads. Of course, some of this macadamizing is excellently done, but the great majority of cases are characterized by an utter want of that expert knowledge which is required for selecting the best materials and using them in the right way. Failures are especially numerous in respect to the methods adopted," says Otto Dorner, chairman of the L. A. W. highway improvement committee.

"A stone road of any kind is necessarily expensive, and a poorly constructed macadam road always means a waste of considerable funds. The subject is, therefore, deserving of especial study, and the farmers may be depended upon to familiarize themselves thoroughly with the principles which have governed this work, especially in New Jersey, where so much macadamizing has been done by state aid. We may expect that, in time, the construction of stone roads will become as familiar to farmers as the growing of wheat, but at present there is very little general information on the subject."

"The two points to be observed in building stone roads are, first, to provide a proper foundation, and, second, to roll and compact the stone metal with the utmost thoroughness. To begin with, the subsoil, which is to serve as a foundation for the stone, must be properly crowned, sloping down from the middle to each side of the road, and must then be rolled until it is absolutely hard and smooth. The road should take its shape from the shape of the foundation. The stone is but a covering or roof for the protection of the ground beneath."

"The stone used should be put down in layers not more than four inches thick, and it is well, where several layers of stone are used, to sort the material and to use the larger pieces for the lower layer. This sorting is done by means of a rotary screen attached to the rock crusher. In building macadam roads in Massachusetts and Ontario, the lower layer is usually composed of stone which will pass through a hole 2½ inches in diameter. The second layer usually consists of pieces which will pass through a 1½-inch hole."

"Rolling is the most important point in the treatment of macadam or stone roads. A heavy roller should always be used, heavy enough to wedge the pieces of stone firmly together. The roller accomplishes this by shifting the pieces about until each is lodged firmly between adjoining pieces, which readily explains the greater effectiveness of the heavy machine. Two things may prevent successful rolling; either the failure to provide a solid foundation, or the practice, which is very common, of spreading gravel or dirt over a layer of stone before it is rolled. The idea of using such a "binder" is a bad mistake. In either event, the dirt or gravel, getting between the loose particles of stone, will prevent their becoming firmly wedged. A mixing of stone and earth, which is thus frequently brought about in an attempt to build a macadam road, is little better than an ordinary dirt road; indeed, it is inferior in some particulars. The material in a road thus constructed is sure to shift about under the pressure of narrow-tired wheels, which results in the larger pieces of stone working their way to the top, rendering the road rough and uncomfortable for travel. The best way to help the stone to "bind" is to thoroughly sprinkle it with water before and during the rolling process. Almost every kind of stone has more or less cementing qualities, and its saturation with water while it is being rolled serves admirably to help unite the different pieces firmly. The second layer of stone is frequently of less thickness than the layer below. This layer should also be thoroughly and repeatedly rolled without the use of gravel or dirt as a supposed binder, and with the use of abundant water to help in cementing it. After the layers of stone are entirely completed and have been thoroughly rolled and packed, it is well to spread a layer of gravel, by way of top dressing, and to roll that thoroughly. Better still is to make this layer of stone screenings, which will unite better than gravel does. This dressing will prevent wearing the macadam road proper, and, as it disappears with use and travel, should be renewed from time to time, leaving the stone construction below absolutely perfect."

"A macadam road, properly built and with proper slope to each side will readily drain off water and snow. The object of all road experts is to so construct a macadam road that water cannot permeate it. If water is allowed to find its way through the macadam road into the foundation [illegible] it is sure to work mischief; and [illegible] the road is then subjected to [illegible] pressure [illegible] it is certain to give way. Hence the [illegible] a road [illegible] construction [illegible] strength [illegible] it is, therefore, [illegible] to prevent this first [illegible]"

"Taxpayers [illegible] tribute to the cost of macadam roads will [illegible] that the work is properly done. The old adage that what is worth doing at all is worth doing well applies with irresistible force. Many of us still believe that we cannot afford, in the United States, to build first-class highways. It is even more emphatically true that we cannot afford to waste money [illegible]"

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"I know it. She's still that way. Keeps so busy at it that she never has time to play or sing rag-time songs."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Detected.

"It was a clever job," said the chief. "How did you spot him through his woman's disguise?"

"I happened to see him sit down," replied the detective, "and noticed he gave his rainy day skirt a little twitch with both hands, as if to keep it from bagging at the knees. Then I nabbed him."—Chicago Tribune.

Hard Luck.

Jasper—What are you disgusted about?

Jumpuppe—I had a splendid appetite and was getting ready to go to a restaurant to have a fine dinner, when an old friend called and insisted that I should go home and have pot luck with him.—Town Topics.

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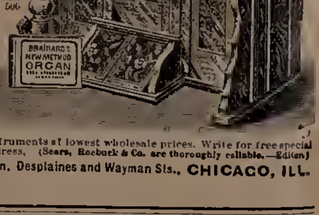

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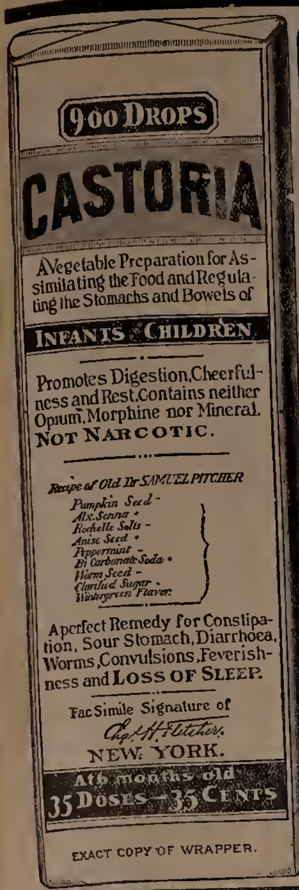
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The woman who marries an army officer ought to know that there is going to be a great change in her life. She goes out to Fort X in Arizona, and when she is inducted to the log hut that is to be her home for a year at least, and perhaps for three, her heart goes down into her little boots. There are other women there, and they assure her that she will soon get used to it, but she refuses to believe in the possibility, and within three months is planning to take a trip home to mother. Of course, he lets her go, but don't you suppose he feels a trifle disappointed in his wife?

Then there is the naval officer's wife. Doesn't she know that naval officers have to travel away at 24 hours' notice? He must have told her that, and yet when the order comes to go she tries to delay him, and thus makes the parting ten times harder. Or suppose she follows him to the China station, and has to put up at Hong-Kong or Yokohama, where the manner of living is so different from this country. There are some women who find it rare fun and drop right into oriental ways, because they are adaptable, but the majority pass their time in groaning, and, when hubby comes ashore, take up all his shore leave wishing that he could be removed to the Mediterranean squadron, or at least to the North Atlantic. Of course, he wishes so, too, but he is under orders, and it would make it much easier if she was as contented as he tries to be.

Let me tell you a little story of a frontier town. It was situated on the northwestern frontier 25 years ago, and, although now of considerable importance, then numbered 300 souls, all told. It was the terminus of a railroad, which brought in one train every second day, but which did not run any trains between October 1 and April 1 because of the tremendous snowdrifts.

There was just 40 women in this town, all married, and about six had children. With the exception of four all these women came from the "east," which in frontier vocabulary means St. Paul and anything east of that point. Their husbands had come out west to grow up with the country, and after a year's experience had felt justified in going east to claim the fulfillment of a previous engagement.

The brides were brought to this town in the spring and had passed through the summer very cheerfully. Then came the first frosts of September, and as the time drew near for the departure of the last train their brows grew dark. They looked forward with terror to six months' exclusion from the world they had left. I do not know what they said but I know what they did.

There were four women in town who had been "movers," as they call those restless people who are always in the advance of civilization, and of course they stayed, and there were two other married woman who decided that if their husbands could stand the climate and the solitude so could they, but every other woman took that last train for the east. Now, don't you think all these women might have adapted themselves to their surroundings if they had tried?

Think of the wife of a missionary. He must go to the farthest points on the globe, and she must go, too. Of course she knows in a general way that she must encounter hardships and privations, but you know you can't form any but the faintest idea of a place from a written description, just as in summer you can't really shiver over a story of arctic perils. So when she actually is installed in a hut with an earth floor, with surroundings little more than barbaric, you can't blame her if her heart feels sick. And how wretched she is going to be if she cannot train that heart to cease its repinings! It is nonsense to think that any civilized woman can ever come to prefer a hut to a house, or the presence of savages to the society of America, but she can make herself a philosopher and extract fun, instruction and even a modicum of comfort either at the equator or the pole.

If you will sit down and figure it out you will find that of all the things in your house there are nine out of ten that you could do without if you had to do so. The talent of adaptability is simply doing without these superfluities and not missing them—at least not enough to fret about it. It is a very pleasant fate to not have to do without anything you want, but when the times comes when you must, then make up your mind to adapt yourself if you would be happy.—Effie Wybrant Smith in Chicago Times-Herald.

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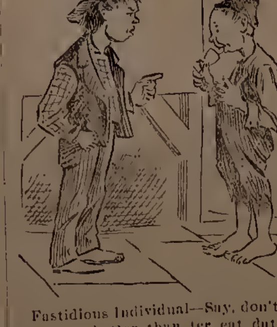
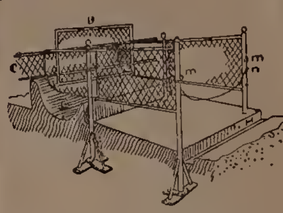


Fastidious Individual—Say, don't yer know no better than ter eat dat ice-cream wid yer tongue? What was yer fingers made for, eh?—Golden Days.

NEW WISCONSIN BARN.

In Its Construction Every New and Progressive Idea Has Been Carefully Considered.

The Wisconsin experiment station people have built a new barn after studying carefully the best to be found in various parts of the country. They have decided to use metal in making the stalls, and a sample stall is shown in the cut. The stable is arranged for 36 cows, 18 on each side of the center passage, with the two rows of cows facing this center passage, which is ten feet wide, so that a team may be driven through to feed the crops taken directly from the fields. The stalls are constructed of gas pipe posts with a framework of gates and panels of channel iron supporting a mesh of No. 7 woven steel wire. In the picture, C shows the framework extending to the length of each row of stalls to support the front part of the side panels; D is a swinging panel, which may be moved to suit the length of the cow; thus a small cow may be forced to stand well back in her stall, over the gutter. The side panels of the stall are hinged so as to accommodate the milkers and let the cows pass out without backing.



A NEW COW STALL.

The floors of this stable are made of Portland cement and crushed granite with the surface sloping gently, so as to lead all water to the sewer drains. The manure gutters behind the cows are 16 inches wide, with the bottom sloping three-fourths of an inch to the rear side and 1½ inches of slope to the center of the stable. The floor of the cow stalls is raised four inches above the other parts of the stable floor. The mangers are composed of the same material as the floor and are built up from it. The side of the manger nearest the cow is eight inches high and three inches thick, rounded down at the bottom. The front of the manger is 16 inches high; the manger is two feet six inches wide and reaches from one end of the stable to the other. It is used both for feeding and for water. The water is turned into the manger on either end from a pipe, and as the mangers slope towards the center from both ends it is readily drained into the sewer by opening a valve, after the cows have had sufficient time to drink. It is said that this means of watering cows is just as convenient and satisfactory as any of the individual watering devices, while it is more cleanly and more wholesome.—Rural New Yorker.

BUTTER-MAKING TESTS.

Cleanliness and Attention to Details Give Better Results Than Commercial Cultures.

The discovery of the important part played by various bacteria in producing the flavor and aroma of butter has led to the introduction of what are known as commercial butter cultures, and dairymen have been led to hope that by the use of such cultures and of the process of pasteurizing, the quality of their butter might be materially improved. Recent trials at the Pennsylvania experiment station, however, reported in bulletins No. 45 and No. 46, now in press, seemed to indicate that cleanliness, the careful selection of milk and close attention to details promise to effect more in improving the flavor of our butter than pasteurizing and the use of commercial cultures. With pasteurized cream, the acid-forming cultures were found to give slightly but distinctly better results than were obtained from unpasteurized cream ripened spontaneously, while non-acid-forming cultures gave results, if anything, slightly inferior to those obtained by spontaneous ripening. With unpasteurized cream, as might have been expected, the results were less marked. A home-made starter, however carefully prepared from skim milk, was found to give as good, if not better, results than the more expensive commercial cultures, and this was true both with pasteurized and with raw cream. No distinctly beneficial results were observed from pasteurizing, although the experiments were not specially planned to test this point. These results are similar to those recently published by the Wisconsin experiment station and the two taken together do not seem to indicate that, under present conditions, marked advantages are to be anticipated from the use of the commercial cultures. Trials were also made of heating milk to a temperature of about 165 degrees Fahrenheit before separating, but without any marked effect on the flavoring of the resulting butter.

Aim for Good Cows.

What we dairymen should aim at is to secure the best cows we can, and try testing each cow's milk by churning separately, and ascertain for sure whether they pay for their keeping and give us a little profit. We can be satisfied with a small profit, but cannot afford to keep cows at a loss for the benevolent purpose of supplying dairy products to consumers at a low cost. Excelsior should be the watchword, and the poorer cows kept only until their places can be filled by better.—Wisconsin Agriculturist.

Buy a Piano by Renting It.

Our Rental Purchase Plan makes buying a piano easy. If you are interested, write us and we will quote special prices on new or second-hand pianos and fully describe our system of Renting Pianos, allowing rent paid to apply toward purchase. Good square pianos to learn on $50 and upward. Call at our wareroom and examine our stock of over 100 pianos, or write us.

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Strictly Up to Date.

Patrice—I hear Miss Sprinter is having three new ball dresses made.

Patience—You don't say so!

"Yes; one baseball, one football and one golf-ball dress."—Yonkers Statesman.

What She Made It.

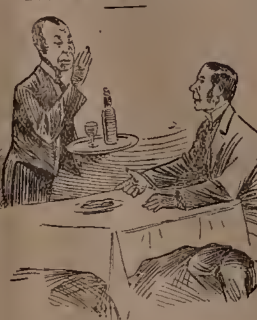
Mrs. Lakeside—I keep the photographs of all my former husbands on my dressing case.

Mrs. Palmer Potter—I see; you make it a sort of matrimonial bureau.—N. Y. World.

Kept His Word.

Whene'er he said he'd do a thing
He never hedged nor tarried.
So when he said he'd go to war
He went straightway and married.
—San Francisco Examiner.

LOOKING OUT FOR NO. 1.



"But, waiter, how on earth could you recommend this roast?"

"Because the boss talked of serving it to the employes."—Fliegende Blaetter.

Life's Misfits.

Misfortune hath a crazy clutch:
Some die because they eat too much,
While here and there a somber pall
Hides one who had no food at all.
—Chicago Record.

Information.

Friend—What is the capacity of your hotel?

Proprietor—Well, we can accommodate 200, or we can make 300 uncomfortable.—Puck.

Retaliation.

"Well," said Miss Fosdick, with a satisfied air, "I flatter myself that I have got even with that supercilious Miss Thorndyke Van Rensselaer."

"How did you get even with her? Didn't you invite her to your tea?" asked Miss Keedick.

"Oh, yes, I invited her, but I spelled her name wrong on the envelope and also on the list of guests that I gave to the society papers."—Town Topics.

To Mothers in This Town.

Children who are delicate, feverish and cross will get immediate relief from Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. They cleanse the stomach, act on the liver, making a sickly child strong and healthy. A certain cure for worms. Sold by all druggists, 25c; sample free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

A Boston Innocent.

Mrs. Greene—They say that when the men go on fishing trips they take a lot of liquor along with them.

Mrs. Gray—I don't think that is so. I'm sure it is not so when my husband goes a-fishing. I have overhauled his luggage when he got home on purpose to see, and I have never been able to find a drop of liquor in any of the bottles in his bag.—Boston Transcript.

You

need not lose flesh in summer if you use the proper means to prevent it. You think you can't take SCOTT'S EMULSION in hot weather, but you can take it and digest it as well in summer as in winter. It is not like the plain cod-liver oil, which is difficult to take at any time.

If you are losing flesh, you are losing ground and you need

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50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
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ALL MET WITH MISFORTUNE.

The Old Superstition Relative to the Number Thirteen Singularly Verified.

"I would not sit down to dinner in a party of 13," said a broker who is credited with plenty of "horse sense," "for the simple reason that I don't intend to give coincidence a chance to play into the hands of superstition. Moreover, I have had one very disagreeable experience along that line. In the early spring of 1890 I was one of a bachelor party gotten up to give the usual send-off to a friend about to commit matrimony. There were 15 of us in the crowd, but at the last moment two were called away. That reduced us to the fatal number, which nobody noticed until we were seated at the table, when a desperate effort was made to scare up another guest, but no one could be found. So we laughed the matter off and went on with the fun, but there was a palpable undercurrent of depression and several of the boys acquired lachrymose jags—which, next to the English comic newspapers, are saddest things in the world.

"If you are not familiar with the terms I will explain that a lachrymose jag is the stage of inebriety at which a man tells you the story of his life and weeps on your shoulders at intervals of six months in the narrative. However, to get to the point, two of the fellows present died in 1896 and the way the circumstance demoralized nearly all the others was simply amazing. In several of them it effected a total change in disposition. The death of distant relatives, petty misadventures in business, occasional attacks of sickness and a hundred and one other incidents of everyday life were all charged up to the blight of 13, and finally, about a year and a half later, I became so tired of hearing that sort of stories that I took the pains to collect statistics on another stag party given within a few weeks of ours. An even dozen had been present and the net result was: Two deaths, three business failures, one lost a leg and one lost an eye in accidents, one embezzler skipped out, one divorce and two men gone to the dogs through drink. This was not a party of hoboes, either, but average chaps about town, and their catalogue of disaster put an end to further croaking over our 13 supper. All the same, I don't yearn for a repetition of the experience. Life's too short for all worry not strictly necessary."—N. O. Times Democrat.

Nature's Handiwork.

She—Do you know that the average woman's waist is 30 inches round?

He—Yes; and isn't it a peculiar coincidence that the average man's arm is 30 inches long?—Chicago Daily News.

Making Home Pleasant.

Wiggs—Henpeck is very fond of entertaining, isn't he?

Waggs—Yes; his wife is always pleasant when there's company present.—Catholic Standard and Times.

Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her, and she writes this marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason's drug store.

Test of Fame.

"Is he famous?"

"Famous? Naw. Why, I don't know a single pug dog that's been named after him."—Chicago Post.

In the spring the birds are singing
As they build their summer home,
Blades of grass and buds are springing,
O'er the mead the cattle roam.
In the spring your blood is freighted
With the germs that cause disease,
Humors, boils, are designated
Signals warning you of these.
In the spring that tired feeling
Makes you every duty shirk,—
Makes you feel like begging, stealing,
Rather than engage in work.
But there's something known that will a
Man to health and vigor lead.
You will find Hood's Sarsaparilla
Just exactly what you need

Even Division.

Judge—What are you going to give your lawyer if he proves you innocent of the burglary?

Prisoner—Half the proceeds of the robbery.—Tit-Bits.

Bismarck's Iron Nerve

Was the result of his splendid health. Indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where stomach, liver and kidneys and bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c. at A. C. Mason & Co.'s

The End.

And the cooking-school swept on and on
Till its conquest was complete,
And womankind in general
Would rather cook than eat.
—Puck.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your grocer today to show you a package of Grain-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it like it. Grain O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress; one fourth the price of coffee; 15c. and 25c. per package. Sold by all grocers.

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OCT. 22, 1899.

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BOSTON—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex.) 8 05, 9 38 p m; Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, 8 30 a m; 12 04, 3 86, 4 32, 5 19, 6 22, 6 57, 8 17, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 15 a m, 5 15, 7 10 p m.

BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 49, 4 10, 5 11, 6 01, 7 19 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7 54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 58, f5 21, 6 19, f7 25, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 8 25 p m.

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PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 20, 10 30 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 23, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

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ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

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MILFORD—9 25 a m; 1 19, 4 37, 5 42, 6 57, S 6 44 p m

FRANKLIN—6 43, 8 41, 11 28 a m; 4 03, 6 19 p m. S 8 15 a m.

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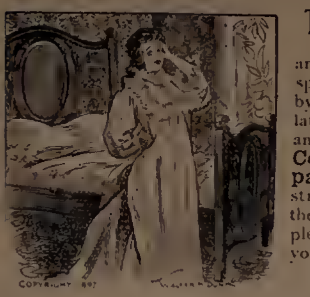

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and dull headache that comes with spring and early summer is caused by impure blood clogging the circulation and rendering the liver torpid and the vital functions inactive. Our **Compound Extract of Sarsaparilla** will purify the blood, strengthen the nerves and revitalize the whole system, make your complexion clear, your eye bright and your step elastic, if used now.

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WRENTHAM.

The Norfolk Dramatic company gave their performance of "Diamonds and Hearts" in the Town hall Wednesday night, under the auspices of Wampum lodge, No. 195, I. O. O. F. It was a very creditable performance and the acting was excellent. Joseph Sharp and Mrs A. E. Green in the supper scene were the feature of the performance, together with Allie Moulton as Sammie. A social dance followed, with music by the Norfolk Band orchestra.——The Y. P. S. C. E. have elected the following officers: President, Walter Hatch; vice pres., Stewart Bean; treas., Stella Blake; sec., Maud Blatchford. The society has done excellent work the past six months and among other things they have raised $50 toward paying off the church debt.——Twenty three cases of hats were shipped from the straw factory of Daniel Brown on Wednesday, the largest shipment this season.——There will be a May basket festival in Hawes chapel May 14, at 8 p. m., for the benefit of the church bazaar. Admission free.——There was a large attendance at the Holly club Tuesday afternoon at Mrs. Daniel Farrington's, the subject being J. R. Lowell The next meeting will be on Wednesday afternoon at Odd Fellows' hall

Not to His Taste.

Wiggs—Skinner has just returned a book he borrowed.

Jiggs—Didn't he like it?

Wiggs—Yes. Why do you ask?

Jiggs—You say he returned it.—Town Topics.

Had Support.

Judge—The charge against you is vagrancy. The officer says you have no visible means of support.

"I's got a means oh suppo't, jedge; but she done took sick an' cain't do no washin'."—Judge.

In Oklahoma.

Caller—Is the editor in?

Office Boy—Yes, but he can't see no one to-day. He left his gun at home.—N. Y. Journal.

Of Course They Will.

Grandma—Ah, my dear, the men are not what they were 50 years ago.

Ethel—Well, granny, you know, 50 years will change any man.—Tit-Bits.

A Cloud's Golden Lining.

Henpeck—There is a man that has my pity and envy simultaneously you see his wife is one of the most noted of naggers.

Friend—Now, where does your envy come in?

Henpek—Well, you see he is as deaf as a post and cannot hear a word she says.—Judge.

Living Up to His Principle.

"I tell you, sir, the tarring and feathering of that miserable scoundrel was an unpardonable outrage!"

"Why do you speak so warmly?"

"Because I'm vice president of the society that opposes the use of feathers in personal adornment!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

No Hope for Him.

"Then you cannot be the sunshine of my life?" asked the young man, with the insistence of one under a fixed idea.

"No," replied the lady detective, softly, "you know I am a professional shadow."—Indianapolis Journal.

When to Fly High.

First English Sparrow—The legislatures are offering rewards for our heads. Aren't you scared?

Second English Sparrow—No, I shan't worry until they call us game and pass laws to protect us.—N. Y. Weekly.

Really Remarkable Woman.

"What is there so remarkable about her?"

"Why, she's a woman who never kept house in her life, and yet she doesn't think she could settle the servant-girl problem."—Chicago Post.

Volcanic Eruptions

Are grand, but skin eruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them, also old, running and fever sores, ulcers, boils, felons, corns, warts, cuts, bruises, burns, scalds, chapped hands, chilblains. Best pile cure on earth; drives out pains and aches. Only 25c. box; cure guaranteed. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co., druggists.

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pleases all the family. Four flavors: Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. At your grocers. 10 cts. Try it today.

Enjoying Himself Under Difficulties.

Nutting—How can you sit here with that Chaffer woman playing on that confounded piano of hers in the next flat?

Helter—Oh I enjoy it. It reminds me that she is Chaffer's wife. I hate Chaffer, you know —Boston Transcript.

After Dinner

To assist digestion, relieve distress after eating or drinking too heartily, to prevent constipation, take

Hood's Pills

Sold everywhere. 25 cents.

R IS for rubber and rubber-neck, too,
To see mamma pass with her baby quite new
The soft rubber tires ripple over the rocks!
On a carriage direct from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

S IS for Satan, the substance of boys
When they fool the baby and break baby's toys.
They smash his high chair and the clock that tick-tocks,
But they can't break a Cart from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

T IS for Twisted, how papa became
In trying to give the new baby a name.
He got one at last, wrote it down with white chalk—
'Twas "Whitney" on carts from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

U IS for Urchin, who got awful mad
Because the new baby made every one glad.
Excited, he rushed it, but never a shock,
In a rubber-tired Coach from the Cook Rolling Stock."

V IS for Venus, that goddess of love,
So clever and sinful, both serpent and dove.
Forget her—that's easy as "Jack in a box."
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BUTTONS MADE FROM YOUR OWN CLOTH.

Why They Objected.

Parker—We had to get rid of our pastor; he was a vegetarian.

Tucker—What's that you're telling me?

Parker—No meat in his sermons!—Puck.

A New Definition.

Freddie—What's a laughing-stock, dad?

Cobwigger—The necktie a man's wife buys him.—Town Topics.

Important Things.

Master—Name some of the most important things existing to-day which were unknown 100 years ago.

Tommy—You and me.—Tit-Bits.

Undoubtedly.

Fair Molly on Thanksgiving
Was dressed to kill, I guess;
But the turkey that she tackled
Was surely killed to dress.
—Brooklyn Life

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3 Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10 30 on "The Psychology of Hawthorne's Scarlet Letter." Afternoon service at 5; subject, "Ideas of a Future Life in the Middle Ages." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10 30 by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D., on "Some Truths Emphasized by the Ecumenical Conference" Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 30; Evening service at 7 30; theme, "Diana or Christ."

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor; subject "Echoes from the Ecumenical Missionary Conference." Sunday school at 12. Junior league at 3 30. Epworth league at 6 30. Evening service at 7.30; subject, "The Duty and Privilege of Prayer."

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. F. B. Sleeper, pastor; theme, "The Great Responsibility of the Church" Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6 15. Preaching by pastor at 7 30, the second in series of discourses, "The Fine Art of Christian Development."

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending May 9, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. Alfred Oakes.

Gentlemen—A. M. Adam (2). Fred. Bishop, Charles E. Cook, Myron Follett, Frank Haywood, Eugene Lafrance, F. O. Sullivan.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

"The Strength of Twenty Men."

When Shakespeare employed this phrase he referred, of course, to healthy, able-bodied men. If he had lived in these days he would have known that men and women who are not healthy may become so by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla This medicine, by making the blood rich and pure and giving good appetite and perfect digestion, imparts vitality and strength to the system.

The non-irritating cathartic— Hood's Pills.

The Alphabet Advertiser

A for apricots, both dried and canned,
B for biscuits of all the best brands,
C for crackers and clams for chowder,
D for doughnuts and Dalmation powder,
E for extracts of Baker's best make,
F for fish that will make fine fish cakes,
G for groceries kept neat and in shape,
H for honey to eat on wheat cakes,
I for Indian corn meal and ink,
J for fruit juice for a summer drink,
K for Kennedy, whose goods we stand by,
L for lemons that make a nice pie,
M for mince meat, molasses and mace,
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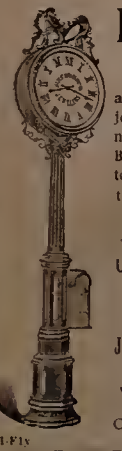

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Eliza A. Cook, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Bliss Cook of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the sixteenth day of May, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-sixth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Alice G. Cowell, late of Wrentham, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Aaron B. Cole of Wrentham, or to some other suitable person, without giving surety on his bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-third day of May, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this first day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Griffin court, M. C. O. F., will meet tomorrow evening.

Weeks to play with the Carters this season? So it is rumored.

Mrs. E. H. Rathbun is spending the month of May in Providence.

Richard Kennedy of Hopedale spent Sunday with his parents in town.

Mrs. Frank Clark and children of Millville are visiting relatives in town.

Dean is scheduled to play Phillips Exeter, at Exeter, tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Alice Neville left today for an extended visit with her sister in Springfield.

Miss Katherine Sutton of Providence made a brief visit to friends in town on Monday.

E. B. Guild has resigned his position with Peck & Field, Albert Heath taking his place.

William McGeough and family of Thayer street remove to Woonsocket on Thursday.

A. P. Woodward has been unable to make his regular trips to Boston recently, owing to illness.

Artist Hutchinson is putting a new coat of paint on Mrs. Atwood's residence, Central street.

Morris Sherin, formerly clerk at the Hotel Briggs, it is stated, will shortly leave for St. Louis, Mo.

Friday evening "O'Hooligan's Wedding" took place at the Opera house before a good-sized audience.

Word was received last week of the safe arrival of Dr. A. J. Gallison and Walter Hawkins at Rotterdam.

The Y. P. C. U. business and social meeting appointed for Wednesday evening is postponed. See notice later.

Mrs. Frank Frank Woolford has so far recovered from her accident at the Opera house as to be able to be about the house.

Mrs. F. A. Bates of Somerville has been visiting friends in town and vicinity, renewing pleasantly old friendships.

The Carter house on School street is being painted and made ready for the immediate occupancy of Charles Stewart.

Nathan B. Arnold has recovered sufficiently from his recent illness to be able to resume his duties at J. F. Ray's coal office.

L. F. W. Hayden, who has had charge of Selectman J. J. McCarthy's racing stable here, is moving his family to Lewiston, Me., this week.

The bloomer cars were put on the electric route Sunday and during the afternoon and evening were crowded with passengers.

Chester Cobb, formerly with A. C. Mason, has accepted a position with a Malden druggist. He began his duties there yesterday.

One of the commodious 16 seat "bloomers" was run over the electric line on Friday for a trial trip, Supt. Young being in charge as motorman.

A fire was discovered in the dry room at Hayward's mill shortly after 5 o'clock this morning, but was extinguished before causing much damage.

The Mothers' section of the Alden club met with Mrs. Alfred Farrington, Union street, Friday afternoon. Several interesting papers were read.

In the district court Saturday Judge Doe discharged Johnny Leonard, the boy who accidently shot Henry Langui land, a playmate, some weeks ago.

During Thursday night the weather reports show a temperature of 12 above zero, while Sunday the thermometer swung around to the hottest Sunday this season.

Nine car loads of rails have been received here within the past few days for the Franklin-Medway electric road and are being drawn to the Medway end of the route.

Post 60, G. A. R., and Women's Relief corp, No. 89, will meet at Grand Army hall, at 1 o'clock, sharp, to attend memorial service at the Town hall, Norfolk, Sunday, May 20.

Little Miss Ella Howard very pleasantly entertained twenty of her young friends at the home of her parents on Winter street, the occasion being her 10th birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Utley of Brookline have been the guests of Dr. J. C. Gallison this week. The doctor and Mr. Utley were colleagues together in the legislature for two years.

Express Agent Grant released thirty-one homing pigeons yesterday morning at 6 o'clock, and a number of the birds reached Dorchester at 7.45, making the trip in an hour and three-quarters.

One of the engines at the Unionville power house is in running order. This engine, it is claimed, will give sufficient power to enable the street railway company to run their cars to Wrentham.

Miss Hattie Sullivan, who is a student at the Bridgewater school, and a graduate of F. H. S., class '99, has been sent home ill with scarlet fever and is now with her parents at Bellingham.

The young friends of George Mason made him a surprise visit last Friday evening, making their presence known by hanging him a May basket. They were invited in and enjoyed a fine time.

The 12-inch iron pipe on School street is to replace the 8 inch pipe now used there. The increasing demand for water from year to year makes a larger pipe necessary to give good service and pressure.

The junior class of the Horace Mann High school are making preparations for their annual reception to the graduating class, which will take place the latter part of this month or the first of June.

Monday, May 21, at 3.40 p. m. in the hall of the Horace Mann school house, Dr. John T. Prince, agent of the State Board of Education, will deliver an address. All are most cordially invited to attend.

The Ramblers of the town met the Woonsocket Ramblers at Indian Rock park Saturday afternoon and defeated them, 21 to 20. The contest was a hard-hitting one and interest ran high at different stages.

Young man, when you go after a young lady to take her out and she says: "Come in and wait until I wash the dishes for mother," you take a seat and wait, and wait for that girl—and she will do to wait for.—Exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Cook have returned from their wedding trip to Thomasville, Ga., and have taken the Hutchinson house on School street. Mr. Cook is the manager at the Worcester Textile Co., Unionville.

Mine Host McKinnon looks a veritable boniface in his new quarters at Hotel Briggs, and he proposes to do all in his power to make it a firstclass hotel. The hotel was purchased by H. D. MacMillan, Mr. McKinnon being the agent.

A petition is being circulated among the farmers, or people living on the outskirts of Franklin, for free delivery. Money has been appropriated by the government for this object, and if a petition receives 100 signatures they will no doubt be signed by all the suburbanites.

Fern chapter, O. E. S., was represented at the meeting of the Grand chapter held in Worcester, May 10, by Mrs. Mabel M. Mason, worthy matron, and Mrs. Nellie C. Bachelor, associate matron. Mrs. Mason was elected and installed as grand adah of the Grand chapter of Massachusetts.

Patrick Dunion, a veteran of the civil war, died at the residence of James F. Doherty, Union street, yesterday, at an advanced age. He was a member of the G. A. R., and the members of Post 60, G. A. R., will attend the funeral, which will be held at 10.30 a. m. tomorrow from St. Mary's chapel.

The Textiles on Saturday afternoon played a nine from the Hayward mill and the latter won out after an exciting battle. The game was played at Unionville and was witnessed by a large crowd. The Cross brothers were the battery for the Textiles, and Chilson and Doan for the Haywards.

The city fathers gathered in their room Friday evening for the usual routine business and such other matters of public interest as might properly come before them. An innholder's license was granted to Harry A. Worthley and a pool table license to the same. Alfred A. Jordan was appointed a forest fire ward.

George H. Grant has begun the preliminary work for the summer theatre at Hoag pond, which is to be completed by June 18. Entertainments are to be given afternoon and evening through the season of three months, and vaudeville companies have been engaged for each week. The auditorium is to seat 1250 people.

A letter from Mrs. S. W. Squire, dated Canton, N. Y., May 10, shows that she is nearing home. She reports that before she left the West trees and grass were green, lawns having been mowed two or three times, while in Canton she finds snow squalls, but no verdure. She intends to return to her home the last of this month.

Road matters seem to be quiet and few comments are heard upon the condition of the highways. The new superintendent is taking hold of the problem fearlessly and good words have been spoken for him in one or two instances, when road matters formed the topic of informal discussion. At the present time the pay roll of the regular working force amounts to about $90 a week.

If you want a cheap trip to Chicago, just remember that the next national encampment, G. A. R., will be there in August, when it is expected 250,000 of the veterans will assemble and renew old ties. Each year these assemblies attract more attention, from the increasing age and infirmities of the battle-scarred veterans. In less than a generation more the encampments will be small indeed.

A gentleman was in town this week investigating a complaint which had been made to the New England Telephone and Telegraph company relative to injury of trees where the company's men had been putting up wires. The company disclaims any intention of causing damage or discomfort to any one, and says that the men have strict orders to use the utmost care when working along the streets.

A forest fire at Hardyville on Saturday afternoon at 3.30 was cause for the ringing in of an alarm from box 13. The alarm whistle got out of order after ringing out the number once, and for a time the populace was in doubt as to the location of the fire. A number of firemen went to Hardyville and aided in putting out the flames, which had burned over several acres before being checked. The land is owned by Lawrence J. Kelly.

Philadelphia has had a three weeks' trial of an ordinance prohibiting the distribution of circulars and flysheets at doors and on stoops in that city. It has worked an instant improvement in the streets. April winds have less paper to blow about. The streets are neater and cleaner. The litter on the lee of the gutters and sidewalks is less, and the general aspect of the streets is better than ever before. The way to keep the streets clean is to keep all the rubbish out of them.

Rev. Dr. Sneath gave a most interesting account of the recent Ecumenical council in New York on Sunday, showing the wonderful enthusiasm developed there, and the truly remarkable gathering of missionaries and laymen. The impetus which must result from such a meeting can hardly fail to be marvelous, and a source of inspiration to the many workers who are now laboring in foreign fields to further the cause of the gospel in heathen lands.

An editor of an exchange says: "If newspaper subscribers would only pay their bills as they do almost any of their other expenses, there would better papers and more prosperous and happy editors. But most people seem to think that the editor can be paid last just as well. We haven't the least doubt that there is a special felicity in store for people in the next world who have always responded promptly and cheerfully to the demands of the newspaper man."

Dean and a town team crossed bats on Saturday afternoon in the presence of a large crowd of spectators, the latter winning by a score of 15 to 12. The Dean boys felt no chagrin over their defeat, as they claim it took the assistance of some of the crack players from the North Attleboro and Brown University teams to defeat them, and the clever North Attleboro pitcher to clinch the game. Both sides developed some excellent playing, a number of individual plays being thoroughly appreciated.

Owing to the interest in base ball here it is quite likely that a meeting of the citizens will be called some evening this week to make arrangements for forming an association, with officers, etc. Mr. Carter will be back of the team, as usual, in a way, but so much of the responsibility will not fall upon him as heretofore. With a good live association here in the interest of the sport, such as North Attleboro has had, the game will increase in interest and in financial profit. We shall give further particulars later.

Everyone in town who has occasion to send packages by express will be interested to learn that, according to a decision of the United States supreme court, the stamp tax on express packages must be borne by the shipper. The opinion is based upon the case of the American Express company vs. Atty-Gen. Maynard of Michigan, and came to the supreme court from the decision of the supreme court of Michigan, which decision was adverse to the express companies' claim. The present opinion reverses the opinion.

Hubbard M. Bullock was brought home from Dedham on Friday unconscious. He began to feel badly at Walpole, and word was telegraphed here to prepare a conveyance to take him home. This was done, and a messenger went ahead to prepare Mrs. Bullock for the unwelcome news. He was found to suffering from what threatened to be a slight congestion of the brain, though he is now more comfortable. Dr. Elliott, who attended him, thought the difficulty was the after effects of his recent attack of the grip, from which he had not entirely recovered.

The two farces, "A Happy Pair" and "Thirty Minutes for Refreshments," were presented Friday evening by some of the Dean pupils in the chapel. A medium-sized audience witnessed the presentation and evinced their appreciation at different points by frequent applause. All the parts were well rendered by the different young ladies and gentlemen, and in some instances good dramatic ability was shown. The stage was prettily and suitably arranged for both plays and reflected credit on the dainty fingers which helped to make it so.

The selectmen of Bellingham held a conference last week with President George W. Wiggin and other officers of the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket street railway at Caryville in reference to the condition of the highway and road-bed from Caryville to Bellingham Four Corners. The selectmen had felt there was just ground of complaint as to its condition and were averse to further concessions to the company until it should be made better. The conference was harmonious and a satisfactory understanding was had. The track-laying through South Milford will be begun this week.

A Record Breaker.

It was understood that Vardon, the crack golfite, had recently returned to England, but this report appears to have been unfounded. It seems that he made his appearance one day last week on the Franklin Country club links and broke all previous records, besides a number of other things. His lofts were something terrific, and a number of the balls went so high, it is presumed, that they never came down—at least they were never found. Some of his strokes were fearfully and wonderfully made, and the sticks should have been similarly made to have withstood the terrific sweep of his stroke. Sticks, earth and ball were unrecognizably blended. Indeed, the executive committee are seriously considering a number of changes about the links to accommodate the new record maker. It is possible the grounds may be enlarged and a balloon secured to recover skyward balls; a boat will be bought for the brook, or the latter covered the entire distance, and a sinking fund will be established for the purchasing of new balls and sticks at frequent intervals. The stone wall will doubtless be removed, what there is left, and every rock, wood and piece of obstruction cleared away.

Waiting for the Trolley.

The business men of the town generally are anxiously awaiting the time when the direct electric route to Medway, as well as the route to Wrentham and Attleboro will be opened. Many of the merchants declare that since the Woonsocket Franklin line was opened last September, there has been a material falling off in several lines of trade here, and they say that the Woonsocket merchants acknowledge that their business has been greatly increased since the electrics began running between the two places. The Franklin business men believe, however, that when the lines to Attleboro and to Medway are in operation they will receive a large share of trade from people along the routes, more than enough, they say, to even up the loss sustained by Franklin people going to Woonsocket for their purchases.

High School 17, Dean Second 11.

On Friday the High school team administered a crushing defeat to Dean second on the Academy campus. The principal features of the game were the heavy hitting and a triple play made by the High school boys. Grant found the plate while a number of the Deans were unable to find the ball. This game was the first this season for the victors, with the exception of a few practice games, and can be taken on the whole as a very good beginning. Grant and Hood were the battery for the High school, and Forbes and Sweatt for Dean until the seventh inning when Nowell and Tooles, the first team battery, took up the fight, but made no impression. D.

One of the Finest.

The Alden club provided one of its most enjoyable entertainments last evening, it being, as Mrs. Ray expressed it, in the nature of a "combine." It united the usual "gentlemen's night," the club musicale and the annual spring meeting. The hall was very tastefully trimmed, presenting a most inviting appearance with its apple blossoms, violets and other reminders of spring. After a short and pleasantly informal reception chairs were brought in and the musical program was enjoyed, as follows:

Harp and Mandolin	Profs. Adams and Long
Bergnacht (German Song)	Mr. Kerr
Harp Solo—Song of Schubert	Prof. Adams
A Pastorale from the Opera Rosalinda—	Miss Whiting
Mandolin Solos	Prof. Long
Robber's Dream	Mr. Kerr
Harp Solo—Old Folks at Home	Prof. Adams
King Henry to Fair Rosamond	Mr. Kerr

In this the instrumentalists played delightfully, receiving merited encores. Mr. Kerr charmed his hearers by his magnificent voice and his superb handling of it, making new friends and fully sustaining the expectations of his old ones. No vocalist comes to Franklin with such a warm reception, and deservedly so, as does Mr. Kerr. In fact, he is heard much too infrequently.

Succeeding the music refreshments were served, consisting of cakes, ice cream, coffee, etc., and social chat prevailed for an hour or more, the whole affair proving one of the pleasantest of the season. Miss Ham was the chairman of the general committee, and had most efficient assistants, Miss Eleanor Ray being chairman of the refreshment committee, Miss Bowers of the decorative committee and Miss Connors of the ushers and waiters.

"The Fine Arts."

Rev. F. B. Sleeper gave the second sermon in his series on "The Fine Arts" in the Baptist church last Sunday evening. His theme was "The Fine Art of Christian Development." The gospel offers an infinite sphere for the growth of the soul. The young convert has learned only the alphabet of the ever-enlarging heavenly philosophy. There are two instructors, Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit, whose work is perfect along the line of divine progress. To be under such training is the privilege of every saint.

The musician is ever seeking for finer and richer melody in the higher realm of music. His is an exhaustless science. The artist beholds an ideal vision of beauty that he has not yet painted or sculptured. The poet aspires after a poem more heavenly in thought and genius than his pen has ever written. The law of growth is an essential characteristic of the fine arts without which there is stagnation and death. The gospel is the highest, finest art of all. And men must develop or fearfully retrograde. There must be constant progress in Bible truth, in divine sweetness and usefulness and in eternal life. He who conceives that he has mastered all the fullness of the revelation of Holy Scriptures and of the attributes of God is acting the fool. There is an infinity of heavenly thought and development before us. It is the one supremely fine art that all may know, and that to the uttermost. Under such divine instruction what may not the soul become in purest wisdom, in noblest, holiest life, in sublimest aspiration.

It is the Lord incarnating Himself in us. "We live and move and have our being in Him." And glorified by such a life we are exalted to the highest. We are thrilled by the joys and ambitions of the gods. We know in our own souls the powers that are supreme. The theme next Sunday evening will be "The fine art of christian endurance.

Tracks Laid to Plainville.

By Memorial day it is expected we will be able to step on an electric car here and with one or two changes make a trip by trolley to Attleboro and Pawtucket. Saturday the rails of the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket company were brought up against those of the Interstate at Plainville. One of the managers of the company said on Saturday: "We feel quite sure that we will have this line so far advanced as to permit through traffic on Decoration day. A larger crowd of men are to be put to work on the overhead construction and everything will be rushed."

This new road will make Lake Pearl more easy of access from all directions. The summer cottagers in that section who have heretofore enjoyed perfect quiet are understood to look with disfavor upon the entrance of the road into their midst.

Hotel Briggs.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first class. "All the comforts of home"

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•E. B. Guild's auction sale of store and household goods, at City Mills, advertised for the 19th, will not take place till the 26th.

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The Sporting Fever.

Milford appears to have gotten the impression, according to the Gazette, that Franklin is to have no ball team here this year. This illustrates the old saying that one has to go out of town to hear the news. But while this may be news it isn't the truth. Franklin will be in it to trounce Milford, as she has always done heretofore. North Attleboro is also preparing for the coming season, though "Bobby" Sherman will not be able to give his time to base ball as he has done in the past and will not manage that team. The personale is as follows: Donald Le Stage, manager of the team, has secured the following players: Lipp p., LeStage c., Crolius 1b., Murphy 2b., Shannon 3b., Duvally s. s., Slade l., Woodcock r., Clarkson m. Most of the men played with the team last year and good ball is assured.

May 19, Beverly; May 26, Lowell; May 30, Murray Hills of New York in the morning, Milford in the afternoon; June 30 and two games July 4 with Carters. Games will also be arranged with North Adams, Pittsfield, Everett, Brown university, East Douglas, Webster and Southbridge.

Who Is Going?

Will Franklin be represented at the Nineteenth International Christian Endeavor convention in London, which will be held from July 14 to 18, and at the World's Fair in Paris? The trip will be made from Boston, July 3, on the steamship "Saale," of the North German Lloyd line, the itinerary of travel being as follows: From Boston to Southampton, London for ten days, from London to Antwerp, then to Brussels, Cologne, up the Rhine, Mayence, Heidleberg, Munich, Ober-Ammergau, Venice, Florence, Rome, Pisa, Genoa, Milan, Lucerne, Interlaken, Geneva, Paris to New York and home. The trip will take 58 days, from July 3 to Sept. 6 The longest stops will be made in London at the convention, 10 days, and at the Paris exhibition about the same length of time. The Passion play, at Ober Ammergau, will probably be the third place of importance.

Yes, Pictures Again!

Our most kind friend, Mr. Calkin, has just remembered all the school rooms of the Thayer building by the presentation of three portraits of the late Rev. William Thayer and one of Daniel Webster. The pictures of Mr. Thayer are placed in the rooms of Misses Reilly, Connor and Fernald. Mr. Frazer's room, already having a portrait of Mr. Thayer, was favored with the Webster picture. The pictures are in handsome frames 11x13 inches, the pictures and frames being of the excellent work which is so characteristic of Mr. Calkin.

We all feel truly grateful to Mr. Calkin for his manifested kindness to our public schools. F.

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Comrades Post 60, G. A. R.: You are requested to meet at G. A. R. hall Wednesday, May 16, at 9.30 a. m., in uniform, to attend the funeral of our late comrade, Patrick Dunion.

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Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

TUESDAY, MAY 15, 1900

Here are a few of the foreigners who have applied for citizenship papers in the United States circuit court, New York city: Spiro Papastavaropulos, Calogero Tutotica, Ferzian Dikran Garabus, Fascheliere Le Hengelieive, Henri A Van der Paauwert, Pinens Tvachtenbroit, Gander Torkildsen, Felix L. De Cuspere Barriel, Schwarzbard Schilbse, Bertijose Serbas and Antonio S. Fernances y Boswisez. The above named are in their respective order natives of Greece, Italy, Turkey, France, Holland, Russia, Norway, Spain, Austria, Portugal and Cuba. These will make great ornaments for the city directory.

An old man recently went into a Lewiston (Me.) bank and asked the treasurer to count a roll of bills for him. He said that he could not count and had no idea how much money there was in the roll. It was rolled round, bill after bill being rolled on and stuck together and fastened with paste. It took a bottle of perfumery to ravel out the snarl. The man said that he thought there was about $2[illegible] there but it proved that there was $[illegible] when the treasurer had counted it.

A Findlay (O.) young man was arrested a few days ago because he persisted in perching himself in a tree near the dormitory of a female seminary and whistling serenades to a student with whom he was in love. He paid for his pucker.

There is certainly such a thing as carrying things to extremes. For example, says the Kansas City Journal, the universal determination in Kansas to lay something by against a rainy day does not justify that Fort Scott young woman who swallowed a [illegible] dollar.

The ice in indoor skating rinks is made by ammonia piped under the water. Perhaps some time we may have wagons delivering cans of coldness or liquid air at our doors just as milk is brought at present.

Congress is always said to sit. The members generally have to run so hard for it, that when they get there it is safe to say they are mighty glad to engage in sitting.

There are some men, says the Washington Post, who feel that the highest round of greatness has not been achieved until they have been tucked away in a public office with a colored gentleman stationed at the door to keep out the fellows who whooped it up for them.

An Aurora girl who has wasted two years of her young life on a too timid lover sent him a popgun as a Christmas gift in the way of a gentle hint. It was thought that he might recover from the surprise and get up courage about New Year's.

The board of education and the police department of New York are said to be the two most expensive departments of the municipal government. Collectively, their maintenance costs $25,000,000 a year.

That there are more Indians in the United States now than there were the day the Pilgrims landed cannot be proved, but it is generally believed and stoutly affirmed by statisticians.

A Pawnee county (Kan.) farmer who has been reading about improvements in agricultural machinery to some purpose has planted 1,500 acres of wheat with steam drills.

The man who can't understand why 1900 isn't a leap year is spelling the one who can't see why 1900 doesn't begin the twentieth century.

A Chicago rat-catcher is reputed to make $6,000 a year at the business. Rec' revenue in restraining [illegible]

OurEnglish Cousins

Are peculiar in many ways.

They like to drink water without ice.

They would rather walk upstairs than take an elevator.

They use ordinary portable bath tubs in place of stationary porcelain or metal ones such as we have.

What seems to us the funniest thing of all is that they absolutely prefer chicory in their coffee.

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THE DUTY OF SELF-CONTROL.

Influence and Usefulness Involved in Every Effort Toward Mastery of Self.

Everybody agrees as to the fact, but in practice most of us sometimes come very far short of our ideas. There is a difference, however, between being angry and losing one's temper. He who loses his temper is angry, but he who is angry has not necessarily lost his temper; that is, one may be righteously angry, deliberately and voluntarily angry, angry in the sense that his soul revolts from evil and he feels that he is discharging a duty in expressing himself in condemnatory terms. In other words, conviction and purpose may moderate and guide anger, and to righteous ends. But the loss of self-control, which usually, although not always, is accompanied by an ebullition of temper is literally a loss. The reins of control for a time are dropped and one is at the mercy of his mood.

Of course self-respect is involved in self-control. When we realize that we are off our balance, that we are being swayed by forces which we ought to be able to control, we cannot help being ashamed. The momentary gratification which some people find in yielding to anger soon passes away, and at its best is no compensation for the feeling of weakness and self-contempt which accompanies the consciousness of having failed to retain one's poise of mind and conduct. To keep the tone natural and the language calm, to conquer the impulse to return the blow or the insult, to preserve a clear, cool, resolute mastery of conditions when the attempt is made to baffle and mislead one—this, in the lower and the higher grades of effort alike, reveals the master of self and therefore of others, for influence and usefulness are involved.

It is a maxim in the working world that no man can control others who cannot control himself; that the soldier, the sailor, the operative can be handled much more surely and rendered much more effective by him of the low tone and the quiet yet decided manner than by cursing and threatening. He who can restrain and control himself wins inevitable respect and admiration. We admire him who succeeds thus, and he whose self-control evidently is based on Christian principle, he who seeks to restrain himself and in this way honor his God and Master wins a double influence. And it is credited where credit is due. His Christian character is acknowledged. To some people the duty of self-control is far harder than to others. [illegible] the victory when [illegible] is [illegible] but it is a [illegible] every one of us [illegible] those who are young [illegible] Christian experience, should [illegible] heart [illegible] the [illegible] of the [illegible] that ruleth his spirit is better than he that taketh a city."—Boston Congregationalist.

A Fine Appetizer.

Oyster cocktails are sometimes served in grapefruit. The fruit is cut into halves and the pulp nearly all removed, the juice being kept to use in the dressing. Six raw oysters are put in each cup, and to the usual cocktail dressing is added the juice of the fruit. If it is found not to be quite sour enough, a tablespoonful of pure vinegar may be added. The fruit and the oysters should be thoroughly chilled before serving.—N. Y. Post.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES.

Compensation of the Physician and the Clergyman in This Country.

The naked fact of inadequate sums received by the doctor is his own skeleton in the closet, but he can covertly and privately match it with the published accounts of salaries with which the ministers must be satisfied. Altogether it must be admitted that the medical man, inadequate as his earnings may be, is much more fortunate than the clergyman. The latter, it is true, gets his rent free, with occasional yearly donations of potatoes, hay, flour and the like, but his living expenses must be within the limits of an income scarcely equal to that of an average mechanic with regular daily employment.

It is somewhat of a surprise to learn that a first-class clergyman in a country town averages only from $500 to $800 as yearly salary, while those in the large cities are not enough above those figures to make up the relative differences in incidental expenses of living. The latter amounts are said to range from $1,000 to $1,200 yearly. Certainly the average doctor must do much better than this, otherwise he must either run in debt or look for some other occupation. If the doctor in practice must make any living at all, he is bound to calculate on a sum one-third more, and perhaps double that which the preacher can get. We are now speaking of the average man in both professions, it being well known that special skill and recognized ability in either calling always command proportionately increased remuneration.

In some respects the physician and the clergyman are equally handicapped by conditions which make their clients more or less independent of their special services. The doctor has the free dispensaries, the while the minister sees his flock spurring away on the Sunday bicycle, sneaking for the train with the golf bag, or read the Sunday papers for the latest Gospel heresies. Still there is one advantage for the doctor over the clergyman: men, women and children will get sick and must have faith cures, while the would-be Christian is too ready to postpone repentance until it is too late to do church, minister, or himself any good either from a spiritual or pecuniary standpoint.

With both professions there is a sentiment of so-called charity and a sympathy for suffering, spiritual, mental, or physical, that hinders the more direct appeals for ready compensation which appertain to most callings. This attribute certainly does not cut a figure with the lawyer, whose retainer before and after the trial is a matter entirely in his own hands as the controller of the funds in his direct keeping. In his case the client gets what is left before all is gone, while ofttimes the physician and preacher must wait until their legitimate share has been divided and exhausted among the numerous and importunate creditors who work their claims on what is conventionally termed purely business principles. Thus it is that the doctor particularly is the best friend in need and the last to be considered when his indispensable services have been conscientiously and dutifully rendered. In these practical days it is no longer an optional and generous honorarium to be freely given, but a prosaic bill that is too frequently entirely ignored, or worse, is cowardly disputed.—Medical Record.

DECORATING FOR RECEPTIONS.

Some Hints Upon the Arrangement of Flowers, Ferns and Hangings.

Whether the decorations be few or many, let the position of every spray of flowers or greens, every ribbon streamer, every strip of bunting, be considered not only individually, but in connection with the entire scheme of decoration. Generally speaking, if but little material for decoration is to be used it is better to concentrate it in one effective mass than to make it extend over so large a space that no part of it can be made effective. Thus the flowers may all be given to the large table, the smaller ones simply having the fronds of hardy ferns scattered over the cloths. This will give a much better effect than a meager bunch of flowers on each table. These hardy ferns can usually be procured at the florist's for about five cents a bunch of 100 fronds. If no flowers at all are used, there are great decorative possibilities in these ferns alone. Carrying out the same idea in other decorations, it would seem better to mass the ribbons and bunting or flags in one handsome grouping over a window at the end of the room, or about the rostrum, than to so scatter them that the meagerness of the quantity would of itself attract attention. One of the most attractive of decorations was seen in a church vestry, over whose window ivy was trained. The nearest approach to this could be made with trailing greens.—Inez Redding, in Woman's Home Companion.

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"You needn't bother," he replied. "I buy them by the dozen."—Chicago Post.

Not Disputing It.

"Anybody who knows enough," said Mr. Spiffins, "can learn something from anybody else, however ignorant the latter may be."

"That is true," asserted Mrs. Spiffins, cheerfully. "Now, I can occasionally learn something from you." — Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

A Natural Delay.

Mr. Eator—Waiter, can't you do something to hurry up that lunch of mine?

Waiter—It's all ready, sir, except dressing the salad.

Mr. Eator—H'm! One would think that salad was a woman, from the time its dressing takes!—Harlem Life.

If He Only Remembered.

Mother—Goodnessme! Our Johnnie is beginning to think that he knows more than his parents.

Father—Well, if he remembers the answers to all the questions he used to ask, he ought to know at least as much as we do.—N. Y. Journal.

Two Sides to the Question.

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Mr. Worth—I've a diamond ring for her if yours are all right.—Jewelers Weekly.

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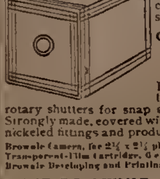

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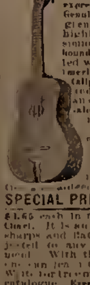

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ELEPHANT AND ENGINE.

The Fate of a Big Tusker That Tried to Push a Locomotive Backward.

It is not only in South Africa, and by statesmen who ought to know better, that the march of civilization is opposed and obstinacy pitted against progress. The elephant has many human qualities, and if the story that comes to us from Perak, one of the Straits settlements, be well founded, occasionally shares with politicians hardly less intelligent their prejudice against the spirit of the age. It appears that a big tusker which had long been an object of pursuit to the sportsmen of that remote district wandered on to the railway line and tried conclusions with the engine of a goods train, charging it repeatedly and keeping up the contest for nearly an hour. The engine was reversed in the hope that the beast would quit the field and allow the train to proceed; but just as soon as there was any attempt to renew the journey the elephant returned to the encounter and resumed its obstructive tactics. The driver was afraid to charge the brute, lest the train should be thrown off the metals; and the contest might have gone on much longer had not the elephant backed into the engine, and, setting its fore feet firmly between the rails, endeavored to shove the train backward with its hind quarters.

The driver took advantage of the opportunity and put on steam, gradually forcing the beast off the line. In this maneuver one of the wheels of the engine went over the hind legs of the animal, which was put out of its misery by the guard of a following passenger train. This is not the first time that the engine in question has encountered an elephant on the line. Just about five years ago, while it was drawing a passenger train on a dark night through the heavy tropical forest, a sudden shock was felt and the train came to a standstill. The engine and tender were thrown off the metals and half way down the embankment, though fortunately they did not drag the carriages after them. When the driver, who had been pitched off, went back to ascertain the cause of the accident he saw a large bull elephant at the bottom of the embankment at the other side of the line. It died a few moments after the collision from the violent shock and loss of blood, its off fore leg having been shattered and a piece of the trunk torn off. Beyond the fright and shock caused by the sudden stopping of the train, which, luckily, was traveling at only 15 miles an hour, no injury resulted to any of the passengers. In the same month of the same year a similar accident occurred on the Bengal-Nagpur railway in India.

On a pitch-dark night a mail train was running at the rate of 27 miles an hour through a very thick jungle which was known to hold wild elephants. The driver felt an obstruction and attempted to reverse, but the engine left the metals, dragging with it a brake van, the carriage of the locomotive superintendent and some other carriages but without causing injury to any of the passengers or officials. At first it was thought that the accident had been brought about by cattle straying on the line, but the officials soon found a dead elephant. Apparently the animal had been crossing the line just as the train came up and had been struck by the engine and hurled down the bank. The agent of the company sent home one of the tusks to be put up in the boardroom as a memorial of the occurrence. These instances of a train being thrown off the line through collision with an elephant show that, while such accidents are pretty sure to be "bad for the elephant," they are also attended with considerable danger to rolling stock, and even to human life. The latter consideration completes the analogy we have already drawn.—London Standard.

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PIGS ON PASTURE.

Important Extracts from the Annual Report of the Oklahoma Experiment Station.

April 27, 1899, eight pigs were divided into two lots, one weighing 250 pounds, the other 270 pounds. They were placed in alfalfa plats of about one-half acre each, one lot receiving no other food, the other full feed of Kafir meal or shelled corn.

During five weeks the pigs with no food but alfalfa made gain of 61 pounds, or 15.25 pounds each. For next three weeks, to June 22, they gained only seven pounds, less than two pounds each. While there was a good stand of alfalfa and the season was favorable for its growth, the four pigs, averaging about 80 pounds, each kept it well eaten off.

The four pigs full fed grain with the alfalfa gained 199 pounds in five weeks, or practically 50 pounds each in 35 days. In next three weeks they gained 125 pounds, or nearly one and one-half pounds per day.

With this last was a sow with a litter of pigs. She gained 61 pounds in first five weeks, when she was removed, her five pigs gained 146 pounds in first five weeks and 96 pounds in next three weeks. A young boar in same lot gained 46 pounds in 26 days and 29 pounds in next three weeks.

There was fed to all the pigs in this plat 1,688 pounds corn and Kafir. They made total gain in eight weeks of 764 pounds, using only 2.21 pounds grain, in addition to the alfalfa for each pound of gain. Counting the small pigs with the others the grain eaten was less than three pounds per day each.

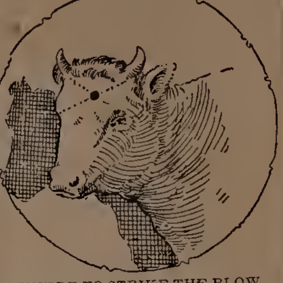
Obviously the grain feeding was profitable. Possible equal or greater profit might have resulted if only partial feed of grain had been given. The plat pasturing the pigs with grain feed carried at least one-half more stock than the other, but alfalfa remained green and fresh.

Six young brood sows, with pigs, were kept during same period on a small native grass pasture with access to a very small quantity of the droppings and waste from feeding the work teams. They gained 50 pounds in five weeks and 90 pounds in next three weeks. The sow which had been full fed grain on alfalfa pasture during May was put in this pasture June 1 and lost 11 pounds in three weeks. This trial illustrates the fact that our native grasses will enable pigs to make some gain during the early part of the season. They become less palatable as the season advances.

HOW TO KILL CATTLE.

Failure to Fell the Animal at the First Blow with the Ax Means Terrible Torture.

Cattle are most readily and conveniently destroyed by blows on the head with a heavy ax or hammer, followed by immediate blood-letting. The animal which is to be killed should be secured by means of a rope passed round the horns and fastened to a post, or, if practicable, carried through a ring in the floor, and held or made fast by an assistant. The animal being blindfolded, the operator, armed with a heavy ax or hammer, stands at the side and a little in front of it, and aims his blow at a spot in the middle of a line drawn across the forehead about one and one-half inches below the base of the horns, or, perhaps better, at a spot where two diagonal lines intersect, drawn from the eyes to the base of the horns, as illustrated. In most cases, if the blow is heavy and properly directed, the animal falls instantly; but it is better even then to repeat the blow, and to follow it by immediate bleeding. This is accomplished either by drawing back the head and cutting deeply across the neck at the upper portion of the windpipe, severing all the blood-vessels, or by plunging a long and sharp-pointed knife into the heart and large blood-vessels at a point corresponding to the upper portion of the brisket, and just above the breast bone. Failure to fell the animal at the first blow cannot be attributed to any difference in the anatomical structure of the part, but rather the fact that the blow was ill-directed, almost invariably too low, that it was not sufficiently powerful, or that both of these faults were combined.—Farm and Home.



WHERE TO STRIKE THE BLOW.

HARD ON THE FAIR SEX.

Dot (aged six)—Mamma, if I get married will I have to have a husband like papa?

Mamma—Yes.

Dot—And if I don't get married will I have to be an old maid like Aunt Martha?

Mamma—Yes.

Dot (after a pause)—Mamma, it's a tough world for us women, isn't it?—Sketch.

Poor Human Nature.

When we at last succeed
For self we credit claim:
But when we fail indeed
Our luck gets all the blame.
—Judge.

Too Expensive.

The Boy's Father—I can't let my son remain at a college where they have such a poor football team.

College President—But your son does not play football.

The Boy's Father—No, but he always backs the team.—N. Y. Journal.

No Bedclothes Trust.

"Those coal-barons can't squeeze me."

"Don't you burn anthracite?"

"Yes but when the price gets high I go to bed early." — Chicago Daily Record.

Working Their Way Up.

The Poet—Poets, like others, have to begin at the foot.

She—Is that the reason a poet's head has such a neglected look?—Town Topics.

On the Safe Side.

"Jones says his wife has one saving quality as a cook."

"What is that?"

"She doesn't try." — Philadelphia Bulletin.

How She Knew.

Estella—Jack is just the man for me. He has never been in love before.

Belle—How do you know?

Estella—He writes letters that show lack of experience.—Town Topics.

Willing.

Cholly—If you wefuse me I shall go to—to the Philippines, and get shot.

Miss Kawstique—Is that a promise?—N. Y. World.

A LASTING EFFECT.

This Evidence Should Prove Every Claim.

Relief from the pains and aches of a bad back is always welcome to every backache sufferer, but to cure a lame, weak or aching back is what's wanted. Cure it so it will stay cured. It can be done. Here's the strongest evidence to prove it.

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A Suspicious Case.

"You," said the attorney for the defense, addressing the chief witness against the accused, "you are the man who found the body of the dead person, I believe?"

"Yes, sir."

"Now, tell the jury all the circumstances."

"Well, sir, I was going down the street and I heard shots fired. Then I saw a man running away, and then I found the body of Bill Jones. He was dead with two bullet holes in his head, and I at once suspected that something was wrong."—Town Topics.

Innocence.

"Of course we have to pay more for coal now than we did a month or two ago," said Mrs. Chugwater, "but we ought not to mind that. I suppose it means that they have been raising the poor coal miners' wages."

"Samantha," remarked Mr. Chugwater, looking at her over his glasses, "you are too good for this wicked world."—Chicago Tribune.

Cruel Revenge.

First Bootblack—You had a row with Nibsey, Billy?

Second Bootblack—Yes, and I'm goin' ter have my revenge, too.

F. B.—Goin' to fight him?

S. B.—Naw, I'm goin' to stand a-side of him when he's shinin' a gent, and when he's finished I'm goin' to say: "Shine, sir?"—Tit-Bits.

A Queer Lot.

Stranger—I have heard that you have a good many queer people in this town.

Citizen—As odd a lot as you'd find in a year's travel. They are a queer set, the whole of 'em, outside my family. And my wife is almost as bad as the others; but then, you know, she wasn't originally of my family. — Boston Transcript.

Asking Too Much.

"I wish," said the irritable man as he pushed the book away, "that this author would try a new vein."

"He writes dialect very well."

"I suppose so. But I'd like to see him make a departure. I'd like to have him attempt an imitation of the style of a refined, educated and grammatical gentleman."—Washington Star.

And, Therefore, Keyholes.

"I wonder if the man in the moon has any trouble finding the keyhole when he's full and stays out late?"

"Keyhole? Of course not. What a silly idea!"

"Oh, I don't know. They tell us there are canals in the moon, so there must be locks."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Very Probable.

Biggs—Prof. Blivins has a new theory in regard to the burning of Rome.

Boggs—What is it?

Biggs—He thinks some one set fire to the city just to distract Nero's attention and make him stop fiddling.—N. Y. Journal.

A Lover's Ultimatum.

"Some other day," sweet Daphne sighed
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WIT AND WISDOM.

For that tired feeling take a street car.—Chicago Daily News.

A lie is nailed when it is fastened on somebody.—Chicago Dispatch.

Editor—"What qualifications have you got?" Reporter—"Well, I know how to make a short story long."—Town Topics.

We suppose that nothing really creates as much excitement among the women as when a newly married woman makes her first reference to men as brutes.—Atchison Globe.

"I feel very weak," said the medium. "Well," said his brother spiritualist, "I always keep a supply of spirits in my cabinet here. What'll you have?" — Philadelphia North American.

Dr. Squills—"How did you cure that man of fits?" Dr. Pills—"I had nothing to do with the cure. He moved into a flat, and now he hasn't got room to have a fit."—San Francisco Examiner.

"This paper," said Mrs. Enpeck, "tells of a man who actually forgot he was married." "Memory," retorted Mr. Enpeck, "is a good thing, but there are times when forgetfulness is better."—N. Y. Telegram.

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The Unpardonable Part.

It is getting "found out" that is really the curse
Of our wrongs, for it can't be denied
That the rat in the trap may be not a bit worse
Than the one that is on the outside.
—Elliott's Magazine.

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HEALTH HOARDERS.

The Highest Conception of Life Is That It Is Not So Much a Thing to Be Kept as to Be Used.

Some people are misers with their health just as other people are with their wealth. There is such a thing as being too careful about living. Life is not a thing so much to be kept as to be used. People who put off every burden and neglect every duty, lest in some way these weary them or wear them out, both make for themselves the ill health which they fear, and have the sad sense that the good health did not go in anything that was worth the r while. Civil Engineer Robeson, who gave his life and health in planning and constructing the great Brooklyn bridge, and in the last few years of bodily infirmity spent his time at his window looking out on the bridge which he had made, could indeed know that the work was worth the health which he had given. We can well remember, in these days, the words which Sarpedon spoke to Glaucus in the heroics of the Iliad: "Ah! friend, if once escaped from this battle we were always hereafter to be ageless and immortal, I would not myself fight in the foremost ranks, nor would I send thee into the war that giveth men renown; but now, since 10,000 fates of death beset thee in every way, and these no mortal may escape or avoid—now, let us go forward."—S. S. Times.

RELIGIOUS THOUGHTS.

Uselessness is crime.—F. W. Robertson.

If there be Heaven in the heart, no hell can harm us.—Ram's Horn.

It is more blessed to give than to talk about giving.—Boston Congregationalist.

It is a more solemn thing to live than to die: For death but seals destiny, life makes it.—N. Y. Observer.

No one can enjoy the pleasures of sin and the pleasures of religion at the same time.—United Presbyterian.

We are going to prevail, not by eliminating from Christianity what is distinctive, but by emphasizing it.—J. D. Jones.

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Just before retiring, if your liver is sluggish, out of tune and you feel dull, bilious, constipated, take a dose of

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A BULLFINCH REVIVAL.

The Little Red-Breasted Songsters Are Enjoying Great Popularity in New York.

In the usual course of change in fashions, which affect the choice of pets as much as they affect taste of dress, literature and drama, that old favorite the piping bullfinch is coming into high favor in New York just now. The bullfinch is "the parrot of the temperate zone," not because he ever learns to talk, like his tropical prototype, but because, having no "wood notes wild" of his own, he can learn to whistle human music and often distinguishes himself as a soloist.

A leading New York bird seller who is now doing a flourishing business in bullfinches last week gave this account of the bullfinch revival: "They used to be favorite pets on the other side; I don't know that they were ever before very popular here. Of course, the bullfinch is not an American bird, but a native of Europe. Some of those I import come from England, but more from Germany. As you know, a fashion like that is generally set going by some notable or another. In this case the German kaiser is responsible. Bullfinches are a hobby with him; he has six of them that whistle 'Die Wacht am Rhein' in chorus, and now some of my men from over there tell me he has a new bird learning to whistle a song which has lately become popular in Germany—'Kruger Is a Bully Boy.'"

This startling indication of the kaiser's international tendencies, the dealer said, has not yet got into print on this side of the Atlantic. "But," he added, "we in the trade are far ahead of the papers on all that kind of news."

The consignments of birds are brought over from Germany under the care of a regular professional "vogelhandler." The great field for gathering bullfinches is said to be the duchy of Hesse. There the birds are taken, unfledged, from the nests and patiently taught to whistle their little repertories while they are still young. The old story that needles are thrust into their eyes to make them sing better is ridiculed by the dealers, who say that nothing but petting will make a bullfinch a good performer. "You can't do anything with them by punishment. Even a cross word will upset a bullfinch and make him sulky. As for putting out their eyes, to say nothing of the cruelty of it, it would ruin a bird's appearance and destroy his market value."—N. Y. Tribune.

"Difficulties give way to diligence," and disease germs and blood humors disappear when Hood's Sarsaparilla is faithfully taken

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Tempered with Mercy.

"Yes, I was drunk, your honor," the prisoner said, "but I've been pretty well punished already. I had [illegible] when I went out on the street, and a lot of gamblers got hold of me and swindled me out of $58."

"Under these circumstances," remarked his honor, with a sympathetic cough, "the court is disposed to be lenient with you. The fine will be two dollars."—Chicago Tribune.

R IS for rubber and rubber-neck, too,
To see mamma pass with her baby quite new.
The soft rubber tires ripple over the rocks'
On a carriage direct from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

S IS for Satan, the substance of boys
When they fool the baby and break baby's toys.
They smash his high chair and the clock that tick-tocks,
But they can't break a Cart from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

T IS for Twisted, how papa became
In trying to give the new baby a name.
He got one at last, wrote it down with white chalk—
'Twas "Whitney" on carts from the "Cook Rolling Stock.

U IS for Urchin, who got awful mad
Because the new baby made every one glad.
Ex itled, he rushed it, but never a shock.
In a rubber-tired Coach from the Cook Rolling Stock."

V IS for Venus, that goddess of love,
So clever and sinful, both serpent and dove;
Forget her—that's easy as "Jack in a box,"
With babe in a Coach from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

Continued in Friday's Issue.

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HOT SUPPER DISHES.

Some Fruits Are Much Better When They Have Been Slightly Warmed.

The cold days of midwinter call for comfortable, hot suppers of rich foods and sweets or preserves, in place of the cooling fruits of summer and autumn. It is only when we have created an artificial atmosphere within doors which resembles that of a sultry summer day that we find iced fresh fruit grateful food in winter. There is considerable doubt whether any fruit is digestible eaten at a lower temperature than that in which it grew in its native soil. Tropical fruits, according to this theory should never be chilled, but should be eaten at about the temperature they are when they hang in the tropic suns, which would be a little higher than the temperature of the properly regulated dining-room. This makes necessary the heating of oranges and bananas a little. These fruits are much sweeter when eaten with the chill taken off from them.

Bananas and oranges, as well as preserved fruits of various kinds, make excellent supper fritters. Slice bananas lengthwise after peeling. Sprinkle them with sugar and squeeze a little lemon juice over them. Slice oranges across the lobes at what has been called the equator of the fruit, in even circular slices about a quarter of an inch thick. Grate a little of the yellow rind of the orange over a plate before peeling or slicing, and dip each slice in a little of this grated peel. Scatter sugar lightly over them. Let the sliced fruit stand a few moments, then dip it evenly in a fritter batter made by beating the yolks of two eggs in a bowl with a tablespoonful of lemon juice and a tablespoonful of olive oil or melted butter, or tried out chicken fat; sift in a heaping cupful of flour, and little by little add just water enough to make a thick batter. Set it away at this stage well covered for a day, and when it is needed, add the beaten whites of two eggs. Dip the prepared slices of bananas or those of oranges in this batter, coating each one thinly on both sides, and fry them two minutes in very hot fat. They should be a golden brown on each side.—N. Y. Tribune.

Reflected Glory.

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The idol of the land.
In all his life he'll scarcely feel as proud
As some who shook his hand.
—Washington Star

Always.

Gazzam—Well, no matter how much the automobile may supersede the horse, there's one equine commodity that will always be in demand.

Squeers—? ? ? ? ? ?

"Horse sense."—N. Y. World.

No Law Against It.

Mr. Dunn—May I look for you to pay this bill on the first of next month, Mr Owen?

Mr. Owen—There's no law to forbid you looking that I know of.—Town Topics.

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Muslin Curtains, $1, $1.15, $1.75 per pair.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, ss

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Henry Bemis, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, two certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament and one codicil of said deceased have been presented to said court for probate by Henry E. Ruggles of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-third day of May, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this thirtieth day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, ss.

FRANKLIN, MASS., May 1st, A. D. 1900

By virtue of a warrant of sale issued by the Superior Court within and for said county of Norfolk and to me directed, I shall sell at public auction on

MONDAY, the FOURTH day of JUNE, A. D 1900,

at two o'clock p. m., on the premises described below, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging, the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the corner of Village and Broad streets, in Medway, in said county, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Southerly by Village street, westerly by Broad street, northerly by land of one Wilder and easterly by land of one Billings and Sarah Woodward, and known as the "Gladstone Hotel."

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
Deputy Sheriff.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the will of Mary Sullivan, sometimes called Maria Sullivan, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
METCALF E. POND,
Executors.

Address Franklin, Mass.
May 8, 1900.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Patrick Hart to the Medway Savings Bank, a corporation duly established in Medway, in the County of Norfolk, by the laws of Massachusetts, dated June 14, 1876, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 480, folio 281, and by the said Medway Savings bank assigned said mortgage deed to Peter Hart, dated May 7, 1900, recorded in Norfolk County Deeds, for a breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed will be sold on the premises in Medway, in said Norfolk county, in said Massachusetts, at public auction, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 8, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

A certain tract of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Medway and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at an elm tree on the southerly side or bank of the water course or canal below the batting mill of Eaton & Wilson, thence in a straight line in a southeasterly direction to land of said Eaton & Wilson one hundred (100) feet more or less to a stake and stones which is fifty (50) feet southerly from said canal, in the northerly line of said Eaton & Wilson's land; thence southerly on said Eaton & Wilson's land eighty-four and a half (84 1-2) feet more or less to a stake and stones at a corner; thence westerly on said Eaton & Wilson's land one hundred and seventy (170) feet more or less to Populatic street; thence southeasterly by a varying line around the engine house upon said street, and land formerly of the Medway Branch Railroad Co. to Charles river, near the railroad bridge over said river; thence in a general northwesterly course by said river to the place of beginning at the elm tree, said tract containing ten (10) acres more or less, and was conveyed to said grantor by Edward Eaton and M. M. Fisher and was a part of the Clark Walker farm. Terms given at time and place of sale.

PETER HART,
Assignee of said mortgage.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Edwin J. Fairbank, Jr., to Abner Chute, dated December 21, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 752, folio 233, will be sold at public auction upon the premises, on

SATURDAY, the SECOND day of JUNE, 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, the said premises being described in said mortgage deed as follows, viz:

A certain parcel of land situated easterly of Union street, in Millis, commonwealth of Massachusetts, being lot 111 on a "Plan of building lots in Millis, Mass., owned by Helen E. Van Kleeck Oct. 13, 1888, Geo. A. Kimball, civil engineer," recorded with Norfolk Deeds, containing according to said plan 6484 square feet, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the southeasterly corner of said lot, at land now or formerly of Timothy Bullard and at a point 43.84 feet west of the westerly line of a proposed street 40 feet wide, as shown on said plan; thence running westerly by said land formerly of Timothy Bullard 50.14 feet to a corner; thence in a straight line a little west of northerly by lot 110 on said plan 128.03 feet to the southerly line of a proposed street 40 feet wide, as shown on said plan; thence in a direction a little north of easterly by the southerly line of said proposed street which leads easterly from Union street 50 feet to the northwesterly corner of lot 112 on said plan; thence in a direction a little east of southerly by lot 112 on said plan 131.75 feet to the point of beginning, together with a right to use for all the purposes for which public streets are ordinarily used all the streets laid down on said plan.

ELLA E. MORSE,
Assignee of said mortgage.

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If you want to buy or sell anything have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the rent-a-word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow

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By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Patrick Hart to the Medway Savings Bank, a corporation duly established in Medway, in the county of Norfolk, by the laws of Massachusetts, dated May 14, 1891, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 654, folio 554, and by the said Medway Savings Bank assigned said mortgage deed to Peter Hart, dated May 7, 1900, recorded in Norfolk county deeds, for a breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed, will be sold on the premises in Medway, in said Norfolk county, in said Massachusetts, at public auction, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 8, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed. Excepting such lots as have been released under this mortgage deed by said Medway Savings Bank, and known as lots Nos. 50, 60, 71 and 72 on plan of farm plots of the Boston Agricultural City Co. drawn by H. S. Partridge, April 16, 1896, to which reference may be had.

All that certain lot or tract of land situate in said Medway, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the Medway branch railroad bridge on Charles river; thence running southerly on said river ten (10) rods and fifteen (15) links to land formerly of Aaron L. White; thence southwesterly on said White's land to a stone bound; thence running northwesterly across the open plain on a line parallel with the line of said railroad to the Franklin road, so called, bounding on the west by land formerly of Bucknam and Rayner; thence running northeasterly on said Franklin road to the line of the railroad aforesaid (excepting herefrom a house lot of forty and five-tenths (40 5-10) rods conveyed to Edward Eaton, lying near to said railroad); thence southeasterly on said railroad to Charles river aforesaid. Together with all the rights and privileges of water and otherwise belonging to said premises, together with all improvements on said estate, same as described in deed to me from John J. Raynor, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 546, fol. 605.

Also another tract of land in said Medway, and in Franklin, in said county of Norfolk, near to Medway village, so called, containing about thirty (30) acres, be the same more or less, and bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at a point where a town road crosses the old Medway branch railroad; thence running southerly on said road to land formerly of Aaron L. White; thence running southwesterly and bounded southeasterly by said White's land to land sold by Pierce and Ammidown to Edward Eaton; thence continuing to run southwesterly on said Eaton's land (formerly) seventy-three (73) rods and nine (9) links to land formerly of Clark Walker; thence continuing westerly on said Walker's land ten (10) rods and twenty-one and a half (21 1-2) links to a bound; thence continuing to run on said Walker's land westerly ten (10) rods and twenty-one and a half links more to land formerly of Pierce and Ammidown; thence running northerly on Pierce and Ammidown's land twenty-five (25) rods to a bound on other land formerly of said Pierce and Ammidown; thence running easterly fifteen (15) rods and fifteen (15) links on the land last mentioned to a street or way reserved for passage to other parcels of land conveyed by Bucknam and Rayner; thence running northerly on the west line of said street and bounded westerly by land formerly of said Pierce and Ammidown twelve (12) rods and seven (7) links to land formerly of Mrs. Adeline Fuller; thence on Mrs. Fuller's land twelve (12) rods and two and a half (2 1-2) links to a house and lot (since conveyed) of Pierce and Ammidown; thence on said lot five (5) rods and twenty-four and a half (24 1 2) links to land formerly of said Pierce and Ammidown; thence on said last named land to the Franklin road, so called, twenty-eight (28) rods and twenty-four and a half (24 1-2) links; thence running northeasterly on said Franklin road to the line of the old Medway Branch Railroad Company fifty-six (56) rods and six (6) links; excepting therefrom a lot of land containing forty rods and five-tenths (40 5-10) near the said railroad, sold by Bucknam and Rayner to Edward Eaton, as by his deed will appear; thence running southeasterly on land of said railroad company to the town road aforesaid; subject to the reservations contained in deed of said Pierce and Ammidown (see Norfolk Deeds, libro 892, fol. 58, and also plan of various lots drawn by J. C. Lovering in June, 1860.

Also one other tract of land in said Medway, described in a previous mortgage from grantor to grantee. (See Norfolk Registry of Deeds, libro 480, folio 281.

Terms given at time and place of sale.

PETER HART,
Assignee of said mortgagee.

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Franklin and Wrentham STAGE LINE.

Leave Wrentham P.O. for Franklin at 8.15 a.m. 3.30 p. m. Leave Franklin depot for Wrentham at 9.30 a. m., 4.30 p. m.; connecting with trains for Boston and Providence via N. Y. & N. E. railroad; trains leaving Boston at 7.40, 8.30 a. m. and 3.30 p m.; leaving Providence at 8.35 a.m.

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ANNUAL STATEMENT JANY. 1, 1900.

Assets..........................	$128,846,728 45
Liabilities..........................	121,112,030.71
Surplus..........................	5,534,697 71
Insurance in force..........................	$197,806,124.00

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

F. H. Talcott of Bridgton, Me., and family are here for the summer.

The Providence Clothing company have moved to Manchester, Conn.

Wesley J. Beckett made a short visit to his parents in Rutland this week.

Hosie Bros. are building a cottage at Archer's Pond near the famous oak tree.

It is asserted that the electrics will run from Franklin to Camp's barn by Sunday.

Dean is scheduled to play the Providence High school team on the campus tomorrow afternoon.

Greatly improved—the Thayer and Whiting residences on Central street by the removal of the fences.

A new cottage is being built at Lake Pearl upon the Gilmore land for Mrs. W. F. Ray and family for the summer.

Mrs. W. F. Ray is lightening up the aspect of her residence on Central street by changing the color of the trimmings.

Meat is going up again in price, but eggs are cheap and keep nicely, requiring little ice. Fruit must help out at such a time.

Superintendent Blanchard of the electric light company is fitting out the Carter house on School street with a system of electric lighting.

Information in regard to the census has been received at the public library, and any interested in it are welcome to see the documents there.

Attention is called to the new rules just promulgated by the board of health. Every one should read them with care and thus avoid future trouble.

The Mary Warfield Missionary society of the Congregational church forwarded a box of wearing apparel to Miss Mary L. Daniels, Harpoot, this week.

G. S. F. Singleton returned last week from his fishing trip, expressing himself as having had an unusually fine time. His trophies prove his prowess.

Mrs. C. A. Hood arrived from Los Angeles, Cal., Wednesday night and will spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Cook, Ruggles street.

Pond & Tingley yesterday moved a saw mill onto their wood lot on Washington street, opposite Alfred Clark's, where they have a large lot of logs to saw.

The next meeting of the Double Ten Circle of King's Daughters will be held next Tuesday evening at 7.30 at the home of Miss Alice Bennett, School street extension.

The Medway & Medfield Street Railway company are starting the season with a band concert by the famous Norwood Brass band at Medfield next Wednesday evening.

Dr. John T. Prince, agent of the state board of education, will deliver an address in the high school building next Monday afternoon at 3:30. The public is invited to attend.

The railroad company is putting in a side track between the old sugar beet works and Clark's crossing at South Franklin for getting the gravel in the hill belonging to the Gilbert C. Fisher farm.

Bradley M. Rockwood has taken the same cottage at Lake Pearl that he had last year, and as soon as warm weather sets in will move his family there for the summer.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper will give the third discourse in his series on "The Fine Arts" in the Baptist church Sunday evening. His theme will be "The Fine Art of Christian Endurance."

The neatest quip anent the vice presidency that we have seen is the following from the Quincy Advertiser: Man wants little here below, but he wants that Little Long—for vice president.

Nineteen little friends of Miss Pauline Heath presented her with a very handsome May basket Wednesday evening. They played games until 8 o'clock, when refreshments were served.

A lady who has occasion to use King street not a little makes a just complaint that these out of town roads should have something in the nature of a sidewalk. A poor road and no sidewalk is surely an infliction.

The nail was hit squarly on the head by an exchange when it says it is the desire of every girl of 16 to have her picture taken looking at a rose, but it would be more practical if she looked at a pudding she was mixing.

Judge O.T. Doe now occupies the room in Postoffice block formerly used by the late Joseph G. Ray as a private office. The room has been renovated and affords much better accommodations for the judge and the Co-operative bank than before.

Supt. Daniels informs us that if the "Mill Tax" bill now before the state legislature passes, the town of Franklin will receive over $1,200 for schools. He says that those interested should confer immediately with our representative and senator.

The Dean boys went to battle with Phillips Exeter academy on Wednesday, but were beaten by a score of 13 to 6. Jennes and Perkins both took turns at pitching. Up to the seventh inning Dean led, but the home team got in its work later and batted out a victory.

Don't think of trying to do business without a standing advertisement in the SENTINEL. When for a small sum you can tell a large number of people just what you have to sell, you will make the biggest kind of a mistake if you don't avail yourself of such an opportunity.

Manager Enegren is planning for a great season at Lake Pearl this year, and is fixing up the grounds, erecting new buildings and is providing a number of extra attractions. He will open the season on Memorial day and will have fine music and many other attractive features.

It is understood that the gentlemen who are interested in the formation of a base ball association are to get together this evening. The prospect is said to be bright for the scheme going through and an organization being effected. A number of merchants are interested and will be on band.

Hubbard M. Bullock is slowly but steadily gaining and his memory is returning to its normal condition. It will be some time before he will be able to resume active business, and he will probably let or close up his house for the summer and go away for the change and rest absolutely needed to regain health.

Tufts gave Holy Cross a hard battle on the latter's ground Wednesday and kept the wearers of the purple guessing throughout the game. Tufts led 5 to 4 up to the ninth inning and then went to pieces, giving Holy Cross two runs and the game. Woodworth, who pitched for Carter some last season, was in the box for Tufts during the first six innings and then retired.

In a number of cases forbearance has ceased to be a virtue, and warrants for delinquent taxpayers have been put in the hands of a sheriff for collection. In one or two instances, where open declaration was made that the assessment would not be paid, a different conclusion was reached just in time to save extra expense.

The secretary of Corps No. 89, W. R. C., has received a letter from Post 60, G. A. R., inviting the members to attend the memorial services at Norfolk Sunday, May 20. Barges leave G. A. R. hall at 1 o'clock p. m.; also to join them in all memorial services, Baptist church, Franklin, and decoration of graves at Bellingham Sunday, May 27.

The straw goods season has not been a very good one this year, either to manufacturers or employees, and the short time of fairly good demand for goods the past few weeks will hardly bring it up to what be classed as a fair six months. The reports indicate that the condition of the trade in other straw good centres is practically the same as here.

The next regular meeting of Corps No. 80 will occur next Monday evening. Members are earnestly requested to be present. As a mark of respect and in recognition of the grand work she has accomplished, a memorial service will be held for Sarah J. Martin of Brookfield, Mo., past national president W. R. C. Color bearers are requested to be present

Miss Jennie McGroary was surprised by fifty of her friends last evening, who hung a May basket on the door knob at her home on Ruggles street. The "hangers" were captured, invited within and there royally entertained, dancing being one of the features, which was enjoyed in a vacant house adjoining, good music being furnished. The guests sat down to a bountiful spread during the evening.

A strawberry festival will be held in the Congregational church on Wednesday evening, May 23, at 7.30. A good program has been provided and music will be furnished by Mann's orchestra. The festival will be held in the banquet hall, where there will be strawberries, ice cream and candy for sale. An interesting feature will be a "clipping bee" in charge of four ladies. Aprons will also be on sale.

A rumor was current here this week that Manager Enegren had disposed of his Lake Pearl property to B. F. Keith, the amusement caterer of Boston. Mr. Enegren denies this, though admitting, however, that within the past two weeks Boston parties have waited upon him with a view to buying the resort. Concerning the visit of these Boston gentlemen Mr. Enegren was reticent and their identity was not revealed.

Judge Flint held a probate court session for Norfolk county at Dedham on Wednesday and transacted the following Franklin business: Wills allowed—Jane D. Fisher, Metcalf E. Pond, executor, bond $150. Accounts allowed—First and final on the estate of William M. Thayer, for $2,705.50; first and final on the estate of Joseph Ray Wyckoff, a minor, for $925.50; first and final on the estate of H. Lyman Towne, for $220.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent society Wednesday afternoon the following officers were chosen: President, Mrs. I. W. Sneath; vice pres., Mrs. John Fisher; sec. and treas., Miss Hattie A. Daniels; col., Mrs. David Campbell; directresses, Mrs. Lydia Harris, Mrs. Mary Blake, Mrs. William Cleveland, Mrs. C. A. Lawrence, Mrs. James Knapp; matron, Mrs. E. C. Abbott; supper com., Mrs. John Fisher.

Cyclists who ask Baggage Master Colgan to check their bicycles as baggage today and tomorrow are doomed to disappointment, as the new law will not go into effect until thirty days after it was signed by Governor Crane, which means that after 2 45 on June 15 the law will be in force. This will enable the railroad companies to have special bicycle checks printed and to issue instructions to baggage masters in all parts of Massachusetts regarding the new law.

Patrick Dunion, who died Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Doherty, Union street from the effects of a shock received about two months ago, was buried Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Owing to the unavoidable absence of Rev. M. J. Lee in Boston there was no mass celebrated at St. Mary's church, as was expected. A low mass was celebrated, however, at 8 o'clock Thursday morning. Mr. Dunion was about 68 years of age, a veteran of the Civil war, and belonged to the Grand Army. Post 60, G. A. R., attended the body to the grave.

The tree warden has had many of the advertisements posted on trees removed, it being against the law to post any notice or advertisement upon shade trees. All such advertisements will be removed and any person detected in posting them is liable to prosecution. Many people are under a misapprehension in regard to the law protecting shade trees, and assume that they have a right to trim or cut trees along the street upon their own premises. Under the present law this is not the case. The jurisdiction of the tree warden extends to all shade trees within twenty feet of the highway.

Miss Grace E. Hadley, who has been appointed valedictorian at the Worcester classical high school and who expects to continue her studies and will enter Wellesley college this fall, was a graduate of the Franklin High school, and a member of the freshman class of the Horace Mann. She resided here about five years, her home now being in North Grafton. In Worcester she has been president of the Aletheia society and has taken part in some of the society's debates. She is especially strong as a writer, and has contributed many articles to the High School Sentinel.

It will be remembered that last year Judge Doe ordered the license forfeited issued to Lawrence McGinniss. The full bench of the supreme court at Boston has just overruled Mr. McGinnies' exceptions in the case of Lawrence McGinnis, Jr., vs. the town of Medway, holding that the plaintiff is not entitled to recover $2,300 paid by him to the defendant last May for liquor licenses for the new Gladstone hotel in Medway, which, though authorized to be granted, were subsequently revoked because one of the selectmen failed to post statutory notice upon the premises. The selectman posted the notice on the adjoining premises.

O. B. Carter is wanted by the Norwood people to manage the ball team there. For a number of years Norwood has had a team, but of late years the management has been very unsatisfactory, notwithstanding the support would have been adequate had the team been rightly handled. The Norwood Messenger intimates that Mr. Carter has his eye on the field, and says that his success here has given him the confidence of the Norwood people, adding that he has shown himself one of the shrewdest managers in the state for a minor league team. Norwood hopes that Mr. Carter will add that town to his list of managerial successes.

Many will remember Charles Jenks, a son of H. R. Jenks, who was formerly in the grocery business here. Last summer he cut his hand and blood poisoning followed, and his condition has continued to grow worse. A bad cough developed and he was advised to go to Jamaica. The trip apparently cured his cough, but he continued to grow weaker, and upon his arrival at Boston on his return he was taken to the home of Mrs. Jenks' parents, where he remains critically ill. Mr. Jenks is a young man who had reached the point in his business career where success seemed assured, so that the misfortune is doubly depressing to his friends.

Rev. G. W. Miner delivered a very interesting address upon missionary work at the 115th annual convention of the Protestant Episcopal church of the diocese of Massachusetts, at Trinity church on Wednesday evening. In Bishop Lawrence's report he says: "The number of clergymen canonically resident in this diocese is now 260, the number of parishes 154, or organized missions 62; total of parishes and missions 216; the number of postulants 2, of candidates for holy orders 36, of lay readers 79. During the conventional year I have confirmed 2,344, other bishops 60, making a total of 2,404. I have ordained four men to the diaconate and five to the priesthood."

On Monday the pupils of the High school listened to a short lecture given by Judge Ruggles. The title of the lecture might properly be termed "How Laws are Passed," a lecture from which many points of interest and instruction might be grasped. Mr. Ruggles purposely allowed a few minutes at the close of his address for any questions the scholars or teachers might care to ask in regard to the topic he had considered. After a brief classification of law he traced the passage of a bill through its several readings until it finally appeared on the statutes of the state, taking for illustration a bill for the appointment of a superintendent of music recently presented to the Massachusetts legislature by President Capen.

Master James Healey of East street was the recipient of a well-filled May basket on Wednesday evening, hung by thirty of his young friends. The presentation was a complete surprise to the young man, who made haste to corral the donors while they were in the act of speeding away after leaving the good things at the door. Some of the party fell while trying to escape in the darkness, and one young man, in an endeavor to vault a picket fence, was impaled and hung by one pantaloon leg until rescued by his friends. He was damaged to the extent of several slight bruises and his brand new dress suit is now in the hands of his tailor for repairs. But, as stated, the party were invited into the house, where, after partaking of a bountiful spread, music, games and withal a merry and happy time prevailed until 10.45, when the donors departed for their homes, all voting the reception given them by Master Healey a most pleasant one.

What came very near being a fatal accident was that at the Heliotype crossing yesterday forenoon, as the Milford train was coming into Franklin. Thomas Madden was driving a team belonging to Patrick Collins, the cart being loaded with cess pool matter in barrels. The engineer had whistled three times just as the horse's head appeared at the track. The horse cleared all right, but the engine struck the wagon and demolished it entirely, throwing Mr. Madden to the ground, and the contents of the barrels completely covered him. The front of the engine and car was similarly treated, and Engineer Smith did not escape the general deluge. Madden was brought to town and treated by Dr. Crowley, only a slightly sprained ankle developing. He was one of the worst looking objects seen upon the streets in a long time, and decidedly unpleasant as to odor. He seemed satisfied to think he escaped with his life. The horse was unhurt. Richard Collins, who was also on the wagon, jumped and escaped injury.

Richardson's Market.

Meat is rising, but we shall continue to sell the best the market affords at prices as low as possible. Our line of vegetables includes everything obtainable at present. Our corned beef ranges from 5 to 12 cents; everyone suited. Home-killed veal, choice roasts, prime butter, etc. We have some selected tomato plants at 25 cents a dozen for home gardeners. Drop us a card and our team will call for your order.

Street Railway Notes.

Supt. Young has a large gang of men strengthening the Franklin line roadbed so that perfect safety and comfort for the travelling public will be assured when the big 12 seat bloomer cars are put on. This will be in about ten days when the cars will be equipped with the latest patent safety air brakes.

There has been much discussion as to the route of the street railway from Medway going over the Richardson hill, many thinking that it would be carried around through private land. That question seems to be settled, as the rails are laid in the highway which runs over the hill. The construction has reached the foot of the hill toward Franklin center.

The eight-wheeled open cars of the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket street railway, taken out for the first time Monday and run over the line, attracted a great deal of attention. The car is a beauty and a very easy riding one. It had a tight squeeze to get under the railroad bridge on Main street in Woonsocket, as the car is rather high, but special trolley holders have been ordered and will be put on, so the cars of this type will experience no difficulty in passing under the bridge.

The underpinning work for the new building at Hoag's is now going on, and before many weeks a large, commodious theatre will be completed for the accommodation of patrons of what promises to be a popular summer resort. In addition the lake will also be fitted up and boats installed and probably a boat house erected. Refreshments will be served in a small building at one end of the lake. Cars will run to Woonsocket every 15 minutes during the season and special excursion rates will probably be made

Between the Four Corners and North Bellingham the electric road crosses the highway twice, near Holbrook's corner, the crookedness of the highway requiring it. The proposed plan is to build a short highway direct, avoiding a curving highway and transferring the present electric road to the proposed new highway. If this is done the electric railway company will meet some of the expenses, and a special town meeting will be called to see what the town will pay. The change is positive in freeing the town from damages that might occur and would straighten the highway for the betterment of all.

Peaceful Rest.

On Sunday last, May 13, Mrs. Grace A. Ellis, beloved wife of C. Elmer Ellis, residing on the Deacon Bacon place, was translated to the peaceful rest of those who die in the Lord. Mrs. Ellis was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Peary. She leaves two little children, one two years and the other one week old. Mrs. Ellis at her death was but 21 years and 7 months of age. Her beautiful young life seemed to be but blossoming and was full of promise. But however much to human eyes she may have seemed to be needed in the holy calling of wife and mother, He who knoweth all summoned her to the higher service of that larger life beyond. Mrs. Ellis was a member of the Evangelical church at Everett. The funeral service was held at the house Tuesday, at 2 o'clock, Rev. S. A. Cook of the Methodist church of Franklin officiating.

For the encouragement and help of those present Mr. Cook gave a tender message of the sweet gospel of love from the text "Jesus Wept." Jesus was set forth as the great sympathizer, who because He was Deity incarnate, was and is able, not only to enter into full sympathy with humanity, being himself affected by the affections of men, whether of joy or grief, but also to speak that word of life and power to the true believer which yields perfect victory, making even death resplendent with heavenly prospect. Mrs. C. L. Stewart, who had the music in charge, rendered two appropriate selections, and most effectively did she sing the gospel of healing balm to the grief-stricken hearts of tearful listeners.

The interment took place at the Franklin cemetery. Many friends join in kindly sympathy with the bereaved husband and other relatives. A.

Fresh Lobsters.

Our lobsters are boiled fresh every Saturday morning and received here at 4 30 p. m. Also asparagus, string beans, spinach, dandelions, radishes, lettuce, rhubarb, cucumbers, Bermuda onions; fresh killed fowls, lamb, veal, pork, choice beef, and as a delicacy we have Van Camp's celebrated concentrated soups of all kinds. Try them. Also the Brunswick canned goods.
EMERSON'S MARKET.

Views of Residences.

Now, before the trees leaf fully, is the best time to arrange for photos of your home, either exterior or interior. Call and see samples and let me quote prices. Business hours during the summer, 8 to 12 a. m., 1.15 to 5 p. m., 7 to 8 Saturday evenings.
CALKIN, Photographer,
Depot St.

E. B. Guild's auction sale of store and household goods, at City Mills, advertised for the 19th, will not take place till the 26th.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Who Will Start It?

"Rummage sales" promise to be the sensation of the season. Second-hand goods of all kinds and descriptions are sold at prices ranging from one cent up. Merchants as well as housekeepers, who, at this clearing up time of the year, find articles they do not care to carry over or put away, send them to be sold. A team collects all sorts of articles useful as wearing apparel or for ornamental purposes from benevolent people that have either discarded or else have no further use for articles which needy ones would be glad to purchase at a very low price. The articles thus collected are often quite valuable and would otherwise have been rendered useless by long vacations in garret or cellar or else blundering into the rag man's bag. A place of sale and an auctioneer are selected, and the proceeds go to some charitable object.

The Census Enumerator.

It will save inconvenience all around if the census enumerators, Messrs. Newell and White, who are soon to begin their rounds, are provided with such information as they seek to obtain as pleasantly and as expeditiously as possible. In brief, they act under orders to gather statistics which congress deems it will be of public value to collate. Give them, therefore, courteous welcome and ready access to all such facts and figures as they may be called upon to secure. Treat the enumerators and their questions kindly. Not to do so would be to subject yourself to endless trouble and annoyance.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending May 16, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. W. W. Bailey, Mrs. W. Fifield.

Gentlemen—E. B. Carpenter (2), C. Carter (2), Arminaus Chavas, Charles Cook, Highland, S. A. Robinson, Francesco Said, Ludryk Senkewicz, Louis Vandal, Jos. Lamroureux, Francesco de Ramio, Francesco Said.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Many men of small income spend 5, 10 or 20 cents a day for beer, says the National Advocate. Five cents a day saved and at the end of each year put to interest at 5 per cent. would at the end of 10 years amount to $205.50, 20 years $560, 25 years $815. Ten cents a day so treated would in the same periods respectively amount to $405, $1120 and $1630. Twenty cents a day would amount to $910, $2240 and $3260. Think what a comfortable cottage home with beautiful surroundings in the suburbs of a city or in a village might many a working man possess for the money he needlessly expends in a few years on beer.

The editor can write more cheerfully of the business interests of the town when his columns are liberally filled with the advertising of the business houses. No editor can advocate the doctrine of buying from the home merchants unless the home merchants show they are interested in catering to the home trade by advertising in the columns of the local newspaper. It is depressing to the editor to find business men patronizing every advertising fake that comes along, and at the same time the names of these business men are rarely, if ever, seen in the advertising columns of the local newspaper.—Press and Printer.

Flowers for Decoration Day.

All orders for baskets, wreaths, bouquets, crosses and potted plants will receive prompt attention if given in good season at Slade's greenhouse, or by mail, box 179.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Up stairs tenement to let on Central street. Inquire of A. M. Haggart. 6tf

Dr. J. C. Gallison will sell a light driving horse or exchange for a heavier one. 11tf

Orders for Allen's wood yard taken here can be transmitted by telephone at once.

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 18 tf

To Rent —Small, convenient tenement at low rent within few rods of post office. A. C. Dana, Dana block. 27-tf

For Sale.—A good "Household" sewing machine cheap for cash. Inquire of Mrs. C. W. Clark, King street. 18,22*

Good assortment of carpets and couches at Sanford Bros., Medway. "A word to the wise is sufficient. 15,18

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Pasture to Rent.—Persons desiring pasture for horses or cows can rent same on reasonable terms. Call on or address Enoch Waite for particulars. 11,18,25

Hay, at Maple Farm, all good; 95 cts. to $1.10 per hundred delivered to any part of town. Orders at Chilson's market. O. S. Stetson. 15-tf

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Briggs. J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

Fine hair cutting, smooth shaving, razors honed and put in order. Oches the barber.

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Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 1900

A Close Call

A high trestle [illegible] a quarter mile [illegible] of the [illegible] ley [illegible] young [illegible] thrilling [illegible] He had [illegible] passed the [illegible] fast train rounded the [illegible] him. There was not a moment [illegible] he quickened his pace, not [illegible] task on the ties. As he neared the end the train was close behind and he had just time to swing himself over the side of the bridge as the locomotive thundered by. The ends of the ties were slippery with grease, and his foot slipped as he left the track. His right hand, stretched out blindly, touched an iron brace, and he clutched it. Then for a moment he swung in space, and in another his left hand found a place beside his right, and his feet touched a welcome beam below. With bleeding fingers clutching the slender iron bar that bent and vibrated, moments seemed hours, but at length the train passed, and the young man was able to climb slowly to the track above and crawl over the ties to firm ground.

Some days ago, reports the Cincinnati Enquirer, Charles West, of Bowling Green, was engaged in a game at a well-known resort in Toledo. He had been losing heavily and his last dollar was at stake. As the cards were being dealt he remarked: "If the queen of hearts turns up again I hope to God that I may never speak again." To his consternation the fateful card turned up. He attempted to utter an oath, but found that he could not articulate above a whisper. He has tried various remedies, agents, but up to the present time he has not regained his voice. Many of the friends of Mr. West look upon his affliction as a visitation from God.

A valuable testimonial to the advancement of this country in the field of medical science is given by Dr. Kutnow, an eminent English physician. He says: "This is my first trip to America, and I am very sorry I did not come here long ago. When I go back to Europe I shall make it a point to advise all young medical students who have the opportunity to come to this country for study. This is a great place for them and I regret very much that I could not have had the advantage of an early training here."

The police force of Jefferson, Pa., is so fascinated by the splendor of his apparel that he is neglecting his duty. A correspondent of the local paper complains that the church pavements are so crowded on Sunday that churchgoers can hardly pass and says: "If our policeman would take a little more pride in keeping order and a little less pride in his [illegible] he met, he would certainly do justice to the borough and credit to himself."

As sensible men and women give more and more time and thought to the care of their health, walking steadily grows in favor, says a health authority. There is only one way to keep well, and that is to exercise rationally. Are of all the forms of exercise walking gives the best results with the least interference with the [illegible] activities which are [illegible] ought to be [illegible] occupation of every civilized being.

A raffle for a White House crazy quilt has just taken place at [illegible] a "throw." The pieces in the quilt are from the tapestry and other furnishings of the mansion, dating back to the time of Mrs. Cleveland and representing four administrations. The quilt is exquisitely arranged, and the valuation is put down at $150.

In a missing word contest that lately fell into the hands of the St. Louis police a record was found of $1,[illegible] postal orders for 50 cents each. The most valuable prize cost six cents.

You know all about it. The rush, the worry, the exhaustion. You go about with a great weight resting upon you. You can't throw off this feeling. You are a slave to your work. Sleep fails, and you are on the verge of nervous exhaustion.

What is to be done? Take

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

For fifty years it has been lifting up the discouraged, giving rest to the overworked, and bringing refreshing sleep to the depressed.

No other Sarsaparilla approaches it. In age and in cures, "Ayer's" is "the leader of them all." It was old before other sarsaparillas were born.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

Ayer's Pills aid the action of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. They cure biliousness. 25 cts. a box.

I have used Ayer's medicines for more than 4[illegible] years and have said from the very start that you made the best medicines in the world. I am sure your Sarsaparilla saved my life when I first took it 40 years ago. I am now past 7[illegible] and am never without your medicines.

FRANK THOMAS, P. M.,
Jan. 24, 1899. Elon, Kansas.

Write the Doctor.

If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice you can possibly receive, write the doctor freely. You will receive a prompt reply, without cost. Address,
DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

SABLE ISLAND PONIES.

They Are Said to Resemble Those Found on the Sculptures of Nineveh Island.

The story of animal life on Sable island is strange. Roaming the sandy wastes are herds of wild ponies guarded by patriarchal stallions. These ponies resemble the horses on the sculptures of Nineveh, and approach the beholder seemingly out of the framework of antiquity. They are stocky and remarkable for their long manes, which in instances have been known to grow to the length of three yards. These ponies are the remnant of a stock thought to have been left by some Portuguese fishermen—"Portingalls" the old records quaintly call them—who touched at the island on their fishing expeditions at even an earlier date than Marquis de la Roche. At one time there were from 400 to 500 wild ponies on the island, but their number has been decreased by exportation, the severity of the winters, and, some people think, by the importation of improved, domesticated stallions which have made the stock less hardy and consequently more susceptible to death from exposure. There are now between 80 and 100 wild ponies and about 30 for domestic use. Mounted on ponies, the life-savers gallop over the dunes and among the hillocks on their long patrols, and the life-boats are drawn to the scenes of shipwreck by teams of five ponies, three at the shaft and two leaders. Some of the wild ponies are sent to Halifax every year or two, and are sold at auction at an average price of from $15 to $18.

The "Portingalls" also stocked the island with cattle, which increased so rapidly that people from the mainland made expeditions to the island and returned with enough live stock to make their trips most profitable. At one time the island was quite overrun with rabbits. Then two rat-infested Norwegian vessels were wrecked there and the rats, swimming ashore, began to exterminate the rabbits and to attack the government stores. Cats were then imported from Halifax to kill the rats, and after awhile the cats increased so in number that dogs were imported to kill the cats. Latterly the island was again overrun with rats from wrecked vessels, and another cargo of cats was imported from Halifax. Once there were pigs on the island; but they have been exterminated because they had become ghouls feasting on the remains of castaways. Death in its most horrid forms is always the burden of Sable island's story.—Ainslee's.

A Show for Him.

Peter [illegible]—Oh, how I would love to be a boy again!

Miss Cutting—Be patient. Your second childhood is not far off.—N. Y. Evening Journal.

A Diplomatic Negative.

Inquirer—I see your daughter is engaged to young Y[illegible].

Cashbur—Yes; I had to consent to some such thing to keep her from going off and marrying the idiot.—Puck.

Just as Good.

Visitor—Did you go to a circus last summer, Bobby?

Bobby—Nope, but I watched pop paper the parlor ceilin'.—N. Y. Truth.

Revenge.

Cashier—You wish to make a deposit?

Depositor—Yes, but you will have to be identified before I can intrust my money to you.—Town T[illegible].

MARK TWAIN'S DEBUT.

How the Famous Fun-Maker Became "A Literary Person," Thirty-Three Years Ago.

Mark Twain's first appearance in an eastern magazine was made over the name of "Mike Swain." How it came about he explains:

In those early days I had already published one little thing ("The Jumping Frog") in an eastern paper, but I did not consider that that counted. In my view, a person who published things in a mere newspaper could not properly claim recognition as a literary person; he must rise away above that; he must appear in a magazine. He would then be a literary person; also, he would be famous—right away. These two ambitions were strong upon me. This was in 1866. I prepared my contribution, and then looked around for the best magazine to go up to glory in. I selected the most important one in New York. The contribution was accepted. I signed it "Mark Twain;" for that name had some currency on the Pacific coast, and it was my idea to spread it all over the world, now, at this one jump. The article appeared in the December number, and I sat up a month waiting for the January number; for that one would contain the year's list of contributors, my name would be in it, and I should be famous and could give the banquet I was meditating.

I did not give the banquet. I had not written the "Mark Twain" distinctly; it was a fresh name to eastern printers, and they put it "Mike Swain" or "MacSwain," I do not remember which. At any rate, I was not celebrated, and I did not give the banquet. I was a literary Person, but that was all—a buried one; buried alive.

My article was about the burning of the clipper ship Hornet on the line, May 3, 1866. There were 31 men on board at the time, and I was in Honolulu when the 15 lean and ghostly survivors arrived there after a voyage of 43 days in an open boat, through the blazing tropics, on ten days' rations of food. A very remarkable trip; but it was conducted by a captain who was a remarkable man, otherwise there would have been no survivors. He was a New Englander of the best sea going stock of the old capable times—Capt. Josiah Mitchell.

I was in the islands to write letters for the weekly edition of the Sacramento Union, a rich and influential daily journal which hadn't any use for them, but could afford to spend $20 a week for nothing. The proprietors were lovable and well-beloved men; long ago dead, no doubt, but in me there is at least one person who still holds them in grateful remembrance; for I dearly wanted to see the islands and they listened to me and gave me the opportunity when there was but slender likelihood that it could profit them in any way.

I had been in the islands several months when the survivors arrived. I was laid up in my room at the time and unable to walk. Here was a great occasion to serve my journal, and I not able to take advantage of it. Necessarily I was in deep trouble. But by good luck his excellency Anson Burlingame was there at the time, on his way to take up his post in China, where he did such good work for the United States. He came and put me on a stretcher and had me carried to the hospital where the shipwrecked men were, and I never needed to ask a question. He attended to all of that himself, and I had nothing to do but make the notes. It was like him to take that trouble. He was a great man and a great American, and it was in his fine nature to come down from his high office and do a friendly turn whenever he could.—Century.

Wifely Credulity.

Hettie—Harry is always to be trusted. He has never deceived me.

Clara—How do you know that?

Hettie—Know it? Why, he told me so himself only last evening.—Boston Transcript.

Retentive.

"She is certainly bright. I don't see how she manages to know so much about the latest books."

"Well, for one thing, she has a remarkable memory. She never forgets a book review."—Brooklyn Life.

How to Win.

"He's always broke."

"Yes; he plays the races."

"And the fellow next to him seems to be always prosperous."

"Yes; he sells tips on them."—Chicago Post.

Suspicious Boarder.

"Will you have some of the sugar cured ham?" asked the landlady.

"What was it cured of?" asked the new boarder, suspiciously.—What-to-Eat.

Never Came His Way

Bill—Do you believe that riches have wings?

Jil—Can't say; they never seem to fly my way.—Yonkers Statesman.

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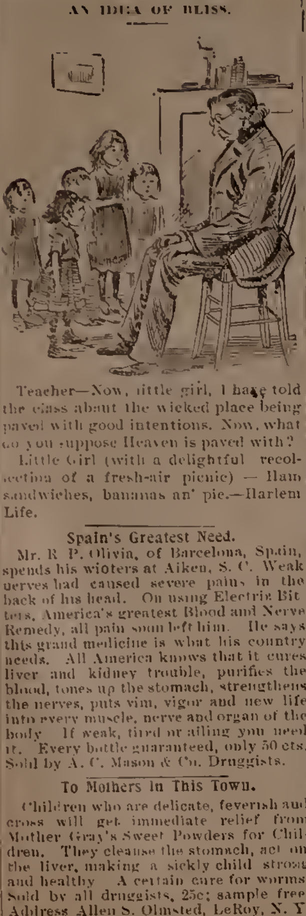

Teacher—Now, little girl, I have told the class about the wicked place being paved with good intentions. Now, what do you suppose Heaven is paved with?

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A Difference of Opinion.

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Mabel—That's funny. George says I'm a peach.—N. Y. Journal.

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Guarantee Fund	27,752 79	
Profit and Loss Account	6,268 89	
Interest Account	6,696 14	
Real Estate Income Account	184 53	
Tax account	32 25	
		$600,835 31

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure	$20,76[illegible] 00	
Town and City Bonds	7,071 25	
Bank Stock	28,189 32	
Railroad Bonds	156,262 50	
Loaned on Bank Stock	6,350 00	
" " Mortgages	166,360 00	
" " Personal Securities	144,766 86	
" " Railroad Stock	11,000 00	
Bank Books	1,500 00	
Town Notes	5,000 00	
Expense Account	724 03	
Bank Furniture	600 00	
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$34,373 14	
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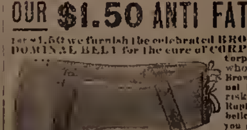

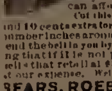

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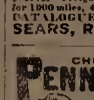

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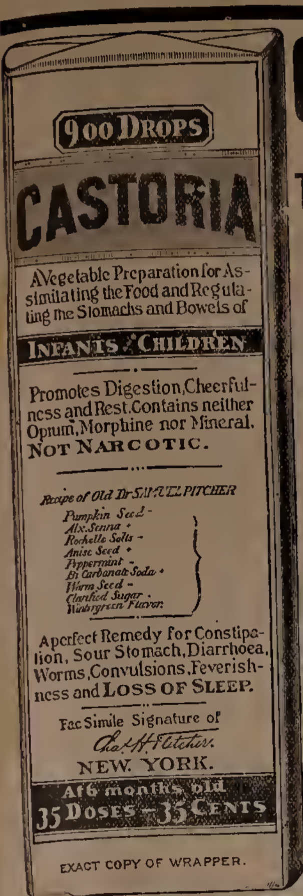

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So I had to drop my objects philanthropic and high-toned.
My plans of reformation for the present were postponed.
Quoth I: "Unless I hit the pace and lead 'em in the dance,
My elevated purposes will never get a chance."

But when I got elected and had climbed to lofty heights,
Their scheme to throw me down brought weary days and anxious nights.
I had to keep on guessing as to "who" and "when" and "how."
I was once a great reformer. I'm a politician now.
—Washington Star.

A Lowly Life.

So uncomplainingly she bore the moil
Of housewife care and unremitting toil,
And, be it said, throughout her length of days
Her womanly reward was stinted praise.
She lived a life as lowly as the loam,
Yet just her patient smile suggested home
And mother-love that watched o'er trundle-bed,
Till e'en the praiseless husband often said
She made his home-life happy.

So, when the friends had crossed upon her breast
Her tired hands, that she might better rest,
And noted the angelic smile of peace
She wore at labor's end and toil's surcease,
An epitaph to mark her grave they framed,
And, while no deed of martyrdom was named,
The lines told all of wife and mother strife—
They writ beneath her name: "A Farmer's Wife—
She made his home-life happy."
—Roy Farrell Greene, in Good Housekeeping.

Life's Daily Tasks.

Thy daily tasks are hard for thee,
O toiler of the earth!
Thou seest not the dignity
That gives them priceless worth.

So might a child, with careless thought,
Throw by the half-writ page,
Nor even know how far it taught
The lessons of his age.

Thou learnst o'er and o'er again
In painful ways and slow,
The wisdom God would share with men—
The lore His angels know

'Tis He who sent necessity
To guide thy wayward tread,
And bids thee find in service free
Thy daily heavenly bread.

O love thy life and hold it dear—
O count it sweet and blest!
It is thy friend, to show thee clear
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—Elizabeth French, in Springfield (Mass.) Republican

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How a Proud Father Was Taken Aback by an Unsympathetic Companion.

A man with a characterless mouth and a sappy expression boarded a downtown Fourteenth street car with a man with an iron jaw and a lucid eye.

"Well, sir," said the man with the uncertain face, as soon as they were seated, "that little girl of mine is the greatest—"

"Certainly, I think we ought to hang onto 'em," interrupted the firm-jawed man. "What did we cough up $20,000,000 for 'em for?"

The man with the indeterminate countenance looked puzzled.

"I guess you didn't catch me right," he said, after a pause. "I was going to tell you a funny thing that little girl of mine said this—"

"Well, I don't think it'll make much difference whether congress passes another financial bill or not," said the strong-faced man, calmly. "Country's getting along all right as things are right now. The more they tinker with the money question the more of a muddle there'll be."

"Er—yes; that's so," replied the man with the receding chin. "But this little six-year-old girl o' mine is the brightest—"

"Yes, I think the prospect for a continuance of good times looks pretty bright," was the reply. "We won't read of half so many cases of distress during this winter as we did last winter and a couple of winters before."

"Well, when she came down to the breakfast table this morning," pursued the father of the phenomenal young one, "she looked at the buckwheat cakes on the table and—"

"Now you hit me where I live," said the square-jawed man. "Don't think I could put in the cold season without buckwheat cakes for breakfast. What kind do you use at home—the old-fashioned buckwheat or this new-fangled self-raising kind?"

"Er—I don't know what kind my wife prefers. Anyhow, as soon as my little girl saw the buckwheats she—"

"Well, for my part I prefer the old-fashioned things. I like any old thing. Friend of mine brought me a bottle of 20-year-old Bourbon from Kentucky the other day. Finest tang to it I ever tasted."

"That so?" weakly inquired the parent of the extraordinary little girl. "Well, she looked at those buckwheat cakes solemnly for a minute, and—"

"I think Jeffries'll knock the nose off of him—that's my honest opinion," said the man with the countenance denoting strength. "Fact is, I believe that California boiler-maker could have put up a pretty stiff argument with John L. when John was in his prime."

"—and then she looked first at her mother and then at me, and then she pointed at the cakes, and—"

"Talking about pointing, my friend Jim Pothunter's got the finest pointer dog that I've seen in a month o' Sundays. It's a foxy bird that gets away from that dog."

"Look a-here," said the man with the vapid physiognomy, "I wasn't talking about any—"

"Well, here's where I fall off," complacently remarked the square-jawed man, stepping onto the running board. "S'long. Be good."

"Any man," growled the firm-jawed man, in his mustache, as he swung along toward his office, "who thinks he's a-going to shoot yarns concerning the corruscating brilliance of his kids into me while I'm trying to get some comfort out o' my after-breakfast cigar has got to heave me into a subterraneous donjon, keep and buck and gag me, and that's no pianissimo pipe-fantasy!"—Washington Post.

A Hard Thing to Do.

Mrs. Punkhorn (reading the paper)—Oh, sat's foot! What fools some men be! Here's the chief of a city fire department sayin' there wouldn't be nigh as many folks burnt ter death if they'd keep cool.

Mr. Punkhorn—Well, what's the matter with that?

Mrs. Punkhorn—How on airth is a body goin' ter keep cool with a hot fire 'round 'em?—Brooklyn Life.

An Observing Friend.

Winks—That job you have now is a soft snap, isn't it?

Jinks—Um—rather.

"Nothing at all to do, have you?"

"Well—er—not much."

"Good pay, too?"

"Very fair. How do you happen to know so much about my job?"

"I notice you stick to it."—N. Y. Weekly.

The Old India Jar.

This quaint old jar is precious; still
No rose leaves its deep bosom fill;
It was not brought from lands afar
By some old uncle once a tar;
But in my heart I hold it dear,
For quince preserves it holds each year
—Chicago Record.

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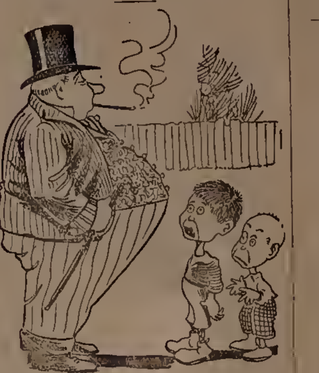

"Gee, dat must a been a whoppin' big skeeter dat stung yer, mister."—N. Y. Evening Journal.

Worse Than Frost.

The frost is on the pumpkin,
But I don't care for that—
My wife has twenty dollars'
Worth of birds upon her hat!
—Chicago Times-Herald.

An Aristocrat.

Mrs. Flannagan—Me daughter, Julia, th' taycher tells me that yure little Patsy is in wan av th' lower grades at her school.

Mrs. Finnigan (excitedly) — Lower grades, did yez say? Oi'll go down t' thot school this blissed minnit an' tear th' hair av th' taycher thot dared pit my Patsy in the lower grade, aven iv he is Oirish!—Brooklyn Life.

Willing to Please.

"I won't take those pictures," said the woman, angrily. "Why, they make me look like a fright."

"Madam," said the suave photographer, "I see that you do not want a photograph, but a fancy picture. Just make your own selection from the showcase."—Chicago Post.

Schedule Time.

Hungry Traveler (at railway dining station)—How soon will the train start, conductor?

Conductor—I'll start on time to-day. I ain't got much appetite.—N. Y. Weekly.

Geographical Item.

"How is the earth divided?" asked the confident teacher of his class before the examiners.

"By earthquakes, sir," was the prompt answer from one of the most eager of pupils.—Tit-Bits.

Feels Bigger.

"Lit a grocer call a bhoy in knae panties 'young man,'" remarked the janitor philosopher, "an' thot same bhoy will lug his muther's oil can to thot store avin if he passes six ither stores on th' way."—Chicago Daily News.

Expert Judgment.

"That's Mrs. Selldom-Holme. She is making quite a reputation as a new woman."

(Inspecting her apparel.) "Well, she isn't new. She's dreadfully out of style."—Chicago Tribune.

After the Concert.

"Doesn't he play with a great deal of expression?"

"I should say so. He made up more than 40 different faces."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

His Eyes Were Opened Then.

Biggs—Poor Dobbs never knew what a jewel of a wife he had until—

Boggs—Until he lost her?

Biggs—No, until he married again.—San Francisco Examiner.

Good Thing for Them.

She—I believe all the honest men are dead.

He—That's good. I hate to think of them as having to starve to death.—Town Topics.

Not Picking Up.

"Business is picking up," said the merchant.

"On the contrary," replied the pugilist, "business is knocking down."—Chicago Post.

One of Nature's Hold-Ups.

"I've got the drop on you," said the rain to the seed.

"Hold on!" cried the seed, "I'm liable to shoot up at any moment."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Marriage Makes a Difference.

Jack—There was a time when that girl was always in my thoughts.

Dick—And now?

Jack—Now she is always in my pocketbook.—Brooklyn Life.

His Way.

"Is Junks a troublesome customer?"

"Yes; he makes as much trouble about the fit of his clothes as if he expected to pay cash."—Chicago Record.

Expectations.

The man who signs his name and draws
His placid dollars from the bank
In boyhood dreamed of loud applause
For an adventurous soldier's rank.
The man who fights from day to day
For fame or fortune—or for bread—
Was wont to boast that he'd display
Such wealth that lords must bow the head.

The man who tries to speak a jest
Speeds thoughtless darts which cause a tear;
And when he turns to wisdom's quest
A laughing world will mock and jeer.
Fate loves our prophecies to slight,
Lest pride should flaunt her plumes too free.
The things we are are never quite
The things which we have meant to be.
—Washington Star.

Gallantry.

He was strong and she was fair,
They hurried through the street,
And sheets of rain were falling there,
And water splashed their feet.

She carried no umbrella; he
Held one above his head:
"Pray share my shelter, miss, with me,"
He very gently said.

A frail old woman, poorly clad,
Trudged on the way they went;
Her head was bare, her look was sad,
And she was pale and bent.

The girl looked up and then replied:
"You're very, very kind!"—
They hurried onward side by side,
The woman trudged behind.
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

The Open Heart.

Would you understand
The language with no word,
The speech of brook and bird,
Of waves along the sand?

Would you make your own
The meaning of the leaves,
The song the silence weaves
Where little winds made moan?

Would you know how sweet
The falling of the rill,
The calling on the hill—
All tunes the days repeat?

Neither alms nor art,
No toil, can help you hear;
The secret of the ear
Is in the open heart.
—John Vance Cheney, in Century.

The Bravest Man.

The bravest man I ever knew
Was neither famed nor great,
Nor one who rushed to dare and do,
Prepared for any fate.
He never faced an enemy,
Nor trod the trackless wild,
He never plunged into the sea
To save a drowning child.

The bravest man I ever knew
Smoked ten cigars a day;
It was a foolish thing to do,
As you yourself will say;
But, foolish as it was, he told
His friends he couldn't quit it,
And it was brave of him, I hold,
To stand up and admit it.
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she could not live till morning" writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night "All thought she must soon die from pneumonia, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, saying it had more than once saved her life, and had cured her of consumption. After three small doses she slept easily all night, and its further use completely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all throat, chest and lung diseases. Only 50c and $1 00. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason's drug store.

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Not Necessary to Talk Much.

"You know," she said, "I am not much of a conversationalist."

This seemed to him the opportunity for which he had been waiting.

"Well," he returned, "if I do the preliminary talking your conversational ability will be sufficient to enable you to say 'Yes,' won't it?"

After all, in courtship there is nothing like getting your answer before you ask the question.—Chicago Post.

Consumption
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THE TOUGHENING PROCESS.

How to Harden the Constitution of Weak and Delicate Children.

Some very crude ideas have existed, and still receive some credence in certain quarters, relative to the process of "hardening the constitution," as it is called. Many people are not yet sufficiently cognizant of the fact that the constitution is never toughened or "hardened" by undue exposure to the summer's sun, the winter's wind, or by indulgence in strains or over efforts.

Ill-informed mothers sometimes dip their infants in cold water with this same fallacious idea of manufacturing hardiness. It is a constantly weakening, enervating process, and when the babe succumbs to some acute malady, and is laid away under the "mysterious dispensation of Providence" idea, it ought to be thundered through the land that exposure does not toughen, while the sentiment should appear in letters as startling as those which Belshazzar saw on the wall of old, that Providence works no miracles to counteract human folly, and that nature's laws are inexorable, standing on the statute book of time subject to no amendments at the hands of man.

The best way to harden the human constitution is to do it as we would harden the constitution of a horse, by taking good care of it, fostering its vitality, always remembering that this exposure idea doesn't show the human body as much courtesy even as we show to a hat or a garment, which are never made better, but always worse, by being banged about. Good care, then, is the thing needed. This does not mean coddling and over swathing, which are quite as bad as undue exposure. It means the happy medium in this as in all things.

Weakly children may be greatly strengthened by sun baths and anointings with oils. These two statements need qualifications and explanation. As to the sun baths, it were well if every dwelling was so constructed that one room could be had specially for sun baths—a room on the sunny side, of course, having a broadside of glass, and arranged so that uniform temperature can be maintained. In this room both the young and the old could get much benefit by exposure of this sort of the whole body to the sun's rays, being careful at first to avoid sunburn. Nervous and weakly ones generally would find in sunlight thus applied a fine nerve tonic.

As to anointings of oil, if the work is thorough the body may receive considerable nourishment in the absorption of the oil, and this room where the sun baths are taken would be just the best place in which to apply oils to the body. As to the kinds of oil to be used I would suggest olive oil, codliver oil or lanolin, diluted with vasaline. After these injunctions, all surplus oil remaining on the skin should be wiped off, and when baths are taken salt should be used in the water in the proportion of, say, one teaspoonful to each four quarts of water.

For a change now and then, bi-carbonate of soda may be used, or a little borax. Let nothing that I have said here be construed to mean that the little ones should be deprived of outdoor exercise in the cooler seasons, my remarks being intended simply as a plea for protected exposure—an exposure stopping short of allowing a child to get actual suffering from the elements as a means of toughening—a fallacious idea, fraught only with danger to innocent and helpless creatures to whom humanity owes its tenderest, most merciful care.—Portland (Me.) Transcript.

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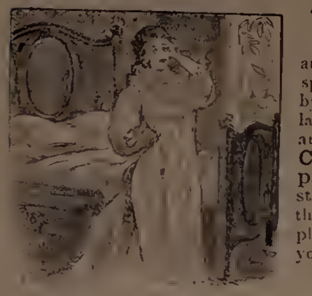

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WRENTHAM.

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Gave Herself Away.

After he had kissed her and pressed her rosy cheek against his, and patted her soft, round chin, she drew back and asked:

"George, do you shave yourself?"

"Yes," he replied.

"I thought so," she said. "Your face is the roughest I ever—"

Then she stopped, but it was too late, and he went away with a cold, heavy lump in his breast.—Tit-Bits.

Why He Refrained.

"What made you take all that impudence from that fellow?" asked the friendly passenger of the conductor. "Why, he didn't even pay his fare."

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Hot Campaign.

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Not Many Bible Students.

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"No, ma'am," replied Jane, "not till ye ca'led th' third toime, ma'am."—Philadelphia Press.

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Better Than None.

He—Do you believe in long engagements?

She—Well, they're better than none.—Town Topics.

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St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "Ruskin's Crown of Wild Olive." Afternoon service at 5; subject, "What We Think Now of the Conditions of the Future Life." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

Congregational church.—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D. Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30; theme, "The Chinese Boxers."

Methodist church.—Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor; subject "The Baptism with the Holy Spirit." Sunday school at 12. Junior league at 3.30. Epworth league at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30; subject, "The Prayer of Faith."

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. F. B. Sleeper, pastor; theme, "Preparation." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Preaching by pastor at 7.30, the third in series of discourses on "The Fine Arts;" theme "The Fine Art of Christian Endurance." Short testimony meeting in vestry.

SHELDONVILLE.

J. F. Dingman is entertaining his brother-in-law from Vermont.

Mrs. Fred Hawkin's is at her father's, L. L. Whiting, for a few days.

Mrs. W. O. Newell is spending two weeks with relatives in Boston.

T. E. Rhodes of Providence has moved his family here for the summer.

Miss Nettie Follett has returned home after spending a few days in Brockton.

J. E. Grant and his force of men are giving the streets their annual spring cleaning.

Miss Ella Thayer of Attleboro spent Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Lucy Outhouse.

George Heffron has purchased a horse and will soon commence a route and sell farm produce.

Miss Edith Holland of Scituate, a former teacher here, has been visiting at W. C. Averill's.

Quite a number from here attended the summer dress party given by Miss Razee at Franklin last Thursday evening.

Only One.

"Only one kiss," he pleaded.

"Only one?" she asked, coyly, and—could it be? with a tinge of disappointment in her air.

"Only one!" he said again, beseechingly, and the maiden yielded. But it lasted from 8:15 to 11:45 p. m.—Somerville Journal.

Perhaps by Mistake.

Mrs. Fairfax—Mrs. Horton had the compliment of her life last week. She had her photograph taken.

Miss Eager—Was it so flattering?

Mrs. Fairfax—Well, rather. It was taken by the man who burgled her house.—N. Y. World.

Varying Circumstances.

"I am told that you have a great many friends."

"Oh, I don't know," answered the cynic in plaid clothes; "it all depends with me, the same as with other people, on whether I'm trying to borrow or willing to lend."—Washington Star.

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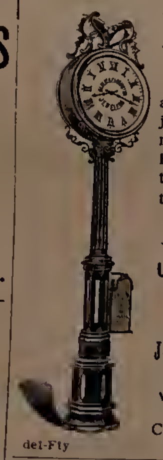

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Alice G. Cowell, late of Wrentham, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Aaron B. Cole of Wrentham, or to some other suitable person, without giving surety on his bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-third day of May, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this first day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
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REGULATIONS
... OF THE ...
Board of Health,
1900.

Extracts from Public Statutes, Chapter 80.

"The Board of Health of a town shall make such regulations as it judges necessary for the public health and safety. Whoever violates any such regulations shall forfeit the sum of one HUNDRED DOLLARS."

The Board of Health of Franklin, as authorized by the statutes, has made and published, as is provided for in the statutes, the following regulations:

1. Physicians having under their care cases of small-pox, scarlet fever, diphtheria, phthisis or typhoid fever are requested to promptly report the same to the Board of Health, as required by law on blanks furnished them.

2. When any householder knows that a person within his family or living in his house is ill of small-pox, diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhoid fever or any other disease dangerous to the public health he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Board of Health.

3. All diseases dangerous to the public health will be promptly quarantined by this Board and red flags will be displayed for public protection. Whoever violates the quarantine established by the Board, either by going out of the house or apartment quarantined, or permitting any person other than the nurse or physician to enter the same; and any person other than the nurse or physician going into the said house or departments in violation of said quarantine WILL BE PROMPTLY PROSECUTED according to law. And whoever meddles with any flag put up by the Board of Health or its agent, to remove, deface, cover, or handle the same in any way whatsoever will be dealt with according to law. This Board will permit no trifling with any of its rules of quarantine or any measures taken by it against infection, under any circumstances, by ANY PERSON WHATSOEVER.

4. No quarantine established by the Board of Health will be removed till the person or persons so quarantined have been personally examined by a member of this Board or its authorized agent, and found to be no longer in condition to convey the disease, nor until the premises have been disinfected by an agent of the Board and according to its directions. Sulphur fumigations will not be regarded a sufficient disinfection.

5. Any person recovered from a disease dangerous to the public health who is a pupil in any school, public or private, shall not be permitted to return to such school, nor received into such school, without a certificate from the Board of Health or some member thereof. Nor shall any person be received into nor employed in any mill, factory, shop, store or place of business unless he has complied with the requirements of the Board of Health in regard to contagious diseases.

6. Whenever a nuisance or cause of sickness shall be found on private property within the town any member of the Board shall order the owner or occupant thereof to remove the same, at his own expense, within the time specified in the notice served upon him. When legal notice has been served on the owner or occupant of any premises, if any owner or occupant neglects to abate or remove the nuisance complained of within the time specified in said notice the Board of Health will cause the nuisance to be abated at the expense of the party or parties responsible for the same.

7. The owners or keepers of swine and milch cows are notified that no product from these animals can be used or sold unless such animals are fed on wholesome food and are in a perfectly healthy condition. In case of neglect or violation of this rule all such products will be condemned. All milch cows from which milk is sold in this town are subject to inspection by the Board of Health, and when found in a healthful condition a certificate to that effect, good for sixty days, will be furnished to the owner by this Board.

8. All owners and drivers of horses having any disease known as the horse distemper and glanders are notified not to allow said horses to drink from any public watering trough or fountain in town.

9. All persons are notified not to cart the contents of privy vaults or cesspools through the streets between 6 o'clock a. m. and 9 o'clock p. m. from May 1 to Nov. 1; and all such filth must be conveyed so as to prevent any portion being dropped along the street.

10. No person shall use the public street or any sewer or drain, made for the sole purpose of conveying water from said streets, as a deposit for filth, slops or offal of any kind.

11. The Board requests all persons to promptly notify them of the existence of any contagious or infectious diseases among domestic animals, such as glanders, pleuro-pneumonia, hog cholera, etc. On such notice the Board will cause such animals to be securely isolated and held till released by order of the cattle commissioners.

12. Nuisances or unusual causes of sickness must be reported to the Board of Health by complaints in writing, clearly stating the nature and causes of the same so far as known.

13. The law requires the vaccination of all children as a condition of admission to the public schools. The School Committee, as well as the Board of Health, is required to enforce this statute. Children are also required by law to be vaccinated before reaching the age of two years.

14. House owners are required to provide that all escape pipes from sinks and closets shall be properly trapped and that waste water from such shall not be permitted to empty on the ground. Filth so accumulating and decomposing is a potent cause of diphtheria and other diseases. Covered drains and cesspools must immediately be provided for such waste.

15. No person shall throw into or leave in or upon any street, court, lane, public square or enclosure, or any vacant or occupied lot owned by the town or the public, or into any pond, creek or stream of water within the limits of the town any dead animal or vegetable matter, or waste water, rubbish or filth of any kind. All yards, passageways, inclosures and cellars shall be kept in as cleanly a condition as the Board shall direct.

16. All persons riding or being upon any street car within the limits of this town are directed not to spit upon the floors or platforms of such car, and proprietors of street railways wholly or in part within the limits of this town are directed to post a notice in each end of each car to the effect that spitting in or upon said cars is prohibited by the Board of Health.

GREGORY A. MARTIN,
DWIGHT M. HODGE,
MARSTON SANBORN,
Board of Health.

Franklin, Mass., May 1, 1900.
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Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
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Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Mrs. Ella F. Metcalf is visiting friends in Somerville.

The rains the past week have put out the forest fires.

Butman's brick block on Main street is to change hands.

George Cody is recovering from a week's illness with malaria.

Mrs. Harry Spence is critically ill at her residence on Summer street.

R. K. Stevens has about completed his building job at North Attleboro.

Dr. J. M. Crowley entertained his brother from Vermont over Sunday.

D. W. Fisher and S. W. Nickerson left this week for a business trip to New York.

George L. Winsor, confidential clerk for E. K. Ray, is ill at his home with the mumps.

Rain prevented the Dean-Providence and Heliotype Trowbridge games on Saturday.

Clark & Gaskill are carting eight loads of ice a week from Camp's ice houses at Caryville.

Dean is booked to play the Brown Sophomore on the campus tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Alice Ford of Attleboro is visiting at the home of her grandmother on Cottage street.

Landlord S. T. Capron of the Crescent house has been sick with neuralgia the past three days.

The steam drill has begun work in the ledge on the Medway road, opposite the N. A. Daniels place.

Main street continues to be littered with old paper and rubbish by careless or malicious persons.

The houses on Garfield street belonging to the James M. Freeman estate are being brushed up with fresh paint.

Mrs. Jessie Gibbs and little son, of Boston, were the guests of her brothers, Jacob and Clarence Quilter, last week.

Oliver D. Pond, E. H. Sherman and N. E. Newell have been appointed appraisers of the estate of the late D. J. Fisher.

Frank Snow, while fishing in the pond at Bush Factory last week, landed a pickerel weighing four and a half pounds.

The class of '01, High school, will give a reception to the graduating class in the Horace Mann building on Wednesday, June 8.

The 7th Mass. Veteran Volunteer association will hold its 32d annual reunion in G. A. R. hall, Brockton, on Friday, June 18.

Farmers report early garden stuff a little backward, but the warm sun of the past few days has given it a good push forward.

Medical Examiner Gallison was called to Milford Sunday to investigate the death of an Italian who was run over by an electric car.

The road men have nearly completed the spring cleaning on the highways outside the center and are attending to matters in the village.

Work on the Medway-Franklin line is being hurried and the tracks will soon be laid well into the town. The company hopes to have the line in full operation by July 1.

We should have credited the new cottage at Archer's to Floyd Hosie, Will Stewart and Arthur Bennett, instead of to Hosie Bros. They call themselves the "Winneganock club."

Among the attractions at the Congregational church on Wednesday evening at the strawberry festival will be a "clipping bee," a novelty which will surely be of interest to all.

The amusement season at the Opera house is about over, except for local business and parties who want to rent. After the middle of May it needs a great attraction to draw a paying audience.

Miss Mary Quinn was surprised at her home on King street Friday evening by a number of her young friends, who presented her with a gold ring. An evening of rare enjoyment followed the presentation.

Conductor H. C. Moulton of the N. Y., N. H. & H. road is enjoying a fortnight's vacation. Conductor James Colgan of Woonsocket, and brother of Baggage-master John Colgan here, is taking his place here.

Mrs. Essie Smith Sanborn of Brockton has been visiting Misses Crocker and Briggs, returning home yesterday. She will go to San Francisco, Cal., next week to join her husband, who has been practicing there.

The annual meeting of the Mothers' class will be held May 25 at Mrs. E. C. Abbott's, Main street. A full attendance is requested. Members are requested to bring all books and magazines in circulation.

Willie, the 7 years old child of Mr. and Mrs. William George of Pond street, was buried Saturday morning, at 9 o'clock, in St. Mary's cemetery. The child had been sick with bronchitis for the past few weeks, death resulting Thursday evening.

Mrs. N. G. Knight and Mrs. Charles Rand attended the Sankey meetings in Boston yesterday and report them delightful. Tomorrow afternoon Rev. Ralph Gillam will have charge at 2.30, and a number from here are planning to hear him.

The shopmates of Hugh Murphy of Fisher street presented him with a gold ring Saturday morning in token of their esteem. He has been employed as percher in Haywood's mill and leaves to take a similar position at the American Woolen mill.

The selectmen Friday evening ordered a number of bills paid, and discussed the routine matters in regular order. The Morse Opera house was granted a license for the ensuing year, and George R. Stewart was recommended for a peddler's license.

F. M. Ballou, the concreter, is expected here this week, and those who want concrete sidewalks and wish to have the benefit of the appropriation made by the town for part payment of such improvements should notify the selectmen at once.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Pratt and Frank Eames of Milford passed through here last week for New York, where they joined a party of twenty-five men and women headed by W. H. Rowe, formerly of Montpelier, Vt., whose destination is the gold fields of Cape Nome, Alaska.

The first strawberry festival of the season will be held at the Congregational church tomorrow evening. There will be an entertainment in the chapel at 7.30. Music by Mann's orchestra. Refreshments, including strawberries, ice cream and home made candy, for sale in the dining room.

Rev. Mr. Koehne, who delivered such a fine series of lectures here recently at the Congregational church gave his "Modern Skepticism" before the Congregational Ministers' association in Boston yesterday, and was remarkably well received. This will aid him materially in making his fall bookings.

It may not be generally known that Ganzell, who will take Everett's place at first on the Chicago league team, is a brother of Charles Ganzel, the famous member of the Boston "Pretzel" battery and the Carter's first baseman and manager. Ganzel bids fair to become more famous than his brother as a baseball player.

Dr. Hodge will read on the evening of Decoration day at the Universalist chapel. The reading will be for the benefit of the Y. P. C. U., and consequently a small admission will be charged. Those who have enjoyed Dr. Hodge's readings without cost heretofore will be glad to show their appreciation of his generous endeavors to entertain them.

A delegation of Post 60, G. A. R., and of the W. R. C. went to Norfolk Sunday afternoon to decorate soldiers' graves and participate in special religious services. There were interesting exercises by the children from the public schools, singing, etc., and Rev. Alfred Noon, secretary of the State Total Abstinence society delivered a most helpful address, which was thoroughly enjoyed.

Bear in mind that subscriptions for the SENTINEL are accepted for three months at a time as readily as for an entire year. The subscription price for three months 50 cents; six months $1.00; one year $2 00. In many cases one family purchases the SENTINEL and it is passed around among several families. By paying quarterly every family can have it without feeling the expense.

The New Haven road recently leased the hack privilege at the station in Norwich, Ct., but in response to numerous petitions from the general public finally concluded to recede, and informed the hackmen that for a merely nominal fee they would be permitted to solicit passengers at the station as usual. Each was allotted a certain position, the stipulation being they should made no unnecessary noise.

The fire alarm is now in working order again. Last Thursday evening it was tested by sounding the number of each box. At the start some people looked around for the fire, but after a few moments the truth got abroad and the racket was endured as a necessary evil of modern civilization. A number from West Medway came to Franklin mistaking the trial of the fire alarm system for a regular prolonged alarm.

It will interest all to know the full bench of the supreme court has handed down an opinion in which it ruled that the sale of cigars on the Sabbath day was a violation of the law. The sale was made to a police officer, who, upon making the purchase, informed Mr. Goldsmith, a druggist, that he intended to use the fact against him as evidence. Mr. Goldsmith said that he would sell them to the officer as "drugs."

It is not generally known by parents that recent laws not only require the attendance at school of all children of school age, unless exempt by physical causes, but also have a penalty for the parent or guardian who neglects to cause his children to attend. Non-attendance at five full-day sessions or ten half-day sessions during any six months, unless the cause is sickness or something of that nature, constitutes a liability to prosecution.

It is announced that the blowing of a horn under the trees will bring caterpillars to the ground in showers. The explanation is that the pests are partial to martial music and taking the blow for a bugle call drop down for the purpose of falling into line. It has been suggested that this plan be tried with the gypsy moths, if the legislative committee can be induced to invest in horns. If there is any virtue in this remedy the serenade of a Fourth of July morning should prove effective.

Milford base ball looks a trifle doubtful, as the directors of the M., H. & F. street railway company could not see their way clear to fence the old athletic grounds on East Main street and erect bleachers and a grand stand for the base ball association. They offer a donation of $150 toward supporting a team. The only remaining hope of the association is the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket company and unless they provide grounds Milford will have no base ball worthy of the name this year.

Franklin is sure to have a large number of people from out of town coming here to enjoy base ball and other sports by electrics this year, as that method affords such easy and reasonable means of transportation. Milford is already, according to one of its papers, bemoaning the fact that it is possible there will be no ball nine there and the crowds will go to Franklin. Well, Franklin will be ready to receive them, so it is hoped they will bring all their money with them and leave some of it here.

About 50 guests attended a May party given by Miss Katherine Kenney at her home on Wachusett Friday evening. Various amusements were indulged in and a very pleasant time was enjoyed by all. The following programme was rendered: Piano solos by Miss Louisa Fiorani and Charles McCarthy, vocal solos by Alexander Boucher and George Pendergast and violin duets by Miss Mary Walsh and Miss Mary Fiorani. Refreshments were served and the pleasure seekers departed at an early hour next morning.

A large gang of laborers are at work over the Franklin-Medway line laying the track for the electric road. It is now laid from the Franklin bridge to the site of the Hopkins canning factory and is being rapidly pushed along. The Medway approach to the bridge is to be enlarged somewhat and the entire track on Sanford street paved, so that quite an amount of work yet remains to be done before the track is connected with the main line. It does not seem probable that cars will run to Franklin in much less than a month.

Herman M. Fisher, a well known citizen of King street, died Saturday morning in the 80th year of his age. Mr. Fisher was a native of Franklin, and in early manhood went to New York city, where he was engaged in the straw goods trade for many years. He returned to Franklin several years ago and lived at the old Maxey Fisher homestead until his death. For a number of months past he has been gradually failing, completely wasting away. The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. I. W. Sneath officiating.

The surveyor has found a good deal of trouble in finding bounds at Hoag's pond, so far as the old deeds give any directions. The old stumps and stakes and stones have disappeared or changed so they are no longer recognized. The proposed location of a summer resort there has caused an attempt to locate the right land divisions by the parties interested. The pleasure boats at Highland lake have been bought for service at Hoag's pond and the turnout on the railway at that point is being made longer, so as to accommodate several cars at the same time. Over 100 men are at work on the line from Bellingham Four Corners to Milford.

The Norfolk County commissioners having completed their apportionment of the county tax of $165,000 for the present year among the twenty-seven towns and one city of the county, announce the following result: Avon $761.16, Bellingham 687.50, Braintree 4,272.32, Brookline 59,517.85, Canton 3,977.68, Cohasset 5,082.59, Dedham 7,292.41, Dover 908 48, Foxborough 1,767.86, Franklin 2,823.66, Holbrook 1,276.79, Hyde Park 8,397.32, Medfield 1,301.34, Medway 1,301 34, Millis 638.39, Milton 17,825.89, Needham 2,921.88, Norfolk 466.52, Norwood 3,339.29, Quincy 16,377.23, Randolph 2,062.50, Sharon 1,645.09, Stoughton 2,799.11, Walpole 2,136.16, Wellesley 6,703.12, Westwood 933.04, Weymouth 6,408.48, Wrentham 1,375.

Dr. John T. Prince, agent of the state board of education, was in town yesterday visiting schools, and had the pleasure of inspecting nearly all of the departments of the various schools. He expressed himself as being very much pleased at their condition. Very little except the usual daily routine was gone over, so that he had an excellent opportunity of seeing in just what condition the schools were. In the afternoon he addressed the teachers and quite a number of others interested in education, speaking on "Some of the Needs of the Newer Education." His remarks were practical and timely and he emphasized the necessity of more money to properly do the work that ought to be done here.

Sullivan Family Quarantined.

The board of health has quarantined the Sullivan house, just on the edge of Caryville, together with Mr. Williams' house, where the nurses board. The sum of $100 was contributed by the mill hands in Caryville, which is being used for the benefit of the stricken family. One child died last Thursday and another passed away early Saturday morning. One member of the family has eluded the quarantine and gone to Providence. Another member of the family is said to have been sick before leaving Ireland, and another is in the hospital in Boston. No hope is expressed for the two, a boy of 15 and a girl of 12, now sick. The disease is thought by some to be the black fever, and it is rumored that the state will hold the steamship company responsible. The family has been in this country less than five weeks and it will probably never be known whether the disease was contracted on ship or brought with them, or whether they are the victims of the house which they occupy.

The family is destitute, except as supplied by the state through Franklin. The funerals of the two that died were public and if the disease is contagious a large number have been exposed already. It is a very serious matter, and has thus far occupied the attention of four doctors.

A Notable Work.

J. A. Lansing of Cambridge occupied the Congregational pulpit on Sunday morning, relating his experiences in traveling about Austria and noting the work done by Dr. Albert W. Clark, who has been doing missionary work among the Catholics of Bohemia. Dr. Clark's labors have been so marked with success that the Austrian government, Catholic though it be, has sanctioned it, and forbidden molestation on the part of the priests, who naturally dislike this proselyting among their flock. The Catholics themselves have welcomed the work in many places where at first it was viewed with suspicion and distrust. He spoke most eloquently of John Huss, whose memory was revered and honored by liberal Catholics throughout all Bohemia, Prague holding him in especial honor. He told of the hindrances originally put in Dr. Clark's way by the clericals, and the methods to which it was necessary to resort to have public worship of any kind or to distribute Bibles. Many of these hindrances have now been done away with, and Mr. Lansing regards the field as a most promising one. A collection was taken with a view to assisting Dr. Clark in his work.

Flowers for Decoration Day.

All orders for baskets, wreaths, bouquets, crosses and potted plants will receive prompt attention if given in good season at Slade's greenhouse, or by mail, box 179.

Looks Like Business.

For the first time a smoke was seen to issue yesterday from the huge smoke-stack at the Unionville power house, indicating that the fire had been started in the big boilers, and that the 250 horse-power engine would soon be ready to force the electric fluid as far out into the surrounding towns as should be required. The battery of two boilers is already in position, one engine is up and the big 650 horse power is already being set up. The combined horse powers in the engines will be about 900 and in the boilers something over 700.

With Unionville as a distributing point the current will easily speed the cars as far as Plainville, Milford and even to City Mills, should the company ever care to work out in that direction. With the extension of the line toward or into Worcester a new power house would be built the other side of Milford, as it looks now as if this line would be an important link in the electric line between Providence and Worcester through Woonsocket and Milford.

As soon as the equipments at the power house are all put in the time between here and Woonsocket will be materially lessened, possibly to thirty minutes, with more frequent accommodations, which will be thoroughly appreciated. Franklin now has every reason to be proud of its means of communication with its neighbors, after having been practically isolated, except by the steam cars in a direct line, for so many years. This will have a tendency to invite outsiders to locate here, tenements will rent better, it will bring new business into our stores, and it will permit egress and ingress to the satisfaction of all who may desire it.

Laying Rails to Milford.

Active constructive work on the direct route of the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket street railway from Bellingham Four Corners to Milford was begun last week, when 150 Italian laborers commenced laying rails. With fine weather this force should have the road completed as far as the green store in South Milford by Saturday, and by June 1 the tracks will be laid into Milford. Fifteen days later cars will leave Main street for Milford, Woonsocket, Attleboro, Wrentham and Foxboro.

The company desires to cross the tracks of the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad in North Bellingham at grade and the railroad commissioners, who have been asked to grant that permission, viewed the crossing Friday afternoon.

As soon as the tracks are laid into Milford from Bellingham Four Corners work will be commenced on the Hopkinton and Westboro branch and cars will be running over the entire system of forty-five miles by August 15. The company has made arrangements with the Westboro and Marlboro road whereby through cars may be run from Milford to Marlboro.

Prepare to Tell.

Next week Friday Messrs. Newell and White will commence the work of taking the census. Each enumerator is provided with a badge of office, which he is required to wear when on duty, and to display it or not, as the duty of the hour seems to require. He is also armed with a commission, "To all who shall see these presents, greeting." Under the census law the enumerator has the right of admission to every dwelling and institution for the purpose of obtaining the information required, and the right to answers to each and every question and truthful answers. If the authority is disputed the census man is directed to show his badge, and commission if needed, to accomplish the object of his visit, and if these fail the case is reported to higher authority for settlement.

The enumerator must consider all information as confidential and is liable to heavy penalty if he wilfully betrays his trust. He is not to accept any statement which he has good reason to think is false. It has been found in the past that some people think that local assessors make use of the information obtained for the purpose of taxation, but the suspicion is entirely without foundation.

Free Notices.

The SENTINEL will continue to insert a liberal free notice in its columns of all entertainments, etc., when orders for job printing of the same are filled at this office. But this notice should not be construed to mean a $2 free notice will be given for $1 worth of printing. Give us your order and see if we do not use you right.

Plant Sale.

Mrs. King's annual sale of fine potted plants will commence on Friday at Crowninshield's store, lasting till Memorial day. Unusual selection. Also fine cut flowers of all kinds for decorations.

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

Fine hair cutting, smooth shaving, razors honed and put in order. Ochee the barber.

Read the business announcements

The Choir Committee's Gordian Knot.

With haggard look and tearful eye,
The choir committee vainly try
An ancient maxim to refute,
An entire church at once to suit.

Rash men, they did but tempt their fate,
Nor saw their error till too late;
Now, with their cup of sorrow full,
They'll ne'er attempt the impossible.

Their duty this: A church quartette,
To suit the varying tastes, to get.
They listen long to candidates,
Discuss their manners, tones and rates.

A basso comes, robust and strong,
And tells the tale of Christ in song.
His range—the lowest tones he hit;
His price—'twas quite the opposite.

And thus they come in endless throng,
With voices weak and voices strong.
Some sing too fast and some too slow,
Too mild, too rough, too high, too low,
To thick of speech, a nasal twang,
'Twas thus the various singers sang.

Then with determination grim,
Regardless now of wish or whim,
They finally select a choir
And brave the congregation's ire.

Let the dissatisfied rebel
The die is cast—for truth to tell,
Who fails to suit the tastes of all
Should suit himself and end the thrall.

The Fences.

The SENTINEL has for years advocated the removal of front fences, especially the old dilapidated ones, and the result has been, where they have been taken down, most satisfactory, so far as the beauty of the surroundings is concerned. This has been noted and commented upon quite frequently. In many cases, however, the practical results have not been favorable in view of the fact that pedestrians have selfishly considered these private lands as public highways, resulting in the destruction of the grass and quite often pretty flower beds. If a little more consideration could be exercised in this direction the people who have removed their fences would be more reconciled to having contributed something towards making their homes more attractive.

Memorial Day Resolution.

The nineteenth annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, held at Portland, Me., in 1885, adopted the following:

"Memorial day is the choicest in the calendar of the Grand Army—a day of sweet remembrances, dear to every loyal heart, and any violation of its sacredness by making it the occasion for frivolity and amusement, such as characterizes the Fourth of July, should be treated as an indignity to the comrades who died that their country might live."

This protest against the desecration of Memorial day, uttered so many years ago by the order, should not be forgotten.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Two pleasant lower rooms to let. Apply at SENTINEL office. 22*

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For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 18 tf

For Sale.—A good "Household" sewing machine cheap for cash. Inquire of Mrs C. W. Clark, King street. 18,22*

Good assortment of carpets and couches at Sanford Bros., Medway. "A word to the wise is sufficient. 15,18

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Mrs. S. H. Frost, Alpine street, will fill all orders for flowers for Memorial day, or for any occasion, at short notice. 22-tf

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E. B. Guild's auction sale of store and household goods, at City Mills, advertised for the 19th, will not take place till the 26th.

Remember the strawberry festival at the Congregational church Wednesday evening. Admission 10 cents.

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TUESDAY, MAY 22, 1900.

THE ice trust in New York is slowly melting.

MEMORIAL DAY should indeed be memory day.

McKINLEY evidently regards these envoys as decided bores.

SELEE ought to take his Boston ball team somewhere out West and lose it.

IN view of its name we should have expected St Louis to have behaved better in this strike matter.

QUAY announces his candidacy to succeed himself as senator. Pennsylvania ought to [illegible] this case once and for all.

WE are waiting for Lodge to endorse Long for vice president. Some day Lodge may need an endorsement from Long.

"GAY PAREE" and the exposition is the Mecca for this summer, but not for the average newspaper man. It's a little too rich for his blood.

IF you want a cigar on Sunday now you will have to tell the druggist that you want your usual Sunday "drug," and then it's easy to get around the law.

TOM REED prefers not to be called Mr. Speaker any more, desiring not to usurp the title rightfully belonging to Speaker Henderson. He will always be "the" speaker, while the others will be simply speakers.

THE Boer envoys come a trifle too late, since everything is now going England's way. It is the Biblical case reversed, one is not putting ten thousand to flight, but ten thousand is engaged in putting one to flight. The one will flee.

BOURKE COCHRAN wants to disfranchise the negroes. There was a time when the eloquent Mr Cochran had no vote. What if the darkies should decide that he ought not to vote further, and were able to enforce their decision?

THE supreme court of the United States decides that Beckham, the successor of Goebel, is the rightful governor of Kentucky. That ought to settle it, though it is impossible to satisfy all parties, even by a mandate of the highest court in the land.

THEY are now talking of having religious services aboard western passenger trains bound on long runs. Well, they have had gambling, drinking, smoking and nearly all the vices, so it won't do any harm to try a little religion. If an accident should happen the passengers will be all the more ready for a future world.

CORBETT, the pugilist, as congressman from a Tammany district in New York, would not be so much out of place, after all, and if he goes in for it he will probably get it. He will make a better congressman than some we might name, as he has never been charged with lack of brains. Just the same we shouldn't vote for him.

THE postal scandal in Cuba is bad enough, in all conscience, but the redeeming feature of it is that it was discovered so soon. It is doubtful, too, if the guilty ones have sufficient political "pull" to secure immunity from punishment. However, this stealing was something that Cuba had suffered right along under Spanish rule, so they were not greatly surprised.

CONGRESS has passed a measure authorizing the payment to Confederate soldiers for losses growing out of the war, paying those who surrendered at Appomatox for the loss of horses and other personal effects taken from them in violation of the terms of Lee's capitulation to General Grant by which officers and men of Lee's army were allowed to retain their baggage, side arms and horses. We can afford to be magnanimous at this late day.

CLARK'S surprising somersault, now you see him as senator, now you don't and now you do, has alienated nearly every fair minded citizen, who considers that the United States senate ought not to be treated with such indignity. Then Gov. Smith nominated another for senator, thus complicating matters. Doubtless neither will be seated, owing to the brief time before adjournment. Clark has abundant means, abundant gall and abundant friends, and is a very "slick" man, but often it doesn't pay to be too slick.

IT'S NO USE—

A man simply can't make any sort of success in business if he's tortured with backache.

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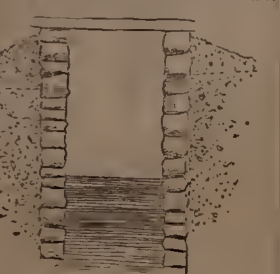
KEEPING WATER PURE.

How to Keep Surface Water and Other Deleterious Substances Out of the Farm Well.

Where wells are dug on sloping ground there is always liability that surface water may find its way into the well and carry in deleterious matter. In such cases it is wise to have the soil removed from the well when it is being dug in the form of a mound about the top, as suggested in the cut, and, to make matters still safer, to lay a tile drain around the upper side to an outlet on the lower side, laying the tile all the way about the proposed opening, before digging is begun. This will keep the well absolutely free from surface water, which, as suggested, is, in many cases, a positive source of danger.—Orange Judd Farmer.



TO KEEP THE WATER PURE.

SHALLOW CULTIVATION.

Experiments at the Nebraska Station Conclusively Prove That It Is Best for Corn.

A test of the relative values of deep and shallow cultivation of corn at the Nebraska experiment station developed beyond doubt the superiority of the latter method. Four acres of land were divided into tracts of one acre each, and each tract was cultivated with a different cultivator, the same one being used on each throughout the summer. The same number of cultivations were given in each case. In the fall the corn was picked from each acre and weighed. The yield was as follows:

Method of cultivation	Yield per acre
Deep cultivation	[illegible] bushels
Shallow cultivation	[illegible] bushels
Shallow cultivation	[illegible] bushels
Shallow cultivation	69 bushels

The land receiving shallow cultivation was stirred to a depth of three inches, that receiving deep cultivation to a depth of six inches. Shallow cultivation for corn possesses two advantages over the other method. In the first place, by stirring the soil to a depth of only three inches the air does not penetrate so deeply, and it does not dry out to such a depth. A study of the roots of the corn plant shows that many of them would naturally grow within three or four inches of the surface, but when the upper layer of soil is dry they cannot obtain any nourishment from this portion of the ground.

Another injury to the corn crop from deep cultivation is the tearing out of the roots by the deep tooth cultivators. By pruning these roots the industry of the plant to secure nourishment is greatly hindered and the crop injured thereby. It is very important that the cultivation should be sufficiently frequent to prevent a hard crust from remaining on the ground any length of time.—Farm, Stock and Home.

By the [illegible]

The funny man [illegible] stage with a huge red handkerchief before his face.

"What's the trouble, Percy?" inquires the orchestra professor.

"It's that awful hay-fever. Gussie pays me right, too."

"How does it pay you right, Percy?"

"Why, I went and married a grass widow."

Then the thunder of the gallery gods vibrates through the house.

The Colonel Collapsed.

At Devonport a soldier was brought before the commanding officer for selling part of his kit, when the following dialogue took place:

Colonel—Now Private Murphy, why did you sell your boots?

Private Murphy—I'd worn em for two years, sorr, and thought they were my own property.

Colonel—Nothing of the sort, sir These boots belong to the queen.

Private Murphy—I'm sure I'm sorry sorr but I didn't know the lady took twelves." (Collapse of colonel).—Tit Bits.

Sauce.

Hawker—Good morning, mum; any pins, tapes, needles, cottons or buttons I can show you?

Miss Eldersere—Not to-day, my man. Go away.

Hawker—Any pipe cleaners, boot laces or collar studs for your husband mum?

Miss Eldersere—Go away. I tell you, I haven't got a husband.

Hawker (cheerfully, as he departs)—Ain't yer miss? Well, don't take it too much to 'eart; while there's life there's 'ope.—Ally Sloper.

His Parting Shot.

"Marry you?" scornfully exclaimed the young woman. "No—not if you were the last man on earth! I'll never marry a 306-pounder with a No. 14 foot and a hand like a split ham!"

"I perceive, Miss Flyppe," rejoined the overgrown young man, his entire frame trembling with indignation, "that you are not only wasp-waisted, but you can sting!"

And he went away, not wholly crushed.—Chicago Tribune.

His Idea.

Little Willy—Pa, what is a bigamist?

Papa—A bigamist, my son, is a man who has more wives than the law provides.

Little Willy—Why, pa, I didn't know that the law provided a man with any wives at all; I thought he had to go out and hustle one for himself if he wanted her?—Puck.

Sure of Himself.

She laid her head against his breast and looked fondly up into his eyes.

"Alfred," she sighed, "are you sure that you will always love me as you do now?"

"Yes," he replied. I am sure. "Your father has promised to endow no colleges and he hasn't an expensive hobby of any kind."—Chicago Daily News.

The Woman Question.

Perry Patettic—Wonder why women always is so much better lookin' than men?

Wayworn Watson—Look at the trouble they take. Most any woman washes her face every day, jist fer looks.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

His Reason.

Customer—Tell me, waiter, why do you only recommend stewed tripe today. Is it so excellent?

Waiter (confidentially)—No, it isn't even fresh, but if there's anything left we have to eat it.—N. Y. World.

Shocking.

"Mamma, what bad manners Mrs. Busybody must have!"

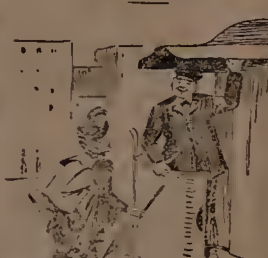
"Why?"

"Why, I heard Aunt Jane say she wants to have her finger in everybody's pie."—Brooklyn Life.

Our National Birds.

The eagle may lead us in battle
And soar where the victory starts;
But, unto his sorrow, the turkey
Gets very much closer our hearts.
—Judge.

AN OPTIMIST.



"Why didn't you stop the car? You saw me wave my hand to you."

"Oh I thought you were throwing me a kiss."—Das Kleine Witzblatt.

He Knew It.

The Good Man—Do you know that there are breakers ahead of you?

The Wicked One—Ye—hic—yes I 'spose my—hic—wife and her mother'll break my—hic—head when I git home.—Chicago Daily News.

A Lawyer's Suits.

A lawyer can afford to dress well if he has [illegible] law suits on hand.—Chicago Daily News.

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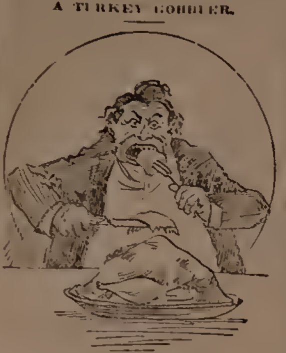
Ready for all that might befall, the female detective prepared to venture forth on the track of the desperate criminal. At the threshold she paused and cast one more look back.

"Is my disguise on straight?" she asked.—Philadelphia North American.

A TURKEY GOBBLER.



—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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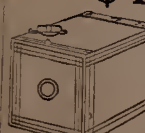

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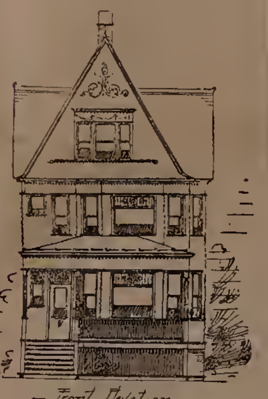
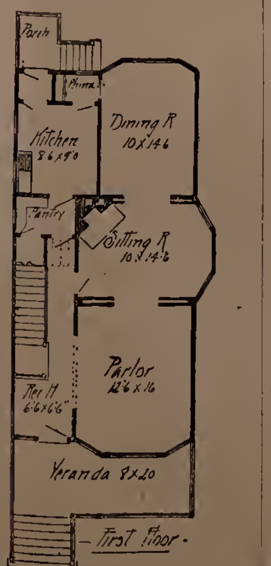


—Front Elevation—

Sliding doors are used between parlor and sitting-room and between sitting-room and dining-room. The kitchen is fitted with a white porcelain-lined sink, maple floor, fuel gas outlets, wainscoting, speaking tubes and electric bells leading to front and rear doors, bath room and front chamber. The first and second story have double floors with felt paper between rough and finished floors.



—First Floor.

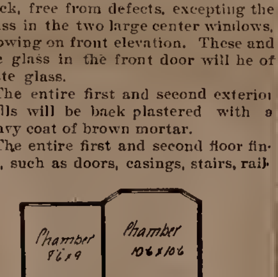
All plastering is two-coat work—the first coat a rough brown mortar coat and the second a finishing coat, a plaster of Paris hard finish, or putty coat.

All exterior painting is three-coat work, excepting the roof and veranda floors, including steps. The roof on the main part of the building and veranda roof shingles will receive one brush coat of olive green paint. The veranda floor and steps will receive four coats of the best paint for floor purposes, having tongues and grooves well leaded at the time the floor is laid. The finishing coat of paint for the exterior part of the building will be a terra cotta color, with white trimmings. The brick used for face of the chimney is of a buff color, press brick chimney capped with stone.

The down spouts, flashing and gutters are of galvanized iron. Art glass is used when shown on front elevation; all other glass is American, double thick, free from defects, excepting the glass in the two large center windows, showing on front elevation. These and the glass in the front door will be of plate glass.

The entire first and second exterior walls will be back plastered with a heavy coat of brown mortar.

The entire first and second floor finish, such as doors, casings, stairs, railing, newel posts, banisters and base boards is of Georgia pine, all prepared for oil finish.



—Second Floor—

The outside of the building is sheathed with fence flooring and is covered with two thicknesses of tar paper, over which the finished siding is placed.

The studding are 2x4 inches placed 16 inches on centers; joist 2x10 inches; roof rafters 2x6 inches.

The foundation wall is built with rubble stone 16 inches thick.

Height of basement is 7 feet; first story 9½ feet, second story 9 feet.

The carving shown is of composition. Suitable hardware is used throughout the building. The attic is floored with fence flooring.

The doors are all five cross panel doors, 2 feet 8 inches wide by 7 feet high; front and rear doors are 3 feet 2 inches wide by 7 feet high.

The entire house is piped for gas and furnace.

The shingles used on roof are cedar. Wood mantel, mirror above tile facing and hearth.

This residence upon the ground is 28 feet front by 40 feet depth, and is suitable for a 25-foot lot.

The price stated fully covers the cost for good, substantial material and the best labor. The building when completed must be ready for occupancy, having been scrubbed out, windows cleaned and all work thoroughly finished.

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A Simple Thing.

Belle—How did you find out the name of Maude's new beau?

Leno—I gave her my new pen to try

ELECTRICAL TERMS.

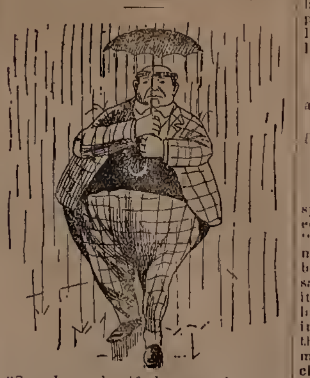
They Are Simple Enough, Says an Authority, Once You Get the Hang of Them.

A consulting electrical engineer, who was asked to put one of the less common electrical terms in plain language, said: "I am frequently resorted to for just such explanations, and nothing surprises me more than the haziness which still exists in the minds of even intelligent folks in regard to the simplest electrical terms. To most people the electrical units are still mere Greek, and comparatively few go to the trouble to take hold of the more common of them, such as 'volt,' 'ampere,' 'resistance,' 'electro-motive force,' etc., and fix their meaning, once for all, in the mind. A man who knows me only by reputation wrote to me the other day that he had done this with much satisfaction to himself, as he has now a far more intelligent idea of electrical doings than he had before. But still, he said, from time to time some electrical words creep into the daily press, which conveyed nothing to him. He mentioned as one of these, the term 'watt hour.' Now, this is quite simple. The watt is the unit of electric power. It means the power developed when 44.25 foot-pounds of work are done per minute, or .7375 foot-pounds per second. A foot-pound is the amount of work required to raise one pound vertically through a distance of one foot. When this is figured down so as to be defined in 'horse-power,' which is understood by every one, it can offer no difficulty, and if anyone to whom the word watt is puzzling will remember that a watt is the 1-746th of a horse-power he will have no more uncertainty about it. Having gotten so far, it is an easy gradation to the 'watt hour,' which is the term employed to indicate the expenditure of an electrical power of one watt for an hour. In other words, the energy represented by a watt hour is equal to that expended in raising a pound to a height of 2,654 feet. An even easier way of fixing it is to remember that two watt hours correspond almost exactly to raising a pound to a height of one mile. The understanding of such terms opens out some very curious facts to the uninitiated. For instance, a certain dry battery, weighing 6.38 pounds was known to yield 130 watt hours. If this force were applied to raising the battery itself, it would lift it to a height of over ten miles. Again, in one hour the energy translated in an ordinary 16 candle-power lamp weighing about an ounce would raise that lamp to a height of 400 miles at a velocity of nearly seven miles per minute. Yes, it pays a man to expend a little pains on mastering the ordinary electrical terms."

Extremes.

Full many a twist of phrase and word
 The English tongue has got for us,
For we always think the world is cold
 When it makes a place too hot for us
—Judge.

A NATURAL REFLECTION.



"Say, I wonder if the man that gave me this umbrella last week had anything against me."—N. Y. World.

Sunlight and Health.

Sunlight, says the Lancet, has a well-known effect upon the life of pathogenic organisms. Direct sunlight will kill tubercle bacilli in a few hours or perhaps in a few minutes; whereas they will live for days if exposed to a very strong diffused daylight. The exhilarating effect of a burst of sunshine in the spring is probably not due to mere luminosity, but to an increased actinic action, a chemical action which we cannot very well explain, but which everyone feels. In estimating, therefore, the value of a health resort, the amount of this actinic value in the sunshine ought to be taken into account, no less than the number of days upon which the sun shines during the month

GAMBLER'S FEVER.

When Men Have It They Can Utilize Almost Anything to Satisfy Their Desire for Game.

"If a man's naturally inclined to gamble you can't keep him from gambling," said a floor walker to a Times-Democrat man, the other day in a big dry goods house.

"Yesterday afternoon," he continued, "two sporty looking men were sitting in front of that notion counter over there waiting for their wives to get through shopping. The top of our stools, if you will notice, revolve on a pivot and have a row of brass tacks around the edge.

"Well, sir, one of the sporty men took out a pencil while he was waiting and marked a number opposite each tack on the stool next to where he sat. 'Here's a pretty good wheel,' he said to the other. 'How would you like to make a little play against it?' The other man fished out a wad of bills, quick as a wink, and they went to playing right before the women and everybody. I was so shocked and surprised I didn't know what to do.

"The man that started the thing would give the stool a twirl and then they would watch and see what number came opposite a tackhead in the counter. If the other fellow called it right he paid twelve for one, and in less than five minutes half the clerks in this end of the store were edging up to watch the game.

"I must admit it was pretty exciting, and I was just wondering how I could break it up without giving offense, when along came a big fat woman and planked herself down on top of the stool. The sporty men tried to get her to move, but she wouldn't do it, and while they were hunting for a vacant stool that revolved easy, so as to make another lay-out, their wives got through and carried them away.

"It's just as I tell you—if a man wants to gamble he's bound to find some way to do it.

"But that's the first time we ever had a roulette department in this store."—N. O. Times-Democrat.

His Life Work.

Lady—Go away, you horrid tramp!

Tramp—Kind lady, you misjudge me. I ain't no tramp. I'm a collector.

Lady—A collector?

Tramp—Yes, marm. De world owes me a livin', an' I'm tryin' ter collect it —N. Y. Journal.

Surprised.

"This matrimonial rumor is very extraordinary!" exclaimed Miss Cayenne.

"Why, there are a great many of them."

"Yes. But this one seems to be true."

Did the Right Thing.

Sharon Heights, Mass., May 11, 1900 — Miss Alice Knowlton, P. O. Box 15, at this place, who has been troubled with pimples breaking out on her face, has been taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which has relieved her of this trouble and made her feel much better. Thousands of people take this medicine in the spring. It is America's Greatest Blood Medicine. It cures all blood diseases

A Hint.

"With your permission I will light a cigar."

"Ah, must you be going so soon?"—Heitere Welt.

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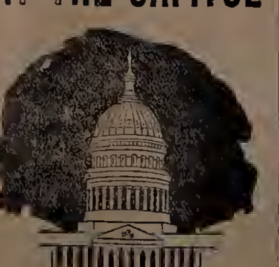
Artist—That is conclusive evidence that it is a work of art.—N. Y. Journal.

A Frequent Disappointment.

I asked my friend for good advice,
 My action now I sorely rue,
For he advised—it wasn't nice—
 Just what I didn't wish to do.
—Washington Star.

THE RESTAURANT AT THE CAPITOL



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To live on, even when life seems all a failure and the comfort of life is gone, to count patient living the real thing, with or without comfort—that is to be truly brave.—Phillips Brooks.

To continual watchfulness and prayer ought to be added continual employment. For grace fills a vacuum as well as nature, and the devil fills whatever God does not fill.—John Wesley.

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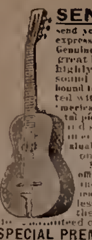

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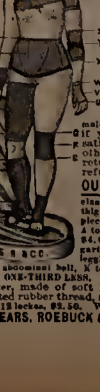

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WRENTHAM.

Daniel Brown and daughter Grace have been visiting relatives in Worcester.——Tuesday afternoon the Holly club was entertained by Miss A. Smith and Mrs. Elbridge J. Whitaker at one of the club houses at Archer's pond and the officers for the coming year were elected.——The recent frost ruined the peach crop in town, Daniel Brown alone losing 1,000 bushels, while various other citizens also lost heavily.——Owing to a request made at the annual town meeting calling for an itemized account of the $100 appropriated to the G. A. R post at Plainville the post this year voted not to accept the money. There will, therefore, be no music or marching on Memorial day.——William Smith will go into farming quite extensively this season and will plant 10 acres of potatoes and six of corn. His farming tools are all of modern make. The machine for dropping potatoes makes the furrow, drops both the fertilizer and potato and covers them up.

PUMPKINS FOR HOGS.

Estimates as to Their Value Based on Experiments Conducted at the Oregon Station.

We did not think pumpkins as valuable for feeding to hogs as we did to cattle, but when they were plenty the hogs had some every day, for we could not keep them late in the winter. We never cooked them unless to throw in a few when boiling small potatoes or other roots for the hogs, as we thought them too watery when boiled, and they seemed to be relished better when given raw. We notice in a bulletin sent out by the Oregon Experiment station that they tested pumpkins for hogs weighing 140 to 200 pounds each for four periods of 14 days each. The pumpkins were cooked with shorts. For the first two weeks it took 15.43 pounds of pumpkins and 2.12 pounds of shorts to make a pound of gain. The next two weeks it took 14.95 pounds of pumpkins and 1.3 pounds of shorts. In the third period 14.39 pounds of the pumpkin and 1.79 pounds shorts, and for the last two weeks 14.46 pounds of pumpkins and 2.54 pounds of shorts. The average gain for each hog during the whole time was about 1½ pounds per day, and counting pumpkins at $2.50 a ton and shorts at $12 the cost per pound of gain was 2.9 cents. This may have been cheap enough, but we think it could have been made cheaper upon raw pumpkins, and by using a little more shorts, or perhaps a mixture of equal parts of cornmeal and shorts. After a hog weighs 200 pounds alive we are not afraid to give him as much cornmeal as he will eat until we get him fat enough to kill. They tried to increase the amount of pumpkin and reduce the amount of shorts, but the pigs objected, and, as will be seen above, they had to increase the proportion of shorts. We never tested pumpkins for sheep feeding, but have no doubt they would work excellently well. We never removed the seeds when feeding them and never saw that they were doing any injury to either cattle or hogs.—American Cultivator.

Thanksgiving.

The pessimist may still be glad
  When dinner's served in jovial state:
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  Upon the turkey's hapless fate.

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A gentleman travelling through the mountains of western North Carolina, recently, tells the following story on himself: Having heard that tea was not much used in this part of the country, the traveler provided himself with a pound of his favorite brand, thinking to have a cup prepared at his various stopping places. His first experience, however, was his last—the entire pound of tea being served to him in a vegetable dish, together with a lump of home-smoked pork which had been boiled with it!—N. Y. Truth.

Taking Sides.

"A woman always seems to take sides against her own sex," remarked the man who affects great wisdom.

"Yes," answered Mrs. Meekton. "It's invariably the case. I was reading an account of a man who beat his wife aloud to Henrietta this morning. She said it was the woman's own fault; that she ought to have known how to train her husband better."—Washington Star.

Source of His Knowledge.

Tibbs—Yes, sir, it is mighty hard to collect money just now; I know it.

Gibbs—Indeed? Have you tried to collect and failed?

Tibbs—Oh, no.

Gibbs—How, then, do you know that it is hard to collect?

Tibbs—Because several people have tried to collect of me.—Illustrated American.

Disinterested Advice.

Mr. Buyer—Mr. Green, there seems to be something serious the matter with the horse I bought of you yesterday. He coughs and wheezes distressingly, and I think perhaps he is wind-broken. What would you advise me to do?

Jay Green (promptly)—Sell him as quickly as you can; jes' like I did.—Tit-Bits.

She Was Interested.

Little Ethel—Mamma, I wish you'd wash Willie Prettie's face.

Mamma—The idea! He's a neighbor's little boy. I have nothing to do with him.

Little Ethel—But I have. We've become engaged, an' I want to kiss him.—Tit-Bits.

Amiability Explained.

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Like frolics of childhood too pleasant to last.
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Little Charles—Sister told mamma yesterday you was born to be a politician.

Mr. Skimpley—A politician? I wonder why she thinks so.

Little Charles—She says you can do so much talkin' without committin' yourself.—Chicago Times-Herald.

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"Yes," said the benevolent man, "I thank heaven for my happy disposition. I am satisfied with what the day brings forth, and quickly forget the pain and trouble that has passed."

"Ah!" replied the physician, "that explains your overlooking my little bill."—Catholic Standard and Times.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Edwin J. Fairbank, Jr., to Abner Chute, dated December 21, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 752, folio 233, will be sold at public auction upon the premises, on

SATURDAY, the SECOND day of JUNE, 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, the said premises being described in said mortgage deed as follows, viz.:

A certain parcel of land situated easterly of Union street, in Millis, commonwealth of Massachusetts, being lot 111 on a "Plan of building lots in Millis, Mass., owned by Helen E. Van Kleeck Oct. 13, 1893, Geo. A. Kimball, civil engineer," recorded with Norfolk Deeds, containing according to said plan 6484 square feet, and bounded as follows. Beginning at the southeasterly corner of said lot, at land now or formerly of Timothy Bullard and at a point 43.64 feet west of the westerly line of a proposed street 40 feet wide, as shown on said plan; thence running westerly by said land formerly of Timothy Bullard 50.14 feet to a corner; thence in a straight line a little west of northerly by lot 110 on said plan 128.03 feet to the southerly line of a proposed street 40 feet wide, as shown on said plan; thence in a direction a little north of easterly by the southerly line of said proposed street which leads easterly from Union street 50 feet to the northwesterly corner of lot 112 on said plan; thence in a direction a little east of southerly by lot 112 on said plan 131.75 feet to the point of beginning; together with a right to use for all the purposes for which public streets are ordinarily used all the streets laid down on said plan.

ELLA E. MORSE,
Assignee of said mortgage.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the will of Mary Sullivan, sometimes called Maria Sullivan, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
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May 8, 1900. my8,15,22

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ANNUAL STATEMENT JANY. 1, 1900.

Assets	$126,810,728.45
Liabilities	121,[illegible]30.71
Surplus	5,531,097.74
Insurance in force	$497,006,125.00

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Patrick Hart to the Medway Savings Bank, a corporation duly established in Medway, in the county of Norfolk, by the laws of Massachusetts, dated May 14, 1891, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 654, folio 554, and by the said Medway Savings Bank assigned said mortgage deed to Peter Hart, dated May 7, 1900, recorded in Norfolk county deeds, for a breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed, will be sold on the premises in Medway, in said Norfolk county, in said Massachusetts, at public auction, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 8, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed. Excepting such lots as have been released under this mortgage deed by said Medway Savings Bank, and known as lots Nos. 50, 60, 71 and 72 on plan of farm plots of the Boston Agricultural City Co. drawn by H. S. Partridge, April 16, 1896, to which reference may be had.

All that certain lot or tract of land situate in said Medway, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the Medway branch railroad bridge on Charles river; thence running southerly on said river ten (10) rods and fifteen (15) links to land formerly of Aaron L. White; thence southwesterly on said White's land to a stone bound; thence running northwesterly across the open plain on a line parallel with the line of said railroad to the Franklin road, so called, bounding on the west by land formerly of Bucknam and Rayner; thence running northeasterly on said Franklin road to the line of the railroad aforesaid (excepting heretofore a house lot of forty and five-tenths (40 5-10) rods conveyed to Edward Eaton, lying near to said railroad); thence southeasterly on said railroad to Charles river aforesaid. Together with all the rights and privileges of water and otherwise belonging to said premises, together with all improvements on said estate, same as described in deed to me from John J. Raynor, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 546, fol. 605.

Also another tract of land in said Medway, and in Franklin, in said county of Norfolk, near to Medway village, so called, containing about thirty (30) acres, be the same more or less, and bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at a point where a town road crosses the old Medway branch railroad; thence running southerly on said road to land formerly of Aaron L. White; thence running southwesterly and bounded southeasterly by said White's land to land sold by Pierce and Ammidown to Edward Eaton; thence continuing to run southwesterly on said Eaton's land (formerly) seventy-three (73) rods and nine (9) links to land formerly of Clark Walker; thence continuing westerly on said Walker's land ten (10) rods and twenty-one and a half (21 1-2) links to a bound; thence continuing to run on said Walker's land westerly ten (10) rods and twenty-one and a half links more to land formerly of Pierce and Ammidown; thence running northerly on Pierce and Ammidown's land twenty-five (25) rods to a bound on other land formerly of said Pierce and Ammidown; thence running easterly fifteen (15) rods and fifteen (15) links on the land last mentioned to a street or way reserved for passage to other parcels of land conveyed by Bucknam and Rayner; thence running northerly on the west line of said street and bounded westerly by land formerly of said Pierce and Ammidown twelve (12) rods and seven (7) links to land formerly of Mrs. Adeline Fuller; thence on Mrs. Fuller's land twelve (12) rods and two and a half (2 1-2) links to a house and lot (since conveyed) of Pierce and Ammidown; thence on said lot five (5) rods and twenty-four and a half (24 1-2) links to land formerly of said Pierce and Ammidown; thence on said last named land to the Franklin road, so called, twenty-eight (28) rods and twenty-four and a half (24 1-2) links; thence running northeasterly on said Franklin road to the line of the old Medway Branch Railroad Company fifty-six (56) rods and six (6) links; excepting therefrom a lot of land containing forty rods and five-tenths (40 5-10) near the said railroad, sold by Bucknam and Rayner to Edward Eaton, as by his deed will appear; thence running southeasterly on land of said railroad company to the town road aforesaid; subject to the reservations contained in deed of said Pierce and Ammidown see Norfolk Deeds, libro 392, fol. 58, and also plan of various lots drawn by J. C. Lovering in June, 1860.

Also one other tract of land in said Medway, described in a previous mortgage from grantor to grantee. (See Norfolk Registry of Deeds, libro 480, folio 281.

Terms given at time and place of sale.

PETER HART,
Assignee of said mortgagee.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Patrick Hart to the Medway Savings Bank, a corporation duly established in Medway, in the County of Norfolk, by the laws of Massachusetts, dated June 14, 1876, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 480, folio 281, and by the said Medway Savings bank assigned said mortgage deed to Peter Hart, dated May 7, 1900, recorded in Norfolk County Deeds, for a breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed will be sold on the premises in Medway, in said Norfolk county, in said Massachusetts, at public auction, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 8, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

A certain tract of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Medway and bounded and described as follows. Beginning at an elm tree on the southerly side or bank of the water course or canal below the batting mill of Eaton & Wilson, thence in a straight line in a southeasterly direction to land of said Eaton & Wilson one hundred (100) feet more or less to a stake and stones which is fifty (50) feet southerly from said canal, in the northerly line of said Eaton & Wilson's land; thence southerly on said Eaton & Wilson's land eighty-four and a half (84 1-2) feet more or less to a stake and stones at a corner; thence westerly on said Eaton & Wilson's land one hundred and seventy (170) feet more or less to Populatic street; thence southeasterly by a varying line around the engine house upon said street, and land formerly of the Medway Branch Railroad Co. to Charles river, near the railroad bridge over said river; thence in a general northwesterly course by said river to the place of beginning at the elm tree; said tract containing ten (10) acres more or less, and was conveyed to said grantor by Edward Eaton and M. M. Fisher and was a part of the Clark Walker farm. Terms given at time and place of sale.

PETER HART,
Assignee of said mortgage.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
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West and South	5.10 "
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Boston and East	6.40 "
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MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.
Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Milford is now a next-door neighbor.

The Franklin National bank is to have a new sign.

It's about time base ball "got a move on" in town.

Have you got your glass already smoked for the eclipse?

Henry Byrnes is quite ill at his home on Cottage street.

Dr. Randall will be out of town every day after 2 p. m. until June 1st.

Miss Nellie Razee has returned from a visit with friends in Cumberland.

The Ramblers will play the Giants of Blackstone here tomorrow afternoon.

Tuesday the roadmen were engaged on Alpine, Crescent and School streets.

George H. Grant is changing the color of his house with the help of the painters.

The Dean and Roxbury High teams will meet on the campus tomorrow afternoon.

A. B. Fletcher's house and C. E. Johnson's house on Main street are being painted.

Mrs. George W. Harvey of Gloucester is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles L. Stewart.

Artist H. H. Gallison of Boston is in town today, visiting his cousin, Dr. J. C. Gallison.

Mrs. Joanna Russell and daughter Mary of Dorchester are the guests of Mrs. Erbin Holmes.

The Heliotype and Trowbridge teams will meet on the Indian Rock park diamond tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Ethel Clark, who has been staying here a number of weeks, left on Thursday for her home in Philadelphia.

Holy communion will be celebrated for St. John's mission at the rectory Sunday morning next, at 8 o'clock.

E. H. Rathbun has just been elected one of the committee of investment of the Woonsocket Institution for Savings.

Fisher, the candy man, is moving into the store vacated by the Providence Clothing company in Metcalf's block.

Officers for the ensuing year will be nominated at the regular meeting of Ladies' Auxiliary, A.O.H., this evening.

A number of the Masonic fraternity went to Woonsocket last evening and were hospitably entertained by the local lodge there.

The Feast of the Ascension was observed at St. Mary's chapel yesterday morning, masses being celebrated at 5 and 8 a. m.

A class of 25 children will receive holy communion for the first time at the 9 o'clock mass in St. Mary's chapel Sunday morning.

Miss H. R. Easton, who has been the guest of Mrs. Moses Farnum the past ten days, returned to her home in Nantucket yesterday.

Local bicycle dealers tell us that about the only wheels that are selling are those that run at about $25. The season is opening very slowly.

Mrs. Edward Geb and child of Boston, who have been guests of Mrs. Jacob Geb and Mrs. John Geb the past week, returned home Monday.

There was no decoration of graves at Norfolk last Sunday, merely memorial services. The decorations do not occur until May 30, as usual.

There will be a prayer meeting at the almshouse Sunday afternoon, at 4 o'clock under the auspices of the Baptist Young People's union.

The family of Isaac Marks removed to Manchester, Conn., today, where he removed the business of the Providence Clothing company last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Stewart arrived home from Vermont yesterday. His sister died last week Wednesday, the funeral occurring on Saturday.

A number of new telephones will shortly be put in, among them being L. W. Millikin, George W. Wiggin, George E. Duffy, and others are expected.

H. W. and C. H. Gay have returned to Franklin for the summer. They purchased a restaurant in Boston, but found the work too confining and arduous.

The president on Tuesday appointed Henry A. Talbot postmaster in place of Matthew F. Conroy, subject to the approval of the senate, which is a foregone conclusion.

The violin solo and accompaniments at the Universalist church last Sunday morning and afternoon, and the singing by Miss Phillips, were very much enjoyed by the audience.

Mrs. I. W. Sneath gave a Bible reading before the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. in Cambridge last week. A large number of her Cambridge friends were present to hear her.

Mrs. L. J. Cronkhite sang very sweetly "Your Misson," Lincoln's favorate song, at the prayer meeting of the Congregational church last evening. She has a remarkably sweet voice.

Mrs. Harriet Walker of Los Angeles, Cal., has been a guest at Dr. J. C. Gallison's this week. She is a niece of the famous Kimball brothers, the well-known carriage manufacturers.

A very interesting sight can be witnessed each evening at the Congregational church, when at about 7.15 o'clock 500 or more swallows enter the large ventilating chimney for the night.

The union temperance meeting will be held on Sunday evening, at 7.30 o'clock, in the Congregational church, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath will speak upon "The South Carolina Dispensary System or No License."

The members of Franklin W. R. C. will meet in the vestry of the Baptist church next Sunday morning, at 10.15 o'clock instead of at G. A. R. hall. Will form in line with Post 60 when they arrive at the church.

Mrs. Melvin Sanborn, who has spent a year and a half South for her health, has returned much improved and will spend some weeks here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Marston Sanborn. Her daughter, Miss Ethel, is also with her.

Mrs. C. C. Burnett, whose husband, the superintendent of the Worcester division of the New Haven road, died recently, has gone to Pinewood farm in Bellingham and will shortly be joined by her father, E. P. Mason, of Providence.

The poem in another column, "A Bright Tomorrow," was written by a lady 76 years old and whose relatives have almost all been taken to the heavenly world. It is a gem of plaintive poetry, showing that she has not lost her finest thought power in her old age.

Mrs. C. E. Kemp and daughter Adelaide left at 6 p. m. Wednesday from Charlestown on the New England for Southport, England, where she will remain about a month, and from thence to Manchester, paying a visit to her sister, who was here a year ago. They will return about Sept. 1.

The scholars of the High school have started a fund for the benefit of the High school base ball team. The money thus contributed will be used to pay the expenses of games, and if any of the citizens of Franklin wish to help the team along George Estey, chairman of the fund committee, will be pleased to hear from them.

There has been a good deal of discussion over Edwin Markham's poem, "The Man With the Hoe," and much difference of opinion as to just what he teaches by it. Does he think labor degrading? Has man degenerated under it? These are some of the questions it suggests. Dr. Hodge's interpretation will be given Sunday morning.

It is hoped that every member of the Alden club who can be present will feel it her duty to attend the last meeting of the year next Monday evening. Important business is on hand. An interesting "History of the Club" will be read and a cordial fraternal social hour enjoyed before parting for the summer vacation. Members are requested to bring pencils.

Dean scored a victory in the contest with the Brown Sophomore team on the campus Wednesday afternoon, 14 to 10. The academy boys won the game by superior all round work and had their opponents practically beaten from the second inning. While both pitchers were hit freely, Jenness had by far the best of it, being very effective when men were on bases.

Archdeacon Babcock of the archdeaconry of New Bedford made a visitation to the missions in Franklin and Medway yesterday and was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Miner. His visit was for the purpose of looking over the ground in reference to the structure for St. John's mission soon to be built. In Medway he inspected the parish house now under construction.

The doors of G. A. R. hall will be opened next Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock to receive flowers. Will the school children help gather them for us as in former years? All members of the W. R. C. that can be present to render assistance will be welcome. Let us stand ready with willing hearts and hands to render the comrades every assistance they may require of us on Memorial day.

Scores of Franklinites will be on the watch next Monday morning for the eclipse, which will be partially visible here. The time of total eclipse is very short, only one minute and twenty-six seconds at Norfolk, Va. The first contact, or beginning, of the partial phase will be at 7.41 eastern standard time, at Norfolk; totality will begin at 8.52; last contact, or the close of the eclipse, will occur at 10.12. If it is a good day it will be viewed by millions.

Mrs. Harry Spence, after a protracted sickness with bronchitis, died at her late home on Summer street at an early hour this morning. Mrs. Spence was a devout and consistent member of St. Mary's church and was esteemed by a large circle of friends, who regret her passing away. She leaves a husband, four sons and four daughters. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from St. Mary's chapel.

Franklin Prohibitionists should remember that their national convention is to be held in Chicago next week. The delegates at large from this state will be Edward Kendall of Cambridge, Alfred W. Richardson of Springfield, Frank M. Forbush of Newton and Rev. Charles A. Crane of Boston; alternates, John Bascom of Williamstown, N. B. Johnson of Milford, Hubbard Lawrence of Palmer and George D. Crittenden of Buckland.

The saying of Abraham Lincoln that "you may deceive all the people part of the time and part of the people all the time, but not all the people all the time," is applicable to business as well as to political affairs. You can get a little custom without advertising by selling the best commodities; you can get some custom by advertising though your goods be bad. But you can get much custom by advertising persistently, selling only the best goods and treating the public well. Try the SENTINEL and be convinced.

The Norwood Advertiser of May 18 has the following pleasant mention: "Last Sunday we were favored by Mrs. Lettie J. Cronkhite of Little Falls, N. Y., who sang three selections. She has a pleasing and sympathetic mezzo contralto voice which lends itself to gospel music with very good effect." Mrs. Cronkhite will sing at the Young People's meeting at the Baptist church next Sunday evening. She is stopping at Mrs. Henry Phelps, Cottage street, and is placing agents for the Abner Royce Laboratory, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Work is rapidly progressing on the Medway and Franklin street railroad. A steam drilling machine has arrived and is used in connection with the blasting of many big rocks which are directly on the route of the railroad. The tracks are all laid up to the meadow this side of S. C. Bourne's, and the poles are along the roadway, with the holes already dug. Linemen will follow stringing wires as soon as the roadmen are out of the way. The work is being pushed, the only delay being the ledge just above Mr. Bourne's house, which is requiring a good deal of attention.

Ivers S. Paine, a former Franklin boy, has just contributed an interesting criticism upon the Van Dyck portrait of Baby Stuart, one of the children of Charles the First, for the Out and About column of the Worcester Spy. He closes as follows: "Looking on the face of this chubby, guileless baby in his cap, we forget Scotland's reign of terror, Monmouth's bloody tomb, the inhuman Jeffreys and Boyne's crimson waters. It is a merciful provision that truth, innocence and beauty only are truly immortal. In our best moments we are one with Jean Paul Richter when he said: 'I love God and little children.'"

Nothing has been done as yet in regard to the enforcement in Franklin of the curfew, as the by law passed by the town must first be approved by a judge of the superior court. Milford appears to have struck a snag, and if the objection holds good the law may strike similar snags in other places. Judge Gaskill of the superior court seems to question the constitutionality of the Milford law and isn't satisfied that there is any statute on which to base such a regulation. To say that the people of Milford are surprised is only stating a fact that is very patent, as it was the same law applying there as found approval in Natick by another judge. These judges ought to get together.

The gentlemen who are interested in the formation of a base ball association in town discussed the matter pro and con at the office of P. A. Woodward on Wednesday evening, but deferred action for the present as to organizing. The prevailing opinion among those present appeared to be that unless Milford has a good team in the field this season and without the co-operation of the street railway company in the matter of improving the ball grounds and taking an interest in the proposed association it would not be a wise move to attempt to carry out the scheme. A committee will confer with the company in reference to receiving support and in the meantime it will be definitely ascertained whether Milford is to have a team.

The ladies of the Congregational church provided a most pleasing affair on Wednesday evening, attracting a large number. There was an entertainment in the chapel, consisting of music by Mann's orchestra, readings by Miss Caroline Rockwood, a piano duet by Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Johnson, and a recital by Master Ernest Abbott. After the entertainment the banquet room below was opened, and was speedily filled by those desiring ice cream, strawberries, cake, candy, etc., everything meeting with ready sale. In addition to this there were various articles suspended from strings, and a small fee was charged for the privilege of cutting a string and becoming possessor of the package. This was a novelty and was also successful. A generous sum will be netted, which will be devoted to the building of the veranda at the parsonage.

Tuesday a brisk fire started near the residence of Reed Newell on Washington street and near the line of the Providence branch railroad, and burned through to King street before it was under control. About the same time a fire started near the railroad and near the line between Franklin and Wrentham, burning over a large tract toward the West Wrentham depot. Notwithstanding the recent rains, the fire made rapid progress and swept everything in its path. There were a considerable number of men in the vicinity and they responded to the alarm, doing what they could to stay the progress of the blaze. It is supposed the fires started from engine sparks. The number of forest fires the present season has been much larger than last year and the territory burned over is larger. There is good reason to suppose that some of them could have been avoided by the exercise of due care.

Mrs. Frances Woodford of Boston has been in town making an appeal for aid for poor, sickly and neglected children, representing the children's health fund, which is incorporated under the laws of the commonwealth It aids poor, sickly and neglected children throughout the state of Massachusetts, rescues children from unhappy homes and provides for little ones when parents are unable to on account of misfortune. Such are boarded in private families until parents are in a position to care for them, or until permanent homes are secured. In many instances legal guardianship is secured. Children are aided in their own homes, as far as possible, in order to keep the families together, and thus save the little ones from becoming dependent upon charity. The work is non-sectarian and is supported solely by voluntary contributions. Contributions may be sent to the Children's Health Fund, 36 Bromfield street, Boston, Mass.

Off to Porto Rico?

Among the Washington correspondence of the Boston Advertiser yesterday was the following:

"It is said that Dr. Gallison of Franklin, who was a passive candidate for the postmastership of that place, may be called upon to serve the government in some responsible position in Porto Rico under Gov. Allen."

We violate no confidence when we say that the doctor is at present in correspondence with Secretary of State Hay and Mr. Cortelyou, private secretary to President McKinley, in regard to the matter, although he has absolutely no idea of the nature of the work which such an appointment might entail.

Fresh Lobsters.

Our lobsters are boiled fresh every Saturday morning and received here at 4.30 p. m. Also asparagus, string beans, spinach, dandelions, radishes, lettuce, rhubarb, cucumbers, Bermuda onions; fresh killed fowls, lamb, veal, pork, choice beef, and as a delicacy we have Van Camp's celebrated concentrated soups of all kinds. Try them. Also the Brunswick canned goods.

EMERSON'S MARKET.

Beautiful Flowers.

Mrs. King's plant sale is now on in Crowninshield's store. See the display.

Those in search of bargains in household furniture, store goods, etc., should remember the E. B. Guild auction in City Mills on Saturday, at 1 o'clock.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Electrics to Milford.

The first electric car into North Bellingham was run Wednesday afternoon. It started at 4.30 from Bellingham Four Corners and made the trip to the railroad crossing at the North Bellingham depot, a distance of about three miles, in a little over twenty minutes. The car was in charge of Supt. H. M. Young, with Charles Rogers, superintendent of overhead construction of the M., A. & W., on the rear platform.

President George W. Wiggin and Treasurer E. K. Ray of the M., A. & W. Co., Selectman Henry A. Whitney of Bellingham, Miss Ray and Miss Irwin, Mr. Ray's private stenographer, and two Reporter men were on the car when it left Bellingham Four Corners. When the car reached the outskirts of the village of North Bellingham the people ran from their houses in glad surprise to watch it go by. When the North Bellingham mill was passed and the car stopped at the terminus just beyond it, more than half the mill help came out to see the sight. The first car in the village created a sensation. Thirty or forty school children clambered on board and many of the older townspeople boarded the car and were given a free ride.

The return trip to the Four Corners was made under twenty minutes without unusual speed. The roadbed, although new, is in excellent condition and the riding was delightfully pleasant.

Thursday afternoon workmen in the employ of the company went over the line distributing a number of guard rails, which will be put in position on the extension of the line from North Bellingham to Caryville. The first car was run over that line from Milford Thursday afternoon, and thus connection is now made from Franklin to Milford, the Framinghams, the Medways and Boston.

Supt. Young said that the direct line from Bellingham Four Corners through Bellingham centre to Milford will be completed June 1. A large gang of men are now pushing the construction work. None of the overhead work on that line has been done, but will be started on as soon as the overhead gang completes its work on the Wrentham and Attleboro branch. He also expected the latter branch would be running next week some time. The overhead work, such as hanging braces, stringing wires, etc., is almost completed, and as soon as it is the cars will be operated.

Air brakes for the big bloomer cars are expected to arrive within a week, and as they come will be affixed to the cars. These brakes will greatly facilitate the safe running of the cars.

Sunday Memorial Services.

The memorial service at the Baptist church next Sunday forenoon for Franklin Post, No. 60, G. A. R, the W. R. C. and the Sons of Veterans promises to be exceedingly interesting. The church will be finely decorated with flags and bunting. The singing will be by a male quartet and a chorus choir. The old army songs so dear to every soldier's heart will be sung. Adjutant A. C. Dana will read the commander's order for memorial services and the list of soldiers connected with the local post who have died within three years. The pastor, Rev. F. B Sleeper, will preach on the theme "Modern Idolatries."

The following will be the order of exercises:

"Tramp, Tramp, Tramp"..................Chorus
Scripture Reading.
"Tenting on the Old Camp Ground"—
Male Quartette
Commander's Order—List of Soldier Dead—
Adjt. A. C. Dana
"The Vacant Chair"..............Male Quartette
Prayer..Pastor
"Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean".......Chorus
Hymn—"America."
Sermon—"Modern Idolatries..Rev. F. B. Sleeper
Hymn.

Post 60, G. A. R., accompanied by Sons of Veterans and Woman's Relief corps will meet at G. A. R. hall Memorial Sabbath, May 27, at 1 o'clock, p m, to take barges for Bellingham to decorate soldiers' graves. At the hall a lunch will be served for out-of town comrades immediately after memorial service at Baptist church.

PROGRAMME FOR MEMORIAL DAY,

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30, 1900.

At 7 o'clock a. m. Post 60, G. A. R., accompanied by Sons of Veterans Camp, No. 44, as escort, will take barges at G. A. R. hall for Norfolk and City Mills cemeteries and decorate comrades' graves. Returning, arrive at G. A. R. hall at 12 noon, where dinner will be served by Woman's Relief Corps, No. 89.

At 2 p. m. line will be formed and march to Catholic church and escort children of St. Mary's parish to Catholic cemetery, Beaver street, and decorate comrades' graves.

Thence down Union street to School street and escort the children of the public schools to the Union street cemetery and decorate the soldiers' graves. Services for the unknown dead by Women's Relief Corps and the usual exercises.

D. W. Corson will be marshal of the day.

Fine hair cutting, smooth shaving, razors honed and put in order. Ochee the barber.

THE BRIGHT TOMORROW.

BY MRS. E. D. CHOATE.

I am groping in the shadow
And can hardly find my way,
Waiting for the bright tomorrow
In the home of endless day.

Dearest loved ones gone before me,
Lo! I see them as they stand,
See their harps and hear their voices
Bid me welcome to that land.

Here I wait, with rapture gazing
On that heavenly scene so grand;
I am saying "I am coming,
Jesus guide me by Thy hand."

God makes answer "Simply trust Me,
I will guide you safely through
Valley of the deepest shadow
Where the loved ones wait for you."

Napoli, N. Y., May 20, 1900.

How Will You Treat Them?

Because of the expected coming of the trolley into town Franklin merchants have been counting upon not a little new trade, and rightly so, especially from Medway and Wrentham, but there is another thing to be considered in the Wrentham matter The same road which permits Wrenthamites to come to Franklin also permits them to go to the Attleboros and Pawtucket at a slight additional expense. Now there is but one way to secure the new trade and hold it, and that is to offer inducements equal to what they will receive elsewhere, and further, to let prospective customers know what you have to sell through the columns of some newspaper which reaches those customers, and that is what the SENTINEL does. These facts are decidedly worth thinking about, and having given them thought they should be acted upon. Merchants, the coming of new business to Franklin depends almost entirely upon the inducements you have to offer and the way you offer them.

A Rare Treat.

Prof. Peirce has secured for the after dinner speakers at the Dean graduation, June 14, a number of the most interesting personages in our state, and whom it will be a rare treat to hear. They are the Hon. Samuel L. Powers of Newton, Mrs. Mary A. Livermore of Melrose, Rev. Dr. Rohlin of Boston, Rev. E. A. Horton of Boston, besides a number of the alumni. To miss it will be to miss a feast.

Richardson's Market.

Meat is rising, but we shall continue to sell the best the market affords at prices as low as possible. Our line of vegetables includes everything obtainable at present. Our corned beef ranges from 5 to 12 cents; everyone suited. Home killed veal, choice roasts, prime butter, etc. We have some selected tomato plants at 25 cents a dozen for home gardeners. Remember our strawberries are selected fruit and "full boxes."

Flowers for Decoration Day.

All orders for baskets, wreaths, bouquets, crosses and potted plants will receive prompt attention if given in good season at Slade's greenhouse, or by mail, box 179.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Up stairs tenement to let on Central street. Inquire of A. M. Haggart. 6tf

Dr. J. C. Gallison will sell a light driving horse or exchange for a heavier one 11tf

Orders for Allen's wood yard taken here can be transmitted by telephone at once.

Teaming.—Teaming of all kinds at reasonable rates. Hector McCulloch, Chestnut street. 25,29*

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 18 tf

Good assortment of carpets and couches at Sanford Bros., Medway. "A word to the wise is sufficient. 15,18

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Mrs. S. H. Frost, Alpine street, will fill all orders for flowers for Memorial day, or for any occasion, at short notice. 22-tf

Hay, at Maple Farm, all good; 95 cts. to $1.10 per hundred delivered to any part of town. Orders at Chilson's market. O. S. Stetson. 15-tf

Pasture to Rent.—Persons desiring pasture for horses or cows can rent same on reasonable terms. Call on or address Enoch Waite for particulars. 11,18,25

For Sale Cheap.—A quantity of good English hay and a lot of oat straw; also a generous supply of hard-wood ashes. Mrs. Harriet N. Gowen, 20 Pleasant street. 22,25,29,1*

Wanted — Lady to represent Abner Royce Laboratory, Cleveland, Ohio., manufacturer extracts, perfumes. Inquire Mrs. Lettie J. Cronkhite, 13 Cottage street. 25

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Briggs. J. B. MCKINNON, Agent.

Round trip tickets to Milford, 48c; Providence, 90c; Boston, $1.05. Get them of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office and thus save 33, and 12c from regular fare charged for respective trips. Mileage books to let.

Views of Residences.

Now, before the trees leaf fully, is the best time to arrange for photos of your home, either exterior or interior. Call and see samples and let me quote prices. Business hours during the summer, 8 to 12 a. m., 1.15 to 5 p. m., 7 to 8 Saturday evenings.

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1900

To Norfolk, Va., belongs the distinction of having the oldest masonic lodge [illegible] this organization. [illegible] lodge, No. 1, was in[illegible] and chartered under the [illegible] Exchange lodge, No. 172, [illegible] grand lodge of England [illegible] 1741, when it surrendered its [illegible] charter and received one from the grand lodge of Scotland, which conferred the title of St. John's lodge, No. 177. Then came a period when the revolutionary war cut it off from communication with the grand lodge. At Williamsburg, in 1777, a convention of Virginia lodges was held. [illegible] M. Mathew Phripp, of St. John's lodge, was elected president. Four years later the grand lodge of Virginia was organized, and in 1790 St. John's was chartered under its present title.

Hans Hanson, a Yankton county farm hand, is entitled to the honor of being named the Rockefeller of South Dakota farmhands, for he has demonstrated that steady application to his apparently humble occupation results in a gratifying degree of success. During this fall, says a Sioux Falls exchange, he husked 4,410 bushels of corn in 47½ days of eight hours each. For the work he received three cents per bushel, or a total of $132.30. With $182 added for wages received by him since April 1 last makes a total of $314.30 clear for a little over eight months' work. He has over $2,000 in cash saved up, all of which he earned by farm work.

From a New Jersey inventor comes a top which revolves 43 minutes, and stands erect when at rest. It is perfectly balanced with weights inside, and the "peg" is no larger than a fine needle. The weight is four ounces, and only ten inches of string are required. The inventor is a schoolmaster, and when he lectures at educational meetings, he spins the toy "to illustrate the beauty of a systematically developed life."

Emperor William is said to have told some American ladies that women have no business to interfere with affairs outside of the four K's—"kinder, kirche, kuche and kleider" (children, church, cooking and cloths). The success of the remark in alliteration indicates that it may not cover the subject in other respects.

According to recent statements of well-known physicians who have performed autopsies on persons dying from intestinal diseases, the seeds of grapes and other fruit, also the hard, indigestible portions of pop corn, are frequently the cause of fatal intestinal disorders.

Adjt. Gen. Axline, of Ohio, asserts in his annual report that Ohio sent the first volunteer regiment into the field in the Spanish-American war and completed the mustering and dispatching of her quota of troops first of all the states. Its total number of men was 15,354.

A Hartsborn (Mo.) editor, who believes in all the comforts of home, says: "We would prefer living in a small town, where the people will sympathize with you in trouble, and if you haven't any trouble they will hunt up some for you."

"Stamp licker's tongue" is the name recently [illegible] by an English physician to a form of sore mouth occurring in clerks who have many letters to stamp and seal, and who moisten the adhesive surface with the ever ready tongue.

The factory inspectors in Pennsylvania report 2,228 accidents for the last year. Three fourths of them are ascribed to carelessness.

It is reported that there are between 700 and 800 breeders of Guernsey cattle in this country, and the cattle number about 12,000 head.

BLUES

Ever have them? Then we can't tell you anything about them. You know how dark everything looks and how you are about ready to give up. Somehow, you can't throw off the terrible depression.

Are things really so blue? Isn't it your nerves, after all? That's where the trouble is. Your nerves are being poisoned from the impurities in your blood.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

purifies the blood and gives power and stability to the nerves. It makes health and strength, activity and cheerfulness.

This is what "Ayer's" will do for you. It's the oldest Sarsaparilla in the land, the kind that was old before other Sarsaparillas were known.

This also accounts for the saying, "One bottle of Ayer's is worth three bottles of the ordinary kind."

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Write the Doctor.

If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice you can possibly receive, write the doctor freely. You will receive a prompt reply, without cost. Address,
DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

WHAT FLOWERS

POETRY AND LANGUAGE OF F[illegible] RAREST GIFTS.

Symbols Used in the Grand Army Ceremonies—Martial Valor and Virtues Typified—How the Poets Interpret Form and Color.

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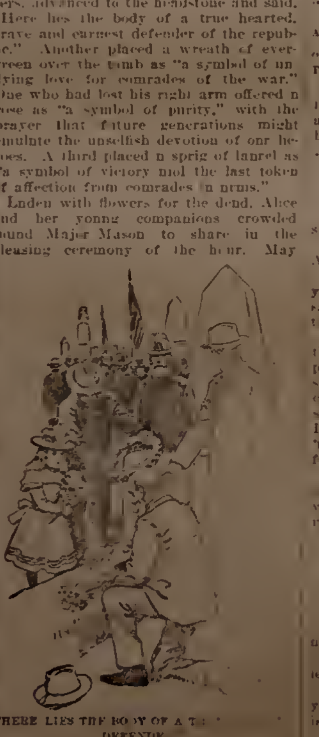
The elements had combined to make Memorial day one of perfection. All nature bloomed with the fragrance of early summer, and the trees swayed in majestic splendor, overshadowing the green swathed hillside graves. Veterans of 1861, together with many of 1898, surrounded by sympathizing groups of of old and young, stood awaiting the bugle call to attention. A child dressed in white and holding a tiny flag on high suddenly arose on the edge of the crowd nearest the soldiers and repeated with nervous resolution these lines:

> And we in our busy waiting
> Pause reverent each year to pay
> The small but soulful tribute
> Of grateful love and pray
>
> That the dear All Father may bless you
> With a fuller, richer life
> Than that so freely proffered
> In the aid of a noble strife.
>
> Once more, brave hearts, we thank you
> For the grand free land of ours.
> Once more we whisper, "God bless you,"
> And leave our love with our flowers.

The tender tone and beautiful sentiment appealed to every heart. Sensative Alice Mason clung to her father's hand and buried her tear stained face in the folds of his worn blue jacket that had seen service in the field. And she would not be comforted until the bugle call demanded his presence in the front ranks, then only letting him go when he promised to take her with him at the distribution of flowers.

The soldiers fell in place about the grave of their comrade. An elderly commander, with gray hair and bowed shoulders, advanced to the headstone and said, "Here lies the body of a true hearted, brave and earnest defender of the republic." Another placed a wreath of evergreen over the tomb as "a symbol of undying love for comrades of the war." One who had lost his right arm offered a rose as "a symbol of purity," with the prayer that future generations might emulate the unselfish devotion of our heroes. A third placed a sprig of laurel as "a symbol of victory and the last token of affection from comrades in arms."

Laden with flowers for the dead, Alice and her young companions crowded round Major Mason to share in the pleasing ceremony of the hour. May



"HERE LIES THE BODY OF A T[illegible] DEFENDER."

R[illegible]

in garlands so that each warrior might share alike. "Every one must have a sprig of laurel, a rose and some evergreen," she added, "for

> "Not richer the tints of the red rose
> Than the blood they so lavishly gave,
> Not purer the lilies' white petals
> Than the cause they perished to save,
>
> "And the unfading green of the myrtle
> Tells of faith to the seeking eye
> That memory is true to the dear ones
> Who now in their long furlough lie."

"It is the first verse that we want here. You see, there will scarcely be a rose, a sprig of laurel and some evergreen for them all," said Alice, looking doubtfully at the great heap of flowers.

"That is right," observed the major. "We have plenty of other flowers, and we can use those. Every flower and bud has some meaning. The poets have lavished beautiful attributes upon every plant of nature, and they have seen fit to seize each particular beauty and give it some human quality, thus making it dearer to the heart of man. Longfellow wrote of them as 'stars that in earth's firmament do shine,' adding

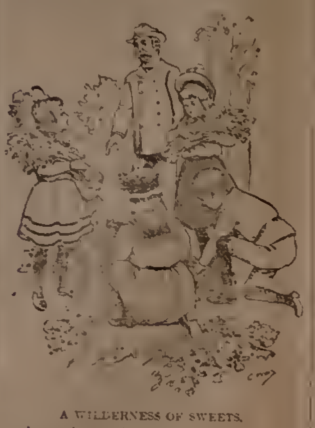
> "Wondrous truths and manifold as wondrous
> God hath written in those stars above,
> But not less in the bright flowerets under us
> Stands the revelation of His love."

"Then we can have no trouble in finding flowers for each that will be symbolic of those three virtues," said thoughtful Agnes, Alice's older sister, and continued, "Here is a pansy to begin with. That means thought."

At Major Mason's suggestion they assorted the flowers in order to simplify the distributing of them.

"Forgetmenots, for true love," said Jennie.

"Roses, for reward of virtue, and the palm for victory," was the major's re-



A WILDERNESS OF SWEETS.

mark as he laid them side by side on the grass.

"I wish we had more palms," said patriotic Robert Shaw.

"Here is a great branch of cedar. Where shall I put that, Major Mason?" was Katie Hyde's query.

"There, Robert, you wanted more palm, take the cedar. They both represent much the same virtue, for this signifies strength."

"And where there is strength does victory follow?" asked Alice.

"Not always," was the reply, "but it is one sure thing that victory is seldom gained without strength."

"Don't forget the daisies that—

> "Uplift in praise their little glowing hands
> O'er every hill that under heaven expands,

and does not the daisy mean innocence?" asked Florence.

"Yes, 'innocence and purity,' the poet says, 'are the heaven bestowed virtues of the daisy,'" responded the major. "But," he added, "what of the hawthorn. I see a great branch of that here?"

"That is red. Can we use it—

> "The red for the valorous blood you lost,
> Who so gallantly played your parts?"

queried Jennie.

"Yes," said the major, "red hawthorn is the emblem of hope, by no means an unworthy virtue. Let us place it with the roses?"

"The elm, shall I place it by itself? Such beautiful green leaves!" mused Robert.

"No. The elm signifies patriotism. I should place it beside the palm and the cedar," said the major.

"These snowballs are beauties. Where shall I put them?"

"Snowballs mean 'thoughts of heaven,' Alice; so put them with the lilies," said Agnes.

"The ferns are so delicate we must use them."

"If we use them, Alice, we'll have to take the moss, too," said Robert, "because

> "The fern loved the mountain, the moss loved the moor,
> For the ferns were the rich and the mosses the poor.
>
> "Then the fern and the moss they grew wiser in grief,
> And each turned to the other for rest and relief.
>
> "And thus and forever, where'er the ferns grow,
> There surely the mosses lie sparkling below."

"That was well quoted, Robert," said the major. "And now I wonder does any one know a verse that will be symbolic of all these flowers? I am sure Agnes does."

But Agnes was silent.

"Well, then, Alice, do you know one?"

The little curly head shook its reply.

Robert spoke up. "A wilderness of sweets."

"I have thought of one, papa," said Agnes.

"We want to know yours, Agnes, for you always think of something good," said appreciative Robert and cuddled up to the major for approval.

"Agnes is so thoughtful and serious that we know hers must be quite as appropriate as Robert's," said the major, stroking the little head beside him. Encouraged by such appreciation, Agnes said, "I think it was Leigh Hunt, the English poet, who spoke of flowers as 'marvels, sweet forever, more true than fables and equally beloved.'"

"Marvels, sweet forever," repeated [illegible] I [illegible] sweets to [illegible] head. [illegible]

[illegible]

R[illegible] A. C. [illegible]

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> Of all the [illegible]
> With which we seek,
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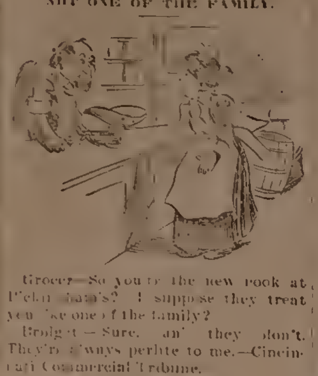
> Have nothing to eat.
> —Philadelphia North American.

NOT ONE OF THE FAMILY.



Grocer—So you're the new cook at Pelham's? I suppose they treat you like one of the family?

Bridget—Sure, an' they don't. They're always perlite to me.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

A One-Sided Affair.

"M[illegible]" said she, "is a lottery [illegible] the law devises."
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Interest Account		6,696 13
Real Estate Income Account		184 13
Tax account		32 25
		$600,835 31

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure		$20,761 00
Town and City Bonds		7,071 25
Bank Stock		28,189 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
Loaned on Bank Stock		6,350 00
" " Mortgages		156,360 00
" " Personal Securities		144,766 88
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		1,500 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		724 03
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$34,373 14	
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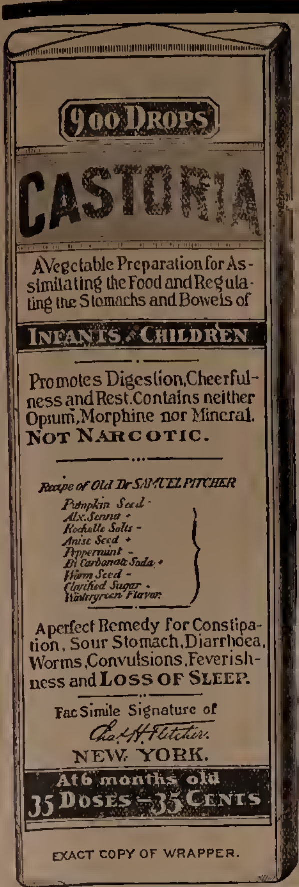

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When Peggy takes her basket up
And off to market goes,
I'm stupefied with wonder at
How very much she knows.
She makes her way between the stalls
And with judicial air
Decides that this is "so and so"
And that is "pretty fair."

She knows if fish are fresh or not,
And wise as any owl,
She differentiates between
A chicken and a fowl.
She thumbs the breastbone of the one
And pulls the other's legs:
She squints her pretty little eyes
To test the new-laid eggs.

The veg'tables must be just right,
For with a critic's eye
She scans them, not inclined to pass
Their imperfections by.
She calls the market folks by name;
Ah, what a lot she knows,
When Peggy takes her basket up
And off to market goes!
When Peggy does the marketing,
My heart with pride she fills;
I go along, a useless thing,
Except to pay the bills.
—Johnstone Murray, in What to Eat.

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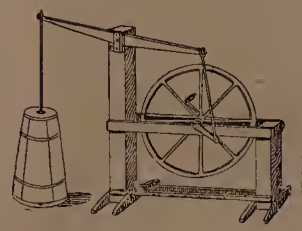

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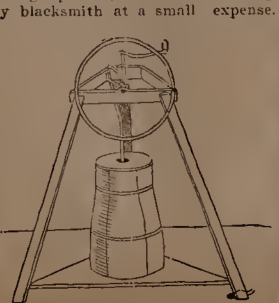

FIG. 2.

The framework any farmer will be able to make himself. The two posts used in the first device need not be very large or heavy, but just wide enough to permit the wheel to turn inside of the two supports on which the bearings rest. In the second figure an iron fly-wheel such as is found on an old cider press is used. It is adapted to a small churn.—Orange Judd Farmer.

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This is only one incident, but it indicates great possibilities, not along the line of oleomargarine and process butter, but in the future of the first-class, pure article, such as American dairymen know how to produce, can produce in almost unlimited quantities and at less cost than any other people in the world. What occurred at Berlin will be possible in many other cities of Europe if we but keep our standard high, and insist that nothing but the genuine article be permitted to leave our shores.—Farmers' Voice.

The Last Stage.

Mrs. De Fashion—My dear, late hours, late suppers, and general social dissipation, have ruined your constitution.

Miss De Fashion (belle of six seasons)—I know it, ma.

"And your health is miserable."

"Yes, ma."

"And you are losing your beauty."

"It's all gone, ma."

"It really is. And so is your plumpness."

"I'm nothing but skin and bones."

"There's no denying it, my dear. You are a mere wreck of your former self."

"Too true."

"What are you going to do about it?"

"Get married."—N. Y. Weekly.

Hard Lines.

Sprogles—I used to think my face was my fortune, but I've got over that idea.

Bingle—What has changed your mind?

Sprogles—I was on one of those juries when the bribing was done, but the fellows with money didn't approach me, because, as I have just learned, they thought I had too honest a face.

One of Those Queries.

"Father," said the boy, with big, serious eyes, "I want to ask you something."

"What is it, my son?" asked the old gentleman, closing his book and looking wise.

"If a monkey wore shoes on his hind feet would they be mittens?"—Washington Post.

The Surest Cure.

"They say that Nell Gadleigh has broken off her engagement with Harry Hippleson."

"Yes, she says he was so affectionate that he wearied her."

"Oh, if that was all, why didn't she just marry him and have done with the wearisome part of it?"—Chicago Record.

An Old Maid's Last Words.

Be calm, my heart, for soon shall end
Thy longing, love-sick sighs;
For soon I'll have a man—a man—
A mansion in the skies.
—N. Y. World.

AN EFFECTIVE ALIBI.

Mr. Grumble—I see by the paper that Mount Vesuvius is in eruption.

Mrs. G.—Oh, I'm so glad!

Mr. G.—There you are again, Maria. Now why on earth should you be glad?

Mrs. G.—Well, you can't blame me for it, that's all!—Punch.

Turn About.

He used to lead her through the dance,
But love will have its way:
Dan Cupid spoke—she's leading him
A merry dance to-day.
—Chicago Daily News.

Safe from Drowning.

Winter Visitor (in Florida)—I should love dearly to go sailing, but it looks very dangerous. Do not people often get drowned in this bay?

Waterman—No, indeed, mum. The sharks never lets anybody drown.—N. Y. Weekly.

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"Could you tell me what this prescription calls for?" asked the inquisitive citizen.

"Yes," answered the clerk as he glanced over it rapidly, "50 cents."—Washington Star.

A Matter of Necessity.

"Why are brides always led to the altar?"

"Because they are so busy looking at their bridal fixings that they can't see where they are going."—Chicago Record.

Ready and Willing.

She—Although my father is rich I have never cared for wealth but as a means to an end.

He—Well, I'm ready to go as end man at a moment's notice.—Chicago Daily News.

Probably the Reason.

Mr. Spelter—Oh, you may talk as you please, Jane; but you were an ignorant woman when you married me.

Mrs. Spelter—Yes, that probably accounts for it.—Boston Transcript.

Reassuring.

Him—Will you scream for your father if I kiss you?

Her—Yes; but I am so hoarse with a cold that I'm positive he won't hear me.—N. Y. World.

A Domestic Tyrant.

Mrs. Foleigh—Oh, John, the paper is offering a prize for a description of a model husband.

Mr. Foleigh—You want to take a try at it?

Mrs. Foleigh—Yes, please.

Mr. Foleigh—All right. Just get the pen, ink and paper, and I'll dictate to you.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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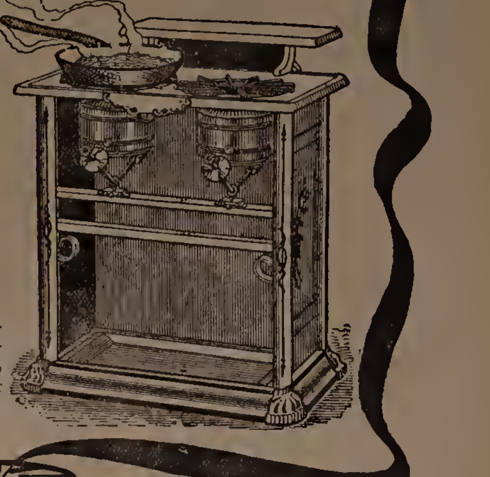

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THE DEACON.

The annual convention of the Universalist church will be held in Atlanta July 11 to 18.

A report of the membership of the Boston Young Men's Christian union issued April 1 shows 5,554 members, the largest in the history of the union for nearly 50 years.

Dr. John Watson (Ian Maclaren) has just completed the twenty-fifth year of his ministerial life. After laboring in Scotland he became minister of Sefton Park church, Liverpool, in 1880.

The Presbyterian board of home missions comes out with a clear balance sheet, carrying over no debt to the next fiscal year. The board of foreign missions is behind, but hopes to pull out.

The Moody Bible institute of Chicago is considering the inauguration of a system to teach the Bible and theology by mail, a sort of correspondence Bible class. The idea was suggested by the number of letters received by the board of trustees from people outside of the city asking for instruction.

RECENT INVENTIONS.

Potatoes are rapidly dug, cleaned and sacked by a new apparatus, which has a plow to unearth the tubers, the dirt and potatoes falling into an endless chain elevator, which delivers them into a hopper, which removes the dirt and drops the potatoes into a bag.

Water reservoirs are automatically kept at the proper level by a new waste gate, which is pivoted on either side of the outlet, with a pocket attached to the gate at right angles, to be lifted with the overflow, the weight of the water overbalancing the gate and allowing it to open.

Leaves can be rapidly and cleanly picked up from lawns by an Ohio woman's invention, which has a large hopper mounted on wheels, with fan blades set in the mouth of the hopper close to the ground, to be rapidly revolved by gearing inside the wheels, thus fanning the leaves into the hopper.

THE CYNIC.

A $20 suit looks better in a window than a $40 suit does on your back.

Make your business talks as short as your prayers and you will be a winner.

The fear that people will find them out serves most men better than a conscience.

Persistence in doing one's duty ends in liking it, something like acquiring a taste for olives.

You know how freely and recklessly you talk about other people? Well, that's the way they talk about you.

This world will never be satisfactory to cross old people until children regard work as they do pie and demand their share.

A man's memory never gets so poor that he forgets to tell his children how often he has walked the floor with them in the night.—Atchison Globe.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with typhoid fever that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened; I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed; nothing helped me; I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief; I continued to use it and am now well and strong; I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all throat and lung trouble. Regular sizes 50c. and $1. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason & Co's drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

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PEN, PENCIL AND BRUSH.

Carolus Durer always smokes while painting on a portrait, except, of course, when a lady is the sitter. He says that he finds the greatest inspiration in a pipe.

James M. Barrie, the novelist, in consenting to stand for parliament, shows a decided change of opinion in such matters, since only five years ago he said that he would rather be flogged than have to go into politics.

South Africa seems the magnet for authors these days, and J. M. Barrie is the latest to join the writers' colony at the front, which included, up to recently, Conan Doyle, Kipling, Richard Harding Davis, Julian Ralph and several others.

Lady Stanley, the wife of Sir Henry Stanley, whose delightful pictures of London street arabs are so well known, does most of her work in a large room, which is filled with curious relics collected by her husband on his various explorations. Her studio, in fact, is a piece of Africa itself.

BRITON AND BOER

Both rains and reputations are reported to be falling in South Africa.—Baltimore American.

Between farming, fighting and moving, the Boers are about the busiest people on earth.—New York World.

The mortality rate among British military reputations in South Africa is unusually high.—Scranton Times.

The British conquest of the Boer republics seems to be one long succession of relief expeditions.—Buffalo Express.

Boer talents in the matter of getting out of tight places might well be studied by Baden-Powell and other gentlemen who have found such gifts extremely handy.—Brooklyn Times.

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MILFORD—9 25 a m; 1 19, 4 37, 5 42, 6 57, S 6 44 p m

FRANKLIN—6 49, 8 41, 11 28 a m; 4 03, 6 19 p m. S 8 15 a m.

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WRENTHAM.

Next Sunday Rev. William J. Minchin will preach a sermon before the veterans of Geo. H. Maintien post, No. 138, G. A. R., at the Congregationalist church.——Miss Florence A. Crocker sailed this week for England on board the New England.——Dr. Alice Bennett is at her old home during the illness of her mother.——Hiram A. Cowell had a handsome May basket hung at his front door Monday night filled with pinks, oranges, bananas, candy, fancy crackers and olives, together with a large assortment of useful articles.——The marriage of David B. Oliver and Miss Nina I. Cudworth took place on Monday.——Chas. E. Williams of Mansfield and Miss Ella E. Webber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Webber, were married in Foxboro Wednesday night.——The Holly club met Tuesday afternoon at the "Pokonoket club house" for the election of officers.

SHELDONVILLE.

Miss Alma Scott is on the sick list.

Miss Lena Newell visited in Boston last week.

Mrs. Eliza Darling entertained friends from North Attleboro Sunday.

Miss Annie Pitman of Salem is visiting her brother, C. E. Pitman of West Wrentham.

Miss Nina I. Cudworth and D. B. Oliver were united in marriage last Thursday evening by Rev. F. C. Osgood of North Attleboro.

Sunday morning, while C. E. Thomas' team was standing in front of D. A. Cudworth's, the horse became frightened by passing bicyclists and started down the street on the run. Esther M. Thomas' ten year old daughter, clung to the reins but was unable to stop the horse. Unsuccessful attempts were made to stop him, but at H. A. Follett's he was finally captured by Levi Follett. No harm was done.

Sunday evening in the Christian Endeavor service a letter was read from Miss Charlotte Hancock of Mansfield, formerly of this place. Twelve years ago that night she attended church and gave her testimony for the Master and the next day she was stricken with sickness and has been an invalid ever since. Undoubtedly it afforded the writer great pleasure to write the letter and it certainly was appreciated by the members of the C. E. society.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending May 23, 1900:

Ladies—Miss Mathilda Gosselin, Clara Roberts (package), Mrs. J. Long.

Gentlemen—Henry Armds, J. V. Darepulnner, Andrew Green, Wallie Hester, Frank McKenzie, E. G. Morrell, J. H. Packard, Seth H. Paine, Luigi Passgandonio, Edward Thibault (2)

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Liberty's Limitations.

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Native—Y-e-s, unless he's married.—N. Y. Weekly.

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How to Manage It.

Miss Fuzzle—I want to break my engagement with Mr. Sapple, but I don't know how to do it without driving the poor fellow to suicide.

Little Brother—Why don't you let him see you in curl papers just once?—Roxbury Gazette.

W IS for Walking, just half of the night.
When Baby is teething and chock full of fight.
Take good counsel early—come, say, eight o'clock.
And get him a Cart from the "Cook Rolling Stock."

X IS for Xerxes, who conquered the world.
A task now quite easy for babies and girls;
For smiles nowadays win out more than hard knocks—
Those smiles round the Coaches of "Cook's Rolling Stock.

Y IS for yesterday, gone with the past.
Like frolics of childhood too pleasant to last.
But everything goes in this age of shocks.
As well as the Coaches from "Cook's Rolling Stock.

Z IS is for Zenith, the point overhead
Where cherubs all come from with nice curly heads.
And lest they return while the death angel knocks.
Save their lives in the Carts of the "Cook Rolling Stock."

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Agent for New Idea Patterns, 10c.
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BUTTONS MADE FROM YOUR OWN CLOTH.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Universalist church—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "The Man With the Hoe." No afternoon service. Y. P. C. U. at 6.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. F. B. Sleeper, pastor; sermon before Franklin post, No. 60, G. A. R. Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6.15.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D., theme, "All Things for Good." Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Union temperance meeting at 7.30.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor; subject "The Baptism with the Holy Spirit." Sunday school at 12. Junior league at 3.00. Epworth league at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30; subject, "The Prayer of Faith."

Barely Possible.

Proudleigh—My father, you know, was a member of congress, and—

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H for honey to eat on wheat cakes,
I for Indian corn meal and ink,
J for fruit juice for a summer drink,
K for Kennedy, whose goods we stand by,
L for lemons that make a nice pie,
M for mince meat, molasses and mace,
N for Nestle's, whose milk suits the taste,
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Erasmus A. Pond, late of Rutland, Vermont, having estate in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Metcalf E. Pond of Franklin or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of June, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 22d day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

BOARD OF RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS,
BOSTON, May 22, 1900.

On the petition of the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket Street Railway company for authority to cross the tracks of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad company at the same level therewith on Maple street, in the town of Bellingham, the Board will give a hearing to the parties in interest at their office, No. 20 Beacon street, Boston, on Monday, the eleventh day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

And the petitioner is required to give notice of said hearing by publication hereof two times prior to said date in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed in the town of Franklin, to serve a copy hereof on the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad company and to make return of service at time of hearing.

Per order of the Board.

WM. A. CRAFTS, Clerk.

A true copy.
Attest: JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
Deputy Sheriff.

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REGULATIONS

... OF THE ...

Board of Health,

1900.

Extracts from Public Statutes, Chapter 80.]

"The Board of Health of a town shall make such regulations as it judges necessary for the public health and safety. Whoever violates any such regulations shall forfeit the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS."

The Board of Health of Franklin, as authorized by the statutes, has made and published, as is provided for in the statutes, the following regulations:

1. Physicians having under their care cases of small-pox, scarlet fever, diphtheria, phthisis or typhoid fever are requested to promptly report the same to the Board of Health, as required by law, on blanks furnished them.

2. When any householder knows that a person within his family or living in his house is ill of small-pox, diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhoid fever or any other disease dangerous to the public health he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Board of Health.

3. All diseases dangerous to the public health will be promptly quarantined by this Board and red flags will be displayed for public protection. Whoever violates the quarantine established by this Board, either by going out of the house or apartment quarantined, or permitting any person other than the nurse or physician to enter the same; and any person other than the nurse or physician going into the said house or departments in violation of said quarantine WILL BE PROMPTLY PROSECUTED according to law. And whoever meddles with any flag put up by the Board of Health or its agent, to remove, deface, cover, or handle the same in any way whatsoever will be dealt with according to law. This Board will permit no trifling with any of its rules of quarantine or any measures taken by it against infection, under any circumstances, BY ANY PERSON WHATSOEVER.

4. No quarantine established by the Board of Health will be removed till the person or persons so quarantined have been personally examined by a member of this Board or its authorized agent, and found to be no longer in condition to convey the disease, nor until the premises have been disinfected by an agent of the Board and according to its directions. Sulphur fumigations will not be regarded a sufficient disinfection.

5. Any person recovered from a disease dangerous to the public health who is a pupil in any school, public or private, shall not be permitted to return to such school, nor received into such school, without a certificate from the Board of Health or some member thereof. Nor shall any person be received into nor employed in any mill, factory, shop, store or place of business unless he has complied with the requirements of the Board of Health in regard to contagious diseases.

6. Whenever a nuisance or cause of sickness shall be found on private property within the town any member of the Board shall order the owner or occupant thereof to remove the same, at his own expense, within the time specified in the notice served upon him. When legal notice has been served on the owner or occupant of any premises, if any, owner or occupant neglects to abate or remove the nuisance complained of within the time specified in said notice the Board of Health will cause the nuisance to be abated at the expense of the party or parties responsible for the same.

7. The owners or keepers of swine and milch cows are notified that no product from these animals can be used or sold unless such animals are fed on wholesome food and are in a perfectly healthy condition. In case of neglect or violation of this rule all such products will be condemned. All milch cows from which milk is sold in this town are subject to inspection by the Board of Health, and when found in a healthful condition a certificate to that effect, good for sixty days, will be furnished to the owner by this Board.

8. All owners and drivers of horses having any disease known as the horse distemper and glanders are notified not to allow said horses to drink from any public watering trough or fountain in town.

9. All persons are notified not to cart the contents of privy vaults or cesspools through the streets between 6 o'clock a. m. and 9 o'clock p. m. from May 1 to Nov. 1; and all such filth must be conveyed so as to prevent any portion being dropped along the street.

10. No person shall use the public street or any sewer or drain, made for the sole purpose of conveying water from said streets, as a deposit for filth, slops or offal of any kind.

11. The Board requests all persons to promptly notify them of the existence of any contagious or infectious diseases among domestic animals, such as glanders, pleuro-pneumonia, hog cholera, etc. On such notice the Board will cause such animals to be securely isolated and held till released by order of the cattle commissioners.

12. Nuisances or unusual causes of sickness must be reported to the Board of Health by complaints in writing, clearly stating the nature and causes of the same so far as known.

13. The law requires the vaccination of all children as a condition of admission to the public schools. The School Committee, as well as the Board of Health, is required to enforce this statute. Children are also required by law to be vaccinated before reaching the age of two years.

14. House owners are required to provide that all escape pipes from sinks and closets shall be properly trapped and that waste water from such shall not be permitted to empty on the ground. Filth so accumulating and decomposing is a potent cause of diphtheria and other diseases. Covered drains and cesspools must immediately be provided for such waste.

15. No person shall throw into or leave in or upon any street, court, lane, public square or enclosure, or any vacant or occupied lot owned by the town or the public, or into any pond, creek or stream of water within the limits of the town any dead animal or vegetable matter, or waste water, rubbish or filth of any kind. All yards, passageways, inclosures and cellars shall be kept in as cleanly a condition as the Board shall direct.

16. All persons riding or being upon any street car within the limits of this town are directed not to spit upon the floors or platforms of such car; and proprietors of street railways wholly or in part within the limits of this town are directed to post a notice in each end of each car to the effect that spitting in or upon said cars is prohibited by the Board of Health.

GREGORY A. MARTIN,
DWIGHT M. HODGE,
MARSTON SANBORN,
Board of Health.

Franklin, Mass., May 1, 1900.

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Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Lake Pearl opens for the season Memorial day.

Mrs. Laura Lee Whitney is visiting friends in Boston.

George D. Heaton is ill at H. W. Eaton's on Emmons street.

The banks and post office will be closed as usual tomorrow.

A son was born to Mrs. Marjorie White of Chestnut street yesterday.

Miss Lizzie Moynan is spending a couple of weeks in Newburyport.

Ray Whitney left Saturday for a week's visit at his home in West Freeman, Me.

Several of the town lines are due to be perambulated this year, according to law.

It was teachers' payday Friday. They will have one more before the summer vacation.

Wilton Pond, who has been confined to the house seven weeks, is gradually recovering.

Post 60, G. A. R., and invited guests will have dinner at G. A. R. hall Memorial day.

There are a few applications in for concrete sidewalks, but so far the number is small.

Mrs. S. C. Bailey and daughter are spending a few weeks with relatives in Newport, R. I.

Chas. J. McKenzie has been entertaining his brother, Frank S. McKenzie, of Woodstock, Vt.

W. F. Moore of Rutland was the guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore of Central street.

The board walk up from the railroad station has been replaced by new planking, a much needed improvement.

The Ramblers were defeated, 18 to 11, by the Giants at Blackstone on Saturday. They will play at Milford tomorrow.

The linemen employed by the electric railway worked Sunday on the Wrentham line in order to open the line by Memorial day.

Mrs. H. M. Howard and two children of West Newton are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Stanley's.

Estimates on the population are in order. The guesses generally are that there will be a small increase over the 1895 census.

Mrs. H. B. Haslam left today for a few days' visit at South Windsor, Conn., where Mr. Haslam is to deliver the Memorial day address.

The all collegiate nine of New England will open the season tomorrow morning with the strong North Attleboro team at North Attleboro.

A number in town received on Saturday postals from Dr. A. J. Gallison, recounting incidents of his trip and showing interesting scenes abroad.

The next meeting of the Mary Warfield Missionary society will occur Thursday, June 7, instead of this week Thursday, as previously announced.

Dr. Hodge will give one of his justly popular readings in the chapel of the Universalist church tomorrow evening. A social will follow the reading.

The county tax this year of $2,823 is $85 more than last year, and thus it goes on increasing from year to year, with a marble court house to show for it.

Quite a delegation of veterans and friends went to Bellingham Sunday, exercises being held at the Centre cemetery, S. S. Huse delivering the address.

Mrs. Roy Southworth of Ware and Mrs. G. F. Ribero and son of Roxbury Crossing are spending a few days with Mrs. Ribero's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bright.

The will of Henry Bemis has been allowed, H. E. Ruggles being the executor in the bond of $1,500. Inventory upon the estate of the late Thaddeus M. Turner, $8,217.68.

A number of the lady members of the Boston board of education were in town Tuesday visiting our schools. They came with Mrs. Hosmer, superintendent of musical instruction.

At 10 a. m. tomorrow the Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church will place flowers upon the graves of Dr. Dean, Dr. Bartholomew and Rev. Mr. Squire. All interested are invited.

The Franklin, Foxboro, Attleboro, Mansfield and Pawtucket colonies of the United Order of Pilgrim Fathers, are to shortly hold a union picnic at Lake Pearl. Notice of date will be given later.

There were very fair views of the eclipse to be had yesterday morning about 9 o'clock, as the rifts in the clouds made smoked glass not a necessity. While a clear sky could have afforded better views, yet those obtained were fairly satisfactory.

Fliers have been distributed about town announcing a parish meeting of St. Mary's church, which is to be held in Music hall this evening. This meeting is called by order of the committee and only members of the parish are requested to be present.

The sewer on Depot street has been causing trouble this week. There are several drains in the vicinity and no one seems to know just what one makes the trouble. The town has a drain there for surface water and the other pipes are for the convenience of private parties.

Manager McKinnon is making improvements at Hotel Briggs, having just put in a modern kitchen range suitable for so large a hotel. Other needed improvements will be made throughout the house, until it shall be one of the most convenient and pleasant in this vicinity.

At the last business and literary meeting of the Epworth league, held at the residence of Mrs. Minnie Smith on School street, it was unanimously voted to extend invitations to the Holliston and Woonsocket leagues to be guests of the local chapter on Wednesday evening, June 13.

The manufacturing schedules in this town have been withdrawn from the regular enumeration in June and will be attended to later. The enumerators have the population and farming schedules and special schedules for the deaf, dumb and blind persons, and for live stock not on farms.

Dr. Hodge's reading tomorrow evening at the Universalist chapel promises to attract a full house. It is in all probability the last time Dr. Hodge will read this season, and his selections from Dickens will be sure to be appreciated. He will read from "A Holiday Romance" and give other selections.

We are pleased to state that another new industry, employing a number of hands, has come to town, that of manufacturing wooden heels and shanks for shoes, E. L. Dunbar moving here from Mansfield and taking rooms and power at the new shop of Metcalf & Son. Mr. Dunbar will move his family here shortly and will be warmly welcomed.

The Greenhalge Literary society held its regular meeting Friday afternoon. It was voted to hold a public meeting of the society on the evening of June 25. After business was transacted the following programme was given: Piano solo, George Sneath; reading, Maisie Whiting; reading, Ellen Butters; cornet solo, Geo. Estey; reading, Linna Ferrer; piano solo, Alice Nixon.

When you accompany the G. A. R. on their rounds tomorrow remember that since last Memorial day 30,000 veterans—an entire army corps—have laid down their arms since the surviving soldiers of the war last paused to lay their wreaths on the tombs of their fallen comrades. Thirty thousand more will win their honorable discharge before this day comes round again.

Many here saw the fire at Foxboro last evening destroying the Union Straw Works and causing a loss to the company of nearly $150,000. The straw works was probably the oldest in the country, having been started in 1856, and at the close of the war was doing a business estimated at two million dollars a year. Three hundred hands are thrown out of employment by the fire. It will not be rebuilt.

The Roxbury High school team did not show up to play with Dean on the Campus Saturday afternoon, so Dean crossed bats with the same picked nine they have engaged in battle with on several occasions of late, and a rattling good contest was the result, the score at the end standing 8 to 5 in favor of the Academy boys. The batteries were W. Fiske and Sammy Fiske for the picked nine and Knowles and Towles for Dean.

Sunday was the banner day in the matter of public patronage on the line of the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket Street Railway company, the cars being run half hourly the entire day, and averaging nearly 100 passengers on every trip from 10 a. m. until late in the evening. The only drawback was long delays at the switches. The run from Bellingham Four Corners to Caryville is made in about twelve minutes.

The funeral of Mrs. Harry Spence occurred Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from St. Mary's chapel, where Rev. Father Laliberte of Woonsocket performed the service for the dead in the presence of a large number of mourning friends and relatives. Many beautiful floral pieces were contributed. The remains were interred in the family plot in St. Mary's cemetery. The bearers were Patrick Marky of Pawtucket, Eugene Riordan of North Bellingham, Frank Murphy of City Mills and Edward F. McConnell of Franklin.

The following program was carried out in the upper forms of the High school on Friday in honor of Memorial day: Address, Dr. Geo. E. King, for Post 60, G. A. R.; piano duet, Misses Corbin and Reed; song, "Flag of Freedom," school; reading, "Union of Blue and Gray," Alden Abbott; reading, "A Russian Soldier's Funeral," Elwin Thayer; song, "Star Spangled Banner," solo and school; recitation, "Bay Billy," Helen Thompson; song, "Memorial Day," Mary Hutchinson; "America," school; flag saluted, school.

The trouble caused by the big tree at Plainville to the street railway will probably be settled by building the railway around it. The objection of the state authorities to such a plan is to be overcome by widening the crushed stone part of the highway at the expense of the railroad company. The company tried to buy the farm where the tree is located so as to go the other side, but the owner would not state a price, although it was claimed that he wanted to dispose of the property. The expense of widening the street will be several hundred dollars, but that seemed the only way to get around the tree and the objections to cutting it down.

The body of Mrs. Merrill Carter arrived here on Saturday from Como, Fla. funeral exercises were held at the house of Mr. Davis Thayer yesterday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Sneath officiating. Mrs. C. L. Stewart sang. Mrs. Carter was a former resident here, though she and her husband have been in the habit of spending their winters in Florida, and their summers in the north. Mrs. Carter was the last of the Adams family, well known here, and an intimate friend of Mr. and Mrs. Thayer. She was also related to Mrs. Calvin Claflin and Mrs. F. H. Bartholomew. The body was sent here by express, as Mr. Carter was sick and not able to accompany it. The remains were interred in the Union street cemetery.

It was indeed a hot game between the Heliotype and Trowbridge teams at Indian Rock park Saturday afternoon, and the two umpires, Lombardie and Brown, had their hands full in deciding many fine points that arose during the contest. It was nip and tuck between the two nines up to the last half of the ninth, when the score stood 15 to 14 in the Helios' favor. The Trowbridge nine were at the bat with two men out, when McKenzie sent the ball away out and got to third on the hit. Just here Umpire Brown called the runner back to second base, which it was claimed he had "cut" several feet in running to third. The player refused to go back, and after a heated argument the umpire awarded the game to the Helios, 9 to 0. The batteries were Knowlton and Morrill for the Helios and McKenzie and Smith for Trowbridge.

The High school ball team went to Walpole Saturday afternoon and played an exciting game with the High school nine of that place, or rather with a portion of the High school team, as it is claimed by the Franklin boys that their opponents "rung in" a battery who were not pupils of the school. The contest, however, was an interesting one and the result was in doubt until the third man was out in the ninth. The Walpoles started in with five runs in the first inning, but they drew blanks in the remaining eight innings, Grant, who was in the box for the Franklin boys, proving an enigma thereafter and allowing only a few scratch hits. The Franklin High got three men across the plate during the game, being unable to overcome their opponents big lead, and the score stood 5 to 3 in Walpole's favor at the finish. The batteries were Grant and Hood for Franklin and Sline and Collins for Walpole.

Mrs. E. K. Ray and Mrs. Charles Whiting go to Milwaukee on Saturday to attend the National Convention of Women's clubs. They go on a Raymond excursion, and will be quartered at the Plankinton, Milwaukee's famous hostelry. They expect to return June 11, unless they take one of the fine "side trips" planned, that of ride to Duluth, and down the Great Lakes to Buffalo, a ride of 2,000 miles of remarkable scenery. The convention promises to be one of the most interesting yet held, and the Alden club is extremely fortunate in being so ably represented and being entitled to its two votes in convention. Mrs. Ray as one of Vice Presidents will also have a vote in the inner councils of the organization. On the trip out the party will spend the entire day of Sunday at Niagara Falls, and have a magnificent opportunity of viewing this wonderful work of Nature.

A class of 35 girls and boys received Holy communion for the first time at the 9 o'clock mass in St. Mary's chapel yesterday morning, and in the afternoon at 3:30 there was a reception of the Children of Mary sodality and the crowning of the statue of the Blessed Virgin. Fifteen new members were received into the sodality. Masters Willie Murphy and Leo Mehan reading the acts of consecration for the boys, and Miss Annie Kennedy for the girls. After the reception, a procession, led by the Infant Jesus sodality, and followed by the Angel and Children of Mary sodalities marched from the chapel to the church grounds, where the Blessed Virgin was. After the singing of hymns, the statue was crowned with a wreath of lilies of the valley by Miss Emma Moreau, after which Miss Rose Walsh read the act of consecration. After the ceremony, the sodalities marched back to the chapel, where there was benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, Rev. Father Lalibertie officiating.

Honest and Unpurchasable.

Representative Burrington found himself in a rather unpleasant predicament on Friday morning when he reached the legislative halls in Boston. It seems that a very important bill came up in his absence Thursday and he was charged by the newspapers as having "dodged" a vote on the question. This was a mistake, however, as he had "paired" with Representative Ames of Lowell, who had forgotten to register the "pair," thus placing our Franklin representative in a false and decidedly unpleasant light. The charge was all the more unwelcome, as the bill was one upon which no less than twenty-one members had changed their vote upon a reconsideration, thus laying themselves open to the charge of having been "manipulated" by the lobby, a stigma which no honest man is willing to have rest upon him. It was the Westminster Chambers bill, that building having been erected in defiance of the law to a greater height than is permissable. Representative Burrington was upon the right side of the bill, had spoken upon the subject, and had he been present when it came up the second time it is safe to say the members who had changed their votes in such a suspicious manner would have been handled without gloves, as our friend has the habit of speaking his mind freely in matters which pertain to public morals and honesty of action. It seems to have been a simple question as to whether a wealthy and influential firm of contractors should be permitted to openly and knowingly violate the law. Gov. Crane will doubtless veto the bill.

A Worthy Promotion.

The friends of Winthrop B. Nye, a former Franklin boy, will be pleased to learn of his good fortune. For several years he has been in charge of the Woonsocket office of the Woonsocket Street Railway company, and now has been appointed assistant superintendent of both the Woonsocket company and the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket Street Railway. Mr. Nye has made a close study of street railway management and there is no doubt but the intelligent assistance he will be able to give to Supt. Young will be of great value in the operation of the constantly growing railway system connecting Woonsocket with the villages for miles around. He will have charge of the money end, and will remain in the office at Woonsocket most of the morning, and will then "go out on the line" and look after the motormen and conductors. The promotion is a distinct recognition of his faithful and efficient service and he is to be congratulated.

An Enjoyable Affair.

Everybody who is interested in good literature is invited to be present at the Universalist chapel, Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. Dr. Hodge will give a reading (his selections being mainly the works of Dickens) under the auspices of the Y. P. C. U. The admission is only ten cents. After the reading a social hour will be enjoyed in the church parlor where ice cream and cake can be procured at reasonable prices.

Card of Thanks.

To all friends who tendered so many acts of kindness during our late bereavement we extend our most grateful thanks.
HARRY SPENCE AND FAMILY.

Patriotic and Impressive.

Every seat in the Baptist church was taken on Sunday morning, and it was found necessary to bring in extra seats to accommodate the large number who had come out to do honor to the G. A. R. and to listen to a patriotic discourse from Rev. Mr. Sleeper. The choir had been augmented by a number of new voices, and was composed of Mrs. U. F. Coleman, Miss Fannie Darling, Miss Gertrude Drew, Mrs. L. P. Rich, Miss Etta Eddy, J. Ray Wyckoff, J. R. Hosford, L. P. Rich and Bert Briggs, Miss Alice Blake presiding very acceptably at the organ.

The church had been trimmed most artistically with flags and bunting, with flowers here and there making a most attractive setting. A flag draped from the organ, another hung back of the choir, the pulpit and platform also showed the national colors, while in one corner a picture of Lincoln looked down benignly upon the audience. Upon the pulpit platform there were two stacks of arms, and as Franklin Post 60, the Woman's Relief Corps and the Sons of Veterans filed into the church to appropriate music upon the organ two little girls dressed in white, one with a red sash and the other with a blue one, led the procession. They were Lilian Coleman and Clara Laycock. They also welcomed the societies to the church by standing upon the steps and waving their flags.

Commander Bird read the orders from department headquarters calling upon Adjutant Dana to read the record of those who had died during three years. Then the regular church service was followed out, the music by the choir being unusually fine. The programme was interspersed, accompanied with the familiar bugle calls from the rear of the choir by Messrs. Hosford and Bly. Pastor Sleeper's address was extremely patriotic, meeting the important issue of the day, and teaching at the same time a lesson which will not soon be forgotten.

MODERN IDOLATRIES.

His text was Exodus xx., 3: "Thou shalt have no other gods before me." His thoughts grouped around three great principles—(1) worship of country, (2) worship of political party, (3) worship of earthly things. The prosperity of our nation is the miracle of all history. Yet herein is our peril. There is a motto having altogether too much influence in our land. It is, "My country whether right or wrong." And sometimes this has been enforced by the party whip. Men who have dared stand true for God and righteousness have felt the sting of the scorpion lash. Ah, friends, there is the dynamite of hell in this motto. It has shivered scores of kingdoms to atoms and will our own if we are not divinely right. He who handles the infinite stars and darts His lightnings along the boundless sky will crush us in the grasp of omnipotence if we rebel.

It is necessary that we have at least two political parties in our land watching each other as keen-eyed censors, giving neither sleep to their eyes nor slumber to their eyelids by day or by night. The safety of our land lies in the free discussion of every great public question, until each school boy or school girl fully understands it. The worst danger to our country is a gagged tongue throughout the land, when men are afraid to speak out their honest convictions. The most terrible foe of our nation is the political autocrat determined to rule with a rod of iron, and who when he cannot will blight and kill. We say, "Hands off from men's souls and consciences." Each citizen is to carry his political sovereignty under his own hat and none must dare interfere.

No man is true unto his land who is not true to God and an eternal heaven. In you, soldiers, the Divine is calling louder than earth can speak. You need a religious faith piercing the sky and take sure hold on the eternal throne. If not your life will be as a vapor that appeareth for a little time and then vanisheth away.

Programme for Memorial Day.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30, 1900.

At 7 o'clock a. m. Post 60, G. A. R., accompanied by Sons of Veterans Camp, No. 44, as escort, will take barges at G. A. R. hall for Norfolk and City Mills cemeteries and decorate comrades' graves. Returning, arrive at G. A. R. hall at 12 noon, where dinner will be served by Woman's Relief Corps, No. 89.

At 2 p. m. line will be formed and march to Catholic church and escort children of St. Mary's parish to Catholic cemetery, Beaver street, and decorate comrades' graves.

Thence down Union street to School street and escort the children of the public schools to the Union street cemetery and decorate the soldiers' graves. Services for the unknown dead by Women's Relief Corps and the usual exercises.

D. W. Corson will be marshal of the day.

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

Fine hair cutting, smooth shaving, razors honed and put in order. Ochee the barber.

Pleasantly Remembered.

Edwin J. Pond, a former resident here, died at his home in Providence of pleurisy on Friday, aged 60, the funeral occurring yesterday. He leaves a widow and three children. Mr. Pond was well known in Franklin and vicinity, having been for a number of years an organist at the Universalist church and a music teacher of no little note. He lived until the death of his parents upon the "home farm" in Unionville, removing from here about eight or nine years ago. During his stay in Providence he has been an undertaker. He was of a genial disposition, having a kind word for everyone, open-hearted and generous, and will be missed by a large circle of friends who recall him with a kindly interest and a loving remembrance.

Opening at Lake Pearl.

The annual opening at Lake Pearl is announced for tomorrow, Memorial day. This is one of the few pleasant summer resorts handy to the people of Northern Rhode Island and Southern Massachusetts. It is a favorite picnic ground for societies, churches, military organizations and private parties, and with the opening of the trolley lines is made easy of access. All the attractions of a shore resort are to be found there. Manager Enegren never allows any rowdyism at Lake Pearl.

Better Sanitary Measures.

The Boston Board of Health has adopted the following rules for [illegible] shops: "The place of business, to[illegible] with all the furniture, shall be kept, at all times, in a cleanly condition. Mugs, shaving brushes and razors shall be sterilized by immersion in boiling water after every separate use thereof. A separate clean towel shall be used for each person. Alum or other material, used to stop the flow of blood, shall be so used only in powdered form and applied on a towel. The use of powder puff is prohibited. The use of sponges is prohibited. Every barber shop shall be provided with running hot and cold water. No person shall be allowed to use any barber shop as a dormitory. Every barber shall clean his hands thoroughly immediately after serving each customer."

The Way to Do It.

The first ten days of no license in town were "hot" days for the liquor sellers. There has been an enforcement of the liquor law that has made the town one of the dryest in the state. Day and night the officers have been on duty and a reign of terror has truly been inaugurated and kept up. This should be the condition in any no license town, if necessary, until law indeed is conqueror. Where there is a certain amount of "sand" and mental determination this can be accomplished; and what is done in one place can usually be done in another.—Spencer Sun.

Flowers for Decoration Day.
All orders for baskets, wreaths, bouquets, crosses and potted plants will receive prompt attention if given in good season at Slade's greenhouse, or by mail, box 179.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Up stairs tenement to let on Central street. Inquire of A. M. Haggart. 6tf

Dr. J. C. Gallison will sell a light driving horse or exchange for a heavier one. 11tf

Orders for Allen's wood yard taken here can be transmitted by telephone at once.

Two pleasant rooms to let at 16 Cottage street. Apply there or at SENTINEL office. 29

Teaming.—Teaming of all kinds at reasonable rates. Hector McCulloch, Chestnut street. 25,29*

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 18-tf

Good assortment of carpets and couches at Sanford Bros., Medway. "A word to the wise is sufficient. 15,18

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Hay, at Maple Farm, all good; 95 cts. to $1.10 per hundred delivered to any part of town. Orders at Chilson's market. O. S. Stetson. 15-tf

For Sale Cheap.—A quantity of good English hay and a lot of oat straw; also a generous supply of hard-wood ashes. Mrs. Harriet N. Gowen, 20 Pleasant street. 22,25,29,1*

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Briggs. J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

Round-trip tickets to Milford, 48c; Providence, 90c; Boston, $1.05. Get them of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office and thus save 33, and 12c from regular fare charged for respective trips. Mileage books to let.

Views of Residences.
Now, before the trees leaf fully, is the best time to arrange for photos of your home, either exterior or interior. Call and see samples and let me quote prices. Business hours during the summer, 8 to 12 a. m., 1.15 to 5 p. m., 7 to 8 Saturday evenings.
CALKIN, Photographer,
Depot St.

Read the Business Announcements.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

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Business and Professional Cards, to occupy one-half inch space, once a week, $5.00 per year; twice a week, $7.50 per year.

Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

TUESDAY, MAY 29, 1900.

Last year there reached the dead letter office 6,855,983 pieces. Included in this large number were 25,824 letters which were absolutely without an address, and of these 12,443 contained money. Probably in some of these cases the result was due to absent-mindedness, but, making this allowance, is it not about time to revive the old profession of the peripatetic writing master, or, if that be not practical, would it not be a good idea to establish a chair of letter addresses in our colleges or to enlarge the study of penmanship in the public schools by including instruction in the useful art of addressing an envelope so that over 6,000,000 letters may not go astray in a single year?

A get-rich-quick man is missing in Philadelphia, and each mail brings an average of 4[illegible] letters from his dupes. He made a specialty of hunting up young men just come into possession of money and inviting them to take a yacht trip, during which he persuaded them to open a branch of his "Investors' trust," with his own shadowy concern as the chief depository. The yacht that figured in the affair was an old craft and passed through the hands of a succession of confidence operators. Boston appears to be the heaviest sufferer from the absent "banker."

The Chicago Times-Herald editor has made the discovery that a boy is one year old when he is born; that a bicyclist has run a century when he completes his ninety-ninth mile; and that the completion of the nineteenth century occurs 1,899 years after the birth of Christ. Why didn't the large-browed mathematician of that paper settle the century question some time ago, asks the Aurora Beacon, and save all this argument about the beginning of the twentieth century instead of keeping so still when he knew it all the time?

The farmers of Muscatine Island, Ia., who raise sweet potatoes, melons, garden truck and other tender stuff, have made arrangements with the Davenport weather office to receive the warnings and forecasts by telephone. Two high staffs will be placed at convenient points easy of observation by all the farmers, and on these will be displayed the proper flags, in accordance with advices from the Davenport weather man. The weather is an important consideration to these farmers in the spring and fall particularly.

Money is close all over the world, though there is an abundance for all legitimate purposes, says an exchange. Only those who gamble in one form or another feel the pinch. This is not altogether true, but there is enough of truth in it to warrant its publication.

A fox and hound belonging to a gentleman in Kennebec, Me., are affectionate companions, and constantly sport and sleep with each other. When both were young they were placed together and have ever since continued frolicsome comrades.

More than a thousand replies were received by a farmer in Pennsylvania who advertised that he wanted a wife able to talk, willing to help on the place and to sit by the fire with him in the long winter evenings.

Latest reports from some 40 cities and towns show that an era of almost unprecedented building activity has set in, despite the high and advancing prices of iron, steel, lumber, glass, paint and other material.

Chemical analysis shows that in its nature buttermilk greatly resembles koumyss, with the exception of which it is the most grateful, refreshing and digestible of the product of milk.

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Bravery of a Young Confederate on the Field of Battle.

After General Hood had assumed command of the Confederate army at Atlanta he made several attacks upon the Federals in their fortifications. One of these occurred on July 27, 1864, and chiefly involved that portion of our army which included the Louisiana brigade. The latter had responded with courage and alacrity and had made their way to the very breastworks of the Federals over the many difficulties and obstacles which lay in their road and in spite of the terrible fire which was directed against them. The loss suffered by the Louisianians was very great, and many of the commands were almost annihilated in that fearful charge. Among others who thus suffered was the First regiment of Louisiana, regular infantry.

A great part of those who had gone into the engagement lay dead or wounded at the enemy's works. The standard bearer of the regiment had been struck down early in the action. His place was promptly filled by another, who soon shared the same fate. Another sprang forward to take his place, and he in turn went down before the deadly fire to which the Confederates were exposed. This continued until at last the few survivors were compelled to fall back. In the retreat it was discovered that the color bearer had been shot and that the colors were lying upon the ground at his side where he had fallen. There was a lad, formerly a newsboy in New Orleans, who had enlisted in the regiment as a drummer and who had lately shouldered a musket and served as a private in the ranks. Rushing back to where the color bearer lay, the youth seized the colors and rejoined his comrades in their retreat.

It was now his turn to meet the fate of his predecessors on the bloody field. He was soon mortally wounded, but with expiring energy he dragged the colors along with him, and then, having brought them off in safety, he sank exhausted upon the ground and breathed his last.—Selected.

JOHN A. LOGAN IN BATTLE.

The Very Incarnation of War—His Power Over Men.

It has been tersely said of Julius Cæsar that the secret of his success in battle lay in his power of "projecting a soul into his army, making the legions and the leader one." This could not have been more true of Cæsar than it was of John A. Logan. In action Logan was the radiant incarnation of war. With Logan on the front of the line, carrying his hat in the air on the point of his sword, determined to rout the enemy, it was hard for any of his men to be less than good soldiers. He seemed at times to be drunk with enthusiasm, which was the only form of inebriety possible to him in the army, as he was very temperate.

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IN THE LAND O' CAKES

HOW MEMORIAL DAY IS CELEBRATED IN SCOTLAND.

Brave Scots Who Fought In the Civil War Are Not Forgotten—Statue of Abraham Lincoln In an Edinburgh Burying Ground.

As each succeeding Memorial day comes around the American residents of Edinburgh assemble in the old Calton burying ground, at the statue of Abraham Lincoln, and hold ceremonies in memory of the Scottish-American soldiers who fell in the American civil war. This is the only spot on the globe where Memorial day services are held regularly outside of the borders of the United States, and great interest attaches to it on that account.

The ceremonies are in charge of the United States consul in Edinburgh and will this year be attended by hundreds of Americans now traveling in the British Isles as well as many subjects of the queen who are in hearty sympathy with the United States. Hundreds of floral tributes will be placed around the statue, which has been thus decked every year since it was unveiled on Aug. 21, 1893.

While the statue was erected through the efforts of Wallace Bruce, the United States consul at Edinburgh, and by the generosity of well known citizens of the United States, many of whom were of Scottish descent, it is practically unknown to most people in that country. That regular ceremonies similar to those held in every cemetery in the United States each year in memory of the heroes who fell in defense of the Union take place in this beautiful old home of the dead just without the walls of this historic old city, around which the bitterest civil war of the world's history centered, is well worthy of recognizance.

Like many another memorial to the greatness of American institutions and triumphs, this statue of the martyr president was the outgrowth of a humble story, carried out by the good will and the well earned dollars of men who owe their fortune to the stability of American institutions and the fulfillment of Lincoln's ideas that the Union should be one and indivisible.

In the summer of 1890 Mrs. McEwan, widow of a Scottish-American soldier, called on Mr. Wallace Bruce, United States consul at Edinburgh, to aid her in securing a pension from the government in Washington, as her husband had recently died. The proper proof was obtained and the pension granted. One day when she called at the consulate Mrs. Bruce chanced to be present and became interested in her story.

Mrs. McEwan told Mrs. Bruce how she and her children had worked for 5 shillings a week to keep a husband and father from the poorhouse and gave, with singular pathos, the account of his last illness; how he loved to have the old gun near at hand, where he could touch it; how he told the doctor on one of his last visits that he had nothing to give him but his sword, and the kind hearted doctor replied that it was his business to save life, not to take it, and that he wished neither the sword nor any other recompense but pleasant remembrance, and the wife said, "We will keep the sword for the laddie." And at last, when the poor soldier, after long months of suffering, died, they found the gun under the coverlet beside him, pressed close to his heart.

Mrs. Bruce asked where he was buried, that she might go with Mrs. McEwan and place some flowers on his grave, although Memorial day had passed, but the widow answered, with tears in her eyes: "The ground in the common field is all level. I could not mark the spot. In fact, the next Sabbath after his death I visited it with the bairns, and we found another mourning group had possession. Another body was being buried in th same grave."

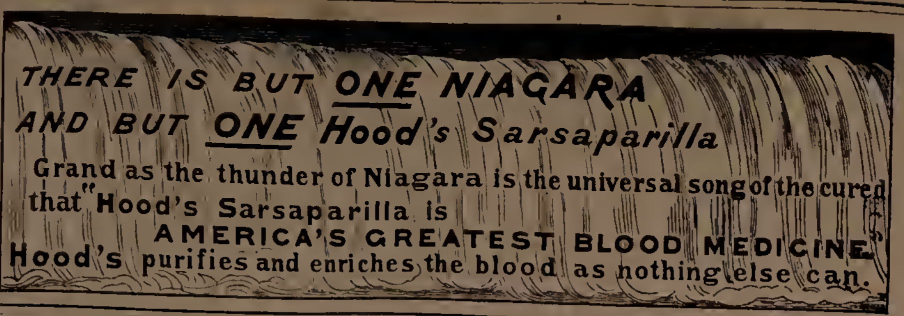
This story, told in the beautiful border language of the Tweed and the Yarrow, suggested to Consul Wallace Bruce the idea of a burial place in Edinburgh for Scottish-American soldiers. He wrote to several American friends and talked with others who visited at the consulate. All heartily approved of the plan. Some time afterward Mr. Bruce was walking on the banks of the Tweed near Peebles with Lord Provost Russell of Edinburgh.

He told McEwan's story and the following day wrote a letter to the lord provost, magistrates and town council asking for a plot in one of the city cemeteries. The request was cordially granted. It then occurred to the consul that the spot should be marked with a memorial worthy of the site in the very heart of the beautiful city.

Through Mr. Bruce's endeavors enough money, about $6,000, was subscribed in this country, and the statue of Lincoln was dedicated Aug. 21, 1893. Miss Bruce, who unveiled the monument, was attired in a flowing white costume, her hair encircled with a band of gold, representing Columbia. The monument was loudly cheered by all present, and the sculptor was compelled to bow his thanks and appreciation many times.

Consul Bruce in formally turning over the monument to the custody of the corporation of Edinburgh spoke of the great civil wars of Scotland and urged that the placing of the Lincoln monument should be a further tie between Great Britain and America.

The monument itself is a work of art. It is 15 feet in height. It is massive without being heavy. The pedestal stands upon two steps of polished red Aberdeen granite. Inscribed on the first of these are the words, "In Memory of Scottish-American Soldiers." On the second step are the words, "To Preserve the Jewel of Liberty In the Framework of Freedom. Abraham Lincoln."



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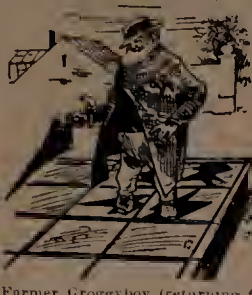

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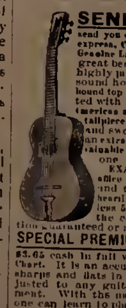

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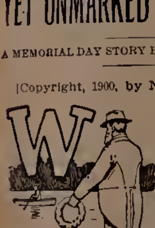


WAS the man insane? He knelt praying upon the bank of the Yazoo, a memorial wreath in each hand, and as I watched him from my boat he arose and cast the wreaths one after another into the river.

"Pardon me, sir," said I as I stepped ashore, "if I ask the meaning of these wreaths. As this is Memorial day, I suppose your action is inspired by some sad memory of the civil war."

"Yes," he replied solemnly. "The strange act which you saw me perform memorializes what was to me one of the saddest incidents of the civil war. I was decorating the grave of John Douglas, private in a Pennsylvania regiment of volunteers, a brave man and the truest friend I ever had."

"His grave!" I exclaimed. "I see no grave—only water."

"And only water covers my hero. His grave is there somewhere in the river."

"What you say," I remarked, "excites my curiosity. I served in the campaigns along this river, and I shall be deeply interested if you will tell me the story." This he did as we sat side by side on the bank of the river.

"The Pennsylvania regiment to which I belonged," said he, "formed part of the force with which General Sherman attempted to attack Vicksburg by way of the Yazoo river. We ascended the river on transports on Dec. 25, 1862, and began operations on the following day. Between us and Vicksburg lay a swampy region intersected by numerous bayous. After several skirmishes it was found impossible to force a passage through the swamps, which were passable only by narrow causeways, commanded by Confederate batteries, and the attempt was abandoned after a few days.

"In the last of these skirmishes I was severely wounded and was left unnoticed by my comrades in a dense canebrake upon their return to the Yazoo after the attempt had failed. I lay for some time in a semiconscious condition, securely screened from the eyes of my enemies, as I had been, unfortunately, from those of my friends. My condition was truly deplorable, for I was not only seriously wounded and weak from the loss of blood, but the causeway was now patrolled by Confederate soldiers, and even were it otherwise the Federal troops had probably by that time re-embarked on the transport, and should I reach the Yazoo it would only be to fall into the hands of the enemy.

"Without any definite purpose to guide my steps, but impressed by the necessity of leaving a position where I was in danger of being captured, I moved aimlessly through the dense thicket in a direction which led me away from the causeway. A slight frost had rendered the swampy soil more firm, and the chief difficulty encountered was in making my way through the cane and bushes and interlacing vines.

"After slowly groping about in this manner for three or four hours I saw rising ground in front of me and an opening in the thick growth of trees crowning it which I thought indicated a near approach to the abode of man. If my conjecture were correct, temporary relief was at hand, for even enemies would not refuse to aid one in my pitiable condition. Upon reaching the opening in the woods I saw a neat, whitewashed cottage, surrounded by an orchard, a short distance in front of me, while in rear of the house a small, well cultivated farm extended down the opposite slope to a bayou where the oasis abruptly ended.

"Completely exhausted and feeling that even death would be a relief, I painfully made my way to the gate leading through the orchard to the cottage. Upon reaching it I saw in the path before me a tall, beautiful girl, and then I remember nothing more. When I recovered consciousness, I found myself lying in bed in a tastefully furnished room. The conclusion was forced upon me that I had fallen into kind hands, and then, just as I recalled the vision of a beautiful being in white, the girl herself stood before me.

"How can I describe her beauty—her perfection of form? I thought of Murillo's masterpiece, 'The Immaculate Conception,' but here was a beauty transcending the painter's inspiration, and the music of her voice was like the trill of a song bird, softened by the coo of a dove!

"She came forward with some degree of hesitancy and apparent maidenly reserve, and in a tone of sympathy inquired after my condition. She told me that I had been very ill and delirious and had already passed two nights in the house. Her father, she added, was ardently devoted to the southern cause, as she was herself, but they were always ready to respond to the calls of humanity and in ministering to the sick they made no distinction between a Confederate and Union soldier.

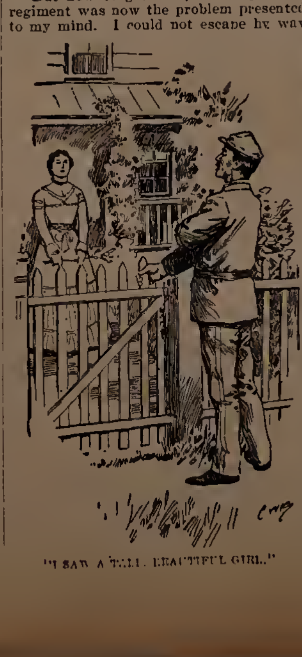
"As you may judge from my enthusiasm, I fell in love with this fair angel of the Yazoo, Olympia Le Moyne. I convalesced rapidly, all too rapidly, for I dreaded the approach of the time when I would be compelled to rejoin my regiment and leave her, perhaps forever. I was soon on a footing of the most friendly intimacy with her father, Francis Le Moyne, who had been at one time engaged in business in New Orleans. Why he and his daughter Olympia had removed to that lonely spot, in a region of swamps and bayous, I did not inquire, and they volunteered no explanation. They were people of refinement, and whatever their motive in so secluding themselves I felt it to be one that could cast no discredit upon them.

"I remained a month in the Le Moyne cottage. Olympia and myself were together on every possible opportunity, and finally she made me supremely happy by confessing that she loved me. How well I remember each separate incident in this delightful and romantic period of my life! I was oblivious of everything but that contained within my narrow environment. Olympia 'was the ocean to the river of my thoughts,' and all my hopes and desires centered in her.

"About the end of January Mr. Le Moyne told me that his son, who was a captain in the Confederate service, had been wounded and was coming home on leave in a few days. He, as well as myself, knew it would be at least embarrassing were we to meet. My cheek mantled with shame when I thought of my comrades fighting the battles of their country while I, an intruder upon the hospitality of the enemies of the cause I loved, was passing my time in happy but inglorious ease.

"I at once sought Olympia and told her I would be compelled to leave on the day following. She exhausted all the resources of a fascinating and beautiful woman to dissuade me, but seeing that all her arts were in vain finally gave a reluctant consent.

"But how to get away and rejoin my regiment was now the problem presented to my mind. I could not escape by way of Vicksburg, and, for anything I knew to the contrary, the banks of the Yazoo might be in possession of the Confederates and their vessels instead of Union gunboats might be patrolling the river.



"I SAW A TALL, BEAUTIFUL GIRL."

"Just at this juncture a scouting party of Union troops from one of our gunboats appeared upon the scene. Among the number I was delighted to see my boon comrade and tent mate, John Douglas, who greeted me with a warmth and enthusiasm which did not require the evidence of tearful eyes to convince me of their earnestness.

"'My dear fellow,' he exclaimed, his face aglow with surprise and pleasure, 'I thought you had gone to the land of shades, and here I find you by the side of a beautiful girl in an Arcadian paradise which seems to have arisen by magic amid the swamps and bayous of the Yazoo river. I let your family know of your disappearance and my fears as to your safety. Now you can let them know that my fears were groundless and that you are still living and ready to fight for the Union, unless,' he continued laughing, 'the beautiful Confederate who just now left your company has converted you to the cause of her people.'

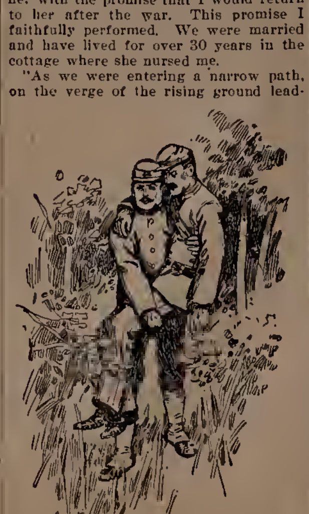
"While we were absorbed in our greetings, Aunt Dinah, a domestic of the household, came hurriedly toward us from the opposite side of the farm. Seeing me, she rushed forward and exclaimed excitedly:

"'Massa, massa! De Confeds are comin shua—a whole reg'ment. Youse habe time yet to 'scape, if yuah lebe now.'

"Though doubting the accuracy of the faithful creature's account, so far as the strength of the enemy was concerned, we deemed it prudent to avoid encounter with them, if possible, as our party numbered but 21.

"I sought Olympia and bade her a tearful, heartbreaking farewell, consoling her with the promise that I would return to her after the war. This promise I faithfully performed. We were married and have lived for over 30 years in the cottage where she nursed me.

"As we were entering a narrow path, on the verge of the rising ground leading to the nearest of the causeways, we saw the Confederates rapidly approaching and in such numbers that there was no possibility of our coping with them. So we rushed along at our outmost speed, our progress being much impeded by interlacing vines, which in some places had fallen across the track and in others hung from the trees just low enough to entangle our heads in their meshes.



"HE BORE ME TO THE BANK OF THE RIVER."

"As we reached the causeway there was no indication of the enemy, and we began to hope that they had not discovered the route we took. We did not slacken our speed, however, and when we had covered most of the distance to the river we saw them following at full speed. Henceforth it was a race in which the stakes were death or captivity and safety. As our leading files had reached the bank of the river a Confederate bullet, fired at long range, hit me in the leg, and I fell helpless into the bushes by the wayside. Our men then fired a volley at the foe, which did some execution and checked their advance.

"Soon after I fell John Douglas was by my side and raised me to my feet. It was impossible for me to walk or even to stand alone, and I begged him to leave me to my fate and save himself from capture or perhaps death. But the noble hearted fellow, not listening to my remonstrances for a moment, picked me up in his powerful arms and bore me to the bank of the river. Our comrades who in the hurry of boarding their boat had not probably missed us, were now beyond hailing distance. Fruitful in resources, my companion rushed to a part of the bank where he saw a plank and, returning at once, placed me on it in the water. Attempting to go on it himself, he found it would not bear us both, so he gave the plank a vigorous push and said:

"'Try to paddle in the direction of the gunboat. They will soon see you and come to your rescue. I can swim.'

"Following his advice and using my hands as paddles, I had made some progress toward the vessel when I saw a rowboat coming to our rescue. My heroic, self sacrificing friend still kept me company. The boat approached nearer and nearer until she was only two lengths away. Then I turned and looked for my friend, and I saw his head disappear beneath the water. I threw myself from the plank into the water in an agony of despair, wishing to share the fate of my comrade, but I was soon rescued and taken into the boat.

"Can you wonder now," he continued, while tears flowed down his pale cheeks, "that I cast a flower wreath on the dark waters of the Yazoo on Memorial day?"

Memorial Day Sentiments.

This is our day for all our patriotic saints and heroes.—General Anderson.

Every boy and girl of 15 should know the names and places which have made American bravery famous throughout the world.—Judge Richards Yates.

The nation that cherishes the graves of its soldiers and assembles to honor them is the nation that preserves and enlarges national life.—Benjamin Harrison.

The nation or country that can grow men of such character and such loftiness of soul that they will go down to death if need be, for a principle can rule the world.—Webster Davis at Arlington.

A Deathless Flower.

His hope is treacherous only whose love dies
With beauty, which is varying every hour.
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Of outward change, there blooms a deathless flower
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A Nation's Tribute to Valor.

Somebody has said that a Gothic cathedral is a petrified religion. On the lines of this quaint aphorism it may with equal force and propriety be contended that the graves of the Union soldier dead tell the story of the most momentous epoch in her history. Responsive to the call of duty and the mandate of patriotism, they had fought and toiled and bled to preserve intact "a new nation conceived in liberty and dedicated to the proposition that all men were created equal," and the flowers that we strew so lavishly upon their graves are as much an expression of the nation's gratitude as they are a beautiful tribute of personal respect for their memory.—Philadelphia Times.

National Cemeteries.

The earliest of the national cemeteries were established in 1861. From that year to 1895 the number grew to 83, which has not been exceeded since. A report made in 1874 by the army inspector of these places shows that there were then interred 308,331 Union soldiers. In addition, there are 7 242 citizens and 21,661 Confederate prisoners of war who share grave space with the patriotic Americans. Of the 308,331 there were 152,117 known and 119,496 unknown white dead soldiers; of colored soldiers there were 13,005 known and 20,505 unknown, and 3,208 unknown and unclassified.—Exchange.

A Red Letter Day.

Memorial day, May 30, has become a red letter day indeed in the American calendar. More than half the states of the Union have made it by law a legal holiday. By common consent thousands upon thousands of loyal people of the land look forward to its observance with a spirit of love, tenderness and thankful appreciation which pertains to none other of the anniversaries they delight to celebrate. The growing esteem in which it is held is a constant tribute to the great organization which instituted and perpetuates it—the Grand Army of the Republic.—New York Tribune.

Heroes In the Ranks.

The unwritten roster of the brave bears many names of men who never rose above the ranks. All honor to them! Thousands earned a place that history has never offered to them. Brave men there were among the privates who died in battle; brave men among those whose suffering was only that of marching soldiers who never heard the minie bullet's deadly song. Heroes all! The nation may not know their honorable names, the nation may not know their honorable deeds, but if the nation finds their honorable graves those graves will be flower decked. It is well.—Exchange.

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H. B. Fisher, a prominent business man of Kalamazoo, Mich., is the guest of old friends in town.——Tax collector C. W. Pond has collected about $800 in back taxes of the $5000 to be collected.——The funeral of Dr. C. M. Newell was held Sunday in East Watertown.——Miss A. S. Farrington is visiting her sister in law, Mrs. Geo. Farrington, in Bristol.——Miss Amelia B. Cook has arrived at her summer place for the season.——Miss Fern Smith of Boston is the guest of Edson W. George.——The Cypress Aid society will give the drama "Me and Otis" in the hall June 20. Following the play a social dance will be held.

MEN OF MARK.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has a Sunday school class of 63 young men at the Fifth Avenue Baptist church, New York.

Frederick B. Whitney, the business manager of the Boston Transcript, who died recently, had been connected with The Transcript for 37 years.

W. A. Pinkerton, the detective, is an advocate of the whipping post for footpads. He says that burglars deserve the same treatment as murderers.

Ex Senator Gorman of Maryland said the other day that he did not seem to look like a politician. "Invariably," he said, "strangers mistake me for either a diplomat or a priest."

Joseph Chidester of Lyndon, Clay county, Mo., calls himself "the solid Republican vote of that town." Out of 262 votes in Lyndon he was the only one who voted for McKinley in 1896. The other 261 voted for Bryan.

Frank Gould's horses are to have a $90,000 building, in which they can take indoor exercise. He has bought for this purpose a plot of ground in the most aristocratic part of New York. The price of the site alone is $80,000.

Andrew Carnegie's reason for giving his money to establish libraries rather than for other charitable purposes is because "libraries give nothing for nothing. In order to get benefit from them a man must help himself, must read and study."

Galusha A. Grow of Pennsylvania has been a member of congress off and on since 1851. His present term will expire March 4, 1901. He was originally elected as a Free Soil Democrat, but is now one of the pillars of the Republican party.

Henry Irving has developed the Yankee trait of answering one question by asking another. He was recently asked, "Has the theater any other mission than to amuse?" Sir Henry replied, "Has food any other mission than to please the palate?"

Senator Baker of Kansas says he started his son, E. Burgoyne Baker, in newspaper work because he believes journalism is the best of training for any young man, no matter whether he intends to keep it up or to go into some other profession.

General de Villebois-Mareuil, who was recently killed while in the Boer service, is said to have amused himself in Paris by writing some love stories for the Parisian papers, which he never allowed to use his name. He was also the author of some valuable military textbooks.

MATRON AND MAID.

Dr. Alice H. Luce of Wellesley college has accepted election as dean of Oberlin university.

Harriet P. Dame, war nurse from New Hampshire, known by name to thousands of Union and Confederate soldiers, died in Concord, N. H., a few days ago.

Dr. Maud Speer of the Tamaqua board of health and Dr. Ida V. Reel, who for seven years has been secretary of the Coatesville health board, are said to be the only women in Pennsylvania to sustain such honors.

Mrs. Alexander Sullivan is the first American woman journalist to be recognized in an official capacity in France. At the opening of the exposition she was given the chair fourth from that of the president of France.

Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst has presented to the University of California a complete equipment for the department of pathology, which will make this department equal to if not greater than that of any university in America.

The people of St. Paul and Minneapolis are raising a fund to pay off a mortgage on the home of Mrs. M. C. Wilkinson, whose husband, Major Wilkinson, was killed in the Indian outbreak at Leech Lake, Minn., in October, 1898.

Mrs. Jerry O'Neill, who recently died at Rockland, Mich., was known to have had money, but she refused to make known its hiding place before she died. The neighbors were called in, and a digging bee was held, resulting in the unearthing of $5,400 in the garden back of the house.

Miss Janet Russell Perkins of Chicago, who recently took the degree of doctor of philosophy at Heidelberg university, has been made a member of several leading German scientific societies. She has passed all her examinations with the highest possible mark that has been given man or woman in these societies.

Mrs. Leland Stanford has given the old Stanford home in Sacramento to Bishop Mora of the Catholic church, together with a $75,000 endowment with which to maintain it as an orphanage. This is the house where Senator Stanford lived for 20 years and where his son, in whose memory the Stanford university was founded, was born.

Mrs. Charles Ewing Green has established an alcove in the Chancellor Green library, Princeton, N. J., to the memory of her husband. It will consist of books on general, ancient and classical philology. This alcove will help to carry out the late Mr. Green's wish of making this library "the best 30,000 volumes for a university reference library in the world."

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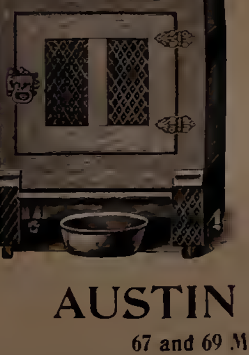

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ANNUAL STATEMENT JAN'Y 1, 1900.

Assets	$126,846,728 45
Liabilities	121,112,039.71
Surplus	5,534,697.74
Insurance in force	$497,600,125.00

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AN ADVERTISEMENT

Simply tells the public what you have got. If you never tell the people don't expect them to ask you. That's all there is to it.

A GRAND ARMY CATECHISM.

Items of Information About the Order of Veterans.

What is the G. A. R.?

An association of veteran soldiers who served in the northern armies between April, 1861, and August, 1865. The first G. A. R. post was instituted at Decatur, Ills., in April, 1866. The posts in the several states are organized into departments, as department of New York, department of Iowa, and so on. The heads of departments bear the title of department commander. The head of the national body is called commander in chief.

What is the uniform?

The uniform varies in the several departments, and many posts adopt an individual pattern. As a rule, the uniform is a modification of former military styles. The prevailing color is dark blue.

Is there any distinctive hat?

The large black hat with gilt cord and deep crease in the crown has become known as the Grand Army hat. Gray hats of the same shape are also much worn. The army fatigue cap with a straight visor has been officially adopted by some posts and departments.

What are the badges worn by the G. A. R. men?

On parade the veterans wear the badges of the army corps in which they served during the war, army society badges, regimental badges and the G. A. R. membership badge surmounted by an eagle and having a five pointed pendant. The G. A. R. badge is an honorary decoration bestowed upon each comrade at the time of his muster into the order.

What does the eagle on the G. A. R. badge signify?

The eagle, perched on crossed cannon and clutching a sword in its talons, is emblematic of defense. The object of its protection is the flag, which is the ribbon of the order.

What do the figures on the center of the star represent?

The Goddess of Liberty stands for loyalty, the soldier and sailor clasping hands for fraternity, and the children symbolize the third virtue held sacred by the order—namely, charity. The star of every badge is made from metal of cannons captured in battle.

What good purpose does the G. A. R. serve?

The order keeps alive the memory of patriotic sacrifices in time of public danger and also carries on an extensive benevolent work in relieving cases of need among disabled veterans and dependent members of the families of veterans, irrespective of the relation of the needy ones to the Grand Army organization. Each post maintains a relief fund sacred to emergency calls, and many millions have been disbursed through this channel.

What is the significance of the G. A. R. button?

The bronze button worn by veterans in the coat lapel is a badge of recognition, being a conspicuous evidence that the wearer is a member of the G. A. R. It is unlawful for any person not a member of the order to wear either the G. A. R. button or official badge.

What is the most imposing feature of Memorial day exercises?

The parade of the veterans and the formal ceremonies of decorating the graves of the dead. Memorial day originated with the G. A. R., having been established by order of Commander In Chief John A. Logan in 1868. The decorations were originally limited to the dead who fell in the war.

Scene: The stone quay of a small fishing village in Cornwall. Two urchins are wrangling at the sea end in somewhat dangerous proximity to the deep water. An old retired salt, "the father of the hamlet," watches these antics for a few minutes from his sunning place against the signal staff, then makes stealthily for the offending pair and administers a sound cuff each, afterward returning complacently to his pipe as the youngsters march tearfully shoreward.

A visitor, having noticed the episode, came up and tackled the old fellow on his seemingly unreasonable molestation.

"They were not harming you in any way," he protested, "so why spoil their games?"

"Well, it be jest this yer way," retorted the veteran after a thoughtful expectoration. "'Tisn't as I cares a darn whether they tumbles in an gets drownded or whether they do stop aboord, 'cos they bean't no kin o' mine. 'Twere the bloomin uncertainty which were agoin ter happen as was too much fer me ter stan it no longer, zo I barbetrates the matter as you zeed."

THE ROLL OF HONOR.

Memorial Day Recalls Names of the Nation's Heroes.

Thirty-five years ago the war was declared at an end, and it is a matter of thankfulness that the nation, preserved by such a costly sacrifice, has never been menaced since by a domestic foe.

As memory recalls in succession on Memorial day the names of the valiant men who have fallen we are more and more impressed with the magnitude of the work they aided to consummate. Note the roll of individual dead, illumined with brilliant deeds and records, all along the vista of time from 1861 down to the present day! The loyal Lyon, the intrepid Ellsworth, the eloquent Baker, the accomplished McPherson, the inflexible Thomas, the manly Fairchilds, the patriotic McDowell, the fiery Hooker, the dashing Kilpatrick, the brave and impetuous Custer, the thoughtful Meade, the conscientious Burnside, the scholarly Garfield, the organizer and inscrutable McClellan, the matchless Logan, the superb Hancock, the peerless Grant, the invincible Sheridan and the unequaled Sherman. Not alone are these familiar and oft repeated names remembered on Memorial day, although their services entitle them to the exalted distinction they hold in the minds and hearts of a grateful people, for even these gifted generals, without the rank and file, who executed their plans and so contributed to their individual fame and glory, would have remained comparatively unknown beyond their friends and the institutions that prepared them for their work.

And if the language of panegyric may be appropriately used when referring to the leaders in statesmanship and war whose genius directed the movements of the citizen soldiery who gave their lives that the nation might be saved, what language can be used that shall give proper praise to the humble heroes who slumber in forgotten and neglected graves whose ashes are mingled with the southern soil and also to those who survived the mighty conflict? The empty sleeves of those who returned, their bent forms, their gray locks and their unsteady steps are all reminders of what they suffered and endured.—Selected.

Nucleus as applied to bee culture signifies a small swarm of bees of from one-fourth to one-tenth of a full colony.

Black bees may easily be changed to Italians by simply removing the black queen and introducing an Italian in her place. This may be done in any hive.

In breeding queens artificially it is very important at first to get good cells from brood that is of the right age for transformation. It is safest to use fully developed cells.

Plenty of storage room has much to do with the swarming of bees. So also has the size of the hive. The honey season also has much to do with it. A very large hive does not give good results.—St. Louis Republic.

A Sprained Ankle Quickly Cured.

"At one time I suffered from a severe sprain of the ankle," says Geo. E. Cary, editor of the Guide, Washington, Va. "After using several well recommended medicines without success, I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm and am pleased to say that relief came as soon as I began its use and a complete cure speedily followed. This remedy has also been used in my family for frost bitten feet with the best results. I cheerfully recommend its use to all who may need a first-class liniment." Sold by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

Bodily pain loses its terror if you've a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil in the house. Instant relief in cases of burns, cuts, sprains, accidents of any sort.

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All the 5c. packages of GARDEN SEEDS we sell for **3c.**, two **5c.**, or **25c.** per dozen. These Seeds are new this year, direct from the CLEVELAND SEED CO.

All kinds of FLOWER SEEDS, **5c.** and **10c.** per package.

All other kinds of Garden Seeds at the lowest prices—HOLTON, MAINE, EARLY ROSE, HEBRONS, NEW QUEENS.

Before buying your Seeds come and see what we can do for you.

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If you have one you are glad of it; if you haven't one you'll be glad to have one. It is not profitable to pay board,

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what you pay in that way will go a long way towards paying for the very furniture you are using. Probably you would prefer to select more modern furnishings.

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per month will pay for furniture and carpets enough to furnish a modern home with all the necessities and comforts enough to make the ordinary mortal supremely happy. We charge no interest. We only ask your promise to pay a little at a time as you earn it and you have the goods set into your house at once.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Patrick Hart to the Medway Savings Bank, a corporation duly established in Medway, in the county of Norfolk, by the laws of Massachusetts, dated May 14, 1891, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 654, folio 551, and by the said Medway Savings Bank assigned said mortgage deed to Peter Hart, dated May 7, 1900, recorded in Norfolk county deeds, for a breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed, will be sold on the premises in Medway, in said Norfolk county, in said Massachusetts, at public auction, on

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at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed. Excepting such lots as have been released under this mortgage deed by said Medway Savings Bank, and known as lots Nos. 50, 60, 71 and 72 on plan of farm plots of the Boston Agricultural City Co. drawn by H. S. Partridge, April 16, 1896, to which reference may be had.

All that certain lot or tract of land situate in said Medway, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the Medway branch railroad bridge on Charles river; thence running southerly on said river ten (10) rods and fifteen (15) links to land formerly of Aaron L. White; thence southwesterly on said White's land to a stone bound; thence running northwesterly across the open plain on a line parallel with the line of said railroad to the Franklin road, so called, bounding on the west by land formerly of Bucknam and Rayner; thence running northeasterly on said Franklin road to the line of the railroad aforesaid (excepting heretofore a house lot of forty and five-tenths (40 5-10) rods conveyed to Edward Eaton, lying near to said railroad); thence southeasterly on said railroad to Charles river aforesaid. Together with all the rights and privileges of water and otherwise belonging to said premises, together with all improvements on said estate, same as described in deed to me from John J. Raynor, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 546, fol. 605.

Also another tract of land in said Medway, and in Franklin, in said county of Norfolk, near to Medway village, so called, containing about thirty (30) acres, be the same more or less, and bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at a point where a town road crosses the old Medway branch railroad; thence running southerly on said road to land formerly of Aaron L. White; thence running southwesterly and bounded southeasterly by said White's land to land sold by Pierce and Ammidown to Edward Eaton; thence continuing to run southwesterly on said Eaton's land (formerly) seventy-three (73) rods and nine (9) links to land formerly of Clark Walker; thence continuing westerly on said Walker's land ten (10) rods and twenty-one and a half (21 1-2) links to a bound; thence continuing to run on said Walker's land westerly ten (10) rods and twenty-one and a half links more to land formerly of Pierce and Ammidown; thence running northerly on Pierce and Ammidown's land twenty-five (25) rods to a bound on other land formerly of said Pierce and Ammidown; thence running easterly fifteen (15) rods and fifteen (15) links on the land last mentioned to a street or way reserved for passage to other parcels of land conveyed by Bucknam and Rayner; thence running northerly on the west line of said street and bounded westerly by land formerly of said Pierce and Ammidown twelve (12) rods and seven (7) links to land formerly of Mrs. Adeline Fuller; thence on Mrs. Fuller's land twelve (12) rods and two and a half (2 1-2) links to a house and lot (since conveyed) of Pierce and Ammidown; thence on said lot five (5) rods and twenty-four and a half (24 1-2) links to land formerly of said Pierce and Ammidown; thence on said last named land to the Franklin road, so called, twenty-eight (28) rods and twenty-four and a half (24 1-2) links; thence running northeasterly on said Franklin road to the line of the old Medway Branch Railroad Company fifty-six (56) rods and six (6) links; excepting therefrom a lot of land containing forty rods and five-tenths (40 5-10) near the said railroad, sold by Bucknam and Rayner to Edward Eaton, as by his deed will appear; thence running southeasterly on land of said railroad company to the town road aforesaid; subject to the reservations contained in deed of said Pierce and Ammidown (see Norfolk Deeds, libro 392, fol. 58, and also plan of various lots drawn by J. C. Lovering in June, 1860.

Also one other tract of land in said Medway, described in a previous mortgage from grantor to grantee. (See Norfolk Registry of Deeds, libro 480, folio 281.

Terms given at time and place of sale.

PETER HART,
Assignee of said mortgagee.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Patrick Hart to the Medway Savings Bank, a corporation duly established in Medway, in the County of Norfolk, by the laws of Massachusetts, dated June 14, 1876, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 480, folio 281, and by the said Medway Savings bank assigned said mortgage deed to Peter Hart, dated May 7, 1900, recorded in Norfolk County Deeds, for a breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed will be sold on the premises in Medway, in said Norfolk county, in said Massachusetts, at public auction, on

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at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

A certain tract of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Medway and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at an elm tree on the southerly side or bank of the water course or canal below the batting mill of Eaton & Wilson, thence in a straight line in a southeasterly direction to land of said Eaton & Wilson one hundred (100) feet more or less to a stake and stones which is fifty (50) feet southerly from said canal, in the northerly line of said Eaton & Wilson's land; thence southerly on said Eaton & Wilson's land eighty-four and a half (84 1-2) feet more or less to a stake and stones at a corner; thence westerly on said Eaton & Wilson's land one hundred and seventy (170) feet more or less to Populatic street; thence southeasterly by a varying line around the engine house upon said street, and land formerly of the Medway Branch Railroad Co. to Charles river, near the railroad bridge over said river; thence in a general northwesterly course by said river to the place of beginning at the elm tree, said tract containing ten (10) acres more or less, and was conveyed to said grantor by Edward Eaton and M. M. Fisher and was a part of the Clark Walker farm. Terms given at time and place of sale,

PETER HART,
Assignee of said mortgage.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West...........	7.20 A. M.
Providence..............................	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces..........	9.30 "
West and South.........................	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces..........	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South.........................	5.10 "
Providence..............................	6.40 "
Boston and East........................	6.40 "
Milford..................................	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence..............................	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces..........	8.45 A. M.
West and South.........................	9.00 "
Milford..................................	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces..........	11.30 M.
West and South.........................	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces..........	4.30 "
North, South, East and West...........	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Mrs. Thomas A. Clark is quite seriously ill.

O. W. Bughee of Willimantic is here for a few days.

Mrs. Nellie Miller of Milford spent Wednesday with friends in town.

The condition of Henry Byrnes is reported to be somewhat improved.

Rev. Father Lee returned Monday from a week's stay in New York state.

Not all of the dogs are licensed. The dog officer will be appointed this month.

Miss Mary Hurley of Boston is visiting Miss Mary O'Sullivan of Pleasant street.

A new Plummer steam heater is being put into L. R. Whitaker's house by Hosie Bros.

Nearly two miles of track was laid on the Franklin-Medway electric route last week.

Dean is booked to play the Thayer academy nine on the campus tomorrow afternoon.

Manager McKinnon has decided to give Hotel Briggs a new name, calling it Hotel Windsor.

Spence & Granger removed Monday from Depot street to the Rogers shop on Cottage street.

Edward Whitaker will move from McCarthy street to the house of Eudora Cargill, Summer street.

Mr. Newell commences today, and if you treat him right you'll find that the census man isn't a "bogey man."

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Darling and daughter, of Providence, are the guests for a week of Mr. and Mrs. Orin Fiske.

The Misses Elizabeth, Gertrude and Mary McCormick of Roxbury were the guests of Mrs. Desmond on West street Wednesday.

The field meeting at City Mills for June 6 is postponed one week (June 13) on account of the Pomona grange meeting at Foxboro.

Ornamental flowering plants are being set out in profusion about A. M. Thayer's new place, a landscape gardener having the matter in charge.

Fred Gratton of Unionville set sixty-six eggs in his new incubator three weeks ago, and removed sixty five lively little chicks Monday.

The Haywards and a picked nine met in friendly rivalry with bat and ball on Wednesday, the latter retiring winners by a score of 14 to 13 and an interesting game.

Supt. and Mrs. E. D. Daniels have taken a cottage at Lake Pearl for the month of June just adjoining the one occupied by Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Rockwood.

Mrs. A. H. Morse is on her way home from California, where she has been spending the winter. Upon the Morse lot in the cemetery on Memorial day was a floral piece, the words "From California" being marked with red berries.

The school committee have two petitions, one asking for the reopening of the South Franklin school, and the other for the present arrangement to continue. As yet the committee have taken no action in repairing the house, which must have considerable repairs.

Thursday afternoon the assessors had a picnic. They went to view a tract of woodland in the northern part of the town burned over recently. It was a walk in the woods that failed to appeal to the poetic spirit of assessors, even, and they care not for more.

Frank W. Derby of the Millers River National bank, Athol, was in town today looking up the proofs of death of Agustus Waldemeyer, who was a member of the lodge of the United Workmen of that place. This indicates how promptly that organization looks after its death claims.

At the meeting of St. Mary's parishioners in Music hall on Tuesday evening the 250 members present voted unanimously in favor of repairing the church, and P. Henry O'Donnell was appointed to confer with Rev. Father Lee in regard to the matter. The conference was held on Wednesday.

Electric connection is now possible between Franklin and the Providence river by taking the trolley to Woonsocket, from there to Manville, where the Interstate connects direct into Providence. Later, when the Wrentham and Attleboro branch is completed, the route will be somewhat shortened.

The following were neither absent or tardy during the month of May at Primary No. 2: Carleton Corbin, Ervin Cummings, Walter Bristow, Irvin Daniels, Edwin Ferrer, Harry Gray, Herbert Gray, Carl Johnson, George Joyce, Walter Palmer, Esmah Metcalf, Mildred Rockwood, Grace Russell.

The new Dictionary of the Bible now being issued by the Scribners and edited by some of the most eminent and scholarly men of the present time may be found, so far as issued, at the Franklin library. The "Life of Mr. Moody" by his son, may also be found there. Some other additions have recently been made to the book list.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin are having a few days' hunting and fishing in New Brunswick, their headquarters being Rock Haven camp. They report the fishing as remarkably good and the hunting all that could be desired, as both the doctor and Mrs. Martin shot a bear last week. The weather has been cold there the past few days, with heavy frost.

Manager Enegren was nearly overwhelmed by the crowds which took possession of Lake Pearl on Memorial day, the trolley cars, private carriages, bicycles, etc., furnishing means of conveyance to that cool and pleasant outing place. He did not anticipate quite such a rush, but says another time he will be all fixed to handle all who come, and with the electric cars running regularly he will have large crowds right along.

In referring to Representative Burrington's position on the Westminster Chambers matter in Tuesday's issue perhaps we should have added that when Representative Ames, who was paired with Prof. Burrington, discovered that his neglect to announce his pair with our representative was subjecting the latter to unfair criticism he at once hastened to apologize in the house, thus setting matters right in so far as it lay within his power.

The Mothers' section met last Friday with Mrs. Alice Abbott, selecting the following officers for the year ensuing: Chairman, Mrs. Mittie E. Whitaker; secretary, Mrs. Mary Fisher Johnson; treasurer, Mrs. Sarah Talbot; executive committee, Mrs. Marion Nye, Mrs. Lucy B. Knapp, Mrs. Alice I. Rockwood. The meetings have been of unusual interest and have been well attended. Many helpful subjects have been discussed by the members and outside speakers have contributed valuable thoughts.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Sleeper were the recipients of a generous May basket Thursday evening after their return from the evening meeting. It was a genuine surprise to them when the door bell rang and they found a large basket laden with many good things on the piazza, too heavy for them to handle. About fifty of the Baptist church people were standing near by in the shadows and came to their assistance. An hour or more was spent in songs and social cheer. The substantial blessings in the May basket will be appreciated for many days to come.

Memorial day is a time for reunions in every place in our country and Ivywild, North Franklin, was no exception. J. B. Sanger and family of Natick, W. H. Sanger and family of Dorchester, A. E. Sanger of Boston and A. H. Sanger of Chelsea (thirteen bearing the name of Sanger), also G. B. Blackwell and Miss Jennie Rice of North Attleboro, with Misses Burr and Bullard, all cousins more or less remote, enjoyed the day with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sanger. They felt honored to have one bearing the name who wore the badge of the G. A. R., a veteran of the Civil war. Patriotic songs and reminiscences were the order of the day till the last "good bye" was waved at its close, with many a fervent wish for another reunion in the future.

The trolley lines to Milford and Medway by way of North Bellingham and Caryville were well patronized on Memorial day, the cars running on half-hour time, the delay at North Bellingham being the only unpleasant feature. The waiting here was somewhat alleviated by the refreshment booth put up by C. O. Whitney. The comfortable chairs and cooling shade seemed like an oasis in the desert. Connection with the Medway cars at North Bellingham was better, and at Medway the Norfolk Western people had a car waiting going east. The Lake Pearl cars were crowded nearly every trip, and on the whole the trolley line people have every reason to feel pleased at the patronage afforded.

After a brief illness Augustus Waldemeyer died at his home on Crescent street at 6.30 Wednesday morning. He was taken suddenly ill with an epileptic fit early on Monday and remained unconscious to the time of his death. Mr. Waldemeyer was a skilled cabinet maker and had been employed in the Clark machine and foundry works for a number of years past. He came here with his family from Athol about eight years ago and was first employed at the Trowbridge piano manufactory. He was born in Germany 50 years ago and leaves a widow, one daughter and a son, the latter being at present in California. The funeral was held at 9 o'clock this morning from St. Mary's chapel, when a requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Lee. There was a large attendance of mourning friends, and beautiful floral pieces from the family, employees of the Clark works, pupils of the ninth grade of St. Mary's school and others were placed upon the casket.

The readings by Dr. Hodge at the Universalist chapel Wednesday evening were well attended, the audience filling the chapel. Considering that Dr. Hodge has read gratuitously many times an that on this occasion an admission fee was charged, Dr. Hodge must feel it a compliment that this was one of his largest audiences. He read from Dickens' "Holiday Romance," the first part, a selection new to most of the audience; and also the chapter from "Dombey and Son," entitled "The Midshipman Makes a Discovery." The representation of Captain Cuttle was given with a deep appreciation of that essentially Dickensian character and was greatly enjoyed by the audience, the awkward rough tenderness of the captain being brought out with care and discrimination. After the reading the audience remained to the refreshments which followed. A brief program of music and recitations followed, Misses Corbin, Nixon, Metcalf, Grant and Newman taking part. By special request Dr. Hodge repeated some dialect anecdotes which he was known to have given somewhere else, greatly amusing the audience. The whole affair was a pleasant success.

Satisfactorily Settled.

There was a ripple of excitement on the street Tuesday afternoon over the report that the selectmen had refused permission for the Lake Pearl electrics to run, which would prevent the crowds from enjoying transportation on Memorial day, and thus disappoint many. This proved not to be the case, beyond this fact: While the cars could cover the distance all right, yet the roadbed, as to the width of highway and manner of leaving it, was not in all places such as to commend the work to the selectmen, and they did not wish to forfeit their right in the matter by permitting the cars to run without a distinct understanding that the road would shortly be put in satisfactory condition. Deputy Sheriff Fitzpatrick served the paper upon Superintendent Young, who turned it over to Treasurer E. K. Ray. He immediately sought the selectmen, who assured him that all they desired to do was to protect the town in its rights. Selectman McCarthy and Mr. Ray, with a number of the others of the town officials, then rode over to Lake Pearl and inspected the road, Supt Young sending the car back from the lake to Franklin in a trifle less than fifteen minutes. Mr. Ray assured the selectman that he would attend to the matter as speedily as possible, and the road was open for transportation the day following.

Alden Club Meeting.

The Alden club was called to order by the president, Mrs. Ray, on last Monday evening, for the annual election of officers. The reports of the secretary and treasurer for the past year showed an increase in membership of sixteen and $160 in the treasury. The club voted $3.00 to the Longfellow Memorial fund of Washington. Mrs. Addie E. Winsor, Mrs. Marion Nye and Mrs. James F. Ray were elected delegates to the Mass. State Federation on June 15, and Mrs. E. K. Ray and Mrs. Charles Whiting were elected delegates to the National Biennial Federation, which meets in Milwaukee in June.

Miss Ham as chairman of the reception committee for the social meeting of May 14 suggested that a vote of thanks be tendered to Mrs. Ray and Mrs. Whiting for the excellent music which the club enjoyed on that evening. Mrs. Whiting engaged Mr. Kerr at her own expense, and the other artists were secured through the generosity of Mrs. Ray. A most delightful break in the business of the evening was the reading by Miss King of the Alden club history from the magazine, this number having been omitted on the magazine evening. The magazine has been printed in a

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MEMORIAL DAY.

Touching and Tender Tributes to Fallen Comrades in Arms.

Nearly perfect weather marked the annual Memorial day on Wednesday affording the veterans and their friends a magnificent opportunity to fittingly commemorate the day. To the rapidly thinning ranks the day cannot be other than a hard one, commencing as it does at early morning and lasting till late afternoon, with its usual accompanying dust, heat, etc., and only the high spirit of devotion which actuates them would ever induce them to undergo the hardships of the day. But with the same feeling of duty which led them to offer themselves in the service of their country in '61 they now offer themselves to the arduous work of keeping alive the memory and deeds of their fallen comrades. That this same spirit of devotion finds so little response in the hearts of their countrymen is indeed a sad commentary on the American people.

The veterans, the Woman's Relief corps and the Sons of Veterans went first to Norfolk, where they followed out the program laid down in decorating the graves and enjoyed lunch, returning to the town hall where the exercises by the school children and the address by Rev. Mr. Sleeper were enjoyed. Then to City Mills, where the decorations were made.

At Norfolk Rev. Mr. Sleeper dwelt especially upon the life and services of the late Rev. Daniel Rounds, who had been one of the most faithful members and chaplains of the G. A. R. for more than twenty years. The reference to Chaplain Rounds was especially pleasing to the soldiers, who had known and loved him for so many years. At City Mills the speaker alluded to the greeting of flowers which was given the Northerners in the city of Richmond a few years ago, indicating the fraternal feeling which those of the Southland bore to their Northern brethren.

Misses Lilian Coleman and Clara Laycock, who served so finely as flag girls on Sunday, attended the Post going to Norfolk and City Mills. Doubtless the girls enjoyed this very much and it was certainly highly appreciated by the soldiers.

Upon their return here, accompanied by the Norfolk band, they repaired to G. A. R. hall, where the ladies had arranged a most appetizing dinner, and full justice was done thereto. After the dinner there were addresses by Selectman Gallison, Revs. Hodge and Sleeper, the substance of which we append below:

Dr. Gallison extended in behalf of his colleagues the hearty greetings of the town to Post 60 and its associates; called attention to the early spring days of '61 and its rapidly moving events; pictured the acts of the south in reducing the army, scattering the navy and robbing the United States treasury; told of the indifference of the north to the overt acts of rebellion of the troops of South Carolina; the firing into the Star of the West in January, 1861; the attack upon Fort Sumpter and its defence by Anderson with the United States troops; recalled the army of "southern chivalry," edicts of secession and defiance of the north; the indifference of the north until the call for troops; pictured the arousing of the men of the north; the acts of John Brown at Harper's Ferry; his death upon Virginia gallows; told of Admiral Farragut at the battle of Mobile bay; the acts of Sherman's arm, "the resistless human current that swept from Atlantic to the sea;" Phil Sheridan at Winchester; the battles of Lookout Mountain, Vicksburg, Shiloh, Fredericksburg; the determination of northern troops, "never daunted or discouraged by defeat;" hand-to hand at Gettysburg, "windrows of heroic dead;" fall of Richmond, "Let us have peace;" the flags and their silent story in the state house dome eloquent memorials of heroic strife; bloody endeavor and martyrs' death; reminders of the curse of slavery and the energy of a free people; justice to the freed man and the keeping in endless memory the men who fell; referred to the silent wing of the G. A. R. surging over the dark river to form again upon the shores of the ocean of eternity; when the last survivor shall have paid his lonely visit to the ranks of his dead comrades may their memory be kept green by the acts of their sons and successors; may the high purpose of Memorial day never be lost sight of or transformed into a thoughtless desecration of the memory of those whose lives and services were devoted to their country.

Commander Bird introduced Rev. Dr. Hodge as a friend and speaker whose humorous anecdotes had in previous years done so much to enliven the occasion of Memorial day. Beginning thus with a reputation to sustain, Dr. Hodge amused the assemblage for some minutes with witty stories and illustrations, evoking applause and laughter. He then said that as the years go by we see more and more the results of the work done by the men who made the bloody sacrifices of the Civil war. We should not have humbled so easily the proud and insolent power of Spain had not the men who wore the blue, or their sons, been able to stand side by side with the men who loved the gray. We would not be reaching out across the seas, establishing great lines of trade which are to make the twentieth century such a magnificent era in the world's life if we were not a united people. The consequences of the battles fought in the early sixties were now revealing themselves and would go on revealing themselves in the wonderful years to come. If the souls that went up through the battle smoke look out upon the happenings of the after years they must surely feel that all their sacrifice and labor have by no means been in vain.

Rev. Mr. Sleeper jocosely said that the Memorial time of 1900 was especially significant because it had so much of the "sleeper" in it; a Sleeper in the pulpit, in the cemeteries, at the dinner table and for an after-dinner toast. He alluded to the very solemn fact that 31,000 soldiers during the past year had passed from the scenes of earth into eternity.

At 2 o'clock the line was set in motion to the Beaver street cemetery, Marshal Corson having as aids Charles O. Greene of Norfolk and Daniel Norris of Boston, a colored man well known in this vicinity. Led by the band the line moved up Main street to the cemetery, joined by this time by a large number of carriages and persons on foot. At the cemetery Chaplain Fales read the prayer and Comrade Jackson read Lincoln's address at Gettysburg, the children of St. Mary's church sang, the graves were decorated, each veteran being accompanied upon the rounds by one of the school children. The salute to the dead was the closing feature.

The march was again taken up to the Union street cemetery, being joined here by the children from the public schools, who sang under the direction of Principal Frazer. The graves were decorated and the beautiful service by the ladies of the Corps for the unknown dead was then performed. Two lads from the Norfolk school recited a war poem with effectiveness and were greeted with applause. They had done the same thing at Norfolk and City Mills and received merited applause. Commander Bird read the Gettysburg address and Senior Vice Commander Jackson made the prayer. Rev. Dr. Sneath then delivered a brief address, the substance being as follows:

You have again fulfilled the beautiful custom of strewing flowers upon the graves of your departed comrades. And it is a beautiful custom—one which shall continue to be observed through the coming years. The children taught in the schools the great facts of the Civil and the results thereof will ever appreciate the efforts of the men in blue and show their gratitude by the continuance of this simple memorial service. There is a race which as yet has not had the opportunity to show its heartfelt gratitude. The colored man will in time be able to let it be known how much he values the work of the Northern soldier. I often wish he might be privileged to do so today, before all the men of the Grand Army have gone. If on one Memorial day all the preachers and orators could be colored men it would prove a most helpful movement to the colored man and a satisfaction to the soldier. I also believe that in the new century organizations will with new interest carry forward the work that is being done today by the G. A. R. Just as various societies are at the present time honoring in special ways the heroes of the Revolution, so will new organizations, the Sons of Veterans and the Relief corps, do the same for the men of the Civil war. Finally, God above will never forget the men who went forth to battle, saved a nation from disruption, redeemed an enslaved race and gave to this nation a new impetus to become the peer of the nations of the world and a blessing to other nations in need.

One interesting feature of the parade was the presence of two veterans of the Spanish war, the two brothers Schaefer from City Mills, Valentine of the navy and Jacob of the army, interesting letters from both of whom we have been privileged to publish. One carried Capt. Sommers' naval flag and the other bore the Sons of Veterans' flag, whose guests they were.

Richardson's Market.

Less meat and more vegetables this weather is the best; have some choice spring vegetables such as new peas, ripe tomatoes, choice beets, juicy rhubarb, the succulent string beans, etc. Fresh killed poultry, home killed veal, selected cuts of beef, prime pieces of corned beef, the best butter in town, strawberries, full baskets and finely flavored fruit. We will leave you a box daily if you desire during the season.

Don't Bother

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Fine hair cutting, smooth shaving, razors honed and put in order. Ochee the barber.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Electric Road Attractions.

The theatre at Hoag lake is rapidly nearing completion. The floor is all laid and soon the pleasures of this beautiful spot, which is being improved greatly by the street railway company, will be ready to be enjoyed. The building being erected will cost about $5,000 and there will be a building for refreshments. Cars will run from Woonsocket to the lake every 15 minutes this summer, and to allow for the new service a side track will be built at Rand's crossing. This turnout will be 400 feet long and give a good chance for fast service over the lines.

The cars began running on the half-hour schedule on the Franklin-Woonsocket route yesterday and will leave 15 minutes of and after the hour. The roadbed has been rebuilt in order that the speed might be increased and is now up to steam railroad standard. On all the curves the outside track has been elevated and braces put on, so that it is almost impossible for the rails to spread. There was need of this improvement, not only on account of the faster time, but also because of the weight of the big bloomer cars, having a capacity of nearly twice as many passengers as the smaller ones.

A Valuable Periodical.

The Y. P. C. U. Post Office Mission of the Universalist church have lately subscribed for the "Conklin Tracts," a weekly publication of sermons, essays and addresses, in exposition of the Universalist faith and practice, which is issued by Rev. Charles Conklin of Springfield. These leaflets are all written by men and women of exceptional ability and will be found most interesting and helpful.

Rev. W. C. Crowe, D. D., of New York City, who recently gave a remarkably fine lecture on "Shakespeare, at Dean academy, has written two of the series, "Universalist Idea of God" and "Universalist Idea of the Bible." Rev. W. C. Selleck has one on "The Truth About the Holy Spirit." Rev. I. M. Atwood, D. D., one on "Why the Universalist Church?" and Rev. Almon Gunnison, D. D., president of St. Lawrence university, one on "The God We Make and Worship." Other important ones in the series are "Thoughts on Immortality," Rev. Lee McCollister; "The Opportunity of the Universalist Church," Rev. Asa Saxe, D. D.; "Why a Mother Should be a Universalist," Rev. Abbie Danforth; "A Man With a Will of His Own," Rev. C. W. Biddle, D. D.; "God's Goodness, Man's Salvation," Rev. Henry Ward Beecher.

The sermon recently given in Boston by Rev. Lyman Abbott, D. D, "Why I am Not a Universalist," and the reply to it by Prof. Tousey of Tufts college have been published together in book form, also a sermon by Rev. D. M. Hodge, D. D., on "Shall Men Resist God Forever?"

Any person wishing any of these leaflets or sample numbers of the "Universalist Leader," the church paper, can have them free of charge by applying in person or by letter to the P. O. Mission Committee, Miss May Fales, (chairman) Miss Mary Farnum, Mrs. H. B. Haslam, Mrs. Addie Morey, George F. Grant.

Emerson's Market.

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Up stairs tenement to let on Central street. Inquire of A. M. Haggart. 6tf

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Orders for Allen's wood yard taken here can be transmitted by telephone at once.

Two pleasant rooms to let at 16 Cottage street. Apply there or at SENTINEL office. 29

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 18-tf

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FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 1900.

A Choice of Evils.

The regular monthly temperance meeting was held on Sunday evening in the Congregational church. A large audience was present and Revs. Hodge, Sawyer, Cook and Sneath occupied the pulpit and took part in the services. Rev. Mr. Sneath spoke upon the theme, "The South Carolina Dispensary System or No License." Mr Sneath said: There is a tendency in certain quarters in Massachusetts to introduce the South Carolina method of dealing with the liquor problem. Last one year ago the temperance cause, organ of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence Society intimated that it might be "the scheme on which the temperance forces of Massachusetts could unite". More recently the committee on temperance of the general association of Congregational churches of Massachusetts in its annual report, while not commending the dispensary system, nevertheless suggest that some such modified measures as this is needed in communities where a no license vote is impossible. Under state regulation in South Carolina there are about one hundred dispensaries and no saloons. It requires a majority vote or signed petition in any community to have a dispensary. The place must be fitted up in plain style and is open only from sunrise to sunset, but not open on Sunday, holidays and election days. The agent of the dispensary is appointed by the state, given a salary, must be of temperate habits, must sell only pure liquors, put up in packages and sealed by the state chemist. No liquors are to be drank on the premises, no less than one half pint and not more than five gallons are to be sold at one time to one customer. All liquors must be purchased by means of an application blank and none are to be sold to minors, intoxicated persons, habitual drunkards and to persons to a family who have made complaint. The books are open to the public. The [illegible] are divided by the [illegible] among the [illegible] for the [illegible]. [illegible] It is [illegible] claimed that [illegible] use of stronger [illegible] increase of [illegible]. [illegible] here are now only one hundred dispensaries, and before the system was [illegible]. Theoretically the system appears a most admirable one, but the following objections show the superiority of the no-license system: First, its alliance with politics and the use of a moral movement to strengthen a political machine. It has a state board of commissioners, there are agents to be appointed, places to be rented, liquors to be sold, etc. This alliance with politics has been the most damaging factor in the administration of the plan. Second, the tendency to increase the number of dispensaries each year for revenue, to lower taxes and to provide places for political appointees. Third, incapable and dishonest agents and officials, leading to impure liquors, illegal sales and dishonest returns. Fourth, many of the good features are not enforced because there is not community sentiment to demand it. Fifth, the "blind tigers" or places of illicit sales are not conquered any more than under other systems. Sixth, the ethical question arises whether an open place for the sale of liquors, the proceeds of which are to be appropriated to the support of the public schools, will prove a temperance education for the rising generation in the direction of moderation, if not total abstinence. It is to be feared that it will not. Seventh, it is a contest with the liquor problem like the no-license measure, but with only a partial result. There is no outlook for prohibition: it has a quasi-sanction of the good people and its tendency is in the direction of a state monopoly of the liquor business to be controlled by the political party in power. Franklin certainly is not willing to surrender the system it possesses today, with all its imperfections, for a new method, only seven years on trial, and which has attached to it so many evils and uncertainties.

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Alden Club Meeting.

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most attractive form and can be purchased of Miss King, Miss Blake at the National bank or Miss Lovering at Nye's dry goods store.

Mrs Whitaker reported the work of the Mothers' section, inviting all mothers in the club to join them another year.

Term limit of office was discussed at some length, and it was voted to elect three directors for a term of two years and to elect three auditors each year for a term of one. The offices of secretary and treasurer, president and vice-presidents are to have no term limit. The balloting resulted in the election of Mrs. Margaret L. Ray, president; Mrs. Mary A. Wiggin and Miss Lydia P. Ray, vice-presidents; Mrs. Ella Sneath, recording secretary; Miss Bertha Hood, corresponding secretary; Miss Frances King, treasurer; Mrs. Marion Nye, Mrs. Ella Sneath, Mrs. Annabelle Woodward auditors, and Mrs. Mabel P. Doe, Mrs. Mabel Mason and Miss Laura Blake directors for two years.

The hospitality committee had arranged a most attractive and pretty table in one corner of the hall and served dainty refreshments during the social hour.

Two Americans.

Mr. Hardhead (crazy [illegible])—Ah ha! Caught you at last, have I? I understand, sir, that you have been calling me a liar and a thief, and a [illegible] scoundrel, a wife-beater and a bigamist and a drunkard.

Mr. Greathead—Really you surprise me. I have no recollection of—

Mr. Hardhead (hotly)—I know it's true. Mr. Goodheart said he heard you.

Mr. Greathead—Goodheart? I remember now what you refer to. But that my friend, was during the election campaign.

Mr. Hardhead—Oh! The campaign! Beg pardon. What'll you take?—N. Y. Weekly.

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MEMORIAL DAY.

Look! There are younger faces
That pass in the ranks today
In step with the veteran soldiers
Who [illegible] the gray.
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The jacket [illegible] canvas
A[illegible]

Brave [illegible] fathers,
That [illegible]
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THE GRAVE ON THE HILLSIDE.

"Only for that it would be perfect," sighed little Mrs. Leonard as her eyes wandered over the lovely scene outspread before her and then returned again and again to rest on one obnoxious spot.

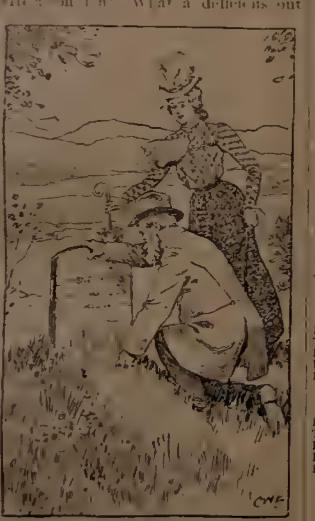
"Look in another direction," suggested her husband. He was a grave, middle aged professor of chemistry, generally much amused by the whims and vagaries of the pretty young wife he had lately taken to himself, but this jarred upon him. It seemed to imply a small weakness of nature, a lack of delicate, womanly sympathy.

Cynthia pouted. "I can't," she said. "It's my favorite bit of all, the view across the valley under those two great trees to the hills beyond. I wanted to go over and sit there every day with my books and the guitar. We could put up a hammock. The sunsets would be enchanting from that point, and on moonlight nights—oh Robert!"

She slipped her hand into his arm caressingly. Leonard smiled down at her. After all, she was nothing but a spoiled child, a butterfly whose joyous existence had been passed in the sunshiny gardens of life. Why should he expect her to divine instinctively, as he did, that some sad story must be connected with the lonely grave on the hillside, in which she saw only a reminder of unpleasant things to spoil her enjoyment of the summer? He had been strongly impressed by the hint of a tragedy, and when he was negotiating with the agents for the purchase of the deserted farm he tried to find out something of the history of the family to whom it had once belonged. But their dealings with the owner had been confined strictly to business, and they could throw no light upon the past. The professor meant to pursue his inquiries when the proper time should come and they should have made the acquaintance of some of their neighbors.

Meantime an army of workmen had transformed the old red farmhouse into a luxurious country home, and Mrs. Leonard, arriving the day before to take possession, was charmed and delighted at the taste and thoughtfulness her husband had displayed. Only, whether she paced the wide veranda on the front of the house or sat at the window in her own dainty morning room up stairs or hovered over the boxes of flowers on the balcony, her eyes were drawn as if by a spell to the grassy knoll a few rods distant, topped by the tall twin elms. Below it the land fell away to a rich, fertile valley and then far off in the distant west swelled upward again to dim, purple [illegible]. No other point in the large estate [illegible] just such a ravishing prospect as that framed by the [illegible] of the old elms, and [illegible] feeling of disagreeable [illegible] a silent occupant [illegible] was presently [illegible] resentment.

What a capital place it would be to [illegible] her [illegible] house parties for afternoon tea! What a delicious out of door parlor could be made there! But, no; the presence of the green mound with the weather stained slab of marble at its head put all plans of that sort out of the question. The more she reflected upon it the greater grew her annoyance and she could think or speak of little else to her husband's bewilderment and chagrin.



THE PROFESSOR DROPPED ON HIS KNEES BEFORE THE HEADSTONE.

When he had smiled at her so indulgently after her wistful "Oh, Robert!" an idea darted into her mind, at which she took new heart.

"Surely something can be done about it!" she murmured, appealing to him.

"Well, what, my dear? To be sure we can have the house turned to face another way."

"That would be dodging the [illegible] [illegible] and we [illegible]

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The Woman's Page.

"Why don't you have a woman's page in your paper?" asked the visitor from "town."

"We have," said the editor of the Jazeville Gazette. "I always use the [illegible] page for the births, deaths, marriages and divorce suits."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Draw.

Tommie—Hello, Jimmie, what kep' you?

Jimmie—Me an' the ol' man had an arg'ment. He wanted me to haul some wood into the back yard.

Tommie—How did it end?

Jimmie—In a draw—I drawed it in. —N. Y. Truth.

Brave Men Fall

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, run down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Idaville, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is all run down, and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store. Every bottle guaranteed.

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Southern senators are almost proverbially long lived, and attention is called to the fact that Senator Vest of Missouri is 70 years old, Senator Cockrell of the same state 66, Senator Morgan of Alabama 76, Senator Bacon of Georgia 61, Senator Bate nearly 75 aad Senator Pettus of Alabama 79.

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Due Depositors	$559,910 72	
Guarantee Fund	27,752 79	
Profit and Loss Account	6,218 89	
Interest Account	6,686 13	
Real Estate Income Account	184 13	
Tax account	82 25	
		$600,835 31

ASSETS.

Real Estate by Foreclosure	$20,761 00	
Town and City Bonds	7,071 25	
Bank Stock	28,189 32	
Railroad Bonds	156,362 50	
Loaned on Bank Stock	6,350 00	
" " Mortgages	166,360 00	
" " Personal Securities	144,766 86	
" " Railroad Stock	11,000 00	
Bank Books	1,500 00	
Town Notes	5,000 00	
Expense Account	724 03	
Bank Furniture	600 00	
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THE GRAVE ON THE HILLSIDE.

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off. Why can't you have the grave removed? I have read of such things being done, and there was a pretty little cemetery we passed on the way from the station. I have no doubt the rest of his people are buried in it."

Lennard looked wonderingly at the sweet, fair face upturned to him and listened more wonderingly still to the hard matter of factness of her voice. Were all women such mysteries? The intricacies of organic chemistry were as nothing to the complex structure of one feminine mind as it had already been revealed in his brief matrimonial experience.

"Suppose we walk over to the knoll," was all the answer he vouchsafed. "Remember, you have not seen it except from a distance, and perhaps the morbid sensitiveness you feel about it may disappear when you find what a peaceful, pleasant spot it is."

"No, no!" cried Cynthia, shrinking back. But he caught her and swept her after him, half laughing, half serious, down the steps and across the sunlit sward.

Peaceful and pleasant it certainly was in the cool shadows of the great trees, where the liquid note of a woodthrush drifting downward through the boughs was the only sound that broke the stillness. The professor dropped on his knees before the headstone, parting the grasses that had grown up and hidden the name cut upon it.

ABNER PETTIS,
Died May 10, 1862.
Aged 29,

he read, then added quietly as if to himself, "A soldier, maybe."

"Wait. There's something more," said Cynthia, who was poking the toe of her little shoe deep down among the clover blooms.

Lennard pushed aside the thick tufts of green and, standing out in larger letters, saw the one significant word of an epitaph:

"COWARD!"

The hot blood rushed stinging to his cheeks as he released the merciful leaves and blossoms that sprang back into place, shutting out the dead man's shame.

"What does that mean?" asked Cynthia in a hushed tone, awed not so much by the inscription as by her husband's emotion. He moved away from the grave a step or two and, seating himself in the long grass, drew her down to his side.

"It means that we can't be blind to the sorrows and sadness of other lives, little one. They rise up and confront us wherever we go. Very likely we shall never know anything more about Abner Pettis than we know now, but this glimpse of his history is enough to convince me there must have been a reason why they laid him in this lovely spot. And I am sure it was by his own desire. Dear, you can't grudge it to him."

"I don't know," returned Mrs. Lennard slowly. "It seems to me a coward is a pretty poor specimen of humanity. And to have it on his tombstone too!"

> "The evil that men do lives after them;
> The good is oft interred with their bones,"

quoted the professor. "We are ignorant of the circumstances. Perhaps in his place you and I would have been cowards too."

"You?" She broke into soft, incredulous laughter. His manliness and courage had appealed to her above everything else. They were the very foundations of her love for him. "You run from an enemy?"

"Sometimes the coward stays and fights, the brave man walks away," answered Lennard, fixing a long gaze on the misty hills.

"But not in battle, Robert!" she protested. "That is only in a moral scrap."

"The moral scraps are the mighty battles of the world, sweetheart, and they are being fought all about us every day, unseen, unheard. Their victims fall by thousands. Even those who come out of them bear scars they carry to their graves."

He spoke very earnestly, and Cynthia, wondering in her turn, went on with energy:

"Well, Abner Pettis may have been that sort of a coward. I don't believe it, though. He was a soldier in the army, mark my words, did something to be ashamed of, and his family would not have him put in the lot with those whose name he had disgraced. Let us ask some one in the village about it, Robert. If I am right, then you surely cannot object to having this removed."

The professor drew a deep breath and buried his face in a handful of the fragrant clover that he had been pulling absentmindedly while he talked. Then he shook his head, and round his mouth crept the determined expression that she had cause to know so well. When she saw that, she realized that she had run up against an iron will, rigid, inflexible, not to be bent by love or broken by time.

"No," he said. "I have made up my mind that we will not ask any one in the village. Let the dead past bury its dead. Many a man is honored by his fellows as a hero who is a coward at heart, and there may be some cowards who would wear the proudest laurels and sit on the thrones if the true story of their lives was known."

"So there's no credit in facing a cannon's mouth?" said Cynthia sarcastically.

"Credit, yes. It takes a brave spirit to march into the jaws of death, into the mouth of hell, but that's only for one mad, excited day, when one may be swept along by a torrent and have no chance to choose deliberately what he shall or shall not do. Can't you see, Cynthia, what a finer, nobler kind of courage it is that turns away day after day from fierce temptations, not even yielding to the satisfaction of fighting them, sure as one may be of coming off conqueror in the end?"

She scrambled to her feet.

"Are you going to be quixotic, Robert?" she asked, brushing back her ruffled curls and looking particularly young and girlish as she stood before him. "You can't forbid me to ask questions, and when I learn the romance of Abner Pettis, aged 29, which is sure to be quite commonplace, you'll have to hear it. Hark! Is that music?"

The sounds of fife and drum were blown distinctly to their ears from the winding road, of which they could catch glimpses here and there through the trees below.

"Oh, yes!" she pursued. "It is Memorial day. The procession must be going to the cemetery. It sounds as if it were very near."

She ran to the brow of the knoll and peeped again.

"Robert, they are turning down our lane! What does it mean?"

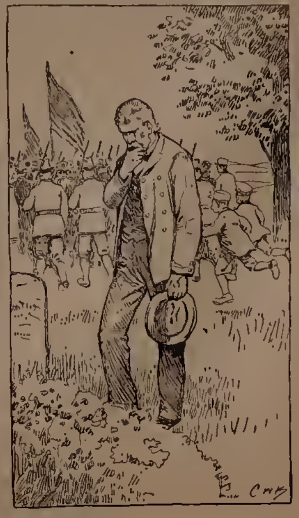
She looked over her shoulder at him, all excitement, her lovely face flushed, her golden hair flying in the breeze.

Lennard rose up and saw that she was not mistaken. Louder and louder grew the music. The stars and stripes gleamed among the boughs, advancing steadily toward them, and presently out into full view across the meadows straggled a small, scattering company of soldiers attended by swarms of children and idlers.

"They are coming here!" cried Cynthia, astonished. Then a sudden illumination burst upon her.

"Robert, it is Abner Pettis! But—if he was a coward why do they decorate his grave?"

The professor made no reply, but drew her back where they were screened from observation by the huge mossy trunks of the elms, and the bustle and stir of the miniature procession ascended the slope, pausing with a shrill flourish of bugles about the solitary grave. A hollow square was formed. The officers stepped forward and dropper garland after garland of white and purple lilacs over the long green mound. One older than the rest in a shabby uniform took from a lad in the ranks a basket of lilies of the valley, which he placed carefully in front of the headstone, lingering for a moment before it, lost in thought, while Cynthia's sharp eyes fancied they saw meaning glances exchanged among the bystanders. Then the tattered flag was raised high in the air and waved above the grave. The music broke out again, piercing and waking the echoes with "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," and the ceremony was over.



ONE PERSON OUT OF ALL THE CROWD REMAINED BEHIND.

The little company marched off in the same irregular order in which it had come, treading down the long grass and stumbling comically over the rocks and stones that were scattered through the pastures below. One person out of all the crowd remained behind, so absorbed and preoccupied that he did not notice the professor and his wife stepping out of their hiding place behind the trees. This was a gray haired man, soldierly and upright in bearing, handsome still, who stood bending his uncovered head before the discolored marble. His lips moved silently. His back was toward them. They saw the stalwart shoulders shaken with grief, and as the noise of the passing procession was dying away in the distance he threw up his arms in a splendid gesture of despair.

"Greater love," he muttered brokenly, "hath no man than this, that he lay down his life for his friend! Abner, can you hear me? Have you ever heard me?"

Taking out of his pocket a huge clasp knife, he knelt down and cut away, stroke upon stroke, the thick growing green things from the base of the stone. Pitilessly clear in the light of day that cruel brand was revealed,

"COWARD!"

"Why should it be hidden?" they heard him say to himself. "It is a crown of glory."

Then, with one last, long look at the smiling landscape outspread before him, he turned and strode away like the rest.

The Lennards were left alone upon the hilltop. The air was faint with the spicy smell of lilacs, and far off in the distance the afternoon shadows lay lengthening over the land.—Boston Herald.

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WRENTHAM.

Memorial exercises by the Wrentham schools were held Tuesday afternoon in the Town hall. Brief remarks were made by Rev. W. J. Minchin, Commander Johnson and Comrades Morse and Smith. Comrade Morse also presented the schools with several fine volumes on the late war. Prof. Reed of Pawtucket conducted the music.——Memorial day was celebrated very quietly, a detachment from Geo. H. Maintien post, No 133, decorated the graves of comrades in town. The services were held in Plainville, among the exercises being an oration by Rev. E. J. Hale.——H. B. Fisher of Kalamazoo, Mich., left here Thursday for Providence on his homeward journey.——The ashes of the late Dr. C. M. Newell, the remains having been previously cremated at Mt. Auburn, were brought here for interment Tuesday afternoon. For many years he resided in the Sandwich Islands as the guest of Benjamin Pitman, the prime minister of the islands. He was a member of the Hawaiian club, a Royal Arch Mason and was decorated by Kalakaua, king of Hawaii. He was a writer of many books for children.

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Sadie—Gracious! What an alternative! Town Topics.

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Because purely vegetable—yet thorough, prompt, healthful, satisfactory—

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Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "The Spiritual Quality of Modern Religion, a Whit Sunday Sermon." No afternoon service. Y. P. C. U. at 6.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. F. B. Sleeper, pastor; theme, "An Expository Chapter of Divine Love." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Evening service at 7.30; theme, "An Age of Shams."

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D.; theme, "Christ the Light of the World." Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30; theme, "A Man Better than a Sheep."

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor; subject "The Office of the Holy Spirit in the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper." Sunday school at 12. Junior league at 3.00. Epworth league at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30; subject, "What Manner of Love!"

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In soft woods, prices from **$6.00** up.

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List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending May 30, 1900:

Ladies—Miss F. Rollins.

Gentlemen—John Carey, J. Cavanagh, Holliston Yarn Mills, Dr. O. L. Judge, George H. Kinsman, William H. Mann, E. N. Pierce, R. J. Reed, Gaetaui Brugnadi Pasquale.

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Farmers of this section will find it to their advantage to inspect our line of McCormick Mowers, Rakes and Reapers, the Osborn Mower and Disk and Spring-Tooth Harrows, the Morgan Spading Harrows, the Reynolds Hay Spreader, Wierd's Plows and other farming machines at prices to suit the times. No wide-awake farmer can afford to work without some of these machines.

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A for apricots, both dried and canned,
B for biscuits of all the best brands,
C for crackers and clams for chowder,
D for doughnuts and Dalmation powder,
E for extracts of Baker's best make,
F for fish that will make fine fish cakes,
G for groceries kept neat and in shape,
H for honey to eat on wheat cakes,
I for Indian corn meal and ink,
J for fruit juice for a summer drink,
K for Kennedy, whose goods we stand by,
L for lemons that make a nice pie,
M for mince meat, molasses and mace,
N for Nestle's, whose milk suits the taste,
O for onions, a sure cure for the croup
P for potatoes to eat in your soup,
Q for Quaker, those rolled oats so nice,
R for raisins for puddings and rice,
S for sugar, sand soap and saleratus,
T for tubs, tapioca and tomatoes,
U for undoubtedly the cheapest in town,
V for vinegar as sour as can be found,
W for with hazel that makes one strong,
X for Xebec, a vessel it was used on,
Y for yeast that will raise bread best,
Z for zeal in which we stand the test.

C. L. FALES, Grocer.
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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Henry Bemis, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

HENRY F. RUGGLES, Executor.
Address Franklin, Mass.
May 31st, 1900. je1,8,15

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WITH FOLLOWING LOW PRICES:

Window Screens, each	19
Screen Doors, all sizes, 6.6 to 7 ft., complete	$1.45
2-Burner Oil Stoves, each	95
4-Burner Oil Stoves, each	1.90
2-Quart Ice Cream Freezers, each	1.48
3-Quart Ice Cream Freezers, each	1.73
4-Quart Ice Cream Freezers, each	1.98
Watering Cans, 6 quarts, each	30
3 Oil Stove Wicks for	5

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All kinds of FLOWER SEEDS, **5c.** and **10c.** per package.

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References and testimonials can be furnished on application by responsible parties.

This Pure Spring Water will be delivered to your house or office fresh from the spring every morning, at the following prices:

One gallon every week day, per month......$1 00
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Erasmus A. Pond, late of Rutland, Vermont, having estate in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Metcalf E. Pond of Franklin or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of June, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 22d day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
BOARD OF RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS,
BOSTON, May 22, 1900.

On the petition of the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket Street Railway company for authority to cross the tracks of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad company at the same level therewith on Maple street, in the town of Bellingham, the Board will give a hearing to the parties in interest at their office, No. 20 Beacon street, Boston, on Monday, the eleventh day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

And the petitioner is required to give notice of said hearing by publication hereof two times prior to said date in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed in the town of Franklin, to serve a copy hereof on the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad company and to make return of service at time of hearing.

Per order of the Board.

WM. A. CRAFTS, Clerk.

A true copy.
Attest: JEROME B. FITZPATRICK,
Deputy Sheriff.
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A HOME...

If you have one you are glad of it; if you haven't one you'll be glad to have one. It is not profitable to pay board.

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what you pay in that way will go a long way towards paying for the very furniture you are using. Probably you would prefer to select more modern furnishings.

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REGULATIONS
... OF THE ...
Board of Health,
1900.

Extracts from Public Statutes, Chapter 80.

"The Board of Health of a town shall make such regulations as it judges necessary for the public health and safety. Whoever violates any such regulations shall forfeit the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS."

The Board of Health of Franklin, as authorized by the statutes, has made and published, as is provided for in the statutes, the following regulations:

1. Physicians having under their care cases of small-pox, scarlet fever, diphtheria, phthisis or typhoid fever are requested to promptly report the same to the Board of Health, as required by law, on blanks furnished them.

2. When any householder knows that a person within his family or living in his house is ill of small-pox, diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhoid fever or any other disease dangerous to the public health he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Board of Health.

3. All diseases dangerous to the public health will be promptly quarantined by this Board and red flags will be displayed for public protection. Whoever violates the quarantine established by this Board, either by going out of the house or apartment quarantined, or permitting any person other than the nurse or physician to enter the same; and any person other than the nurse or physician going into the said house or departments in violation of said quarantine WILL BE PROMPTLY PROSECUTED according to law. And whoever meddles with any flag put up by the Board of Health or its agent, to remove, deface, cover, or handle the same in any way whatsoever will be dealt with according to law. This Board will permit no trifling with any of its rules of quarantine or any measures taken by it, against infection, under any circumstances, BY ANY PERSON WHATSOEVER.

4. No quarantine established by the Board of Health will be removed till the person or persons so quarantined have been personally examined by a member of this Board or its authorized agent, and found to be no longer in condition to convey the disease, nor until the premises have been disinfected by an agent of the Board and according to its directions. Sulphur fumigations will not be regarded a sufficient disinfection.

5. Any person recovered from a disease dangerous to the public health who is a pupil in any school, public or private, shall not be permitted to return to such school, nor received into such school, without a certificate from the Board of Health or some member thereof. Nor shall any person be received into nor employed in any mill, factory, shop, store or place of business unless he has complied with the requirements of the Board of Health in regard to contagious diseases.

6. Whenever a nuisance or cause of sickness shall be found on private property within the town any member of the Board shall order the owner or occupant thereof to remove the same, at his own expense, within the time specified in the notice served upon him. When legal notice has been served on the owner or occupant of any premises, if any owner or occupant neglects to abate or remove the nuisance complained of within the time specified in said notice the Board of Health will cause the nuisance to be abated at the expense of the party or parties responsible for the same.

7. The owners or keepers of swine and milch cows are notified that no product from these animals can be used or sold unless such animals are fed on wholesome food and are in a perfectly healthy condition. In case of neglect or violation of this rule all such products will be condemned. All milch cows from which milk is sold in this town are subject to inspection by the Board of Health, and when found in a healthful condition a certificate to that effect, good for sixty days, will be furnished to the owner by this Board.

8. All owners and drivers of horses having any disease known as the horse distemper and glanders are notified not to allow said horses to drink from any public watering trough or fountain in town.

9. All persons are notified not to cart the contents of privy vaults or cesspools through the streets between 6 o'clock a. m. and 9 o'clock p. m. from May 1 to Nov. 1; and all such filth must be conveyed so as to prevent any portion being dropped along the street.

10. No person shall use the public street or any sewer or drain, made for the sole purpose of conveying water from said streets, as a deposit for filth, slops or offal of any kind.

11. The Board requests all persons to promptly notify them of the existence of any contagious or infectious diseases among domestic animals, such as glanders, pleuro-pneumonia, hog cholera, etc. On such notice the Board will cause such animals to be securely isolated and held till released by order of the cattle commissioners.

12. Nuisances or unusual causes of sickness must be reported to the Board of Health by complaints in writing, clearly stating the nature and causes of the same so far as known.

13. The law requires the vaccination of all children as a condition of admission to the public schools. The School Committee, as well as the Board of Health, is required to enforce this statute. Children are also required by law to be vaccinated before reaching the age of two years.

14. House owners are required to provide that all escape pipes from sinks and closets shall be properly trapped and that waste water from such shall not be permitted to empty on the ground. Filth so accumulating and decomposing is a potent cause of diphtheria and other diseases. Covered drains and cesspools must immediately be provided for such waste.

15. No person shall throw into or leave in or upon any street, court, lane, public square or enclosure, or any vacant or occupied lot owned by the town or the public, or into any pond, creek or stream of water within the limits of the town any dead animal or vegetable matter, or waste water, rubbish or filth of any kind. All yards, passageways, inclosures and cellars shall be kept in as cleanly a condition as the Board shall direct.

16. All persons riding or being upon any street car within the limits of this town are directed not to spit upon the floors or platforms of such cars; and proprietors of street railways wholly or in part within the limits of this town are directed to post a notice in each end of each car to the effect that spitting in or upon said cars is prohibited by the Board of Health.

GREGORY A. MARTIN,
DWIGHT M. HODGE,
MARSTON SANBORN,
Board of Health.

Franklin, Mass., May 1, 1900. my18-3tF

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 "
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 A. M.
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Joseph Watkins, killed in the Foxboro fire, was born here.

J. G. Ray Engine company, No. 3, will meet tomorrow evening.

Griffin court, M. C. O. F., will hold a regular meeting tomorrow evening.

A special meeting will be held by the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., this evening.

A large job of concreting is being done at the Whiting and Thayer residences.

Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Fletcher have returned from New York for the summer season.

Henry Byrnes is regaining strength and altogether his condition is much improved.

Charles H. Prince of the SENTINEL spent Sunday at his parents' home in Danielson, Conn.

All of the churches are preparing for special exercises next Sabbath in honor of Children's day.

One of Pond & Tingley's lumber men, while handling logs Friday, had one hand badly injured.

Everett Messenger is assisting as clerk in the grocery store formerly occupied by J. B. McKinnon.

The Framingham High school team will be opponents of Dean on the campus tomorrow afternoon.

The new piazza at the Congregational parsonage is nearly finished, O. B. Blake doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Richardson are entertaining her sister, Mrs. Charles Whiting, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dunn and son of Hyde Park were guests of Mrs. Daniel Lamont of Arlington street on Sunday.

Rev. I. W. Sneath is planning to enjoy a season at Northfield, at the Moody school, this summer in the way of a vacation,

A number from here were among the 20,000 spectators that witnessed "Buffalo Bill's Wild West show" at Providence yesterday.

The juniors will give a reception to the seniors in the High school hall on Friday evening, invitations having already been issued.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper's Memorial sermon given before Post No. 60, May 27th, is printed in full in Monday evening's Woonsocket Reporter.

Thomas Heywood, who has been visiting his son, Robert Heywood, of the Worcester Textile Co., left last week for his home in Rochdale, Eng.

The Sunday schools are already talking of picnics and this year the matter of transportation will settle itself with our improved electric facilities to Lake Pearl.

Michael Cullen went into service as conductor on the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket electric line last Saturday. He is now undergoing the "breaking in" process.

Bobby Sherman umpired the North Attleboro-All Collegiate game in Attleboro on Wednesday, the former winning by a score of 14 to 3. Slade did some great work.

It is quite likely that a number of new Sunday trains will go on shortly between here and Providence for the benefit of those who desire a day "down the Providence river."

The household furniture of the late Henry Bemis will be sold at auction next Monday, at 1 o'clock p. m. There are some rare bargains.

The Providence river season has now opened and will doubtless attract Franklinites about every day. Steam cars, trolleys and bicycles will be impressed into the service.

Grocer McKinnon is preparing to close his grocery store by disposing of the goods at private sale at reduced prices and at auction, his hotel now requiring all his time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Thayer left this morning for Cornwall-on-Hudson to attend commencement exercises at the New York military academy, where their son Robert is a cadet.

The question of a base ball association is not being agitated of late, although those who are in the scheme say the idea of the proposed association has by no means been abandoned.

Fidelity lodge, A. O. U. W., has extended an invitation to Ames lodge of Woonsocket, together with the degree team, to be present at its next meeting on Thursday evening, June 14.

The Franklin Odd Fellows have been invited to participate in a big I. O. F. parade in Providence on Thursday. The invitation will not be accepted as a body, though some of the members may attend.

Miss Sadie Murphy has resigned her position as clerk in the postoffice. Miss Murphy has occupied the position for three years and was a smart, capable young lady, and well liked by all the townspeople.

Last week a lady 65 years of age walked all the way from Sheldonville to Franklin, making the trip in two hours. She stood the trip remarkably well and could give her younger sisters some points on pedestrianism.

Druggist Dana has just put in a counter fan, which is driven by a Backus water motor, and which will serve to keep the air in motion at the soda fountain and repel the flies. It is an up-to-date improvement.

A bright mind has evolved an "auction party" to which everyone must bring something of value, the goods being sold at auction ~~at the close to the~~ highest bidder. It is proving very attractive and interesting.

Hector McCulloch, who is in the teaming business on Chestnut street, was thrown from his team on Main street Saturday morning and injured about the head. He was able to drive to his home without assistance.

When the bloomer cars turn into Main street from Emmons the rear end swings over a few inches onto the sidewalk, so that people standing there when these cars go by should take care not to get their feet pinched or clothing torn.

Miss Julia James, a former well known resident here, was united in marriage to Joseph Huut of Providence today, the ceremony taking place at New London, Conn., where Miss James' parents reside. The couple will live in Providence.

Mrs. Barney McMahon last week broke a leg in Oxford. Mrs. McMahon has been visiting friends at Howarths, and Wednesday evening in getting over a wall she jumped to the ground and broke both bones of her right ankle.

Mrs. E. K. Ray and Mrs. Charles Whiting left on Saturday for Milwaukee as delegates from the Alden club to the biennial meeting of confederated women's clubs, which promises to be the most interesting in the history of the confederation.

No special business was attended to at the selectmen's meeting Friday evening. J. M. Whiting appeared and asked for the location of the street at the corner of Central and East streets. A number of forest fire ward bills were approved and other regular bills.

The absence of cross arms is delaying the completion of the Wrentham branch into Plainville, and as soon as these arrive the wiring will be finished and the line opened, which will give direct communication with the Attleboros, Pawtucket and Providence.

Improvements continue at the Union street cemetery and the grounds are assuming a uniform appearance, indicating care and attention. The location of the grounds for this purpose was unfortunate at the beginning, but the forefathers did not dream of the growth which was to come.

The Hayward and Trowbridge nines played a lively and interesting game of ball at Indian Rock park Saturday afternoon, the contest finally ending in favor of Trowbridge, 15 to 14 The batteries were Smith and McKenzie for Trowbridge and Chilson and Dion for Hayward.

Mrs. Ellen Carson died at her home on Howard street Sunday afternoon at 12.30, aged about 68 years. She leaves a married daughter and one son. Funeral services were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. G. W. Miner officiating. The remains were taken to Blackstone for interment.

Postmaster Conroy has been notified that money orders payable in Paris may be issued at same rates as if drawn on postoffices in this country, as the government has decided to establish a regular U. S. post office on the Paris exposition grounds, exactly as if the premises were on U. S. territory.

The Providence line between New York and Providence is now running. Passengers from Franklin leaving at 4.25 will be due at Union station, Providence, at 5 09. Electric cars leave station for wharf at 6.10, 7.10 and 7.30 p. m. Steamer leaves wharf, Providence, 8.10 p. m., week days only.

Rosalie Rebekah lodge of West Medway has invited Norma lodge of Milford and will invite Lady Franklin lodge of Franklin and the district deputy, Mrs. Annie L. Stanley of Milford, to be its guests Monday evening, June 11, when nine candidates will be initiated.

The selectmen of Middleboro have granted two telephone companies franchises. The old company never had a franchise, but did business without it. They will force the companies to use the same poles, which promises a lot of fun. The people expect free telephones, with a souvenir for putting them in.

Franklin employers of labor should note that there is a growing sentiment among employers of labor to refuse employment to workmen addicted to intoxicating drinks, which leads the Westboro Chronotype to pointedly and truthfully say "this is better than all the laws ever made against the liquor traffic."

There was a lively row in the Italian colony on Ray street Sunday morning, in which an outsider was roughly handled for an alleged attempt to cheat one of the residents out of some money. The victim was under the influence of liquor, as were also some of those who took a hand in beating him. No arrests were made.

Pedigree is a great thing these days, and searching the records for the births, deaths or marriages, is an occupation that comes often under the observation of every town clerk. There is not much money in it for most of those who engage in it, but there seems to be a great fascination and the emolument is probably gained that way.

Supt. Young of the street railway company has signed a contract with the Cornet band of Woonsocket to play at the Hoag pond summer resort during the season, commencing June 19, when, it is expected, the new theatre will be completed, the hobby horse ready to prance around the ring, and other attractions will be in full swing.

H. A. Worthley & Co. have leased the Indian Rock trotting park for the season and will inaugurate a series of races, bicycle and horse, together with base ball. Arrangements have not been entirely perfected as yet, but the opening affair will take place upon Saturday, June 16, in anticipation of "Bunker Hill day." Particulars later.

A case of non-attendance at school, which has attracted considerable attention among the school authorities, has been referred to the state board of education for consideration, and further steps are awaiting the advice of that board. If the compulsory school law amounts to anything probably a test of its efficiency will be made.

The following children of the Nason street primary school have not been absent or tardy during May: Clarence Arnold, Burley Clarke, Byron Coleman, Raymond Dean, Percy Fairfield, George Geb, Raymond Schuster, Ray Tyler, Edward Westland, George Hutchinson, Maud Blackmar, Marion Bowers, Gladys Baldwin, Annie McCabe, Gladys Guigon.

The American Woolen company, of which the Ray mill is a part, has filed the following certificate of condition with the commissioner of corporation at Boston: Assets, real estate and machinery, $39,807,901; cash on hand, $11,398,500; stock in process, $10,394,784; total, $61,601,185; liabilities, capital stock, $49,292,600; debts, $12,303,586; total, $61,601,186.

A new train will probably be put on next week between Boston and New York, stopping at Franklin, and making the terminals in six hours. It will leave each end at 8 o'clock and make but few stops, probably going through here westward about 8.30 in the morning and eastward about 1.30 in the afternoon. Franklin is fortunate in having this made one of the stopping places.

In some towns the removal of ashes from cellars is under the control of the board of health, and works to the satisfaction of the board as well as the citizens. The boards finds no trouble in disposing of the ashes, as many citizens in different sections of the towns have low lands they wish to be covered. The boards intend that the teams shall visit every house in town that can be reached.

The treat of the season is coming on Tuesday evening, June 19. The noted lecturer, George K. Morris, S. T. D., of Boston, is to give, at the Methodist church, his famous lecture on "That Mysterious Man." Dr. Morris is an orator of the first order. You cannot afford to miss hearing him. The proceeds of the lecture are to go towards liquidating the Methodist church debt. which is now being raised.

The prospects are that there will be a large number of Franklinites at Lake Pearl and Archers this season, and cottages are in active demand. Land that could have been bought a few years ago at "any old price," cannot now be purchased at any price, the owners preferring to lease or erect cottages to rent. With the trolley line in operation there is a fine future for those attractive bits of water in the way of summer outings and fresh air.

Housekeepers will regret to learn that within the last ten days the wholesale price of refined sugar has advanced forty-five cents a hundred pounds. The advance was made by the sugar trusts and also by the independent refiners, and this is taken as proof that the long and bitter war between the rivals in this industry is at an end. At the price now prevailing for refined grades of sugar the refiners make a profit of thirty-four cents a hundred pounds.

Charles H. Kemp, baggage master on Conductor H. C. Moulton's train, was the victim of a painful accident at Franklin Saturday morning. He was uncoupling cars in the yard about 9 o'clock when one of them backed up unexpectedly and squeezed him on the chest. He made light of the injury at first and worked on the return trip to Milford, but fainted before he arrived there and had to be taken to his home. Examination showed that a rib was cracked. He is laying off.

During the past few months there have been several occasions when street boundary lines have been in question, and almost without exception it has been found rather difficult to find exact layouts of highways established fifty or more years ago. County as well as town layouts have the same uncertainty about them, and it has shown the importance of enduring marks at all angles as well as a clear record of lines. In recent years this matter has been more carefully attended to and such trouble is avoided.

The record of the organization of the Universalist society in town is dated 28 years ago and the list of subscribers has 45 names. The number now remaining in town shows the changes of little more than a quarter of a century in a striking degree. Eight or nine have removed from town: 24 have finished their earthly work and passed on, leaving only a dozen of the original members in active local life. As some of those do not take any active part in parish affairs, and perhaps all can be reckoned in that class, it can be seen that the work is practically entirely in new hands.

Dean and her opponents, the Thayer academy nine, gave an exhibition of crack ball playing on Saturday afternoon, furnishing, perhaps, the best game of the season. Up to the eighth inning it was nip and tuck, the visitors leading a trifle in batting and Dean showing superior work in fielding; in fact, star work. In the eighth, however, with the score two to two, and with a man at first, Smith fumbled a ball and threw wild to first, allowing a run to be scored, and a hit following scored the second run, making it four to two in favor of Thayer. Aside from that fatal inning it was a game worth paying an admission to see.

Twenty Franklinites who were in Woonsocket Saturday night were greatly disappointed when they found that the car which has heretofore left there on Saturday nights for Franklin at 10.45 had been taken off. The party, not knowing of any change in the time table, had counted on taking the 10.45 car, and when they discovered the last car to Franklin for the night had departed means were at once taken to have one run here for their accommodation. Supt. Young was communicated with through the telephone and result was that a special car left Woonsocket with the belated Franklin men a little after 12 and arrived here shortly before 1 o'clock Sunday morning.

With the opening of the new lines of the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket Street railway, the duties of Herbert M. Young, who is superintendent of both that line and the Woonsocket Street railway, and whose duties at the present time are numerous and arduous, will be much increased. Mr. Young has done his work with faithfulness ever since he was put in charge of the street railway, and in appreciation of this faithfulness, the owners of the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket Street railway have made him superintendent of that line. Mr. Young will have charge of the whole electric car system around Woonsocket, which will be nearly fifty miles in length by midsummer.

Messrs. Newell and White will soon be around to interview you. In order to prepare our readers for their coming we would say they are expected to ask you these questions: Location: Such as street, house, number. Name: Such as surname, given name and middle initial, if any, of every person living on June 1. Relationship of every person to the head of the family. Personal description: Such as color or race, sex, date of birth, age at last birthday; whether single, married, widowed or divorced; number of years married, mother of how many children, number of these children living. Nativity, that is, place of birth of each person enumerated; place of birth of his father, place of birth of his mother. Citizenship: Such as year of immigration to the United States, number of years in the United States, naturalization, months not employed. Occupation, trade or profession of each person ten years of age or over. Education: Such as how long attended school, (in months) can read, can write, can speak English. Ownership of home: Whether owned or rented, owned free or mortgaged, farm or house.

Almost Here.

The Franklin-Medway street railway is being pushed as rapidly as possible, and it is now expected that a car will run over from Medway as far as the brick schoolhouse on Saturday. The only delay now is the girder rails for Main street. The track is already laid about up to Deacon Baker's, and the link at the ledge opposite Nathan Daniels' was put in today, the road having been straightened. The blasting has materially delayed the track laying, although the steam drill has been of especial value in expediting the work. The explosions were all made with dynamite, set off by electricity. The wire men will follow immediately behind the pole men and can easily string a mile of wire a day. The road is being finished up in a thorough manner as fast as it is laid, so there ought to be but little delay when the track is all down. Unless further delayed by lack of rails the road ought to be open in less than two weeks.

Thirty-Fourth Annual Commencement.

The following is the program for commencement at Dean academy:

Sunday, June 10—7.30 p. m., sermon before graduating class, Grace church, Rev. Chas. Conklin, Springfield.

Tuesday, June 12—8 p. m., concert, Academy chapel.

Thursday, June 14—10 a m., exercises of graduating class, Academy chapel. 1 p. m., annual dinner of Alumni and friends of the school. After-dinner speeches may be expected from the following: Hon. Samuel L. Powers, Newton; Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, Melrose; E. I. Comins, Worcester; Rev. S. H. Roblin, D D, Boston; Charles E. Hatfield, '82, Boston; Miss Clara A. Carpenter, '86, Valley Falls; Rev. Clarence L. Ball, '88, Webster; Prof. F. G. Wren, '90, Tufts college. 4 p. m., social reunion and business meeting of alumni, Academy parlors. 8 p. m., reception of teachers and class, gymnasium, 8 to 12.

A Distressing Outlook.

Franklin extends its deepest sympathy to its sister town of Foxboro in its losses by fire, which are of such a nature as to cripple its largest industry and seriously affect the town. The fire of Monday morning, which destroyed the town hall and also the high school building, resulting in a loss of life as well as injury, illustrates the saying that misfortunes never come singly. The fact that one of our chief industries is also the straw business aids us in appreciating the condition in which Foxboro is placed, and it is not too much to say that we shall be only too pleased to do all to assist our neighbor in any way that may lie within our power. Foxboro citizens have indeed a serious problem before them, both to grapple with the future and to discover, if possible, the fiends who are responsible for this conflagration and consequent loss of life.

Change to Sunday.

Sporting matters were numerous Wednesday which calls to mind the question of whether it would not be for the best of all concerned to have the sacred ceremonies of memorial day changed to the last Sunday in May, or to some other Sunday. While there is no fault found at the attendance, yet the counter attractions are becoming so strong and numerous that in time the brave deeds performed in '61 and '65 are liable to be easily forgotten by the rising generation, who in a few years will be the only ones left to do honor to the occasion. Not a few of the Grand Army men are in favor of a change, and so far as the public is concerned it is thought it would be a move in the right direction.—Uxbridge Compendium.

To Alden Club Members.

As only one-half the club were present at our last meeting when the magazines were ready for distribution it is hoped every member will show her loyalty and interest by purchasing at least one copy. The magazine is entirely original, it makes a pleasant souvenir "to have and to hold," and a pretty one to send to our friends in other clubs. Besides, it is our duty as club members to stand by each other and support our club. Let no member fail to obtain her copy. Every member thereby shows her club interest. They are to be found with Miss King, Miss Blake and Miss Lovering.

M. L. RAY, Pres.

Heard From Again.

Representative Burrington had the pleasure of making one of the closing speeches upon a bill last week which vitally interested Franklin. It was one of the many labor bills and limited the working hours to eight. This, in case of a rush in the straw goods line, would certainly insure loss upon our manufacturers, as it is often the case that a "rush" order has to be done at night. The bill was killed, as it deserved to be, and our representative's speech had not a little to do with the final vote in the matter.

Franklin will "take no back seat" with any town in the state in the matter of the honesty and intelligence of its representative, Prof. Burrington, and in this connection the following from Brother Cook, of the Milford Journal, has a distinct application. Our representative is one in whom the district, and the state as well, may take an honest pride:

"Let the people in every legislative district send none but men tried and true to the legislature—men whom the lobby cannot and will not approach—and the lobby will cease to exist for the simple reason that it will starve to death. The lobby exists because the people send to the statehouse men who can be 'approached' and 'influenced.' It is not the fault of the lobby that they are so 'approached' and 'influenced.' It is the fault of the people that men of this class are made legislators by their consent and by their votes. It is supreme idiocy to assert that good men cannot be sent, because it is being done in numerous legislative districts all over the state."

That's true; Franklin did it.

Mass. State Federation of Woman's Clubs.

Mrs. Addie E. Winsor, Mrs. Marion Nye and Mrs. James Ray as delegates, and many others of the Alden club will attend the Mass. State Federation meeting in the Union Congregational church South Weymouth, Friday, June 15, beginning at 9.45 a. m. The whole day will be devoted to the business of the federation. This will include an account of the year's work as given in the reports of the secretary, treasurer and the several standing committees, the delegate to the C. C. C., and the address of the president.

Club members are requested to bring their federation song books, or these may be purchased at the door.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

To Let—House and barn on Winter street. Emily F. Aldrich. 5,8*

Up stairs tenement to let on Central street. Inquire of A. M. Haggart. 6tf

Dr. J. C. Gallison will sell a light driving horse or exchange for a heavier one. 11tf

Orders for Allen's wood yard taken here can be transmitted by telephone at once.

Two pleasant rooms to let at 16 Cottage street. Apply there or at SENTINEL office. 29

To Rent.—5 room tenement, Central square. Inquire E. B. Sherman, Emmons street. 5tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

To Let—A small tenement, six rooms, corner of King and Union streets. Apply to A. F. Everett. 5,12*

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 18-tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Hay, at Maple Farm, all good; 95 cts. to $1.10 per hundred delivered to any part of town. Orders at Chilson's market. O. S. Stetson. 15-tf

For Sale or to Let—Cottage of eight rooms and barn on Peck street; pleasant view of the town; fruit, and well of good water. Inquire of Peck & Field. 5,8,12

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. MCKINNON, Agent.

Lost.—A lady's small red enameled chataline watch and pin, between Mrs. Stetson's on Maple street and No. 37 Cottage street. Finder will receive reward by leaving same at F. W. Guild's jewelry store. Mrs F. W. Guild. 5*

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Now, before the trees leaf fully, is the best time to arrange for photos of your home, either exterior or interior. Call and see samples and let me quote prices. Business hours during the summer, 8 to 12 a. m., 1.15 to 5 p. m., 7 to 8 Saturday evenings.

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TUESDAY, JUNE 5, 1900

During the absence of the family a few nights ago a tramp entered a Wabash (Ind.) dwelling, and while prowling around the second floor fell into an open shaft and tumbled down two flights. At the base of the opening in the cellar stood a vat of sorghum molasses, into which "Weary Willie" plunged. He was not seriously hurt, though considerably dazed by the tumble, but was covered from head to foot with the saccharine material, a liberal quantity of which splashed over the walls. He crawled off to the hay mow and spent the night, and when discovered next day, decorated with the telltale sorghum, explained that he was drunk and wandered into the house by mistake. The family cleaned him up and sent him on his way.

Although not generally known, it is nevertheless a fact that Washington, the fourteenth city of the union in point of population, contains the greatest negro population of them all. There are more negroes in Washington than in any other city of the union, not excepting the great cities of St. Louis, Baltimore and New Orleans, all situated in former slave states, and, excepting New Orleans, with more than double its population. There are nearly three times as many black people in Washington as St. Louis. Washington contains more than double the number of negroes counted among New York's 3,5[illegible]0.

Father Macklin, who married Mrs. Hazen to Admiral Dewey at his rectory in Washington, some time ago wrote to Mrs. Hazen when her quarterly pew rent was due. In his note he said that her pew, No. 61, in his church was getting mouldy, and feared she might be going to some other church than his. On the wedding morning she reminded him of it, and said: "Now, Father Macklin, could you not say my pew is 'Mrs. Dewey,' instead of that very ugly word?"

Up to a late date the British government has purchased 11,200 mules in the United States, all of which have been shipped from New Orleans. In money fully $1,500,000 has been spent and there is no prospect of any let-up. Besides mules the British agents have purchased thousands and thousands of halters, mule shoes and other paraphernalia.

A Connecticut man who had injured his hand was in such a hurry to apply salve to the wound that he picked up a can of dynamite by mistake, and finding that the top would not come off readily, he hit it with a hammer. Some people go all to pieces over the smallest difficulties.

The smallest city in the world is Fenton, on beautiful little picturesque Meramec river, 15 miles to the south and west of St. Louis. It is the only incorporated city of its size in the world, and has been incorporated for more than 25 years.

In the four cities of New York, Philadelphia, Cincinnati and Cleveland the Salvation Army provided dinners for a total of [illegible] people on Christmas day. These uniformed Christians are able to do a vast deal of good with their limited means.

During the year ending August 31, 1899, the United States furnished 64 per cent. of Britain's foreign food supply, Canada furnished ten per cent., Argentine less than eight per cent., and Russia less than four per cent.

Seventy-seven per cent. of the men enlisting in the army during the past year were native-born Americans. Five years ago America's soldiers were principally men of foreign birth, Irish and Germans predominating.

An intimate friend of the late Mr. Moody says the remark he heard the revivalist make the oftenest was: "One thing I know, and that is humanity is not disposed to be bad as a rule."

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GLEANINGS.

In an office building in Chicago a 215 pound janitor is called "Cherub," and an elevator boy, whose weight is 105 is known as "Ox."

The timber supply of Georgia has been estimated by lumbermen of that state as sufficient to last only nine years at the present rate of sawing, 2,600,000 feet daily.

The American Mouse club is a recent addition to New York clubdom. The purpose of the organization is not to exterminate the little rodents, but to develop fine species.

"Incircumscriptibleness," meaning incapable of limitation, has been admitted into Dr. Murray's new English dictionary on the strength of its use by a covenanting Byfield of the seventeenth century.

In Brazil parents and guardians may, before consenting to the marriage of their charges, require a medical certificate from the bride or bridegroom certifying that he or she has been vaccinated.

All tourists in Egypt are expected to go inside the pyramids. The entrance is a long tunnel chute, or inclined plane, three or four feet wide, whose bottom and sides are polished stone. It is very dark, and candles are used.

CHIPS FROM CHINA.

Our trade with China increased more than two and one-half fold in seven years, and all this increase came to us without either fighting anybody or making an open door bargain with anybody —Chicago Chronicle.

The United States probably occupies a stronger position in China today than any other nation in the world, and this condition has been brought about because the United States has exhibited none of the spirit of greed that has characterized European nations.—St. Joseph Herald.

Americans have yet to learn that the Chinese are very shrewd and worldly wise, that they are a nation of traders, with successful merchants, large exporting houses, etc., and that they know how to look after their own interests as well as any people on earth.—Indianapolis Journal.

Chinese hunger for the things of western civilization is being aroused—trifles like the kodak stimulate it wonderfully—and it will soon be seen that we can hardly build ships fast enough to carry to that wondrous market the American products for which it is daily becoming more eager.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

PERT PERSONALS.

The ameer of Afghanistan does not propose to let the world rest under the impression that he only exists as a comic opera theme.—Baltimore News.

Mr. Clark of Montana may take occasion to remind Mr. Daly that one losing hand does not decide a game and that he has a number of chips left.—Washington Star.

Herbert Spencer has just celebrated his eightieth birthday. Forty years ago the doctors decided that he could not live, but Mr. Spencer very sensibly decided otherwise.—Minneapolis Journal.

Andrew Carnegie has gone to Europe for rest and recreation, after having been tied down to the Florida golf links all winter. This thing of being rich is terribly oppressive.—Chicago Times-Herald

It Naturally Follows.

"They say that married people get to look alike."

"Of course; a man's wife is bound to look like him when she wears all his collars and cravats."—Chicago Record.

HIS LIFE SAVED

By Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

"I am sure that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at one time saved my life," says A. E. Latalette, of Gregory Landing, Clark county, Missouri. "I was in such bad shape that the doctors said I could not live. When I was at the lowest ebb, one of my neighbors brought me a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and I took it and got instant relief. I soon got up and around. That was nine years ago and I am still in good health. Since then that medicine has always been in my house and always will be. It is the best on earth." For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

A RACETRACK DREAM

THE RESULT FOR THE MAN WHO HAD THE VIVID VISION.

As He Was a Believer in Betting on Horses on Form, He Couldn't Figure Out Loantaka as a Winner and So Missed a Sweet 40 to 1 Shot.

"Back in 1891, when I was working at my occupation as telegraph operator for one of the big commercial companies," said a former customer of poolrooms, "I had an odd experience. I was working the Buffalo end of the New York wire and had access to all the inside information which the eastern horse owners were sending to the western plungers. That was before the advent of the tout, with his collect message sure thing, and two or three boys in the office, myself included, had made a little money by playing this information judiciously, and I at least was in a position to bet considerable money on anything that I thought was real juicy.

"Well, the spring handicaps came along. Tenny, the grand little swayback, piloted by Pike Barnes, won the Brooklyn handicap in a common canter. The Suburban, to be run a month later, looked like a gift to the little swayback—at least, I thought so—and I made up my mind to bet the bank roll on him. The night before the Suburban was to be run I had the most realistic dream I have ever had. Up to that time I had never been on any but a trotting track and had never seen a running race, but I dreamed I was on the right hand side at the finish and its plowed up course, and I was in the stand, where I saw the entire track. I heard the cry, 'Loantaka—Loantaka wins!' and saw the crowd waving their hands and throwing hats into the air. Just then a black horse all lathered with sweat passed the judges' stand in front of a bunch, and, most remarkable of all, the name 'Loantaka' was branded in letters of fire in the black coat of the horse, while the boy on his back was looking around, with a smile on his face.

"Now, before I go any further, I want you to understand that in all big handicaps such as this race I was a player of form, and form only. I was wise enough to know that a common, ordinary race might be framed up, but a big handicap worth probably $50,000 could not be framed, and they were all out for the coin. How then could I, being a form player, play the despised outsider Loantaka when Tenny figured? I went to work the next day, but every tick of the telegraph instrument seemed to say, 'Loantaka, Loantaka.' Try as I would I could not get that dream out of my mind. I had to stop work that morning because of nervousness.

"I went up to the poolroom in the afternoon, made a few bets on the first three races, and then came the Suburban. Tenny, with Isaac Murphy up, was favorite at 7 to 5. Tea Tray, who had shown great speed in the Brooklyn, but who was an ugly beast at best, was second choice at 3 to 1. Loantaka, with Marty Bergen in the saddle, was at 40 to 1. It was Tenny everywhere, and everybody with whom you talked about the race would say: 'Nothing to it. It's a walk for Tenny.' I pulled out two $50 bills and walked up to the receiver's window.

"'One hundred and forty to 10, Tenny,' sang the man who takes the money. I sent another hundred over to another poolroom across the street and got it down at 8 to 5. Just then the operator yelled:

"'Here's a flash! Tenny is now even money at the track.'

"I forgot my dream and bet another $150 at even money. Then I sat down to experience that sweet delirium which is familiar to all poolroom and track fiends. My eyes instinctively wandered over to the blackboard where the names of the horses were posted, and somehow the first name that caught my eye was Loantaka. That name seemed larger than all the rest. When I turned away, I repeated the word to myself. It had fixed itself in my mind, and I couldn't shake it. I thought I saw it written all over. I felt strange, and yet I laughed. To humor a vague fancy or inner command I pulled out a $2 bill—my last, by the way—and told a friend of mine to put it on Loantaka. I was ashamed to do it myself. He came back and handed me a ticket marked 'Loantaka, 80 to 2,' and he smiled a little. After a long delay they were off, and if I live 100 years I shall never forget the description.

"'They're off all together. Major Domo at the quarter; Cassius, second; Banquet, third. Same at the half. Domo at the three-quarters; Demuth, second; Cassius, third; Tenny is back in the bunch. Domo at the mile; Cassius, second; Fitzjames, third; Tenny is eighth. Now comes the stretch. Domo in the stretch, a head; Demuth, second, a head in front of Cassius; Loantaka is fourth, a head away on the inside and coming fast.'

"No need of singing it out to me. I read it only too plainly off the telegraph instrument. Then there was a pause. I was dazed. I heard the instrument no longer.

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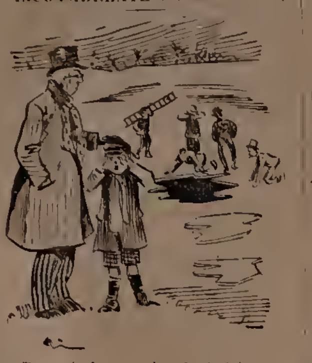

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But the sands were hot and brown.
It must be near, I said to my heart,
Unless I have missed the track;
Only a few more furlongs can part
From the home that welcomes me back.

Ah, what is this! I have been unwise;
Behold there stretcheth a sea
Near to the lovelit home I prized
It was not wont so to be.
Forward I rushed on my way once more,
My heart o'ercharged with despair,
Till I stood where should have been the shore,
And, lo, there was no sea there!

Oh, joy of heart, here my trouble ends!
"Only a mirage," I cried.
"Now for the sunshine of loving friends
And safety at eventide."
'Tis thus, thought I, all life's journey through,
We are held captives by fear—
Fear for the dangers our fancies view,
That vanish as we come near.
—New York Home Journal.

"THE LONG ARM."

A Case of Plagiarism.

It was 6 o'clock in the evening, and the editor of The Monthly Record sat alone in his room at a large desk strewn with papers and cuttings, gazing thoughtfully at the sheets of manuscript which he had taken from a pile before him.

"I can't understand it at all," he was thinking. "Except for the change of scene and the matter of turning a collision into a fire the two stories are practically identical. At any rate, they're rather too similar for me to pass the matter over. The extra chapter is original enough, though, and really well written, I'll admit. But what on earth possessed the fellow to send it here, out of all the offices in town where it might have gone instead? The whole thing is quite beyond me.

"I don't know quite what to say at this early stage in the proceedings," he said slowly. "But, let me see, first of all, what's the sender's name and address? Ah! 'Claude Hellingham, 14 Cadogan street, W.'"

He paused irresolutely for a second and then wrote on the sheet in front of him:

"Dear Sir—If the author of the short story, 'The Solitary Soul,' will call at this office at 3 o'clock on Thursday afternoon, I or my representative will be glad to see him."

"There, that ought to fetch him," said the man, with a peculiar smile, as he signed the letter 'Douglas Baird, Editor.' Then, directing the envelope to the address given on the manuscript, he posted it at the corner of the street on his way home.

On the afternoon of the following Thursday Douglas Baird sat in his office again. He was obviously not quite at his ease, and from time to time he would open one of the drawers of his desk and examine the papers it contained as if to assure himself that none of them were missing. Presently he looked at his watch.

"H'm! A quarter past 3 already," he mused. "I wonder if my correspondent is going to fight shy after all."

A tap at the door interrupted his soliloquy. In answer to his somewhat surly "Come in," the visitor entered.

The editor of The Monthly Rocket slightly raised his eyebrows. Accustomed as he was to all sorts and conditions of visitors, it was not often that such a pretty girl as this invaded his office. His surliness vanished instantly. He could be charming to ladies when he chose. This was one of these occasions. Accordingly, he set a chair for the visitor and returned her timid greeting with a geniality calculated to dispel her very obvious nervousness.

It was a young but sad and troubled face that looked at him across the desk. The soft, fair hair might have adorned the sunny head of a child, but the girlish mouth had assumed a curve of unnatural determination, and the blue eyes were full of that awful fear which is to be seen only in the eyes of the refined poor.

"I have a letter from Mr. Baird, the editor—I don't know if you are he—asking me to call at 3 today," said the girl.

"I am the editor, certainly, but I can't recollect writing to Miss—Chester. In fact, I expect some one else at this hour."

"Mr. Claude Hellingham, perhaps?"

"Yes. Do you know him, then?" asked the man eagerly.

"Oh, yes, I think I may say I do, a little," she replied, smiling again. "In fact, I—I am the individual himself!"

"I don't quite understand," returned Baird wonderingly. "Is there such a person at all, then?"

"Oh, yes, very much so. I'm he, or, rather, he's my nom de guerre," she answered quietly, seeming to enjoy his evident mystification.

"You?" he replied. "You? What on earth made you take such a pseudonym?" he demanded wonderingly.

"Oh, because I thought a man's name would give my story a better chance of acceptance. But why did you write to me?" she continued anxiously. "I was so glad to get your letter! I thought you had accepted the tale. You are going to publish it, aren't you?" she added, all her smiles vanishing.

"No," said Baird, looking at her steadily. "I don't think I shall."

The girl's eyes filled at the answer, and, as he saw the bitter disappointment in her face, the editor began to feel quite remorseful. It was a deuced awkward business, he told himself.

"I am sorry, Miss Chester," he said, pulling himself together with an effort, "that you should have thought my letter meant acceptance of your contribution. Before we go any further, however, let me ask you one question. Did you send in that story, 'The Solitary Soul,' as original matter?"

A pause ensued. The ticking of a clock on the mantelpiece alone broke the silence of the room. The editor watched the woman keenly. A sudden spasm passed over her face and a hunted look came into her eyes. Then for the first time the man noticed her pallor and the poverty of her attire; she had clasped her hands together, as if to make an appeal, and he saw that even her gloves were carefully mended.

"If you would rather not answer," he said gently and in a very different tone from that which he had intended to adopt toward "Mr. Hellingham," "you need not do so. Only, I think you must acknowledge that it is impossible for me to publish the story in my magazine."

"Will you tell me w—why?" she asked, trying to control her voice. "I will own that I shouldn't have offered it to you without an explanation, perhaps. But I—I"—

For answer he took from a drawer a newspaper and a pile of manuscript. "This is your manuscript," he remarked, watching her keenly as she put out her hand for it, "and this," he added gravely, taking up the paper, "is the journal in which a certain story entitled 'The Liar' appeared. Now perhaps you will understand."

The girl's hand trembled so that she could hardly hold the printed sheet. After a momentary glance she laid it down again, and then, turning her blanched face to him, she said tremulously, "I ask your pardon."

"Will you tell me, Miss Chester," he asked slowly, "why you sent this to me? Was it for the sake of getting into print—a natural enough vanity, I'll allow—or," he continued in a softer tone, "was the payment that you would have received had the manuscript been accepted an important consideration?"

"Oh, Mr. Baird," she exclaimed, trying to regain her composure, "I know it was a dreadfully dishonorable thing to do, but—but you don't know how hard it has been for me in London. A woman has no chance at all, and for a girl like me, without interest or friends, it seems impossible to get work. I've lost heart utterly now, and I'm so tired of it all."

"Have you met with any success at all?" he asked sympathetically.

"Yes, a little, but not very much and nothing regular. I got some fairly regular work on The Morning Comet, but the paper failed last summer and left some money owing to me, too," she added sadly.

"That was hard lines. Did you write much for it?"

"Yes, a good deal. I did all those articles on 'The Provincialism of London' and also the serial 'The Heart of a Woman,' with some short tales as well."

"By Jove! Was it you who wrote 'The Heart of a Woman,' then?" he exclaimed, with interest. "How silly of me! I ought to have remembered the name. It was a capital story. You should get it published in volume form I'm sure it would succeed."

"I've tried to, but it was no good. The first firm I offered it to kept it for seven months and then wrote to say they would bring the story out if I would bear the expense. The next people who considered it were not so bad. They asked me to pay only half the cost. I knew they were a good firm and would treat me well, and so I tried to get the money before the book would be too much out of date."

"That is why you sent this manuscript to me then?"

"Yes; I saw that you were offering 25 guineas for the best 10,000 word story. The money meant such a lot to me, and I was so awfully hard up! I began a story and got half way through with it, but it wasn't alive, and I somehow couldn't get on with it. Then one day I came across an old file of the Cape Town Mercury in the reading room at the museum. I saw a story called 'The Liar' in it and liked the central idea very much. I worked it up and changed the construction a little and added another chapter, and then—well, then I sent it here. I never imagined any one would recognize it. The paper was over ten years old and had lasted only a dozen numbers.

"And now I think I've nothing more to say," she went on, "except that I'm ever so sorry about it all! I hope you won't think too badly of me. It was such a temptation! Will you tell me, though"—her voice faltered—"how it was you found out? I didn't think any one in London could have read the Cape Town Mercury or, even if they had read 'The Liar,' that they could remember it now. It is a curious coincidence, of course."

"Yes," answered the man slowly, "an extraordinary coincidence. The fact is, though—er—I myself happen to be the original author of 'The Liar.'"—Sketch.

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Didn't Get Her Share.

Mrs. Newcombe (as she puts down the family paper, fondly to her husband)—Oh, Herbert, if I could only read such a lovely obituary notice in the paper about you as I've just read about a man down in Pittston! Somehow, blessings seem to me awfully unevenly divided nowadays.—Judge.

To Keep Out Tuberculosis.

In keeping the herd of dairy cows free from tuberculosis a few general rules at least should be observed. First, know that the herd is free from the disease. Then do not bring a new cow into the herd unless she has been first tested by tuberculin. If milk is taken to a creamery and skim-milk brought back, do not permit it to be used till it has been pastuerized. This will not only make it safe to feed to calves, but if it is fed to pigs will also prevent the disease being spread in that direction, which means its getting a foothold on the farm. Do not under any circumstances permit strange cattle to run in the pastures or occupy the stables. Above all, do not permit a consumptive person to take care of the cows.

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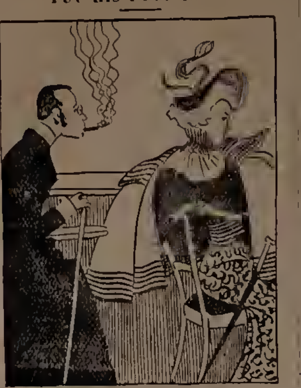

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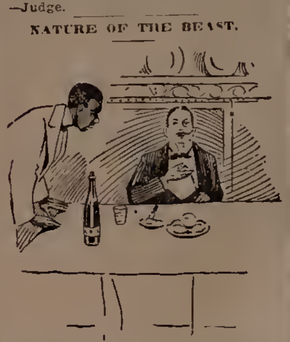

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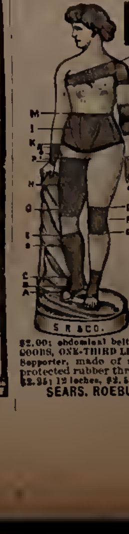

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WRENTHAM.

W. L. Eurgren held a dance at Lake Pearl, Saturday night. During the summer he will give band concerts every week.——Mrs. F. C. Holmes of Newark, N. J., and daughter, Henrietta, are guests of Mrs. Lewis W. Fisher.——Miss A. M. Sullivan and Miss Helen Keller have arrived at their cottage at Lake Pearl.——The death is announced of ex-Mayor John Gill of Orange, N. J., a brother in law of Mrs. Mary Ketchum and Mrs. J. M. Russell.——Joseph E. Chamberlain entertained the Authors' club of Boston Saturday afternoon at his residence, Red Farm.——Daniel Brown has bought the strip of land between the park and Red Springs and is having it cleared up. There is talk that the electric railway company will purchase the land with Red Springs, run a track to it and open up a new park. Surveyors have been at work laying out the track.——Mrs. J. N. Fiske has presented the fair committee with a check for $100.——The comedy drama, "Me an' Otis," was presented in the Town hall June 1 before a fair sized audience by the members of the Cypress Aid society. Dancing followed the drama. Music was furnished by the Philharmonic orchestra of Franklin. The following took part: Walter A. Hatch, Arthur L. Jenness, Stuart S. Bean, Howard Fisher, Jesse T. George, Edith B. Bean, Fern A. Wing, Florence E. Warner, Helen M. Bonney. The acting was firstclass in every feature and the performance showed careful study and hard work.

SHELDONVILLE.

Mrs. N. F. Parmenter is visiting in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Nickerson of Boston spent Sunday in town.

Miss Lena Newall has gone to Hatland G. Bacon's at Plainville for awhile.

Mrs. Nancy Bagnel and son of South Framingham visited in town last week.

Mrs. M. J. Gilmore has returned from a short visit with her sister in North Attleboro.

Mrs. Lydia Draper Oliver died at her residence in Sheldonville Saturday, aged 73 years. The funeral was held Monday and the remains taken to Peabody, her former home. She leaves one son David B. Oliver. Her husband died nearly thirty years ago in South Africa, where he went on a trading voyage.

TALES OF CITIES.

The night lunch cars have been driven from the streets of Chicago by a city ordinance that went into effect on May day.

That Calais, Me., is a city of "magnificent distances" is evidenced by the fact that the mayor has his residence nine miles from the city hall.

Edinburgh is noted for its aristocracy, Glasgow for its engineers and shipbuilders, Dundee for its jute merchants and Aberdeen for its "canny going bodies."

Northfield, Vt., has a liquor agency under the town's supervision, where the name of every purchaser of wet goods is entered in a book, and the list is published in the local paper every month.

Boston park commissioners are urgent on the need of more playgrounds for the children. The city has six tracts of ground provided for this purpose, with a total area of about 40 acres, but the need of more land for similar use becomes every year more evident.

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TRUST THRUSTS.

Why not have a law compelling the trusts to disclose their affairs and thus make investigations unnecessary?—Cleveland Leader.

To charge the American trusts with the rise of raw materials in foreign markets is only to weaken the real charges against them.—Boston Transcript.

Already the trust problem is beginning to solve itself by the action of individual states which prohibit trusts incorporated in other states from doing business within their borders.—Spokane Chronicle.

The trust question has a very strong hold upon the public mind, and it would be very difficult to excuse a failure on the part of congress to take action in regard to it intended to have immediate results in the public interest.—Omaha Bee.

THE NURSERY.

Caraway water is useful to relieve flatulence in infants. A teaspoonful should be administered after each nursing, or, with hand fed infants, given in the bottle.

Brain trouble is indicated when an infant is frightened at or attracted by an imaginary object, striving to escape it or grasp it. No time should be lost before calling in medical aid.

Indigestion in infants is often caused by too tight bandaging. The linen binder should never be used. A wide strip of flannel about five inches deep round the body to keep the bowels comfortably warm is all that infants require.

In Strict Confidence.

"Now that we are married, Lucy, we will have no further secrets from each other."

"Then tell me truly, Jack, how much did you pay for the ring?"—Tit-Bits.

Still Going.

"Am glad to see you have been riding a horse. The bicycle, I say, must go."

"Well, it does, doesn't it? What more do you want?"—Brooklyn Life.

To Teachers Attending National Educational Convention at Charleston, S. C.

A more delightful trip cannot be had than to take a side trip to the mountains of Western North Carolina, the "Land of the Sky," on their return from the Charleston convention. The route of the Southern railway, New York to Charleston, carries you in touch with the mountain region of North Carolina; in its entirety makes one of the choicest summer resorts of the world. In area, the mountain regions of North Carolina is almost as extensive as that which encompasses the Alps. The peak of the "Land of the Sky," Mount Mitchell, is by far the highest mountain of the East. It rises 6,711 feet and is one of 43 peaks which look down on the highest of New England summits.

Those going to Charleston by the Southern railway pass through the historic battlefield section of Virginia, where Union and Confederate blood was spilled, and then through the most interesting section of the south. Interesting literature of the trip will be furnished upon application. The round trip rate to Charleston for the occasion of National Educational association is one fare for the round trip, plus $2 membership fee. For full particulars apply to George C. Daniels, N. E. P. A., 228 Washington street, Boston.

No Occasion for Worry.

"I must warn you, dearest," he said, "that after we are married you will very likely find me inclined to be arbitrary and dictatorial in my manner."

"No matter," she replied, cheerfully. "I won't pay the slightest attention to what you say."—Chicago Post.

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FOUR BALLS.

Imposing fines on impudent players on the ballfield has begun early, but not too early to meet the impudence, apparently.—Boston Herald.

One thing can be said in favor of the St. Louis Baseball club—it usually manages to occupy first place at least once during the season.—St. Louis Republic.

It is to be hoped that the separation of Washington from the League will not create the impression among baseball enthusiasts elsewhere that the District of Columbia has been taken off the map.—Washington Star.

THE ICEMAN.

It is too bad that ice does not grow in summer, when it is most needed.—Ridgewood (N. J.) News.

Paradoxical as it may sound, the burning question of the hour in New York is ice.—New York World.

In Chicago ice must be weighed in the presence of the customer. But the iceman is not unhappy. He may use his own scales.—Kansas City Journal.

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"He is; but he hasn't got his liabilities big enough yet."—Chicago Record.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of William B. Nolen, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Henry R. Jenks, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented to said court his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offers named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of two certain parcels of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts, legacies and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county, on the twenty-seventh day of June, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

je5.12.19

BARNUM'S FIRST CIRCUS.

It Was Located In Washington During the War.

"It is a fact, though not generally known, that Barnum's first venture as a circus man was made in Washington," volunteered an old circus rider who is now a clerk in an up town department to a Star reporter, "as it is also a fact that his engaging in the circus business came about from a suggestion of a Washington boy, Hugh Coyle. In the fall of 1863 Coyle, who had been employed during the previous summer as a drummer in the band connected with Gardner, Hemming & Co.'s circus, returned to Washington, having finished his engagement, the circus going into winter quarters.

"W. E. Sinn was then running Canterbury hall, on Louisiana avenue, as a variety theater, and he gave Coyle a job selling tickets. He never sold any, however, for in talking over circus matters with Sinn he said he thought it would be a good thing and make barrels of money—circus people always talk of money by the barrel—if a winter circus was opened up in Washington. The war filled the city with soldiers, and they spent their money freely. Coyle further suggested that, as a circus he had been with was doing nothing, he thought it could be brought here, but that to make it as attractive as possible there should be some animals secured.

"Up to that time Barnum had been before the public only as the proprietor of bull shows and museums. It was known that he had about a dozen bears in New York which the people there had tired of, and he thought they might be secured. Correspondence was entered into with the owners of the circus, Adam Forepaugh, James E. Cooper and John O'Brien, all of whom have gone to their reward since.

"The upshot of the matter was that Barnum agreed to contribute his bears, handled by 'Grizzly' Adams, famous since as a clown; Forepaugh, Cooper and O'Brien to furnish their circus, and Sinn to furnish the lot, pay for advertising, billposting and the city license. The proceeds were to be divided up, Barnum to get one-third, the circus one-third and Sinn the remainder. Colonel Sinn got permission of B. B. French, then commissioner of public buildings and grounds, to establish the circus on Louisiana avenue, between Ninth and Tenth streets.

"As Barnum was favorably known as a museum owner the establishment was styled 'P. T. Barnum's circus, museum and wild animal exhibition.' The museum part consisted of a lot of stuff which had been saved from the fire when Barnum's museum in New York was burned. The bears were rather old and out of form, but they went just the same. Barnum's principal contribution was his name, but the concern paid handsomely. Two performances were given most every day, and the audiences were made up almost wholly of soldiers and others brought here by the war. I was a leading attraction, riding a bareback horse, which was then a sensation on account of its novelty.

"We played there for the fall and part of the winter. Barnum was pleased very much with the amount of money that was weekly sent as his share of the receipts. The new business caught his fancy, and two years afterward he started out in the circus business on his own account. The museum business in New York had been about played out, and the tent show offered more certain proceeds."—Washington Post.

THE VERDICT.

"Don't underrate the Empire State!" shouts the New York World. We don't. It is one of 45 states of this glorious Union.—Omaha World-Herald.

The St. Paul man who was bunkoed by the tin box game has the same consolation as had the life saver who grabbed a drowning man by the wig—he has the tin box.—St. Paul Globe.

The coming statue of Thomas F. Bayard is to be the work of a woman. Woman has usually molded us as she would. Why shouldn't she be successful in modeling us in plastic clay?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

THE DRESS MODEL.

Durable twilled silks of various kinds are being revived. They are used for waists, linings, underskirts, sash draperies and gowns entire.

The fancy still continues for mousseline de soie and chiffon yokes and guimpes on all sorts of bodices to wear under tailor made jackets and waists.

Tiny gold buttons are seen used by French ateliers on gowns of ceremony formed of white cloth, drap d'ete, lace, net, chiffon, crepe de chine and veiling.

Fine sheer nainsook embroideries, with medallions of lace introduced here and there, add effective variety to the season's handsome dress trimmings for thin summer gowns.

Pink and white or violet and pale green pond lilies trim some of the large round hats otherwise decorated with choux and loops of chiffon or mousseline de soie and black velvet ribbon of generous width.

In attempting to originate something novel in the shape of evening bodices the old time corselet models have been revived. Some of the gored skirt tops are finished in this form instead of ending at the belt. They are very little decorated.

One of the most satisfactory skirt models for making up light sheer wools for summer wear is cut in circular shape, with plain panel front, medium wide side plaits and a shapely box plait at the back. The plaits flare gracefully around the bottom of the skirt, which is cut with a slight dip.

At their first introduction there were many doubts and conjectures concerning the fate of plaited skirts, but the matter is settled for the summer season at least, for among the models in many other styles are prominently set forth the plaited waists and skirts arranged in every possible variety.

Among new French jacket and basque bodice models are those made with front dart and side seams at the back that extend to the shoulders. These gracefully curved lines impart a look of slenderness and extra length to the form and are therefore particularly desirable for women of full figure.—New York Post.

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Secure all the hives necessary to accommodate the swarms and the surplus honey crop before the time comes when they will be actually needed. This is the only safe plan to avoid losses in a busy season.—St. Louis Republic.

POULTRY POINTERS.

Give young turkeys a good range on sunny days.

Vertigo in fowls arises from a bad condition of the digestive organs.

Have the perches not more than two feet high and all on the same level.

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One advantage with the larger breeds of fowls over the small ones is that the larger fowls are usually much easier controlled.

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Assets.................................. $126,646,728.45
Liabilities............................. 121,112,030.71
Surplus................................. 5,534,697.74
Insurance in force...................... $497,606,126.00

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Milford	9.00 "
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Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Guild are visiting friends in New York.

Mrs. A. W. Edson of Worcester is the guest of friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Rogers removed to Woonsocket this week.

Concert by the Franklin band at Lake Pearl next Tuesday evening.

James W. Wilkinson is sick at his boarding place on Oak street.

Clarence Abbott has returned from the dental college at Philadelphia.

Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., will hold a regular meeting this evening.

Martin Kelly is spending a few weeks with his sister in Winsted, Conn.

Henry Byrnes is now able to walk out and is steadily gaining in health.

The junior reception to the seniors of the High school takes place this evening.

Edward Whittaker removed this week from McCarthy street to Summer street.

Dean defeated the High school nine on the campus yesterday afternoon, 12 to 5.

The big chimney at the power house is trying to make Unionville a smoky city.

The Benry Bemis household furniture is to be sold at auction Monday at 1.30.

It is expected a Medway car will be run to the brick school house tomorrow.

Edward H. Rathbun and family have returned to their residence on Alpine street.

Judge O. T. Doe attended a reunion of law students at Boston Tuesday evening.

Rev. William J. Reardon of Amesbury was a guest at St. Mary's rectory on Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin returned from their hunting trip in New Brunswick today.

Mrs. Frank Clark of Millville is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dennis Fitzgerald, of Central street.

Arrangements are being made to have a new carpet for Masonic ball, an improvement much needed.

John Dunning is in Washington caring for a brother who fell and injured himself quite severely recently.

Mr. E. S. Crossman is visiting relatives in Freeport, Me., her husband joining her this week by wheel.

Miss Ellen E. Hoter, of New Haven, prominent as a church vocalist, has been a guest for a few days at Dean parsonage.

Mrs. Elbert Gilmore of Lynn is enjoying a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Hartshorn, of Peck street.

The work of the assessors is far enough along so that it is believed the town valuation will not vary a great deal from that of last year.

By decision of the State tax commissioner, your piano or organ is not taxable unless your house furnishings exceed $1000 in value.

C. R. Russell's horse ran away on Main street Wednesday afternoon, but was stopped by Walter Clark and no damage resulted.

Conductor McCarthy is to have the Boston Willimantic run, taking Conductor Cowell's train, the latter being promoted to the new Boston-New York flier.

Mrs. E. C. Clark of Union street is entertaining Mrs. Frank Mills and daughter of Providence, and Mrs. Hiram Hawes of Boston.

A number from here will go to Providence next week to the Brown university commencement, when Fred V. Hussey will graduate.

The last meeting of the Mary Warfield Missionary society was held yesterday afternoon. Refreshments were served and a profitable time spent.

Rev. Mr. Sneath has been elected a member of the committee on Sabbath observance by the General Association of Congregational Churches.

A number of children are to be christened at the Congregational church on Sunday, and especially interesting children's exercises are to be held.

A meeting of the Double Ten circle of King's Daughters will be held next Wednesday evening, at 7.30, at the home of Miss May Morey, Dean avenue.

Lady Franklin lodge, Daughters of Rebekah, will visit Rosalie lodge of West Medway on Monday evening, the barge leaving Odd Fellows' hall at 6.30.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper will preach on a special subject next Sunday forenoon adapted to Children's day. His theme will be "A Christless Education."

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Thayer left Wednesday for a ten days' outing near Bangor and the Mt. Katahdin region in Maine.

The reception to be tendered to the senior class of the High school by the juniors will be given tonight. All invitations must be presented at the door.

Mrs. A. M. Willard, Albert R. and Miss Lulu Willard attended the wedding of J. M. Ritchie and Miss Ida Hager of Milford, N. H., at Lynn on Wednesday.

The programme being arranged by Manager Worthley for Saturday, June 16, at Indian Rock park, includes horse racing, bicycle racing and a base ball game.

On Thursday evening next Fidelity lodge, A. O. U. W., will have as guests the degree team and a delegation of members from Ames lodge of Woonsocket.

The ladies of the Baptist Aid society are preparing for a fine lawn party to be held at the home of Mrs. A. F. Pendleton, 9 Union street, Friday evening, June 15.

George K. Morris of Boston will lecture at the Methodist church Tuesday evening, June 19, for the benefit of the church debt. Subject, "That Mysterious Man."

Miss F. Alma Martin of Springfield is at present visiting her sister Mrs. C. L. Stewart. Miss Martin is a graduate of Hartford hospital and is hoping to locate in this vicinity.

Special preparation has been made for the Sunday school concert at the Baptist church next Sunday evening. A fine program has been arranged in honor of "Children's day."

John W. Fryer of New York is the guest of his sister, Mrs. David Fisher. Mr. Fryer is attending the Steam Fitters' convention in Boston, and is a master steam fitter himself.

At the meeting of Excelsior lodge, A. F. & A. M., Monday evening, Grand Lecturer Charles M. Avery was present and witnessed the work. After the work refreshments were served.

A little girl, Erna Woodnan, was shut up by mistake in the Universalist church about 6 last evening, her frightened calls attracting the attention of a passer-by, who secured a key and released her.

Herbert W. Nye and Walter L. Partridge, both of whom formerly resided here and are now engaged in the straw business at West Upton, made a flying trip here Tuesday and were warmly greeted by friends and relatives.

C. H. Rood, the agent of the railroad company, was in town Wednesday looking up damages caused by brush fires along the railroad line. There are a number of localities that have been scorched this spring in this vicinity,

Foxboro had another fire on Tuesday, destroying two fine large ice houses storing 2,000 tons of ice, the loss being about $30,000. It was owned by a Boston firm, and was across the line in Walpole. It was probably incendiary.

Isadore Buxton died at Unionville Sunday, aged 45 years, from dropsy. The funeral occurred on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Mr. White of Woonsocket officiating. The remains were taken to North Smithfield, R. I., for burial.

Miss Mary O'Sullivan and Miss Belle Murphy, president and vice president, respectively, of Ladies' Auxiliary, No. 12, A. O. H., attended the annual state convention of the order in Boston yesterday, being the delegates sent by the local auxiliary.

There will be no Epworth league service at the Methodist church on Sunday evening on account of the Children's day concert, which will occur at 6.00 p. m. There will be special music, with exercises by the children of the Sunday school, and a short address by the pastor

As George C. Lasher was in Milford the other evening he was assaulted by John J. Donahue and robbed of a watch. The accused was tried yesterday and found probably guilty and bound over in the sum of $1,500. Mr. Lasher has but one leg and is a brother in law of J. E. Hunt of Wachusett street.

The Trowbridge Piano company has an office in Milford and one or more of its fine pianos is on exhibition there. The Milford branch of the business is conducted by F. P. Bly. Over 100 of the Trowbridge pianos are now in use in Milford homes.

Mrs. C. W. Clark and her daughter, Mrs. L. M. Morrison, left on Tuesday for Brighton, where Mrs. Clark will remain with her other daughter, Mrs. G. P. Mason, for the summer. Mrs. Morrison remains there about a week and then returns to her home in Philadelphia.

Manager Enegren proposes to "push things" at Lake Pearl this season, and has arranged a band concert and dance for next Tuesday evening. The amphitheatre is being remodeled and made ready for a grand opening in the near future. Electrics run every half hour.

The town and the street railway company have made a great improvement to the roadway on Main street, between Central square and Emmons street, and Depot street is now being looked after. Selectman McCarthy is taking a special interest in seeing that the work is properly done.

An exchange tells of a man who claimed he was to poor to take his home paper, but all the same he read a notice in a down east paper, telling how to prevent a horse from slobbering, and sent $1.50 for the receipt. When the $1.50 worth of information came it said: "teach your horse how to spit."

The ball game between Dean and the Framingham High school teams, to have been played on the campus Wednesday afternoon, was cancelled at the eleventh hour by the Framingham boys. The Friends' school nine of Providence are scheduled to play Dean on the campus tomorrow afternoon.

The Our Boys base ball nine have organized for the season as follows: G. Williams c., T. Connolly p., T. Kenney 1b., J. Farley 2b., Morse 3b., C. Murphy s. s., J. Kenney l. f., J. Murphy c. f., S Bourbeau r. f. Challenges sent to P J. Connolly will receive attention. The team will make its first appearance tomorrow, when they play the Ramblers.

The summer timetable of the Eastern district of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R will go into effect on Sunday, June 10, for the season of 1900. The usual increase in train service will be made for the summer travel, and timetables showing the new train service will be ready for distribution and may be obtained upon application at ticket offices of the company a day or two before the change goes into effect.

A number of the Woman's Relief corps went to West Medway on Tuesday to enjoy the twelfth anniversary of the organization there. A reception was tendered the department officers, Mrs. Mary Gillman, president; Miss Maria Goring, vice president; Mrs. Davis, chaplain, and Mrs. Stillings, inspector. A fine dinner of salads, cold meats, rolls, ice cream and fruit followed, and an entertainment.

A number of our teachers have been giving their pupils practical lessons in geography by taking them off upon trolley trips to Unionville, where is afforded an excellent opportunity to study the hill and valley formations, water courses, etc., which is of vastly more material benefit to a student than much of the mere memorizing of abstract geographical data, which is valueless for the time and soon forgotten.

A great many of the bike riders seem to have forgotten the statute against riding on the sidewalk and the one regulating speed, or perhaps they think them honored in the breach rather than the observance. Throwing handbills into the streets or yards is a common occurrence that ought to be checked. A little revival in the activity of some of these wise laws for the public safety and private peace would serve for the good of the commonwealth.

The second team of the Franklin High school met and defeated the second nine of the Woonsocket High by a score of 20 to 12 on Wednesday afternoon at the trotting park. Until the fifth inning it was anybody's game, when the Franklin High braced up and won in a walk. The battery for the home team was Palmer and Hood until the ninth inning, when Grant entered the box. This makes six games won out of seven for the Franklin boys. The all round playing of the home team was a feature of the game.

William P. Cook of Chelsea and Miss Ethel Z. Jordan of this town were united in marriage at the Baptist parsonage on Wednesday evening, Rev. F. B. Sleeper performing the ceremony. Miss Annie L. Naylor of Wrentham attended the bride and Roscoe Jordan was best man. A wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's parents on Jordan street after the ceremony, immediate friends and relatives being present. The couple were the recipients of numerous wedding gifts. They will make their home in Chelsea.

Last Wednesday Mrs. T. M. Turner, president, and her suite, consisting of Mrs. David Corson, Miss Louisa Gillson, Mrs. M. L. Jackson of the Woman's Relief corps, and W. H. Jackson of Post 60, G. A. R., presented the High school, in behalf of the corps, a fine copy, neatly framed, of the delaration of independence. It is to be kept in the upper school of the Horace Mann building, and will prove a great aid in stimulating right patriotism among the youth of our school. The gift was a great and most acceptable surprise.

As noted last Tuesday, there are to be two Sunday trains for Providence and "down the river," commencing next Sunday, the running time being as follows: A train will leave Providence at 7.35 a. m., reaching here at 8.22, making close connection with the train for Boston at 8.26. The train for Providence will leave here at 8.58 a. m., reaching Providence at 9.45, in time to catch the boats down the river or to Block Island, Newport and elsewhere. In the evening the train will leave Providence at 7.05, reaching here at 7.52, and will return to Providence at 8.13, reaching there at 9 o'clock.

It is understood that the new train from Boston to New York is not to stop here, as at first planned, but at Blackstone. This is quite a disappointment, but it could be obviated by giving us a train to Blackstone just preceding the flyer. But, better still, a petition is already in circulation requesting that the train stop here regularly, or at least be made a flag station, in view of the fact that we are now connected by the electrics, and passengers from Milford, the Medways and Wrentham would find this the best point at which to take the cars to New York, thus giving them the benefit of the rapid transportation.

William Chism, better known as "Peck," has just sent to David Fisher some handsome specimens of handkerchiefs made from the leaf of the banana. The fabric has all the appearance of silk, and with the dainty embroidery makes it a gift well worth receiving. He also sent some Manila cigars. Mr. Chism is fighting for "Uncle Sam," his letter being sent from Iloilo. He appears to be quite comfortably situated, and expresses no desire to hurry home to the states. When he speaks of going out to fight the natives he calls it "looking for trouble," but he says that natives are very wary, and have no desire to encounter Uncle Sam's regulars.

The development of business on the street railway has been a matter of surprise to most people who were interested enough, when the project of building was started, to consider the subject. At that time one of the chief promoters of the enterprise, in talking about it, did not profess to expect any profit for a few years, and said that even paying expenses for the first year or two would be all that could be reasonably expected. It is understood that as it stands at present the returns have been more than enough for this purpose and have gone beyond expectation, even with much of the feeder system uncompleted. Of course this is very satisfactory to the stockholders, and with a continuance of the same conditions will afford pleasant contemplation for the future.

A survey has been made and stakes driven with a view to widening Central street between Summer street and the Wrentham line. The street railway track which has been put in leaves, in places, a very narrow roadway for carriages outside the rails, and more space for this is considered necessary. There is no doubt that a good many years ago the space provided for the highways was enough for present needs, but there seems to be no way to find out just what this layout was. The street is a part of the old stage road from Taunton to Worcester, and an effort will be made to establish a compromise line by agreement with the abutters without calling upon the county commissioners for a new layout. Such a course, however, may be necessary if no agreement can be reached without such a move.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to the pupils of the eighth and ninth grades of St. Mary's school, members of Fidelity lodge, A. O. U. W., neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness during our late bereavement.

MRS. A. WALDEMEYER AND DAUGHTER.

Richardson's Market.

Less meat and more vegetables this weather is the best; have some choice spring vegetables such as new peas, ripe tomatoes, choice beets, juicy rhubarb, the succulent string beans, etc. Fresh killed poultry, home killed veal, selected cuts of beef, prime pieces of corned beef, the best butter in town, strawberries, full baskets and finely flavored fruit. We will leave you a box daily if you desire during the season.

Send your boys to Ochee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

An Amusement Resort at Beaver Pond.

The advent of the trolley has been the means of inducing local capitalists to invest in new enterprises in Franklin and vicinity, and at present there are a number of proposed improvements receiving serious consideration from the moneyed men of the town that would never have been thought of had not Franklin been given electric railway service.

The latest announced enterprise that has been decided upon among some of our citizens, and which in some respects will be a rival of Lake Pearl and Hoag's Pond for public patronage, is the opening up of a new summer amusement resort on the shores of Beaver Pond, where Enoch Waite is the owner of several acres of land that border the pond and which are splendidly adapted for a summer amusement resort. Those behind the enterprise, one of the foremost of whom is Mr. Waite, have already contracted for the erection of a pavilion 60x100 feet, and a large part of the lumber to be used in its construction is now upon the ground, the intention being to have the pavilion erected and open for business by July 4 It will contain a dancing hall, bowling alley, billiard hall, shooting gallery and refreshment booth. Chutes similar to those at all the large summer resorts are to be one of the features, and all who desire to experience the novelty of "shooting the chutes" will be accommodated at old Beaver. Pleasure boats are to be put on the pond and various other attractions that are to be enjoyed at all up-to-date summer resorts will be found here for the pleasure of patrons. The electric cars pass the road at the point of Beaver and Central streets which leads only a short distance to the grounds, and this will be a great convenience to out-of-town pleasure seekers.

High School Graduation.

The exercises will take place this year in the Opera house on Friday evening, June 29, at 8 o'clock, and the baccalaureate sermon will be delivered at the Congregational church on Sunday evening, June 24, by Rev. E. L. Atkinson, pastor of the Church of the Ascension in South Boston. He can be relied upon to give the young people many thoughts of interest and profit.

The graduating class this year is composed of Misses Charlotte and Ellen J. Butters, Clementine and Caroline Guigon, Mary E. Hutchinson, Mabel H. Aldrich, Angelina McManus, Maisie D Whiting, James H. Hood. After graduation Miss Whiting expects to enter Boston university, Miss Hutchinson goes to Mt. Holyoke and Mr. Hood to some school of technology.

The school closes a week later than usual owing to the loss of a week through the scarlet fever epidemic in March. This, by the way, is no unusual thing this year, as many schools are not closing until July and some extend a week into the month. Principal Daniels expects some very interesting exercises this year and he is having the active co operation of the pupils interested.

The Golf Tournament.

The members of the Franklin Country club will hold their first golf tournament on the course on the Wrentham road next week Saturday afternoon, when it is expected that nearly if not all of the members will participate. Each player will be handicapped according to the record he or she may hold, so that all will stand upon an equal footing. E. H. Rathbun at present has the credit of making the best score upon the grounds, and a number of other players hold excellent records. There will be two prizes offered, these being the gift of Mr. Rathbun, the club's vice president. There are a number of golf enthusiasts in the club who improve every opportunity to lower their record, so that it is expected that the tournament will develop not a little good natured rivalry. The course is a good one, the club has its own club house for the benefit of its members, and the electric cars make the ground very accessible to the players, as the cars go within a very short distance of the club house. The following are the officers of the club: President, A. Burt. Palmer; vice president, E. H. Rathbun; secretary and treasurer, Palmer A. Woodward.

When It's Fly Time

Then it's high time that you put up your screen doors to keep out the flies. It's cheaper to put in screen doors than to waste time killing flies or buying fly-paper. We have the doors at $1, $1.25 and $1.75. Screens for windows and the wire netting also for sale.

HOSIE BROS.

Emerson's Market.

New peas and asparagus, string beans, spinach, 15 cts a peck; radishes, lettuce, rhubarb, cucumbers, Bermuda onions, cabbages, 3 cts a pound; new beets and turnips, new potatoes. Boiled ham 25 cts a pound. Try our Imperial cheese. Fresh-killed fowls, lamb, veal, pork, and our lobsters are boiled fresh every Saturday morning and received here at 4.30 p. m. Get your selected strawberries here.

Views of Residences.

Now, before the trees leaf fully, is the best time to arrange for photos of your home, either exterior or interior. Call and see samples and let me quote prices. Business hours during the summer, 8 to 12 a. m., 1 15 to 5 p. m., 7 to 8 Saturday evenings.

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COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

TO THE EDITOR OF THE SENTINEL:—As a townsman—although not a constant resident—of Franklin, I have been a good deal impressed by a paragraph in Tuesday's issue, of which the purport is that the electric cars, in rounding a certain corner, overhang the sidewalk, and that it therefore behooves people to beware lest they suffer injury to their persons or apparel. It strikes me, Sir, that the warning should go just the other way—that the company should keep its cars off the sidewalk, or be punished for not doing so. An electric car has no more right to occupy one inch of the sidewalk than an ice cart, a circus wagon or a load of hay, and no location of tracks, however granted, can convey that right, unless the exact portion of ground to be so occupied be distinctly and formally discontinued by due process of law as a part of the sidewalk which has been hitherto duly established and occupied as such.

As I understand the law of the case, if any person should have his foot pinched or his clothing torn by a car trespassing upon the sidewalk where he has a citizen's right to be, he would have the basis for an action of damages against the town which permitted the encroachment. Under well ordered and cautious jurisdiction no curve would be allowed to be laid and used, the sweep of which could involve such peril as your paragraph implies. The inconvenience and cost to the company in correcting such a result of reckless or incompetent engineering are as nothing compared to the rights of the community and of its individual members; and the longer a trespass is allowed to continue the more serious it becomes, and the more likely to cost the town which endures it when some persistent man, who knows his rights and will fight for them suffers some damage and demands compensation.

Yours truly,
HOWARD M. TICKNOR.

Boston, June 6, 1900.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Dr. J. C. Gallison will sell a light driving horse or exchange for a heavier one. 11tf

Barn and carriage house to let on Winter street. Apply to Mrs. Emily F. Aldrich. 8*

To Rent.—5 room tenement, Central square. Inquire E. B. Sherman, Emmons street. 5tf

Two hundred bushels potatoes for sale at Mt. Vernon farm. Address Box 25, Franklin, Mass. 8,12,15,19*

For Sale—An open buggy and two second hand harnesses all in good condition. T. B. Allen.

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 18-tf

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Boarders Wanted.—A man and wife or two gentlemen; a nice front room. Apply to A. S. Wales, Dale street. 1,8,15*

Hay, at Maple Farm, all good; 95 cts. to $1.10 per hundred delivered to any part of town. Orders at Chilson's market. O. S. Stetson. 15 tf

Lost—A sum of money, between Winter street and the postoffice, about five weeks ago. Reward will be paid. Apply at SENTINEL office. 8*

To Let—Small tenement on West street to man and wife without children. Rent $8. Apply at stable of A. M. Thayer any day but Sunday. 8

Cut flowers, wedding bouquets, flowers for graduation, all kinds of funeral designs made up at Slade's green house at short notice. P. O. Box 179.

Lawn Mowers—Don't try to mow your lawn with a dull mower. Bring it to Rose's machine shop, and he will put it in perfect order. It will cut better, quicker and with far less exertion.

For Sale or to Let—Cottage of eight rooms and barn on Peck street; pleasant view of the town; fruit, and well of good water. Inquire of Peck & Field. 5,8,12

For Sale—A lot of good household furniture and several Brussels carpets. Apply at stable of A. M. Thayer before 9 a. m. or after 5 p. m. any day but Sunday. 8

Round-trip tickets to Milford, 48c; Providence, 90c; Boston, $1.05. Get them of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office and thus save 12, and 33c from regular fare charged for respective trips. Mileage books to let.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J.B.MCKINNON, Agent.

The summer season at the Tremont theatre will open June 11 with the tremont theatre stock company under the management of J. H. Gilmour and L. J. Rodriguez. The opening play will be a dramatization of Theodore Burt Sayre's novel, "The Son of Carleycroft", by special arraugment with Harper Brothers & Co., Publishers, and this is one of the few in which the dramatization appears before the publication. Mr. Sayre is regarded as one of the best of the younger school of American play-wrights. The play will have the advantage of scenic investiture, which has been especially prepared. The story is laid in Devonshire, in the time of Charles the Second, affording all possibilities of colors and atmospere for which that period was famous.

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

FRIDAY, JUNE 8, 1900.

IT is understood that Dewey is now anxious to be the tail to Bryan's kite, but that will probably be denied him. When the people really desire Mr. Dewey they will notify him.

THERE is political talk of putting up a negro candidate for president and securing the support of all the colored men of the country, irrespective of politics. He would probably be a "strong" candidate.

A FEW local coal dealers in Kansas City "combined" to regulate prices, and they have been fined about $1,000. Of course its easy enough to get after the small fry, but why not try for bigger game while you are about it?

LONG stock for the vice presidency is still at par, though candidates are looming up here and there. He will have the support of the entire New England delegation, but "practical politics" may step in and demand a western man. The country would be the loser thereby.

GOV. ROOSEVELT says. "In life, as in a foot ball game, the principle to follow is, hit the line hard; don't foul and don't shirk, but hit the line hard." That sounds very nicely, but we notice that when "the guvner" finds that Tom Platt is lined up against him on the other side he usually drops on the ball, calls "down" and surrenders to the wily "boss." The latter has been in the game a trifle longer than the governor and "knows a thing or two."

MAYOR VAN WYCK of New York appears to be in "quite a hole" in the ice trust matter, and Tammany is as deep in as he is, so much so that even the New York Journal cannot swallow the combination. Gov. Roosevelt is considering the advisability of removing the mayor for violation of law, and will do so if he finds himself legally empowered to do so. It would give the Democrats in New York quite a "jar" if the governor should do this, and it looks as if he intended it.

ALTHOUGH the curtain appears to have been rung down, yet not all of the actors have as yet left the stage in the South African affair. The end is in sight, notwithstanding Kruger says that he is determined "to fight to the last." His better judgment will prevail and the slaughter of men will cease. Then will come the vexing question of pacifying the inhabitants, which may take years to accomplish, and quite a large standing army for the present at least. England has now a fine chance to show her magnanimity.

A FIGHTING PLATFORM.

The New York state Democrats have selected the delegates to Kansas City and outlined the following platform, with Hill and Croker on the delegation

"The Democracy of New York favor the nomination of William Jennings Bryan of Nebraska for president of the United States.

"We express our unqualified opposition to those immense combinations of capital commonly known as 'trusts,' which are concentrating and monopolizing industry and business, crushing out independent producers of limited means, destroying competition, restricting opportunities for labor, artificially limiting production and raising prices.

"We favor both gold and silver as the standard money of the country.

"We are opposed to that foreign policy of the present national administration, commonly known as 'imperialism,' which contemplates schemes of conquest and the establishment of colonial governments in accordance with British theories.

"We demand that our solemn ante war pledges made by congress to Cuba and to the world should be speedily fulfilled in good faith.

"Our plain duty is to abolish all custom tariffs between the United States and Porto Rico and give her products free access to our markets."

The reaffirmation of the Chicago platform was defeated 33 to 7.

HAIR WEALTH

Wealth of hair is wealth indeed, especially to a woman. Every other physical attraction is secondary to it. We have a book we will gladly send you that tells just how to care for the hair.

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THE PLAYERS' VACATION.

Viola Allen will go to a Long Island farm.

Mr. and Mrs. James K. Hackett will camp out in the Adirondacks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sothern will be among the European travelers.

Modjeska has already sought her California ranch home near San Diego.

Miss Nethersole will take a much needed rest at her beautiful home in England.

Ada Rehan will spend a portion of the summer at her English country residence.

Alice Nielsen will go to her ranch on the Pacific slope and later may take a trip to Honolulu.

Maude Adams will go abroad for a few weeks, but later will take a month's rest on her Long Island farm.

May Irwin will divide her time between Irwin island, in the Thousand isles, and Paris, going first to the exposition city.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Goodwin will recuperate under English skies, spending the entire summer at Jackwood, the residence they have owned for two years. Miss Gertrude Elliott will be with them.

THE SICK MAN.

The sick man of Turkey doesn't even try to cough up.—Minneapolis Times.

Sultan Abdul Hamid is at least thrifty in starting his war taxes in advance of the war.—Philadelphia Ledger.

If Uncle Sam wants to find out what his Turkish claim is worth, let him try to sell it.—Milwaukee Wisconsin.

When it comes to standing off a dun, Turkey shows up as the smoothest artist in the entire dead bent gallery.—Kansas City Times.

Turkey wants, it is said, to "settle the matter quietly." The quiet way is to pay the bill and say no more about it.—Buffalo News.

Perhaps the sultan has a curiosity to see if the American brand of ultimatum differs materially from the European brand.—Kansas City Journal.

If it is true that our charge d'affaires at Constantinople has handed the porte a peremptory note, the next thing we shall probably hear is that the sultan has had the note discounted.—Newark Advertiser.

THE ROYAL BOX.

The literary proclivities of King Oscar of Norway and Sweden moved him while in London the other day to leave his card on Swinburne and Henry James.

Count Elemer Lonyay will be unable to take his bride, the Crown Princess Stephanie, to his home after the honeymoon, as his castle at Bodwag Olaszi has just been burned down.

The health of the young king of Spain will necessitate his leaving Spain earlier than usual this year. Accompanied by the queen regent, he will in a few days go to Covandonga, in Asturia.

Abdurrahman Kahn, the ameer of Afghanistan, who is now trying to get more money by playing the Russians off against the English, is already receiving from the latter people $1,000,000 a year.

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RELIGIOUS THOUGHT.

Gems Gleaned From the Teachings of All Denominations.

Good and great men represent the architecture of good and great thoughts, of noble and pure ideas.—Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, Congregationalist, Brooklyn.

Spring of All Actions.

The heart is the spring of all our actions, and the state of the heart determines the character of the action.—Rev. Dr. H. W. Provence, Baptist, Montgomery, Ala.

Loyalty to Christ.

Be loyal to Christ and his truth, and God will be loyal to you. Be patient. The relief is approaching. Christ's triumph is near. God reigns. God loves.—Rev. Carl W. Scovel, Presbyterian, St. Paul.

Need of Personal Responsibility.

What our age needs more than anything else is an increased sense of responsibility. We must each do our share if the world is to be regenerated.—Rev. J. K. Brennan, Episcopalian, St. Louis.

Patience.

Patience is not the product of fair weather. We don't come to patience by being swung in the hammock of a rainbow or by walking with golden sandals on the sunny side of life.—Rev. J. R. Shannon, Methodist, Toledo.

Reunion in Heaven.

One of the sweetest expectations of heaven is reunion with the loved ones who have gone before, and this very instinct is a proof that one day our desire shall be realized.—Rev. Dr. M. B. Chapman, Methodist, Kansas City.

Sacredness in Work.

A man's profession is sacred. He ought not to have a profession which is not sacred. Even the business of the clerk is sacred. His figures are telling for righteousness, and in that measure he is accomplishing what Jesus would do.—Rev. M. E. Harlan First Church of Christ, Brooklyn.

Need of God's Spirit in the Church.

Nothing short of a complete subjection of the church to the spirit of God, which will lead her to a readjustment of the whole present plan of working, will justify her boast and prophecy of converting all men and purifying the fountains of political and social life.—Rev. Howard MacAyeal, Congregationalist, St. Louis.

Perfect Religious Life.

The perfect religious life is not to be found by hiding ourselves away from the responsibilities of citizenship and of the home, but by throwing ourselves into the struggle of humanity, sacrificing ourselves to help our fellows and putting the highest, purest motives into our humblest toil.—Dr. Camden M. Cobern, Episcopalian, Denver.

Christ's Religion.

If my religion can teach me to live without a regret, it will also enable me to die without a fear. That kind of religion covers the career of the soul from the moment of birth until it safely lands on another shore, where it will find something grander to believe and something better to do.—Rev. George H. Hepworth, Congregationalist, New York.

Goodness Inspires Love.

A man who is honest and virtuous only by the exercise of an iron will may command our respect, but he never has our love. The one out of whom goodness is reflected like a light is the one who inspires love. It is not enough to be good; to be beautifully good is necessary to make virtue attractive.—M. M. Mangasarian, Society Ethical Culture, Chicago.

Keep True to God and Christ.

Life is your workday; toil is your business. Trim and train yourself, kill your evil tendencies, cherish every noble inclination. Take yourself in hand, keep in touch with the beautiful, the true, with God and Christ. Heaven and the angels are above you. Prayer will bring both angels and heaven closer day by day.—Rev. George H. Hepworth, Congregationalist, New York.

Parents as Molders of Children's Fortunes.

Whatever it shall be—whether lives of moral beauty and power or the opposite—lies largely in the hands of the parents. Every parent can become the fortune teller and also the fortune maker of his own children. It is your privilege now in advance to write their histories and put in them what you will.—Rev. Josephus Stephan, Methodist, St. Louis.

Work For Mankind.

All mankind should work. Work is the order of God, the law of nature. Achievement is the glory of man, and we are essentially a working people. True, there exist various kinds of working people, but what we need and must have is the man with the hoe and the woman with the needle. That is what constructs and preserves a republic.—Mrs. Vandalia Varnum Thomas, People's Church, Chicago.

Religion in Business.

Let the employer, as a religious duty, favor the participation in all profits, in fair proportion, of all those who have been instrumental in producing the profits. Let the employee recognize the necessity of honest and true work, whether he likes his employer or not. Then will mutual respect and co-operation be promoted to the advancement of the best interests of all labor.—Rev. Dr. William White Wilson, Episcopal, Chicago.

The Christian's Responsibility.

A great responsibility rests on the Christian man and woman as they go out into the world. Out there you are in a sublime sense the ministers of Christ. In your business or your profession, in society, you preach to the people with an influence beyond compute. The flavor of your character, the method of your speech, the sacredness of your thought unseen but always present are such influences upon humanity.—Rev. Dr. Madison, Methodist, Denver.

"Seeing is Believing."

When you see people cured by a remedy, you must believe in its power. Look around you. Friends, relatives, neighbors all say that Hood's Sarsaparilla, America's Greatest Medicine, cleansed the blood of their dear ones and they rise en masse to sing its praises. There's nothing like it in the world to purify the blood.

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"Yes," answered the high-browed young man.

"You're aware, of course, that a great many airships have been invented—in fact, that they are being invented all the time?"

"Yes. But I have a new idea, different from all the rest. Mine isn't cigar shaped."—Washington Star.

Could Take His Choice.

Oklahoma Landlord—Sorry, pardner, an' all that; but thar hain't no bathroom in this hotel. I'm sorter figurin' on puttin' one in next year or the year follerin', an'—

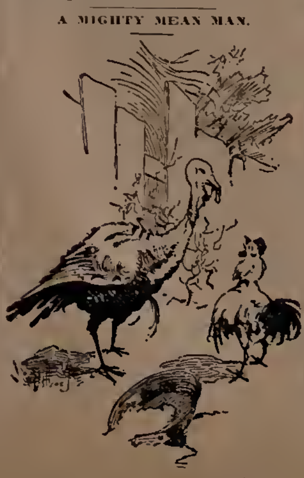
Hypercritical Tourist—Thunder and Mars! I don't want to take a bath year after next.

Landlord (calmly)—Wu-al, you don't have to; you kin do without.—Judge.

The Irony of Fate.

That wealth has its grievances many have
heard.
'Tis a fact which is sad beyond question
That the man who can purchase the heaviest bird
Has often the lightest digestion.
—Washington Star.

A MIGHTY MEAN MAN.



Rooster—Did you say anything rude to the cook?

Turkey—No. Why?

Rooster—He says he's going to cut you dead when he sees you Christmas eve.—Detroit Free Press.

A Life and Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost me $5 00 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and say it never fails to cure throat, chest and lung troubles." Regular size 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason's drug store.

No Chance About It.

Parson Jackson—Am yo' suah yo' didn't acquiah dat tuhkey in a game ob chance?

Mose Mokeby—Dead suah, pahson! I used mah own dice.—Town Topics.

Street Incident.

"My dear sir," exclaimed Lawyer Bartholomew Livingston, meeting the Rev. Dr. Archibald Windham on the village street, "What does this mean? I thought you were laid up with all sorts of bad diseases?"

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"Yes, yes, so they do," replied the minister, and the two passed on.

Entitled to Consideration.

The Judge—You must stop these interruptions! I won't allow you to waste the time of the court!

The Prisoner—But, my lord, you know I have got no lawyer to do it for me.—Tit-Bits.

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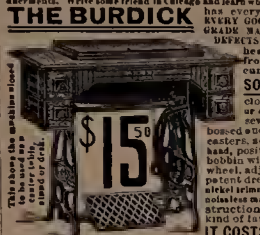

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LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$559,245 21
Guarantee Fund		27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account		6,268 80
Interest Account		8,831 98
Real Estate Income Account		184 23
Tax account		32 2[illegible]
		$602,315 35

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,759 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		6,350 00
" " Mortgages		116,310 04
" " Personal Securities		114,870 86
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		1,500 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		735 27
Bank Furniture		100 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$10,919 15	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	9,018 65	
Mercantile Trust Co	12,075 38	
		32,013 18
Cash on hand		2,074 97
		$602,315 35

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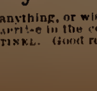

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Whether They Skated In Winter or Swung In a Hammock In Summer, They Were Caught In Its Web.

"Love, the scarlet spider, will in a night hang between two that have been apart a web too fine for either to see, but the strength of both will never be able to break it."

Who was he? She hardly knew. A partner. She thought of him as nothing else. All the women were given partners as a matter of course.

"Dick," their host had said, "will you have the goodness to look after my niece, Miss Blynn? Edith, let me present Mr. Kirkland." They bowed. They could not well see one another's face there in the starlight. It was a skating party at Lake Geneva, Wis., and two big companies had come down for a week of winter sports, throwing open the houses which ordinarily knew the sound of human voices only in the summer time. The two parties met the first evening after dinner on the ice. It was cloudy, with rifts of indigo where the stars showed, and there was a gusty, cold wind from the west. Now the ice looked bright. A silver ribbon would appear to stretch itself out waveringly, now it was shadowy and mysterious.

Miss Blynn held out her hand automatically to the man to whom she had been introduced.

"I see your skates are on," she said indifferently. "So are mine. Let us skate rather slowly with a long sweep."

A band began to play in the boathouse by the shore.

"I didn't know we were to have music. It is a waltz. Now I am ready, Mr. Kirkland."

He took her mittened hand in his firm grasp. They moved slowly and easily down the gleaming floor. They crossed the silver ribbon and entered the shadows.

"We shall presently be out of sound of the music," protested Miss Blynn gently. Not that she cared; she and her new companion were moving along with perfect rhythm.

"Perhaps if we listen hard we shall hear the music of the spheres," he said.

"The shadows are black," she remarked, "and the wind is cold. After all this is too serious for pleasure. It is hard to be frivolous in a place like this. See how forbidding the trees look on the shore and how solemn and menacing the sky is. This is a sermon—this winter night—or it is a tragedy. Let us go back to the house where the lights are burning."

"There is a fire in the boathouse. I heard your uncle say coffee was to be served there. But if you are too much oppressed I wish you would listen to the tragedy a little longer."

"Listen to it?" I look at it. It is a tragedy for the eyes, not for the ears." They swung along together with fine momentum. They were conscious of their youth and strength and vigor. Miss Blynn gave voice to her thoughts in an indirect fashion.

"Some people," she said, "are old and weary and sit by the fire and wonder if the winter will never pass."

They both laughed at this—it made a harmonious but startling duet, that laughter, and it echoed from the wooded shore.

"Some people," he responded, "go to winter and drag him out of his den, and shake him out of his sulks and make him dance like a trained bear." They laughed again, though neither of them had been witty.

"I have been skating with you an hour," said he at length, "and I have not an idea of how you look."

"I have been skating with you an hour," she retorted, "and I do not know whether you have red curls or black elf locks."

"Come to the boathouse," he suggested, "and see."

They went in where the fire crackled and where their friends stood in groups drinking coffee and chatting. He undid his cap with its ear laps; she untied her scarlet velvet hood. What she beheld was a young man of 24 or 25, with deep set gray eyes, a dark skin, dark hair, heavy brows, a smooth face and a large sensitive mouth.

What he beheld was a woman with a snow white skin, black eyes, melancholy and timid in their expression; a high brow, abundant dark hair and a mouth that, essentially serious, broke into unexpected illuminating smiles.

"It would be rude of me to say what a service the light has done me," he said stupidly.

"The light has told me a number of things," she responded daringly.

"What?" he importuned.

"That you have been a student, loving solitude; that you are melancholy oftener than you are merry, and that you like a good book better than a good friend."

"No, no; not the last!"

She laughed and took the cup of coffee he offered her. He took note of her gray skating frock, with its edging of black fur, of her scarlet velvet vest and little hood and the white, pensive face peering above her voluminous boa. She fell to talking with some others, and presently she flashed up to him for a second.

"I was rude to you with my personal comments," she said under her breath, speaking quickly. "Please forgive me. I knew at the time that I was doing wrong."

Before he could get over thinking how quaint a speech this was she was gone. He saw her no more that night.

There was nothing, it would seem, in this brief association to keep him waking till dawn. There was nothing to make her hold her fingers close upon her eyes as if to shut out a vision. The mystery remains always beyond explanation. There is no definition to the magic word; there is no fashion in which the necromancy can be accounted for.

The morning found him eager to see her and found her wondering by what means she could avoid him. There was ice boating, and while he searched for her he saw her flying by in one of the skimming craft, sitting erect and fearless while the great white boat took to itself the wings of a reckless bird.

In the afternoon there was a musical, and he saw her sitting, demure and sober, in a corner where he could not reach her, and later, at dinner, in all the witchery of her gleaming toilet of white, he had the sorry satisfaction of glimpsing her as she went down to dinner with another man.

In the evening she seemed to flit before his eyes like a will-o'-the-wisp. He could never get near enough to speak. He gave up at length and went away angry and hurt, and the next morning a telegram came calling him back to town. He said to himself that he would meet her somewhere, though he was quite aware that her life was much more given up to fashionable pleasures than his own. But the winter wore away, and he met her nowhere. He could not think of trying to call upon her. She had not asked him to do so. She had seemed not to care for him after that first night, but accuse himself as he might of having been an infatuated fool he could not rid himself of the idea that for a few hours his soul was nearer to hers than it had ever been to that of any other human being. To be sure, their happiness and sweet intimacy had been hidden under badinage and an affectation of indifference, but they were there, all the same.

Summer came.

"I shall see her at the lake," said Kirkland, and he put himself in the way of being invited up, but she was not at her uncle's house. She had gone to the Canadian lakes with an English family. Kirkland concluded that he ought to see Canada. A man really had no business gadding off to the other side of the world till he had seen his own continent. He went rowing on Canadian lakes and nearly lost his life, but after a fortnight's patience he found his way to the lodge where Miss Blynn's friends lived.

"Miss Blynn grew tired of our grim solitude," said her host. "She says Chicago is pleasant in the summer, though I myself have yet to see the time when I would call it pleasant, and she has gone back home to study something or other. I never knew her so studious."

"She's restless," commented Kirkland. "I wonder why?"

He put all shyness and sense of propriety behind him and determined to find out why. The morning after reaching the city he made himself gay in white duck and boldly called at her house. She was out on a porch at the rear of the severe looking city house and had made herself a miniature country seat there with palms and ferns and flowers. The hammock was moving as if she had just quitted it, but when he met her she was rising decorously from one of the chairs that surrounded a reading table littered with the midsummer magazines.

"You haven't your skates on!" she cried mockingly, extending her hand. Her eyebrows went up and came down in a funny, nervous little way and the corners of her mouth seemed tremulous.

"Is it necessary for me to have my skates on in order to recommend myself to your favor?" he inquired.

"I cannot tell," she responded, "till I see how well you converse in Oxford ties and summer ducks."

They talked nonsense like this for half an hour, but both of them were desiring to keep still and enjoy the happiness of being together again. Neither had the courage to become serious. He arose finally.

"I know how impertinent I have been in calling," he said. "It is justified only by—by my temptation."

"We can resist everything but temptation, a clever man once said," smiled Miss Blynn.

"Then I may come again?"

"You may come—in two weeks."

"I am coming in a week or not at all."

"Then let it be in a week," she laughed.

But it was not a week. It was three days.

"I've been miserable for seven months through not seeing you," he explained. "I won't stand it any longer unless you condemn me to it."

Her eyebrows went up and down in that curious way of hers.

"I shan't condemn you to it," she said, "because—well, because I came back from Canada, because—well"—

"Well, why?"

"Because it was such a long way from—from Chicago."

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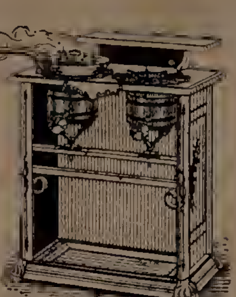

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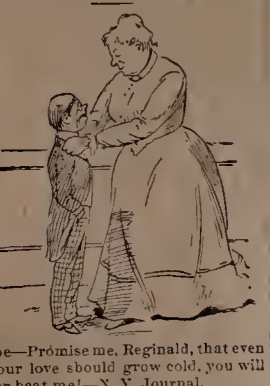

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IMPERTINENT PERSONALS.

John James Ingalls has written a book entitled "National Oddities" and uses his own picture as a frontispiece.—Denver Post.

If King Oscar goes to Paris next month, as proposed, will he pay more attention to the French fair or to the fair French?—Boston Globe.

Rudyard Kipling's current South African effusions are neither journalism nor literature. Can no one gag him for awhile, to give his reputation a fair chance to recover?—Boston Journal.

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He heard, as he rode away,
A neighboring donkey's lusty bray
"'Tis the mournful goodby," he said, "of my class,
And the valedictorian, of course, is an ass."

—Chicago Tribune.

Natural History.

Sandy Pikes—When a woman shakes her head, 'tain't no use to argue any longer.

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Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10 Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "Can One Love One's Neighbor as Himself." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. F. B Sleeper, pastor; theme, "A Christless Education." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Children's day concert at 7.30.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor; subject "The American Sabbath a Holy Day or a Holiday." Sunday school at 12. Junior league at 3.00. No Epworth league service. The Sunday school will give a Children's day concert at 6.00.

Congregational church—At 10.30, Children's day services; special exercises by the Primary department. Baptism of children at 11. Address to the Sabbath school by the pastor. Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Floral day service at 7.30; address by the pastor on "A Trip to Alaska."

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending June 6, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs Minnie Arnold, Mrs. John Madden, Miss Alice Whittier.

Gentlemen—Bliss Chapman, Martin V. B Kant, William Metcalf, Peter H. Moran (2), S. A. Peatley, Wm. M. Reinhardt, G. W. Sawyer

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J for fruit juice for a summer drink,
K for Kennedy, whose goods we stand by,
L for lemons that make a nice pie,
M for mince meat, molasses and mace,
N for Nestle's, whose milk suits the taste,
O for onions, a sure cure for the croup
P for potatoes to eat in your soup,
Q for Quaker, those rolled oats so nice,
R for raisins for puddings and rice,
S for sugar, sand soap and saleratus,
T for tubs, tapioca and tomatoes,
U for undoubtedly the cheapest in town,
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X for Xebec, a vessel it was used on,
Y for yeast that will raise bread best,
Z for zeal in which we stand the test.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Edwin J Pond, late of Providence, in the State of Rhode Island, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Metcalf E. Pond of Franklin, or to some other suitable person,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on Thursday, the 5th day of July, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 6th day of June, A D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Henry Bemis, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

HENRY E. RUGGLES, Executor.
Address Franklin, Mass.
May 31st, 1900. je1,8,15

MEN OF MARK.

General MacArthur escaped death in the battle of Kenesaw owing to a package of letters which he carried in the bosom of his coat.

Senator Depew, an excellent authority on gastronomy, asserts that a banquet costing more than $2 a plate is likely to be a very stupid affair.

Fred Titus, who has gained fame in the theatrical world as the husband of Edna May, has secured a position on the New York police force.

Lieutenant Governor Woodruff of New York took occasion to tell some Brooklyn ladies to whom he was making a speech that he was 42 years of age.

George Croall of Edinburgh is the only survivor of the theatrical fund dinner of 1827 at which Sir Walter Scott proclaimed himself the author of "Waverley."

Ex-Senator Sherman of Ohio had intended to visit the Paris exposition this summer, but on the advice of his physician he will remain quietly at his old home in Mansfield.

The will of the late Samuel Howard of Milwaukee leaves practically his whole estate, valued at $200,000, in trust for the support and education of orphan children. He had no near relatives.

General Ludlow has appointed First Lieutenant H. E. Aultman, Second artillery, United States army, as census enumerator for all posts and stations within the geographical limits of the department of Havana.

Secretary Long is looking forward with pleasure to his summer vacation at his old home in Buckfield, Me. Last year he spent some of his time in manufacturing three rustic chairs. He cut the wood and fashioned the chairs himself.

Senator Pettus makes a traveling desk of his big slouch hat. When he starts out in the morning, he fills his hat with letters and papers. He distributes them in sections as he visits the White House and the departments, but the old slouch hat is still bulging with documents when he reaches the senate.

Isaiah C. Wears, colored, of Philadelphia, whose death at the age of 79 years is announced, was elected in 1840 a member of the first suffrage convention ever held by colored men. In 1865 he was elected as the Philadelphia representative in the first national suffrage convention held by the freedmen after the civil war.

Moses W. Richardson of Boston has built and equipped a handsome inn in Templeton Center, Mass., which he has given to the town. He spent his boyhood in the town and long cherished a purpose to do something to benefit it. He found, however, that it already possessed an excellent library and school building, so he concluded that a model hotel would be most appropriate.

THE RED ABOVE THE GREEN.

The London papers incline to the belief that Salisbury forgot to remove his hat before he made his last speech.—New York World.

It is increasingly and sadly evident that Lord Salisbury's usefulness to the British empire is nearly over.—New York Times.

Lord Salisbury evidently wants the Irish Home Rulers to cherish no illusions on the strength of the queen's visit to the Emerald Isle.—New York Tribune.

In his Primrose league address the prime minister of England did an unusual thing for a diplomat. He spoke the truth. He deliberately declared that home rule for Ireland is a delusion and a myth and maligned the memory of the great statesman, Gladstone, the latchets of whose shoes Salisbury was never worthy to loosen.—Boston Traveler.

Salisbury's latest speech is a brutal challenge to Ireland, a formal notice that if it ever expects a liberal measure of autonomy it will have to fight for it. But Ireland is not foolish enough to accept that challenge. It knows the Salisbury ministry cannot last forever and that it does not represent popular English sentiment concerning Ireland.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Carelessness with matches is rebuked in a shocking manner by the fatal accident to the wife of General Wilson of Matanzas, Cuba. The modern match cracks like a torpedo when it is stepped upon and flashes like a miniature torch.—Milwaukee Wisconsin.

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4-Quart Ice Cream Freezers, each	1.98
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Erasmus A. Pond, late of Rutland, Vermont, having estate in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Metcalf E. Pond of Franklin or to some other suitable person,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the twentieth day of June, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 22d day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.
PROBATE COURT.

To the next-of-kin and all persons interested in the estate of Philip Dolan of Franklin, in said county, an insane person:

Whereas, John Dolan, the guardian of said ward, has presented his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, certain real estate therein specified of his ward for his support,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the fifth day of July, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this fifth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Milford	6.40 "
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West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.05 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.30 "
North South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
MATTHEW F. CONROY, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 17, 1898.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
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Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Go to Dean tonight.

Next Sunday will be children's day at the Universalist church.

Mrs. M. H. Pearson of Newburyport is visiting at C. W. Stewart's.

Miss Mattie Fisher left today for her usual summer stay at Onset.

Mrs Charles Whiting arrived home from Milwaukee yesterday morning.

William Rockwood has received $5 from the state for the loss of his cow.

Master Robbie Thayer has returned from his school at Cornwall on-the-Hudson.

C. M. Butman is connecting his business block near the bridge with the new sewer.

Frederick L. Farnum is spending a short time here while convalescing, and will go to Nantucket shortly for the summer.

The Hustlers defeated the Wrentham High school nine, 20 to 12, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael F. Burke of Rockland spent Sunday with the latter's parents here.

Amos P. Woodward is recovering from his recent illness and has gone to Ware for ten days.

Miss Sadie Sullivan entertained Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Griffin of Medfield on Sunday.

Miss Jessie Hosie is spending a couple of months with relatives in Buffalo and Liberty, N. Y.

Dr. G. A. Martin shot four and Mrs. Martin two bears on their recent hunting trip in New Brunswick.

Miss Caroline Rockwood is spending a few days at Norton, enjoying the Wheaton commencement.

Charles Whitney has left the High school, having accepted a position in the telegraph office at Fairmount.

S. H. Barrett has removed his family, father, mother and sister to Milford. J. H. Barrett accompanied them.

Fred. and Rupert Bent of Marblehead and James Bent of Everett are visiting their sister, Mrs. Wesley J. Beckett.

Mrs. Edwin Childs of Highlandville is spending two weeks with his sister, Mrs. Joseph Snodgrass, of Crescent street.

Frank Conti and the Misses Norena and Amelia Conti of Boston were guests at the home of R. Fiorani on Sunday.

Mrs Lucy E. Case pioneer to the Freedmen under the American Missionary association is the guest of Miss Emma C. Ware.

Bert Connor and Herbert Griffin are among the new conductors who have recently gone into service on the street railway.

George Barnes and sister, Miss Effie, of the Bellevue House, Intervale, N. H., have been visiting Maud and Ursula Lincoln for a few days.

There is a good deal of interest among members over the golf contest to be played on the Country club links on Saturday afternoon.

The New England telephone company is to establish a pay station at North Bellingham at once. It will be connected with the Franklin circuit.

The United Workmen expect an unusually pleasant time on Thursday evening, as a visiting team from out of town is expected here to confer the degrees.

There was a large attendance at the Bemis auction yesterday afternoon, and Auctioneer Corson managed to hustle off the goods in a lively and satisfactory manner.

Conductor Mathes has been laid off of the Boston Providence train for a number of weeks by sickness. His place is now taken by Conductor Murphy of Norfolk.

The Grange meeting will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Grange hall. Subject, Pomona, Flora and Ceres night entertainment; work, third and fourth degrees.

Conductor James M. Morrissey of the Boston Elevated street railway has resigned to accept a similar position on the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket street railway.

Thursday afternoon Miss Pearl Jacobs, teacher at one of the Nason street schools, took her scholars from 2 to 5 on a geography lesson to places of interest in and about Unionville.

The remains of Benjamin Chamberlain, who died at Wrentham on Saturday, were brought here for interment in the Union street cemetery today. The deceased was 86 years of age.

The attractions at Indian Rock park on Saturday, arranged by Worthley & Co., promise to attract a large number, as base ball, bicycling and horse racing are among the list of attractions.

"Uncle Nate" Arnold attended the Odd Fellows' parade in Providence last week and reports it a decided success. He went all of the way by trolley, by way of Woonsocket and Pawtucket.

Norfolk lodge of the N. E. O. P. meets tomorrow evening and two candidates will be initiated. Business of importance is to come before the lodge and all members are requested to be present.

The public meeting of the Greenhalge Literary society will be held next Friday evening, at 7.45, in the main room of the Horace Mann High school building. A very pleasing program will be given. All are cordially invited to attend.

A. D. Thayer sent his land locked friends here a sample of his catch last week, being no less than a 10 1-4 pound salmon which he captured in Maine waters. It was a beauty and must have furnished fine sport in the catching.

Charles Guild, employed as clerk in Emerson's, has resigned his position to go into business for himself in Somerville. Frank Foote, a former resident, has moved his family here from Boston and taken Mr. Guild's place in Emerson's market.

A good sized party of the young people went to Lake Pearl Thursday evening to enjoy the dance and social hour at that place. The evening was cool enough for comfortable exercise. A band concert by the Franklin band is announced for this evening at the lake.

The last rail was laid on the Medway bridge yesterday and the remainder of the girder rails were brought here to finish the track laying from the brick school house down to Emmons street. A car is expected to run today as far as the rails are laid, to the brick school house.

The fence surrounding the residence of Mrs. Cotton on Main and Depot streets has been spiked on the top in order to prevent loungers from sitting thereon who are either waiting for a car or are out for an airing on Main street, and who have made this particular spot a loafing place.

Rev. Messrs. Shenk and Cook are going to Europe this summer, making the trip together, and enjoying the Paris exposition. Rev. Mr. Shenk will preach at the Methodist church here the Sunday previous to his departure, June 24, sailing the next day. They will be absent about two months.

Cards are out announcing that "Mr. and Mrs. Edgar K. Ray will give in marriage their daughter, Eleanor, to Mr. Edward G. Brœnniman, on Monday, June the eighteenth, at 12 o'clock, at Elm Farm, Unionville, Massachusetts." They will be "at home" at Hotel St. Andrew, New York City, after Oct. 1.

The new Boston-New York flier went through here yesterday morning a couple of minutes late, the running time between Boston and here being thirty-eight minutes. The train was fairly well patronized, considering it was the first train. It is still hoped that Franklin will be made one of the regular stops.

High street is being concreted, and it is understood that the residents on School street hill are arranging to have their property thus attended to. It is not unlikely the town will concrete the walk in front of the William M. Thayer school house, the Baptist people are to have some laid and Mrs. Farnum will have her walk concreted.

Conductor McCarthy made his first trip on the 9.17 train west yesterday. The familiar call of Conductor Cowell, who had the run for so many years, of "Blackstone, Putnam, Willimantic, Hartford, Waterbury, Danbury, Newburgh and Poughkeepsie, Middletown, New Haven and New York," was decidedly missed, as the new conductor did not indulge in the refrain.

While F. W. Howland and family were away one day last week someone visited the farm on Prospect street, South Franklin, and gathered in about 100 small chickens. The exact number could not be told and the owner has several hundred in all. There were two dogs on the place, but no one in the vicinity heard any unusual noise.

There will be a lawn party at the home of Mrs. A. F. Pendleton, 9 Union street, Friday evening, under the auspices of the Baptist Ladies' Aid society. The house is large and the lawn exceedingly pleasant and the latter will be lighted with Japanese lanterns. There will be good music and other interesting exercises. Ice cream and cake will be for sale.

A delegation of about seventy-five members of the Epworth leagues from Woonsocket and Holliston will be guests of the local chapter tomorrow evening at the Methodist church. The various committees in charge have prepared a very interesting program for their entertainment, which will be augmented by talent from the visiting leagues. Members and friends of the church are invited.

The electric road did an enormous business last Sunday, taking large crowds to and from Lake Pearl. Indeed, one car in the afternoon had 171 passengers, and many had to wait for other cars to return home. It would seem almost necessary to put on cars more frequently or provide trailers. Wheelmen were not in evidence so much, proving that the car is bound to supplant the wheel to some extent.

Tickets are selling well for the lecture in the Methodist church next week Tuesday evening, as the proceeds are to go toward paying off the church debt. Concerning Dr. Morris' lecture, "That Mysterious Man," the Cincinnati Times-Star says: "The large audience was delightfully entertained for an hour and a half. The lecture abounded in wit, pathos, eloquence and common sense, and displayed the wide range of the doctor's oratorical powers, and he fully maintained the position accorded him as ranking with our foremost speakers."

Work on the Plainville route of the electric railway was resumed yesterday morning. There remained 700 feet of track to be laid on the Plainville road at the point where a large tree stands directly in the way of the line. The tree is to be unmolested and the track is to be built to one side. The uncertainty as to the way the line was to be built at this point, together with the fact that the company was short of rails, has retarded the completion of this line, but the necessary iron arrived on Saturday and it is hoped now to have the route from Franklin to Plainville finished this week.

The services at the Baptist church last Sunday, Children's day, were well attended. In the forenoon the pastor, Rev. F. B. Sleeper, preached on "A Christless Education," drawing his forcible illustrations from the city of Athens in Paul's day. There is no redeeming power in philosophy or the fine arts. These things, separate from pure and undefiled religion, tend only to corruption. If our young people leave Christ out of their education their knowledge affords no blessing. In the evening there was a very fine Sunday school concert that was thoroughly enjoyed by the large audience. The church was beautifully decorated.

Dean and the Friends' school of Providence crossed bats on Saturday afternoon, and provided a rattling good game. Though Dean was defeated, it was nothing to be ashamed of, as our boys played a thoroughly good game, having a semi-professional league pitcher stacked up against them, Dunleavy, of the North Attleboro team. It was a "one, two, three" game, the innings being rolled off with remarkable rapidity, the score being 3 to 1 in favor of the visitors. Dean stood a good chance to win throughout the game, but the pitcher was a trifle too much for them, so they had to be content with good fielding, which was really excellent.

After the finest game of the season the second team of the Franklin High school defeated the Textiles on Saturday afternoon by a score of 6 to 4. All through the game the Franklin team was a leader but by such a small margin that both sides were on their mettle. The fine pitching of Palmer was a feature of the game not giving one their bases on balls; and although the Unionville pitcher was a star, he received poor support and allowed a considerable number to walk. The diamond was in as poor shape as can be conceived, abounding in rocks and humps. The battery for the Franklin team was Palmer and Hood. Next Saturday the second team will play the Haywoods in Metcalf's field.

Owing to the absence of rails the Medway-Franklin road was not completed last week, as hoped, so it was impossible to send a car over as far as the brick school house. This week it is expected that the finishing touches will be put on, so that the cars will be in operation shortly. The company has purchased of W. H. Carey the lower block of tenement houses on the Flat in Medway. This will be taken down and a car barn built in its stead. There will be three tracks inside, with accommodation for at least six cars. One good-sized elm tree at the east end of the building will have to be cut down, but the large elm directly in front, it is said, will not be disturbed. This is the tallest elm in Norfolk county and attracts the attention and admiration of strangers at first sight. One of the occupants of the tenements has made his home there for over forty years.

At the Congregational Church.

Children's day exercises were unusually interesting at the Congregational church, the large auditorium being completely filled. The music by the choir was selected for the occasion, and the recitations by the little ones, both singly and together, were all that could be desired. The pastor stated that this occasion belonged to the little ones, and if they made mistakes, or forgot, it was all just as well. But they did excellently, and would have received abundant applause had it been given elsewhere. At the close of the service all of the children in the infant department were presented with a small flowering plant in a pot. The collection of the morning was remarkably large, being nearly $35. There was an unusually large number of children christened, as the names will indicate:

Helen Brackett Knapp—Mr. and Mrs. James H. Knapp.

Malcolm Fisher Johnson — Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Johnson.

Ethel Pauline Snodgrass—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Snodgrass.

James Vernon Mann—Mr. and Mrs. William D. Mann.

George Lucien Blake—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Blake.

Ernest Bassett Corbett, Horace Sumner Corbett, Ruth Dunlop Corbett—Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Corbett.

Genevieve Sophie Cook—Mr. and Mrs. James H. Cook.

Harold Waburton Ellis—Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ellis.

A Joyous Time.

The annual reception tendered the senior class of the High school by the juniors on Friday evening of last week was largely attended by friends and relatives of the scholars. The entertainment and reception room was artistically decorated in the floral beauty of Nature. After the reception, which ended at 8.30, a short farce was given, entitled "The Advertising Girls," the following members of the school in the cast: The Bicycle Girl, Miss Helen Thompson; the Girl Who Did, Miss May Neelon; the Girl Who Didn't, Miss Mary Morey; the Violet Extract Girl, Miss Linna Ferrer; the Patent Dressing Girl, Miss Mildred Lyon; the Flare's Soap Girl, Miss Genevieve Allen; the Frantic American Soup Girl, Miss Alice Nixon; the Washing Powder Girl, Miss Edith Metcalf; the Chief Rabbit, Alden Abbot; Mrs. Motherly, Miss Ida Pond. Miss Grace Whiting acted as director. During the play George Estey gave the reading, "Mr. Dooley on Microbes," and Miss Edna Thompson gave a mandolin solo, with Miss Vera Billings as accompanist, and Miss Grace Bly gave a piano solo. After the music refreshments were served, consisting of cake and ice cream.

Death of Mrs. Reid.

Mrs. Rebecca Reid died at her home on Brook street Sunday morning after a severe and painful illness. She was 65 years of age and leaves a husband, one son and three daughters. Her funeral will be attended from her late residence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. F. B. Sleeper officiating. The Baptist Young People's Union passed resolutions of condolence at their meeting on Sunday A floral offering will be sent by the society to the funeral.

Card of Thanks.

Franklin Post 60, G. A. R., extends to all who assisted in the Memorial day exercises heartfelt thanks. To the orator, Rev. I W. Sneath, and Rev. F. B. Sleeper, and those who assisted him on Memorial day, also his services on Memorial day; to the ladies of W. R. C. for service during the day; to the Sons of Veterans for efficient escort, and all others who may not be specially mentioned.

JOSEPH H. BIRD, Commander.
A. C. DANA, Adjutant.

Views of Residences.

Now, before the trees leaf fully, is the best time to arrange for photos of your home, either exterior or interior. Call and see samples and let me quote prices. Business hours during the summer, 8 to 12 a. m., 1 15 to 5 p. m , 7 to 8 Saturday evenings.

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At West Wrentham, Thursday, at 1 o'clock, a cottage house and barn, with household furniture, stable goods, etc.

D. CHAPMAN.

A clean fish market, complete stock of sea food, prompt and satisfactory service. Let us call. PAINE, THE FISHMAN.

Send your boys to Ochee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Timely Words.

The address of Rev. Charles Conklin of Springfield before the graduating class of 1900 of Dean academy, in the Universalist church, on Sunday evening, called out an audience large enough to nearly fill the auditorium. The class and the instructors occupied front seats, Rev. Dr. Hodge conducting the exercises. The closing selection by the choir, Longfellow's "Psalm of Life," was especially appropriate and beautiful.

The address of Rev. Mr. Conklin was remarkably clear, forceful, inspiring and helpful, and was listened to with the closest attention. Mr. Conklin has a pleasing delivery, a distinct enunciation, and had manifestly "sought out many things" in order to properly impress his young hearers with the importance of the occasion. He took his text from Col. 3: 23, 24, "And whatsoever ye do, do it heartily, as to the Lord, and not unto men. Knowing that of the Lord ye shall receive the reward of the inheritance; for ye serve the Lord Christ." He said in part:

The minister who "tells what he is preaching about" is the one that impresses his hearers. I have not to preach at you, which is usually most ineffective and ungraciously received. You have come not to pay a tribute to form, but for the honor and glory of God. Religion is the main thing. It suffices for the active, the strenuous life. It is needed by the reformer, the philanthropist, by all who are engaged in furthering the interests of our common humanity. We all desire to have some part in relieving human life of its miseries, sorrows and sufferings.

A famous painting shows a Christian upon one knee in adoration, while with the other foot he is ready to spring into consecrated action An earnest spirit is the true source of all success. My three points are: be serious, be strenuous and be earnest, the last being the greatest. A grave peril of the hour is buffoonery. This is the age of the funny man. Jocularity creeps into all places, appropriate and inappropriate. Everything not funny is voted down. But seriousness may be carried too far. Good people have given the impression that religion is austere, and to be pious is to be severe. Religion is health of body and mind and spirit. Holiness is wholeness Religion is meant to be enjoyed. "That my joy might be fulfilled in you" is the glory of sainthood.

The strenuous life may be overstrained. It may be a wasting life, which is unmoral, if not immoral. Health should not be sacrificed. You should wear out evenly; but you can never be too earnest. Earnestness is the source of all true success. It must be vivified and energized. A pound of pluck is worth a ton of luck. Don't wait for something to turn up, but turn it up. A bushel of acorns is not in itself a forest of oaks. Mere capacity is not enough. Be not content with being simply a success; the supreme importance is to be a full rounded success. Social success is nothing. Jesus Christ would hardly select his successful ones from among the "four hundred." I commend to you, then, religion as the source of power which leads to success You cannot fail to realize the inspiration that comes from mental culture. Matthew Arnold says that true culture is to know the best that has been thought in the world. You need persistence. Seeking for knowledge is discipline. Knowledge increases capacity, but is not necessarily power unless it is utilized.

Religion is the consecration of your God-like powers. "The kingdom of God is within you.' The spirit moves by means of man's faith. The Christian kindles his heart at the altar of the Lord of Lords and the fire transfigures common life. Man is not a creature of circumstances, the sport of chance; he is the child of a king and has not the inheritance of a slave. Men should realize that it is a good thing, a manly thing, to be a Christian. To please God is to reach the highest standard of excellence.

The difference between the fanatic and the enthusiast is that the former is swayed, controlled and possessed by one idea, and that of minor importance, while the latter is moved by things as great as the universe. If you "sow your wild oats" every grain will take root in your spinal chord. Life is too great to be trifled with or treated with stolid indifference. The longest life is too short to realize your highest ideals. At your best you may not be able to realize the full glory of your humanity.

Life is not a blind alley; it is a thoroughfare to another and better world. Write every day your best day. This may seem to be the highest point, but there are peaks beyond. Your friends may have made great sacrifices for you; do not disappoint them. To spare you they have not spared themselves. Sweeten their toil by realizing their fondest hopes in regard to you. Remember this institution as you go out into life. Do nothing to lower its standard. Be mindful of its needs. Bear yourselves as true men and women. You may not be famous. Renown may or may not come to you, but do your best, be earnest and faithful and you shall have your reward.

At Dean Tonight.

The Dean quarterly concert takes place in the chapel this evening and will no doubt be well attended. The following entertaining programme has been arranged and the pupils of Miss Pauline Woltmann, Miss Marion Sherman and Charles P. Scott will assist in its rendition:

Piano Duet (ballet music from Rosamunde)—Schubert
Miss Patterson and Miss Grant.
Reading—"The Horse Trade," from "David Harum" .... Westcott
Miss Nellie Wilder.
Song—(a) "I'm Wearin' Awa'," .... Foote
(b) "The Dying Flower". .... Rotoli
Miss Lena Cross.
Piano Solo .... Chopin
Miss Elizabeth Lamont.
Reading—"The Ballad of Sweet P" .... Cloud
Miss Alice Marjorie Ray.
Song Duet—"It Was a Lover and His Lass"—Walthew
Miss Kellough and Mr. Richardson.
Piano Solo—"Idillio" .... Lack
Miss Marion G. Grant.
Reading—"The Organist."
Miss Mollie G. Higgins.
Song—"Irish Love Song" .... M. R. Lang
Miss Mabel Goddard.
Piano Solo—"Valse Brillante" .... Lack
Miss Laura M. Patterson.
Reading—"The Day of Judgment" .. E. S. Phelps
Miss Maude L. Barron.
Song Trio—"Lullabye" .... Brahms
Miss Cross, Miss Marshall and Miss Goddard.
Piano Solo—Spinning Song from "Flying Dutchman" .... Wagner-Liszt
Miss Helen L. Tappan.
Scenes from the "Little Minister" .... Barrie
(Arr by Miss Sherman.)
Miss Bullock and Miss Sherman.

Scene I.—The Minister bewitched. Babbie has just passed herself off as Mr. Dishart's wife, to escape capture by the soldiers of Thrums, whose authority she has evaded.

Scene II.—"Filling the Pans." Lovers.

THE GRADUATES

The following are the graduates of class 1900:

Mollie Garfield Higgins, Bar Harbor, Me ; Harriet West Kellough, East Boston; Myrtis Methyl Longee, East Douglas; Mary Louise Mann, Franklin; Clara Marshall, Nashua, N. H ; Alice Elizabeth Phillips, West Medford; Edith Ardelle Phipps, Watertown; Clara Babson Woolford, Pigeon Cove; William Victor Burnell, Boston; James Currier Clough, Enfield, N. H ; James Murry Gallison, Franklin; Winthrop Young Haycock, Calais, Me.; Earl Roy Jenness, Barton, Vt.; Ernest Prescott Nowell, Reading; George Edward Pearson, Salem; Harry Elmer Richardson, East Aurora, N. Y.

An exchange says: "It is hard to exercise too much caution in dealing with strangers who travel about the town selling all manner of merchandise. Don't pay them any money until you get the goods, and above all things don't sign any agreement, no matter how innocent it may read. By remembering and acting on these suggestions you may save money—you certainly won't lose any." But it is far better not to buy of them at all, but patronize your local stores, which pay taxes and help support the town, which the others do not.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Dr. J. C. Gallison will sell a light driving horse or exchange for a heavier one. 11tf

To Rent.—5 room tenement, Central square. Inquire E B. Sherman, Emmons street. 5tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

Two hundred bushels potatoes for sale at Mt. Vernon farm. Address Box 25, Franklin, Mass. 8,12,15,19*

To Let—A small tenement, six rooms, corner of King and Union streets. Apply to A. F. Everett. 5,12*

For Sale—An open buggy and two second hand harnesses all in good condition. T. B. Allen.

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff 18-tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Wanted.—A girl to assist in the care of a child part of the day and some evenings. Inquire at SENTINEL office. 12,15

Hay, at Maple Farm, all good; 95 cts. to $1 10 per hundred delivered to any part of town Orders at Chilson's market O. S. Stetson. 15-tf

To Let—Small tenement on West street to man and wife without children. Rent $8 Apply at stable of A. M. Thayer any day but Sunday. 8

Cut flowers, wedding bouquets, flowers for graduation, all kinds of funeral designs made up at Slade's green house at short notice. P. O. Box 179.

Lawn Mowers—Don't try to mow your lawn with a dull mower. Bring it to Rose's machine shop, and he will put it in perfect order. It will cut better, quicker and with far less exertion.

For Sale or to Let—Cottage of eight rooms and barn on Peck street; pleasant view of the town; fruit, and well of good water. Inquire of Peck & Field. 5,8,12

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Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R , trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. See Chas. H. Prince, SENTINEL Office,

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKINNON, Agent

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TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 1900

Farmers' Bank Deposits.

It is a subject of congratulation that while the eastern financial centers, around which rage the storms of stock market panics, have been undergoing the stress of a severe financial stringency, the country at large, and especially the west, has been wholly free from any disturbance of that sort. If money has been scarce and hard to get in New York and Boston, it has been easy and plentiful in all western business centers. The situation in Minnesota is to a great extent illustrative of that throughout the northwest. The statements of the financial condition of the banks of St. Paul, recently published in the Pioneer Press, showed that they were all in first-class condition, with abundant reserves and overflowing deposits, with more money to loan than they knew what to do with. The same is true of all the country banks. Formerly at harvest time there was a great demand for eastern money to buy wheat and other products and help move the crops. Now this demand in Minnesota is almost wholly supplied by the country banks to the exclusion in a large degree of even the city banks. Years of agricultural prosperity have filled the country banks in the older and better developed districts of this state with farmers' deposits. The industrial and commercial prosperity of the last two years has filled the city banks with the deposits of prosperous merchants, manufacturers and railroads. What is true of Minnesota is true of the northwest—indeed, of the entire central west. The west has, in fact, become financially independent of the east, and its financial independence rests on the solid foundation of the cash returns of productive industries managed with conservative prudence. Formerly western farm mortgages were a favorite field for the eastern investor. But these mortgages have been largely paid off, and the eastern money lenders now find it so difficult to loan money on western farms that some of them who have been in the business for years have given it up or are about to give it up. The farmers have themselves become money lenders instead of borrowers.

A Grammatical Difficulty.

There is a young man uptown with a fondness for pets that are a bit out of the ordinary, reports the New York Times. A friend traveling in the West Indies forwarded to him a mongoose, and with this addition to his menagerie he was happy. Two weeks ago another arrived, and now the owner of the menagerie is miserable. He does not know whether to call the two "mongooses" or to refer to them as "mongeese." Just now he does this sort of thing when he meets an acquaintance who is familiar with his fad: "You know that mongoose that Tom sent me last summer? Well, he has sent me another, and they are a lively pair, I assure you." "What are you going to do with them, raise mongooses, or—er—, whatever you call 'em, for the market?" "Can't do that, you know, for both of my mon—, whatever you call 'em, are males." "Better kill one of them at once then; a fellow'd know what to call one of them, but when it comes to referring to more than that single one it would have everybody crazy trying to guess which is the right thing as between mongeese and mongooses."

Smallpox is rife in Altoona, Pa., and the town board of health ordered the killing of all dogs and cats in infected houses, that they might not distribute the germs of the disease. The bodies of the animals were burned.

The Kansas bureau of immigration has shipped east samples of corn 17 feet high; also tomato stalks six feet high, with fruit at the very top. How's that for tall truck?

THE MAN IN THE MOON

Sees strange sights and grows used to them in time, no doubt.

Even our ugly hansom automobiles will soon cease to surprise him; but he never can understand why people are willing to drink poor, health-menacing coffee when the best the world produces is easily obtained.

When we speak of the best coffee, we of course refer to the kind sold by Chase & Sanborn. Their Seal Brand Java and Mocha is famous for its excellence, and their high grade coffees which come packed in parchment lined richly colored bags are in great demand.

The greatest care in selection and packing is exercised.

With coffee pure like this, more enjoyment is experienced. No danger to health need be feared.

These coffees produce that deep port wine color before cream, and golden after cream, so much desired by coffee lovers.

Chase & Sanborn's Coffees.

MATRON AND MAID.

The firm of Curran & Davies, shoe dealers, of New York city is composed entirely of women.

Nancy Washington, a colored woman, has just celebrated her one hundred and fifth birthday in Boston. She has been married six times and is now a widow.

Miss Edith Rhodes, sister of the South African "diamond king," is an expert landscape gardener and is laying out a flower garden for the Yeomanry hospital at DeAar.

Liliuokalani, the former queen of Hawaii, is said to be grieving and brooding over her fate and is about to return to her native land, having already prepared her burial robes.

A granddaughter of Wolfe Tone, the famous leader of the Irish rebellion of 1798, has just died in Brooklyn in her seventy third year. She was Mrs. Grace Georgiana Tone Maxwell.

Lady Curzon accompanies the viceroy on his tour through India for the relief of the plague stricken districts. The personal devotion and self sacrifice of the vicereine are winning the hearts of all classes.

Mrs. Rosine Rynn and Mrs. Bettie Bryan were prominent delegates at the transmississippi commercial congress recently held at Houston. These ladies conduct a prosperous real estate business in the city named.

Sarah Bernhardt has returned the copy of Gabriel d'Annunzio's novel "Fire," presented to her by its author, for the alleged reason that the heroine of the story is Eleanora Duse, who is depicted as the greatest actress of her day.

It is worth noting that one of the supporters of Olive Schreiner's husband when he at last succeeded, after several attempts frustrated by mobs, in presenting the Boer side of the South African dispute to a London audience was Mrs. Despard, a sister of General French, General Roberts' well known cavalry leader.

Miss M. R. Cheston was elected a church warden at a meeting of the southwest convocation of Episcopal clergymen, held recently at Holy Trinity parish house, Philadelphia, the presiding officer being the Rev. G. Wolsey Hodge of the Church of the Ascension. This is a most unusual thing and created considerable comment.

Miss Effie Duggan of Norristown, Pa., has received a letter from General Lord Kitchener. After the outbreak of hostilities the little girl sent General Kitchener a sprig of laurel plucked from the hills of Valley Forge. With it she inclosed a few lines extending her best wishes. Lord Kitchener promptly wrote acknowledging the favor.

A Good Reason.

"What did you have your gear altered from 60 to 90 for?"

"Because pa's is 60 and Jack's is 90."

"Oh!"—Pick-Me-Up.

Definition.

A bigot is a [illegible] sort of chap,
Whose narrow judgment goes so far astray
That [illegible] our views he does not care a rap,
But holds his own, no matter what we say
—Chicago Record

CELERY KING
NATURE'S CURE

Headache for Forty Years.

For forty years I suffered from sick headache. A year ago I began using Celery King. The result was gratifying and surprising, my headaches leaving at once. The headaches used to return every seventh day, but thanks to Celery King, I have had but one headache in the last eleven months. I know that what cured me will help others.—Mrs. John D. Van Keuren, Saugerties, N. Y.

Celery King cures Constipation and all diseases of the Nerves, Stomach, Liver and Kidneys. Sold by druggists. 25c. and 50c. 2

THE GEISHA GIRL.

BY SADA YACCO.

The moon goddess had almost shed her pure whiteness on the Geisha quarter in Tokyo.

The lanterns in the teahouses were already flickering faintly as their flames diminished. The night watchman, making his rounds, could be heard heralding the hour of dawn in his monotonous tones, when Takao, the most beautiful Geisha girl in Tokyo, sat by the window of her room, with a sad heart in her eyes.

If she had been a beauty of the occident she would have cried and sobbed aloud, but in oriental countries we hide our sufferings.

She was a poor girl, a daughter of one of the poor nobility of Japan.

Takao had excessive beauty and distinction of manner, for she was very proud, but she had humbled her spirit, so that her parents could be saved from extreme poverty.

For this reason, according to Japanese custom, she had entered the Geisha quarter, receiving the sum of 300 "yedos" to bind her presence there for three years.

In a short while Takao became the queen of the Geisha, and all the nobility and rank of Japan assembled at her teahouse.

Among the gallants who paid their respects to this beautiful Japanese woman was Tuzaburo Shimada, a knight and a soldier.

He was poor compared to the other suitors for Takao's hand, but he was the handsomest, biggest, finest Japanese man of them all, and Takao loved him.

She had never told him this because in Japan women are not brought up to be demonstrative in their love affairs, but she knew that Shimada loved her, for he had told her that some day, when he was rich, he would make her his wife, and what could he say more?

But still Takao was much troubled, for where love is in the heart there is often sadness too.

So she was thinking, wondering if her sweetheart would ever become rich enough to take her to his home.

It takes a long time, and one can think a long while about these things that is why Takao found herself sitting by the window in her teahouse watching the sun god slowly steal in golden splendor over the harbor and the hills in the distance.

The night before a great feast had been given in her honor by Sendaiko, a feudal lord of Japan and the wealthiest man in the country.

Repeatedly Sendaiko had asked her to become his wife, and repeatedly she had refused him, for in her heart was the picture of Tuzaburo Shimada, the knight whom she loved.

Sendaiko had pressed his suit earnestly, with great ceremony, with splendid festivals, with presents and with promises, but without success, for the heart of a Japanese girl is made only for one lover, one husband.

Sendaiko was at first surprised, and finally grew angry at Takao's persistent refusal. She accepted his fetes in her honor and the presents he gave her because in the Geisha quarter she was obliged to treat all visitors with ceremony and respect.

As the moon goddess disappeared in the mist of early dawn and the sun god peeped in at the window where Takao sat his yellow eye saw a queer sight.

The sun god searched every corner of the teahouse carefully, and everywhere he found sparkling gold lying untouched about the floor.

In one corner he found a pair of great scales, and most of the money bags were placed on one side of these scales.

The night before Sendaiko had laid a wager with his friends that he would buy Takao's love for her weight in gold.

During the feast he had the scales brought in, and while the attendants piled the gold on the scales Sendaiko coaxed Takao to balance her weight against his money.

Laughingly she had complied, and as she stood on the scales Sendaiko said:

"This, all this, will I give you if you will become my wife."

Takao leaped instantly from the scales and in the presence of the company refused to marry Sendaiko, even for her weight in gold.

Sendaiko, enraged at the public humiliation, refused to accept her answer, and, leaving the money in the teahouse, said:

"Tomorrow I will take you to my country, which is called the country of Sendaiko, in the northeast part of Japan."

And when they had all gone Takao, trembling and frightened, sat down at the window of her teahouse and looked for her sweetheart, Shimada, to rescue her.

But he did not come, for he had been sent on a mission into a far distant country by the influence of Sendaiko.

Suddenly the door of the teahouse was pushed open, and some men crept stealthily in.

Before Takao could utter a cry of alarm she was seized, her head was wrapped in a scarf, and she was carried out of the teahouse to the seacoast; there she was placed on a ship anchored in the harbor of Tokyo and owned by Sendaiko.

When the ship was well out at sea, Sendaiko had the beautiful Takao brought before him on deck, and, holding a sword to her breast, he demanded if she would marry him, for he loved her greatly and would make her his wife.

Takao, true to her sweetheart, again refused.

The attendants of Sendaiko tried their best to restrain their master, but in a passion of rage he plunged the sword into Takao's heart, and her body was thrown into the sea.

As all Japanese stories have a moral, the moral of this one is to show that love in the heart of a Japanese girl is greater than fear of death.—Translated For New York World.

Beaten by His Friends.

In the eighties the late Dr. Thomas K. Beecher of Elmira was nominated for congress from his district, and the politicians had about conceded that he would be elected, when his church people found out that his prospects were good and set out to defeat him. One of the most singular campaigns in the history of American politics resulted. All of Mr. Beecher's personal and church friends worked like beavers against him and voted solidly for his opponent, with the result that he was defeated by a narrow margin. The attitude of the church people was that they could not afford to lose their [illegible] they won the fight.

The Rivals.

Mrs. Tiptop—I am sorry you were not at my reception last evening.

Mrs. Highup (coldly)—I received no invitation.

Mrs. Tiptop (with affected surprise)—Indeed? It must have miscarried. I had among my guests three foreign counts.

Mrs. Highup—So that is where they were? I desired to engage them last evening to wait on table at our theater party supper, but the employment agent told me they were out.—N. Y. Weekly.

An Expensive Luxury.

"Isn't Jinks a man rather inclined to borrow trouble?"

"I should say so. Talk about the fellow that worried for fear his halo wouldn't fit when he came to be an angel, why Jinks was so sure when the war broke out that he would be drafted before it was over that he hired a substitute for $300, and the substitute never so much as caught cold."—Detroit Free Press.

Giving a Blessing.

"Rev. Billwbacker received a present of a dressed chicken Tuesday. Wednesday a church brother from out of town brought his family of five to eat dinner at the parsonage, and they were a little puzzled when the parson said grace."

"What did he say?"

"The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away."—Judge.

Disappointed.

"They are very careless about bestowing names in this country," remarked the critical tourist.

"Some names are rather inappropriate."

"Absurdly so. Why, I was in Indianapolis two weeks and did not see a single Indian."—Washington Star.

New National Hymn.

"Do you know," remarked Mrs. Darley, "I rather wish that the report would prove true that the United States is to buy Greenland?"

"Why?" asked her husband.

"In that case, 'From Greenland's Icy Mountains' would become one of our national hymns."—Judge.

Just What He Supposed.

"Confound it, sir! Do you think my feet were made for a fool to walk on?" exclaimed the angry man to the fellow who had stepped on his corn.

"Yes; that was what I supposed," replied the stranger.—Yonkers Statesman.

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Cruel Girl.

Clarence—I don't know what's the matter with me. I feel like a fool tonight.

Myrtle—Now I know he was wrong.

Clarence—Who was wrong?

Myrtle—The man that said looks are deceiving.—Chicago Daily News.

His Summer Girl.

He finds her love was merely art,
The mercenary thing!
For while she gives him back his heart,
She keeps his diamond ring.
—Judge.

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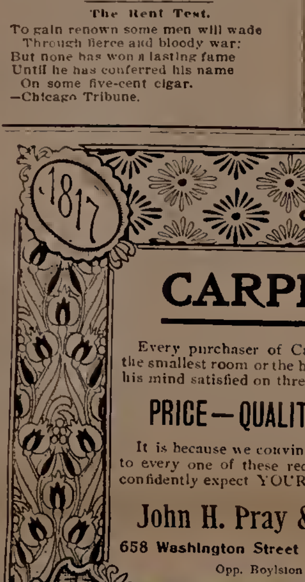

The Gusher—Never try to part man and wife

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—Chicago Tribune.

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He—Nonsense.

She—It is true.

He—Impossible! You are an angel!

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Or clutter all over the playroom floor.
When she starts to run, she gets a bump,
And we have to kiss her forehead plump
And start her off with a smile to play
And clear things out of the baby's way.

Everything's in the baby's way,
She wants her do, and she wants her say;
She wants to do the things which are wrong,
And her will each day it grows more strong,
And we try so gently to guide her right
And ask the Father of all for light;
But to her who wants her do and say
Everything seems in the baby's way.

Everything's in the baby's way
From morning till night, so babies say,
And so they are cross and fretful, too,
And do the things they oughtn't to do,
And their ways are not our ways at all,
And so they must cry and scold and fall,
But we turn a hundred times a day
And smile because it is baby's "way."

—Joe Cone in National Magazine.

ONE OF THE CITY'S OWN

How a Young Man Came to Go to the South African War.

"Mr. Redbolt is to go to the governor at once."

Mr. Redbolt strode briskly across the room. A moment later he was in the private office.

Young Mr. Dewhurst, who had managed the business since the death of his father, gave him a furtive look as he entered and then turned hurriedly to a bundle of correspondence by his side and selected a letter with an air of malicious satisfaction.

The ball was opened by Mr. Dewhurst unfolding a cantankerous complaint from an unimportant customer. It was the merest trifle and quite unworthy of the occasion. Nevertheless Joe Redbolt was by no means surprised at the tone adopted. For some time past the smallest opportunities had been seized for fault finding, and he knew by instinct that the climax had been reached.

"How do you account for this blunder?" asked Mr. Dewhurst suspiciously.

His clerk gave a simple, straightforward explanation, which, to a reasonable man, would have been sufficient.

But Mr. Dewhurst was not in a reasonable humor.

"It appears to me, then, that you are not in any way to blame, Mr. Redbolt," he said cynically.

"I think not."

"You never make a mistake?"

"Not very often."

"Who is to blame, then?"

There was a moment's silence, and the two men looked into one another's eyes.

"You are, sir," said Redbolt respectfully. "I acted under your instructions."

This appeared to give the unworthy little tyrant his opportunity.

"You are more than half impertinent," he said roughly.

"I give you my word that I don't intend to be so," said Redbolt, with perfect good temper.

"Perhaps not, but I'm tired of it. You forget your proper position and have crossed my will in several ways."

Mr. Redbolt colored rather painfully, and his principal continued, with a smile of spiteful triumph:

"You understand what I allude to?"

The clerk bowed slightly.

"Then I think you had better look about for another situation."

"Shall we calculate the month from last Monday?" inquired Joe Redbolt in a perfectly even, matter of fact voice.

"Eh—yes," said Mr. Dewhurst. "But I won't ask you to continue your work here."

With that he pushed across the table a little pile of coins which had been counted out already, clearly showing that he intended from the first to make use of the opportunity.

For the first time Joe Redbolt looked angry. It was adding insult to injury to send him away at a moment's notice, as if he had disgraced himself.

It was the more outrageous because he was a distant relation of the Dewhursts by blood. The two young men had been for a short time at school together. They had entered the firm together, and Redbolt had worked his way up by sheer ability under old Mr. Dewhurst's eye to a responsible position.

Naturally they knew the same people and to some extent visited the same houses, and it was in this way that Dewhurst's inherent jealousy had ripened into positive rancor, for that there was a member of the fair sex at the bottom of it is almost obvious.

The innocent cause of the trouble, little dreaming of the mischief she was creating, had thoroughly enjoyed the rivalry of the two men, as every daughter of Eve is bound to do, and she had not made it quite clear which of them was to be favored, which is certainly a woman's privilege.

But Joe Redbolt was generally believed to be the lucky man, and Dewhurst had vented his unmanly spite by a thousand annoyances in the office.

However, in love, as in war, it is the unexpected that often happens. Joe Redbolt proposed and was refused point blank.

Now, most men, when they see a dangerous rival put out of court, bury their animosity and even become generous.

But this was not the case with Fred Dewhurst. Petty annoyances developed rapidly into daily insults until the morning, as we have seen, he had found an excuse to cut his former schoolfellow adrift.

Joe Redbolt picked up the pile of coins, counted them deliberately and put them in his pocket.

"Now, Fred Dewhurst," he said huskily, "we are no longer master and man, so that I can say what I think."

Dewhurst looked rather alarmed and drew a small silver bell near to his side.

"Oh, don't be frightened," said Joe, with a smile of amusement. "I'm not going to thrash you! It wouldn't be fair to hit a man of your size!"

Mr. Dewhurst tried to sneer, but only looked mightily relieved.

"I want to tell you what I think of you," said Joe.

"Go on," said Dewhurst, with a grin. "Seeing that you've had the worst of it all through, I suppose I mustn't mind a few spiteful words!"

"I want to tell you that you're the meanest cad I've met, and if that poor girl marries you I'm sorry for her!"

"In fact, you're so sorry," said Dewhurst, "that you'd even marry her yourself. Capital! And, now you've said enough, I'll wish you good morning."

With a mighty effort of self restraint, Joe pulled himself together, and, resisting the impulse to knock him down, swung out of the room.

He had lost everything—the girl he loved and the means of earning his living. He was alone in the world, with no prospect but that of commencing life again in some counting house, and— Then suddenly he remembered. Only two nights before he had attended drill at the headquarters of his volunteer corps. The men had been asked which of them wished to join the C. I. V. for the front. He thought of the glow that had burned through his veins, how he had longed to offer himself and had only been prevented by his feeling of obligation to his old friend's business. Now he was free!

That settled it. Old England was in need of help from men such as he. He was as sound as a bell in wind and limb. He had done his turn at volunteering and could shoot more than a little.

Within half an hour his name was entered as one of those who were ready for service at the front, and he was ordered to go before the doctor.

That gentleman laughed at him.

"If we get 1,400 men as fit as you are," he said, "we shall do well!"

Having successfully passed all the tests and been duly enrolled as one of the City of London Imperial volunteer corps, he felt slightly easier in his mind.

It must be confessed that he was in that pleasant frame of mind when a man firmly believes that there is nobody to grieve over him and finds a morbid pleasure in the prospect of a soldier's grave.

Most of us get these attacks of despondency some time in our lives, and, to tell the truth, it lasted a very short time with Joe Redbolt. After a few days of hard drill he had lost sight of the possibility of getting killed and was looking forward to making things as unpleasant as possible for the enemy.

At last the final moment came. He had attended the services at St. Paul's and sung the national anthem until he was hoarse. He had been slapped on the back by hundreds of warm hearted but heavy handed citizens. He had even fought his way successfully through a mob of enthusiastic patriots all the way from Bunhill row to Nine Elms, where he was one of the first to arrive.

There stood the train waiting to take them to Southampton. There, too, stood the long suffering band, and every minute groups of breathless, excited men in khaki, who had also fought their way through the crowd, rushed on to the platform.

Of course it was all over. There was nothing to be done but get into the train and say goodby to old London for months—perhaps forever. Once more a gloomy sense of loneliness came upon him. Everybody else had a chum or a relative to see him off. And then—an angel came from heaven? Not quite. But an earthly angel appeared in the shape of a slight form in a long, black cloak, who was pushing her way feverishly through the crowd, eagerly scanning the faces of all the "gentlemen in khaki."

Then their eyes met, and in a minute he was clasping in his arms the girl who had refused him a month before and in whose presence he had always been so shy that he had never yet dared to press her hand.

How had it happened? There seemed no need, and certainly no time, for explanations. Why had he accepted her foolish "no" when she never meant him to? She always thought he would speak to her again. Why had he been so awkward and brusque in the way he had asked her? He had given her no chance to say "yes." And it was only last night she had learned what had happened—from Dewhurst's own lips—and she had cried all night at the mischief she had done, and would he forgive her? And did he still care for her a little bit?

"Take your seats, there!" roared an officer.

It was not the time for mock modesty. With her arms around his neck and tear stained cheeks pressed to his, she promised to wait for him.

"God bless you!" he whispered.

"And bring you back to me," she answered.

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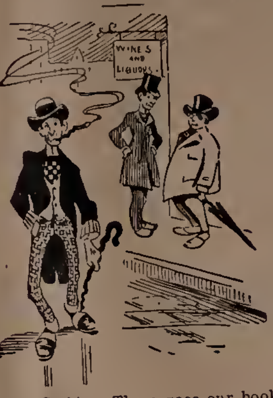
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The Cashier—There goes our bookkeeper. I'll bet that he absconds some day.

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—Washington Star.

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Ella—Because I'd rather die an old maid than marry a brainless dude.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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WRENTHAM.

Religious services will commence in the church at 4 p. m., next Sunday, 17th inst. Rev. W. C. Selleck, of Providence, R. I., will preach. A feature of special interest will be the presentation to the church of a beautiful sacred picture, the gift of two friends. The meetings at this historic church have grown in interest and value for the last few seasons. It is hoped that they will be more largely attended this summer than ever before. They will be continued until the last of August at least. The general public is cordially invited.——Sunday was observed as children's day at the Congregational church. In the morning a special service for children was held by Rev. W. J. Minchin, with solos by Mrs. C. E. Brown and Ralph Nowell. In the evening a concert was given, at which C. M. Dunbar of North Attleboro played several selections on the cornet, the children marching out to the tune of "Onward, Christian Soldier."——Mrs Lydia Jenness, who was found on her kitchen floor Friday morning suffering from a shock, died Saturday morning without regaining consciousness. Mrs Jenness has lived in town many years and was a member of the Congregational church. She was in her 82d year. Her nearest relative is a niece who lives in the west.——Benjamin Chamberlin, father-in-law of Asahel W[illegible], died at his residence on Franklin street Saturday after an illness extending over a year. He was 86 years old.——The Wrentham and City Mills nines played a game at [illegible] on the common Saturday, Wrentham winning by a score of 19 to 9.

THE ROYAL BOX.

The income of the crown prince of Germany is $375,000 a year.

The German emperor is a believer in the luck attending horseshoes, never passes one by, and was once seen walking home through the streets of Berlin carrying a huge shoe in his left hand.

Queen Victoria's birthday will be officially celebrated in London on Saturday, May 26, this year. The ministers will give large banquets, and the Prince of Wales will dine with Lord Salisbury.

Leo XIII has greatly altered in the last year or so. He is much thinner and much paler than he was a few months ago. His face looks pinched. On the other hand, his eyes are bright, and his voice is fairly strong. His intellect is as strong as ever, and his memory is clear and precise.

PITH AND POINT.

Some people are always too late.

A man who lives by his wits usually lives by dishonesty.

The man who goes around with a chip on his shoulder is generally disliked.

A girl cannot be said to be wholly self possessed until she can sit down to a piano in a public hotel and own it.

The Lord knows if it when a man does a good deed, but somehow he would rather the man next door found it out.

The women realize at this season that their husbands will scold if they clean house and their neighbors will talk about them if they don't.—Atchison Globe.

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The Lecture and the Lecturer.

Mrs. Learned—Had you no engagement for to-night, dear?

Prof. Learned (jumping to his feet)—By Jove! I was booked to lecture at 7:30 on "The Cultivation of the Memory," and here it is ten o'clock! Why in blazes couldn't you have asked that question three hours ago?—N. Y. Truth.

Almost Cruel.

Alice—Isn't it too bad! The romance of my life has been shattered.

Winifred—Oh, I'm so sorry! What's happened? Have you and Charley quarreled?

Alice—No; but just as we had got all ready to elope, papa and mamma spoiled it all by deciding to give their consent.—Chicago Daily News.

Developed Just One Idea.

"How is your club for the interchange and development of ideas getting along?"

"Well, so far, it has developed the idea in each member that he is the only man who has any ideas."—Stray Stories.

Quite Willing to Do It.

It was intended as a gentle hint.

"Our rule here," he said, "is pay as you go."

"Quite right," replied the other, pleasantly, "but I'm not going yet."—Chicago Post.

The March of Civilization.

"Are you the widow of the man who was shot?" asked the Texas coroner of the woman who stood before him.

"Two hours ago I was," she replied, "but now I am the wife of the man who got the drop on him."—N. Y. World.

Serious Indeed.

"I was going on the stage once—vaudeville."

"That so, Kitty? Did your more serious nature come to the rescue?"

"Yes. I got too fat."—Chicago Daily Record.

A Wonderful Man.

Crimsonbeak—That man Butts is an original fellow.

Yeast—What makes you think so?

"Why, he borrowed five dollars from me yesterday, and paid it back to-day."—Yonkers Statesman.

How It Happened.

Mrs. Good—My poor man, are you married?

Soiled Spooner—No'm; I got dis hunted look from always bein' chased from the place to place by de police.—Judge.

Wayside Discussion.

Wayworn Watson—Here is a funny advertisement: "Bathe in comfort." The idea!

Perry Patettic—It wouldn't be so bad as bathin' in soapsuds.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Quite the Proper Thing.

The Father—I hear you have been borrowing money from your mother again.

The Son—Quite proper, papa; you know the prince of Wales does that same thing.—Yonkers Statesman.

Unnecessary.

Coldplunks—I think I'll put a clause in my will that if any of my relatives contest it they won't get a cent.

Friend—Oh! their lawyers will see that they don't.—Puck.

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THE DRESSY WOMAN.

Among the dainty things in the shops are offered Japanese striped silks, said to be easy to wash and difficult to crush.

Venise lierre and other handsome all over nets, copying rich lace designs, are this season made into waists of many different varieties.

Silk warp gypsy cloth and silk warp eolienne are new and fashionable dress fabrics that appear in all the beautiful pastel colorings of the season.

Thus far among the French models shown there are more gowns made with tiered, plaited or trimmed skirts than with short or long overdresses.

Besides being greatly en evidence everywhere else, bolero and Eton jackets will be used for cycling, mountain climbing, golf and mornings on the beach.

Notwithstanding the rage for tulle, net, chiffon and taffeta silk, manipulated in countless ways, ribbons, either plain or patterned, are popular decorations for both gowns and hats.

Shirred skirts are close rivals of the plaited styles, and some of the models in this fashion have pointed hip yokes made of all over embroidery wrought variously on china silk, taffeta, grenadine, drap de chine and cashmere.

Summer textiles will again be made up without lining, giving the wearer an opportunity to make any number of effective changes in the low cut underwaist and skirt or closely fitting princess slip of silk, lawn or mercerized batiste.

The new piques are attractive both in quality and coloring, and in the shades of blue, old rose, brown, tan and pink are notably fine. They are shown in dots, stripes and checks, in bright colors or in black and white.—New York Post.

TAKING THE REINS.

The demand for saddle horses has not been so brisk for years as it has this spring.

John Kinney is going to train the Penn Valley stud campaigning string at the Belmont tracks, Philadelphia, this spring.

A sister to Nic[illegible], 2:08¼, was recently foaled on J. Malcolm Forbes' farm, and those who have seen her say she is a good one in every way.

The trotter Fitz Royal, 2:13¼, is being worked at a pace over the Jewettville covered track and shows great speed. He was formerly in the Hamlin stable.

Green Morris of New York, who has made numerous entries in English races, says he will take a small stable over next fall, provided his stable races up to expectations.

The pacer Ethel A. whose record of 2:10¼ was made when she was a 3-year-old several seasons ago, is to be out this season with the hobbles added to her equipment.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Sar[illegible] Whiting, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said court for probate by Ann O. Bennett of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on the [illegible] day of June A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel a newspaper published in Franklin the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

et2,19,26 JONATHAN COBB, Register

TAKING THE REINS.

Five of the 12 horses named in the $20,000 stallion stake are owned in New England.

Orrin Hickok is now at Patchen Wilkes farm, Lexington, Ky., at work on a few good ones which he is preparing for the grand circuit campaign.

Steve Phillips, who drove Sleepy Tom, 2:12, when the blind pacer was a grand circuit sensation, has been nominated for sheriff of Fayette county, O.

Should Alta Belle and Monbels come up to expectations this year Beautiful Bells will lead all brood mares, with 11 standard performers to her credit.

Prince of India, 2:13½, by Baron Wilkes, is in Charley Lyon's stable at Louisville and is said to be much faster than he has ever shown before.

Lucie May, 2:22½, by Oakland Baron, winner of the pacing division in the Kentucky Futurity last year at Lexington, Ky., is being trained at the trot this year. She is in James L. Dodge's stable at Paris, Ky.

The 5-year-old stallion Director Peek, by Director, dam Mambrino Maid, 2:15½, by Mambrino Startle, has been added to W. L. Snow's stable. He is owned by the veteran A. J. Peek of Syracuse and is said to be an unusually promising horse.

Malden, in the string of Phil Dwyer, will do to watch, as he ran a cracking good race in the Bouquet Stakes. He was interfered with at least four times while coming down the hill, and he will win shortly at a good price.

After an absence of over a year from the saddle Jockey Charley Ballard has been signed to ride for the Canadian turfman William Hendrie for this season. Ballard is now training hard and has reduced his weight to 110 pounds and expects to ride much lighter.

CURTAIN RAISERS.

Minnie Palmer is playing in London in her old success, "My Sweetheart."

Mrs. Felix Morris is to go on the vaudeville stage as a monologist.

Augustus Thomas was at one time a ticket seller in the Olympic theater, St. Louis.

Denman Thompson and George W. Ryer have written a play called "The New Minister."

James J. Jeffries will take the part of an Arizona sheriff in the new play Clay M. Greene is writing for him.

Charles H. Hoyt has a new play well in hand for next season. The title is to be "A Bunch of Blue Ribbon."

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt and M. Coquelin, it is announced, will make a tour of the United States to last six months.

Sir Arthur Sullivan's new opera, "The Rose of Persia," is to be produced in New York by the original London company.

Mme. Patti has for some time held the record for the highest sum that has been earned in a year by a woman, her highest total for the 12 months being $350,000.

Elita Proctor Otis, now playing the leading role in "Woman and Wine," is considering an offer to star in David Belasco's "Zaza" in Australia next season.

The first role of any length Della Fox assumed was Editha in Augustus Thomas' "Editha's Burglar," which was the first of Mr. Thomas' plays produced. This was in 1884.

If you do up your own shirt waists, you will find a shirt waist board a convenience. On such a board the sleeves may be ironed without leaving creases. It should be covered with at least two thicknesses of flannel and then with clean white cotton.

TOWN TOPICS.

Boston has an Omar Khayyam club. Has Boston gone back on Browning?—Washington Post.

Chicago is looking for a public school superintendent who is as wise as a serpent and with no more politics than a dove.—Minneapolis Journal.

Philadelphia has made up her mind to spend $12,000,000 in filtering her water supply. Chicago spent $30,000,000 to give St. Louis something to filter.—St. Louis Star.

Chicago is boasting of the establishment of several new lines of "autobuses." Dear, dear! No wonder the fastidious Mr. Andrews refuses to live in the place any longer.—Indianapolis Journal.

Kansas City's pluck and enterprise have now made it certain that, as per original announcement, that undaunted town will be the scene of the gathering of the Democratic national convention of 1900.—St. Louis Republic.

ELECTRIC SPARKS.

The flashing electric sign—the kind that winks—is decidedly unpopular in London. The county council has just made a regulation providing a fine of £5 for the exhibition of such signs in the streets.

There are 1,200,000 miles of copper wire used in telephone service in the United States, and 4,000,000 calls are received daily in the telephone exchanges of the country. The wire would girdle the earth at the equator 48 times or reach from the earth to the moon five times.

The new electric power plant at the Armour packing houses in Chicago replaces 93 steam boilers, 16 engines and 17 refrigerating machines. It develops 4,000 horsepower and feeds 10,000 incandescent lamps, 300 arc lamps and 120 power motors, scattered over an area of more than 60 acres.

BRITON AND BOER.

The reports that the Boers were discouraged do not appear to have reached Oom Paul and his burghers.—Washington Item.

The British army will take time to recuperate and the Boers will probably embrace the opportunity to do some more farming.—Washington Star.

Some war automobiles are going to be tried in South Africa. It will be a struggle between Boer mobility and British automobility.—New York World.

The war in South Africa seems to have outlived its interest. The news from there is more monotonous than the soldiers find the fighting.—Boston Globe.

BEAUTY SPOTS.

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Flank	6c	Dandelion.............	30c
Smoked Shoulders......	8c	Lettuce, each.........	8c
Radishes, bunch.......	5c		

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of William B. Nolen, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Henry R. Jenks, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented to said court his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offers named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of two certain parcels of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts, legacies and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county, on the twenty-seventh day of June, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register

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ANNUAL STATEMENT JAN'Y 1, 1900.

Assets.........................	$126,946,728.45
Liabilities....................	121,112,630.71
Surplus........................	5,834,097.74
Insurance in force.............	$437,096,126.00

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"STRIVE TO CONQUER."

PEIRA NIKAN.

Although Dean was not blessed with what might be called June weather for the annual graduation yesterday, yet the elements did not appear to dampen the ardor of the friends of the school in the least. The attendance was excellent and the interest of the townspeople was also manifested by their presence and attention. The graduating class of eighteen ranks well with its predecessors, and cannot fail to make its mark in coming years. The exercises in the chapel commenced promptly at 10 o'clock, with a most interesting program, the order being as follows:

Music, Orchestra.
Salutatory with Essay—"The Educative Value of Athletics,"
James Murry Gallison.
Essay—"The Myths of Star Land,"
Clara Babson Woolford.
Scene from "Merchant of Venice." Act I. Scene 2.
Portia, Mollie Garfield Higgins,
Nerissa, Clara Marshall.
Song—"The Two Grenadiers,"........ Schumann
Harry Elmer Richardson.
Oration—"Why a College Education?"
George Edward Pearson.
Scene from "The Sunken Bell,"...... Hauptmann
Rautendelein, Alice Elizabeth Phillips
Heinrich, Arthur Ray Marshall
Wood-Sprite, Earl Roy Jeneuss.
(The work of the bell-founder, Heinrich, is destroyed by a malicious wood-sprite. In despair Heinrich wanders up the mountain to die, where Rautendelein, a radiant elf, finds him. By her mystic power she gives him the strength and inspiration for one more achievement.)
Essay—"The Coming of the Birds,"
Edith Ardelle Phipps.
Class Will,
James Currier Clough.
Violin Solo—1er Air Varie," ....Dancla
Arthur Ray Marshall.
Paper—"A Volunteer in the Spanish War,"
Ernest Prescott Nowell.
Essay—"Our New Possessions,"
Myrtis Methyl Lougee.
Song—"The Spirit of Spring,".............Parker
Harriet West Kellough.
Class Prophecies,
Edna Gilmore Smith,
William Victor Burnell.
Valedictory with Essay, "A Plea for the Ideal,"
Mary Louise Mann.
Music, Orchestra.
Presentation of Diplomas.
Benediction.

After selections by the Salem Cadet orchestra, prayer was offered by Pres. Capen. The orchestra again favored the audience, and James Murry Gallison, a son of Dr. A. J. Gallison of this place, delivered the salutatory, feeling assured that the presence of friends there indicated their interest in the class. He welcomed them most heartily. To the statement that athletics was a waste of time he dissented, insisting that wisely directed it gave broad shoulders, clear brains, sinewy muscles, a sound body and a sound mind. The foot ball teams of England were vital forces in the battle of Waterloo. Athletics trained the moral nature, induced temperate habits, brought about control of will, taught them to accept defeat without despair, aroused a healthy and wise enthusiasm, and helped round out the whole nature, thus benefiting the whole student and making him better able to fight the battles of life.

Miss Woolford's stories in regard to the stars, believed by the ancients, were interesting indeed, showing an intimate knowledge of astronomy as well as mythology, many of the stories being new to her audience. The next event, the scene from the "Merchant of Venice," was finely done, both Miss Higgins and Miss Garfield receiving the warmest commendation.

The vocal selection by Mr. Richardson was thoroughly enjoyed, his fine voice being under excellent control and cultivation. He was followed by Mr. Pearson, who showed conclusively the advantages of a collegiate education. It is mainly objected to because it is misunderstood. It is considered unprofitable because, it is asserted, it unfits young men for hard work. This is not so. Nothing that one learns is valueless. One learns one thing in order to know another. As knowledge is capital, it is impossible to have too much of it. The main thing is the discipline one gets and the use he makes of his knowledge. At college he gains an experience valuable in his struggle with the world. He comes in contact with all sections of the country and learns that he and his section are but the small part of a mighty whole. He is thus better fitted for his life work.

"The Sunken Bell" was finely done, and though rather more pretentious than is usually attempted, could hardly have been improved upon. Mr. Marshall's conception of his part was excellent and his acting strong. Miss Phillips handled her part with pleasing grace, and Mr. Jenness was forceful and clear. The applause was enthusiastic and well merited. "The Coming of the Birds," by Miss Phipps, was a delightful wood picture, and she evidently has an eye for seeing many things about the woods and fields that ordinarily escape the casual observer. She happily described the habits of our songsters and other birds, likening them to participants in a church, with officers, organ, listeners, etc.

Mr. Clough's bequests on behalf of the class of 1900 to the class of 1901, were very humorous and elicited continued applause, as the many "hits" given were recognized to fit the victims so applicably. Mr. Marshall followed with a selection upon the violin, which he gave with fine execution and musical power. The vivid pictures painted by Mr. Nowell in his personal reminiscence of the Spanish war were enthusiastically received, as he brought again to memory many of the fearful things our soldiers were forced to suffer through incompetency and haste. It was doubly effective because he had lived what he wrote.

Miss Lougee made a happy turn to the thoughts by her essay upon "Our New Possessions." Of course everyone expected she was going to speak upon Porto Rico, Manila, etc., but instead she described the various pictures which now hung upon the walls of Dean, and which represented love on the part of former classes and individuals. These pictures taught the pupils lessons; they spoke of love and loyalty, and could not fail to have a potent influence upon the lives of the students, increasing their taste for the beautiful and sweetening their lives. She referred most touchingly to the classmate whom they had lost, Miss Thayer, paying her a most loving tribute.

Miss Kellough's fine voice was shown to decided advantage in a vocal selection, winning warm applause for the singer and the song. The appearance of the class prophets, Edna Gilmore Smith and William Victor Burnell, the two youngest members of the class, prepared the audience for something enjoyable, and as they drew the gifts from the bag the accompanying remarks were received with laughter and evident enjoyment. It was a novel and interesting change from the stereotyped method of "dealing in futures."

Miss Mann's effort was one of the fine things of the programme as she made a plea for the ideal in life. Many of our ideals are nearer to truth than our real things In literature the temperament of the author colors all that he does; in sculpture it is the same. Children love the fairy stories of their childhood and cherish them, even though aging years prove them to have been unreal, yet they taught a lesson. The spirit of Santa Claus lives, though as person he does not exist. The invisible spirit of our inner being affects us, and though shadowy and unreal become later living truths. In her valedictory she spoke of the separation now to take place, when they should no longer be a class but individuals. They were to go out for greater trials and joys. Here had been laid the foundation for life work.

In turning the class over to Dr. Pullman, the president of the Board of Trustees, Prof. Peirce took occasion to say that the graduating class had done well, and was worthy the honor that was now to be conferred upon it. Dr. Pullman expressed his happiness in being the instrument in distributing the magic bit of parchment, which the students had every reason to prize. He said that the end of education was to put them in possession of themselves. The world today is looking for strong men and women, for man now holds mightier forces than ever before, and unless these forces were rightly used there was going to be trouble. You are going out to sink or swim. Banish the idea that all you have to do is to take care of yourself and pursue happiness. Happiness is a coy creature and is won only by industry, and even then only secondarily. Use the best force God has given you; keep the relish and joy of your young life. Life is a divine opportunity. Keep the sense of the peril of life. The world is wild and lawless and devilish. Keep ever in mind the Lord Jesus Christ. God has His place for every man. The world has need of men and women brave enough to battle with sin, vice, disease and death. Take the side of the oppressed against the oppressor; take the side of righteousness. Beware of insincerity; be honest of heart. "To thine own self be true." He then awarded the diplomas. Benediction was also pronounced by Dr. Pullman and the class united for the last time as a class in the college yell.

THE GRADUATES.

‖Mollie Garfield Higgins, Bar Harbor, Me.
*Harriet West Kellough, East Boston.
‖Myrtie Methyl Lougee, East Douglas.
‖Mary Louise Mann, Franklin.
*Clara Marshall, Nashua, N. H.
†Alice Elizabeth Phillips, West Medford.
*Edith Ardelle Phipps, Watertown.
*Edna Gilmore Smith, Wakefield.
‖Clara Babson Woolford, Pigeon Cove.
‡William Victor Burnell, Boston.
‡James Currier Clough, Enfield, N. H.
†James Murry Gallison, Franklin.
‡Winthrop Young Haycock, Calais, Me.
‖Earl Roy Jenneas, Barton, Vt.
*Arthur Ray Marshall, Manchester, N. H.
‡Ernest Prescott Nowell, Reading.
†George Edward Pearson, Salem.
‡Harry Elmer Richardson, East Aurora, N. Y.

* English ‖ Academic † College Preparatory ‡ Technical Preparatory

THE DINNER AND ADDRESSES.

An intermission was then given until 1.30, when the teachers, pupils, parents, friends and interested guests assembled in the dining hall for the annual dinner. The room had been beautifully trimmed for the occasion, the class color, pink, showing in graceful draping and festoons about the room, and all the electric lights were daintily trimmed. The tables were set for about 250 and nearly all the seats were taken, fully 225 sitting down to enjoy one of Dean's famous institutional banquets, exceeded nowhere and rarely excelled. The tables looked very inviting and were loaded with salads, cold meats, salmon, croquets, rolls, coffee, cake, fruit jellies, ice cream, ices, etc. Dr. Cushman asked the blessing and for nearly an hour the guests bestowed their attention upon the dainties, and there was surely no lack of appreciation on the part of any who partook.

At the close of the banquet Prof. Peirce said that at times it seemed as if the country failed to look with approval upon the attempts at education, but with the coming of the June days the interest increased. In good old New England now everything tended toward the building up of mind and character. Back of all was the interest in the schools. He gave a hearty welcome to all who had grown gray in the fostering care of the school, the alumni and all friends of the school. Every year brings its gains and its losses. The school gained in strength and influence and power every year. Kind friends had been raised up to assist the school. Mrs. Goddard, Charles Booth, Mrs. Morse had made substantial gifts. Beautiful pictures had been donated, gracing the walls. The school had had its losses, in classes graduating, which was at the same time an element of strength, as they went out into the world better equipped to fight its battles, broadening the school's influence.

There had been a severe loss in the death of four members of the board of trustees, Messrs. Whittier, Ballou, Smith and Ray, who had given of their time, their devotion, their money and their loyalty. Mr. Ray had come to seem almost a part of the school itself, and without him it could almost be said existence would have been impossible. The school must now look to the graduates for support, for loyalty, for devotion, and that it had a right to expect. He then introduced Hon. Samuel L. Powers of Newton, noting the fact that it was hoped Mr. Powers might later represent the state in the national Capitol at Washington as congressman from this district.

Mr. Powers said that he regarded himself as fortunate that he could be present at this 34th anniversary of Dean. He recalled the sacrifices made by those who had founded and fostered the institutions of learning not only here but in England. He traced the history of Harvard, Yale, the preparatory schools of England like Eton, Winchester, Rugby, the colleges like Oxford and Cambridge. England had come to depend upon her educated men. As we were now about to enter upon a new colonial era the United States had a need for educated men, men who could steer the ship of state safely. The work done in institutions like these would bring to the front men who could grapple with the prolems of the future and solve them. He then related with touching pathos hits from "Tom Brown at Oxford," and "The Newcomes," showing how the memories of school days would come back with tender and ennobling influences.

The gem of the afternoon's addresses was that by Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, who was introduced by Prof. Peirce by the remark that usually the addresses were all directed to the young men, but this time he desired the young ladies to have a chance. Mrs. Livermore said she thought the days had gone by when it was necessary to have one thing for the young men and another for the young women. However, the last twenty-five year have evened up the sexes; doors are opening in all directions for women. Now they are warmly welcomed in science, in art, in medicine, on municipal boards, as trustees of estates, etc. Athletics is also doing much to emancipate woman, improving her health, which is the prerequisite for happy living. Don't try to be a public woman. Remember that the bulk of future teaching must be by women, and they ought to be magnificently equipped. She was glad to note that the "twentieth century baby" was coming out. Daughters should be taught how to keep house. She related her despairing attempts, and told how she delighted to step out of her kitchen into the world of literature. She spoke of her experience in seeking admission to Harvard college, with five others, simply as listeners. President Quincy frowned upon their presumption, and she impetuously told him she hoped God would annihilate every woman from Eve down to the youngest infant, and then he (Quincy) and God could have it all to themselves.

Public women live in glass houses; they are obliged to behave; they can't "cut up". She deplored the fact that women were moral cowards, and then immediately added, in defense of her sex, "but I don't know as they are more so than the men." She instanced the case of the Federation women at Milwaukee, who felt but did not dare to act. She closed with a beautiful story of the sculptor who had made his statuary to exactly fit the niche intended. Throughout the address, lasting three-quarters of an hour, she used the choicest language, never hesitating for a word or an idea, and kept her audience in the best of humor by her ready wit, her brilliant thought and sound common sense. Although in her eightieth year she well bore out the appellation which Dr. Roblin applied to her, "The noblest Roman of them all."

E. I. Comins of Worcester was proud that he had been educated in the "little red schoolhouse." He had at one time been invited to teach at Dean and had a warm feeling toward her. He traced the early history of Massachusetts in regard to education, saying that Horace Mann's picture ought to have a place upon the walls of Dean. He spoke of the educational condition of Nantucket at one time, due to the wise foresight of Cyrus Pierce. He praised the instructors at Dean and felt that their work would be lasting.

Dr. Roblin attached himself to Dean by a humorous story. He felt that what the class had learned would go with them through life. He advised against an unwise pessimism, and also against an unwarranted optimism, suggesting a wise normalism. He would advise patience. If Puritan and Pilgrim mothers attained so much, how much more would be required of women of today, to whom so much is given. Set about your work with loyal hearts, intrepid spirits and undaunted souls before your fellowmen and your Maker.

Charles E. Hatfield, '82, was glad to be back at Dean, and paid a loving tribute to Chester B. Smith. Miss Clara Carpenter, '86, of Valley Falls, was living again the delightful life at Dean. She spoke of the loving and patient work of the teachers, and said that if Dean should suddenly be blotted out of existence its influence would go on and on in ever broadening circles. Prof. Wren of Tufts spoke of his pleasure at being again back at Dean, and the afternoon's exercises were brought to a close. Then followed the annual alumni meeting in the parlor, electing the officers for the coming year. They were as follows: President, F. G. Wrenn; vice president, Miss Edith Hodge; secretary and treasurer, Miss Lulie B. Shaw; executive committee, Charles A. R. Ray, James M. Gallison, Miss Clara Carpenter.

In the evening the reception to the class was held in the gymnasium, which was largely attended, and one of the most enjoyable yet held. The room was charmingly decorated, a large number of electric lights having been put in. An arc light hung in the centre, circled by incandescents draped with colored paper, while at either end of the hall the "'00" and "D. A." were accentuated with white and red lights, making a most brilliant effect. Large mirrors were also placed at the head of the hall. After the reception the social was enjoyed, about seventy-five participating in the grand march. This number was increased later as the dancing began. The costumes were unusually elaborate and the young people appeared to be enjoying every moment, with little thought that this was the closing scene of school life. The picture was delightful in the extreme.

NOTES.

Prof. Peirce had every reason to feel proud yesterday at the success of the graduation, the presence of the distinguished guests, the complimentary remarks in regard to the pupils and school, and he can hardly fail to be encouraged to continue in the work which he is doing, realizing as he must, the important influence it is to have upon the life of the community and nation.

Mrs. Livermore paid a deserved tribute to the cuisine of Dean academy when she said she could hardly bring herself to believe that all the toothsome dainties were products of the Dean housekeeper. Her compliments found ready response in the hearts of every one of the nearly 225 guests at the tables.

There was an unusually large number of former students at graduation, showing how they cherish the memories of their school life there.

Every moment that the Salem Cadet orchestra was playing was one of pleasure, as there is no finer body of instrumentalists to be had than these musicians. Their playing is a distinct treat.

The outsider sees only the social and recreative life of Dean. To the faithful teachers who are doing so much for their young charges within those walls every moment must seem fraught with responsibility. How well the young people shall carry out the lessons learned there depends entirely upon themselves, and from this time on the responsibility has been shifted onto them. Many prayerful thoughts and earnest and high hopes will go with the students as they go out into life to make the most of themselves. That they will continue to be a credit to Dean is assured.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Golf contest Saturday afternoon.

E. C. Craig is home from his teaching for the summer.

Miss Nellie Robinson of Boston has been visiting relatives in town.

Postmaster Talbot will take possession of the office on Monday morning.

Division 8, A. O. H., will hold a regular meeting next Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. William Moore is entertaining her sister, Miss Schaefer, of New York.

Mrs. L. E. Case, honorary matron of Atlanta university, is visiting in town.

Almon Sanborn was called into Boston this week by the illness of his brother.

Charles Hutchinson, youngest son of J. T. Hutchinson, is ill with scarlet fever.

Miss Annie Briggs of Stoughton was among the guests in town for commencement.

The street railway company expect to run a car over the Wrentham route tomorrow.

Miss Rose McGroary is ill with rheumatic fever at the home of her parents on Ruggles street.

The hand of fellowship will be given to new members at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon.

St. Mary's school graduating exercises will be held in the Opera house on Thursday evening, June 21.

Miss Catherine Graham of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting at the home of Mrs. Doherty on Union street.

Miss Nellie Razee has just returned from a several days' visit in Springfield, the guest of Miss Lillie Capron.

Manager Enegren has arranged for attractions at Lake Pearl every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings.

It is said that the proposed enterprise of establishing a pleasure resort at Beaver pond has been abandoned.

Rev. William Sheafe Chase of Woonsocket will preach at the evening service at St. John's church, at 3 o'clock, on Sunday.

There will be a dance at Lake Pearl this evening and tomorrow evening. The American band orchestra will furnish the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Johnson attended the Wheaton commencement at Norton on Wednesday, Mrs. Johnson being a former graduate.

D. C. Coates on Pond street picked green peas from his own vines yesterday, which, so far as we can learn, are the first of the season.

Rev. Mr. Selleck will preach at West Wrentham Universalist church next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, instead of Wrentham centre, as previously announced.

W. Elkerton has taken the bake shop formerly occupied by E. Lovell Metcalf on Central street and will open a new bakery there as soon as necessary repairs are made.

A ball team made up of some of the best local players and ex-leaguers from out of town will play the Hyde Park team tomorrow afternoon at Indian Rock park.

Lake Pearl was well patronized Tuesday evening by Franklin people. A fine concert, given by the American brass band, was part of the evening's enjoyment. Dancing was also indulged in.

Conductor Mark Knowlton had his right arm injured by a fall from a trolley car on Tuesday and was compelled to suspend work for a few days owing to the injury. The accident was caused by getting his heel caught between the car and the side platform.

The United Workmen entertained about 45 from Ames lodge of Woonsocket last evening, a degree team coming here also to initiate one candidate. The visiting brethren and Master Workman Cody made speeches, a collation was served and a fine time enjoyed.

Don't forget the public meeting of the Greenhalge Literary society tonight. The program will consist of a drama, entitled "Cousin Frank," piano duets, vocal and mandolin solos and readings. A hearty invitation to attend is given to all. Come and bring your friends. Admission free.

In regard to the lecture by Dr. Morris in the Methodist church next Tuesday evening on "That Mysterious Man," exchanges speak most highly of his eloquence, the value of his thoughts, and the entertaining way in which he presents them. It is a lecture that no one should fail to hear, as it will aid the church and repay the listener as well.

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Richardson's Market.
Less meat and more vegetables this weather is the best; have some choice spring vegetables such as new peas, ripe tomatoes, choice beets, juicy rhubarb, the succulent string beans, etc. Fresh killed poultry, home killed veal, selected cuts of beef, prime pieces of corned beef, the best butter in town, strawberries, full baskets and finely flavored fruit. We will leave you a box daily if you desire during the season.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Well Rendered and Well Received.

The quarterly term concert at Dean academy on Tuesday evening was enjoyed by a large audience, who manifested their appreciation by abundant applause. The vocal selections have never been surpassed, while the musical numbers were played with brilliancy and finish, indicating close application and excellent instruction. The recitations were remarkably good, Miss Barron carrying off the palm, Miss Ray fairly sharing the honors with her, however. The former was naturalness itself; the latter had an excellent conception, and pleasing and graceful execution. Miss Wilder's bit from "David Harum" was also well received. Miss Tappan's work was unusually fine, sharing with Miss Patterson and Miss Grant the applause of the listeners. Miss Lamont's many friends were thoroughly appreciative of her earnest and conscientious work. Miss Cross sang in excellent voice, and Miss Goddard and Miss Marshall were pleasing complements. The duet by Miss Kellough and Mr. Richardson showed voices well cultivated and blending nicely.

The gem of the evening was the scenes from Barrie's "The Little Minister." Nothing better has been seen upon the Dean stage since the days of "The Criterions." Miss Sherman, the instructor, was perfectly at home in her part and reproduced many of the fine points given by Miss Adams. Her conception was clear and her acting capital. The Lady Babbie's coyness and assumption of dignity were the delightful hits of the play. Miss Bullock took the part of the little minister remarkably well, proving an excellent foil for the gypsy tease. That there was not more of the play was regretted by all. Miss Sherman should give her admirers more frequent opportunity to enjoy her histrionic conceptions. On the whole the entertainment has rarely been equaled, and Mr. Scott, and Misses Sherman and Woltmann have every reason to feel gratified at the results their pupils have attained.

Emerson's Market.
New peas asparagus, string beans, tomatoes, spinach, 15c peck; radishes, lettuce, rhubarb, cucumbers, Bermuda onions, cabbages, 3 cts a pound; new beets and turnips, new potatoes Boiled ham 25 cts a pound. Try our Imperial cheese. Fresh-killed fowls, lamb, veal, pork, and our lobsters are boiled fresh every Saturday morning and received here at 4.30 p. m. Get your selected strawberries here. Fresh cream.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Dr. J. C. Gallison will sell a light driving horse or exchange for a heavier one. 11tf

To Rent—A pleasant summer room, furnished, at Mrs. L. A. Harris', West street. 15

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Two hundred bushels potatoes for sale at Mt. Vernon farm. Address Box 25, Franklin, Mass. 8,12,15,19*

Three hundred cords of pine trash wood for sale. Edward S. Cook, Central street, Box 212. 15,22,29

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 18-tf

Boarders Wanted.—A man and wife or two gentlemen; a nice front room. Apply to A. S. Wales, Dale street. 1,8,15*

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Wanted.—A girl to assist in the care of a child part of the day and some evenings. Inquire at SENTINEL office. 12,15

Hay, at Maple Farm, all good; 95 cts. to $1.10 per hundred delivered to any part of town. Orders at Chilson's market. O. S. Stetson. 15 tf

Cut flowers, wedding bouquets, flowers for graduation, all kinds of funeral designs made up at Slade's green house at short notice. P. O. Box 179.

Lawn Mowers—Don't try to mow your lawn with a dull mower. Bring it to Rose's machine shop, and he will put it in perfect order. It will cut better, quicker and with far less exertion.

For Sale or to Let—Cottage of eight rooms and barn on Peck street; pleasant view of the town; fruit, and well of good water. Inquire of Peck & Field. 5,8,12

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. See Chas. H. Prince, SENTINEL Office.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKINNON, Agent

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HOSIE BROS.

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Now, before the trees leaf fully, is the best time to arrange for photos of your home, either exterior or interior. Call and see samples and let me quote prices. Business hours during the summer, 8 to 12 a. m., 1.15 to 5 p. m., 7 to 8 Saturday evenings.
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FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1900.

Never Worked and Never Will.

Down in Stone county, Mo., 30 miles south of Springfield, walled in by Ozark mountains, lives Skinch Painter, who, according to a special in the Chicago Record, took a solemn vow nearly 60 years ago that he would never work. He declared the belief that the world owes a living to every one brought into it and that work is a useless sin. This remarkable character is 70 years old. In his own case he has made positive demonstration of his anti-work theory, for he has never toiled. Yet he lives in absolute contentment and has the natural happiness of the early-day Indians as portrayed in story books. He says he has never suffered from hunger, has never felt the need of money and has never weakened in his determination to abstain from labor. He has literally fished, hunted and fiddled his way through the world. That is what he said he would do when he was ten years old. Skinch Painter was born in the Ozark mountains. He has never been married. He has brothers in adjoining counties who are prosperous farmers. Skinch hasn't seen his kinsmen for a score of years, although they live less than 5 miles away.

Base Ingratitude.

It is sad to see a tendency in some quarters towards industrial unrest with which professional agitators afflict the work-blest laboring classes, says Hardware. Because employment is plentiful on every hand with good pay, they feel as though they can risk weeks of idleness to accomplish some form of coercion towards a harassed employer, which a few years ago would have been regarded high treason against the benevolent manufacturer, who frequently at that time ran his factory at an inadequate profit, only to keep his workmen together, his wheels at work and the fires of his forges lighted. Gratitude toward the dispenser of employment, the provider of the field of labor, the glad patron of the pay roll, is not a distinguishing characteristic among the restless workmen of these indulgent times.

Kissing the Bride.

In the city of Manchester, N. H., the question whether magistrates who are called upon to perform a marriage ceremony should kiss the bride, has become seemingly a burning one. The Union of that city has been publishing many interviews and some communications relative to the question, but it is by no means settled. With characteristic masculine conceit, most of the magistrates who were interviewed took the ground that the kissing of brides should be optional with them; that is, if the personal appearance of a bride pleases a magistrate, then it should be his right to kiss her; if it did not then it should be his right to refrain from exercising his theoretical prerogative. Some discussed the subject in a flippant manner, quite inconsistent with the dignity which should reside in men who occupy judicial positions. They said that the answer to the question depended primarily, in each individual case, upon the physical strength of the bridegroom, and secondarily upon his willingness to see his bride kissed by a strange man.

Service stripes will be added to the uniform of employes of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. A gold stripe will indicate five years of service, and a silver stripe two years. Some of the Baltimore & Ohio conductors will be entitled to nine gold stripes. No other railroad has conductors in continuous service so long.

A Creighton (Neb.) minister offers a new broom to every couple coming to him to be married. That looks like a poor inducement.

The wars of 1899 emphasize the dangers of sharpshooting, and the importance of preventing the needless exposure of officers.

FRANKLIN NEWS.

The theatre building at Hoag pond is being pushed, but difficulty is experienced in getting lumber as fast as wanted. While the building may be far enough along to allow its use at the date desired, there will probably be many things to do to finish up.

Few people realize how much the student life at Dean enlivens the place until the summer months, when the grounds and buildings are deserted. Franklin is fortunate indeed in having the institution here, and its absence would be a distinct loss educationally, financially and socially.

Mr and Mrs. Anthony Viquiert and family and Ernest Artrue returned on Tuesday after spending a ten weeks' vacation visiting relatives in Reims, France, and also viewing the Paris exposition. Miss Leonne Lassaux of Paris accompanied them and will spend a short vacation here.

There is talk of a new summer resort at Wrentham, near Lake Pearl and on the line of the electric railway. There is plenty of capital back of the ownership of the property and the natural facilities are good for an enterprise of the kind. Wrentham is the possessor of many spots which Nature has made delightful to the eye, and with a few modern conveniences for comfort they can be made attractive for the many.

The Sunday morning service at the Universalist church will be devoted to the Sunday school interest. A concert program has been prepared under the direction of a committee for that purpose. The church will be decorated and the services will be full of interest. Among the musical selections will be the following: choir, selected; welcome song, little girls; song, Mabel Snow and Marion Grant; Song, "Birdie's Secret," Esmah Metcalf; song, Bernetle Hawkins; song, Florence Grant; choir, selected.

James S. Toothaker, who lives in the Mount district, expects to have the appointment on rural mail delivery route to be established in connection with the postoffice here. The salary is to be $500, with which the messenger must supply his own team. The route extends from the office here to the Mount district, thence to South Franklin then to Unionville, through Pond street to Goat corner, along Partridge street to the Richardson place, on Lincoln street to Brook street to the vicinity of City Mills, up Chestnut street to the office, a distance of about 18 or 20 miles.

The selectmen met Friday evening with the full board present. The bills approved were mostly for regular expenses and those sent in from the school committee. Representative Burrington appeared for consultation in regard to a proposed bridge at Quincy, the bill for which has passed the senate and is before the house. The bridge is of no particular benefit in this part of Norfolk county, but it is proposed to have the county contribute a large share of the expense, which will be heavy. Judge Ruggles reported to the board that Judge Bond of the superior court, to whom the matter was presented, declined to approve the proposed curfew law.

About fifty members of the Woonsocket Epworth league, together with a large delegation of league members from Holliston, were entertained last Wednesday by the local chapter in the Methodist church. The church was very prettily decorated with an abundance of wild flowers and the committees in charge presented a very entertaining as well as profitable program. The mandolin solos by Prof. Fred. B. Hicks of Woonsocket, the Ladies' quartet from Holliston, readings by Miss Sadie Holbrook of Norfolk, vocal duets by Mrs. C. L. Stewart and Miss Bly of Franklin, together with remarks by the pastors, were among the interesting features. After the entertainment refreshments were served and a social hour followed.

The railroad commissioners gave a hearing in Boston last week on a petition of the Milford, Holliston & Framingham Street Railway company for permission to operate the line of the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket company between Caryville and North Bellingham, as agreed between the companies. The commissioners were apparently favorably disposed toward granting the request, but desired the companies to secure the written consent of the Bellingham selectmen, and to furnish for the commissioners copies of the votes of the company directors whereby the operation of the line was sanctioned. The commissioners gave a hearing yesterday to the railway company for leave to cross the Grafton & Upton steam tracks at grade on South Main street, Milford.

The Late Oliver Dean.

The Boston Globe has been publishing a list of rich men of Boston 50 years ago, taken from a book published at that time. Among the list is the following in relation to the late Oliver Dean:

"Dean, Oliver—$150,000. Commenced poor; physician. Native of Franklin. Ill health obliged him to quit practice and he traveled in Europe. Engaged in the Amoskeag enterprise, was successful, became president of Framingham bank; is now president of the Delaine corporation at Manchester; the founder of Dean."

The widow of Dr. Dean is still a resident of Wrentham and is always ready to assist any good object that comes to her notice.

For Sale—An open buggy and two second hand harnesses all in good condition. T. B. A[illegible]

GRAY STREAKS

Why let all your neighbors and friends think you must be twenty years older than you are? Yet it's impossible to look young with the color of 70 years in the hair. It's sad to see young persons look prematurely old in this way. Sad because it's all unnecessary; for gray hair may always be restored to its natural color by using—

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RECENT INVENTIONS.

For cutting cheese a new device has a circular table on which the cheese revolves, with a horizontal bar supported on two posts secured to the counter to carry the cutting bar, which is mounted on a lever to descend and cut the cheese.

There has been patented by a woman the combination of a chair and table, the back of the chair being pivoted on two arms attached to the front of the seat, with adjustable legs to support the back when it is swung into a horizontal position.

There has been designed a rotary blacking brush which can be held in one hand to black the shoes without moving the arm, the handle consisting of two pivoted members, on one of which is mounted a revolving shaft carrying the brush, while the other has a toothed head to revolve the brush as the handles are gripped together.

SCRAPS OF SCIENCE.

The prime of life in a man of regular habits and sound constitution is from 30 to 35 years of age; of a woman, from 24 or 25 to about 40 years of age.

One of the most fascinating results of the use of the microscope was the discovery of Professor Ehrenberg that a certain earth or rock in the Barbados is literally composed of minute and beautiful "skeletons."

Du Bonnier, a French physician, recently described before the Paris Academy of Medicine a new method of testing deafness—namely, by applying a tuning fork to the knee or some other part of the bony structure. He said that a sound ear could not hear the note of the fork, but an ear in which disease had already made inroads could perceive it distinctly.

POLITICAL QUIPS.

The presidential office may be easy to fill, but nobody will deny that it is rather hard to get.—Rochester Democrat.

The candidate frequently fixes his fences, but invariably it is the voter who does the rail splitting.—Atlanta Constitution.

People should be careful about throwing stones promiscuously. They might hit a vice presidential candidate.—Chicago Record.

The voters of the United States are growing increasingly independent at municipal elections. The disease isn't one that should be cured.—Hartford Post.

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Mrs. Spriggs—There may be two or three things there that I want, and, besides, I enjoy going to auctions.

"There won't be any auction there."

"Why not?"

"I stopped in to-day and bought everything he had at private sale."

"Everything? Private sale? Are you crazy? What in the world did you do that for?"

"Because I didn't want you to go tomorrow and pay three or four prices for everything."—N. Y. Weekly.

Appearances Deceitful.

"I struck a new one the other day," said the man who is about to move, "when I went to see a house of which a faithful Irishman was custodian. 'Too small, too small,' I said, as soon as I saw the place.

"'Go aisy, sor,' he replied, 'till I show yez t'rough. Yez'll foind the house much larger on the inside than it is on the outside, sor.'"—Cleveland Leader.

No Apparent Motive.

Jack the Kisser was brought into court.

"Are these the complaining witnesses?" asked the judge.

"We are," they answered.

The judge inspected them.

"Officer," he said, "take the prisoner to the detention hospital for examination as to his sanity. This is not a criminal case."—Chicago Tribune.

A Question of Descent.

O'Brien—And so Jaykers is proud av his descint, is he?

McTurk—Yes; he is terribly stuck up about it.

O'Brien—Well, begorra, Oi've a bit av a descint meself to boast about. Oi descinded four stories wanst whin the ladder broke and niver sphilled a brick!—Baltimore Sun.

Got What She Wanted.

"George," she said, in a nervous whisper, "you must give me time—you must give me time."

"How long?" he hoarsely asked; "a day, a week, a month, a year?"

"No—no, George," and she quickly scanned the sky; "only until the moon gets behind a cloud."—Roxbury Gazette.

Successful.

Hiram—How's your boy Zeke gittin' along down in Noo York?

Silas—Wal, I hain't heard from him in a long time, but I guess he's gone into the noospaper business, coz I read in the paper that he wuz corespondent in a big lawsuit down there.—Town Topics.

The Same Thing.

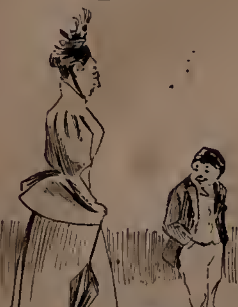
Leon—I want to get a private message to Benidick about our stag racket to-morrow night. I'll just drop him a letter marking it "Personal and Private."

Perkins—Why don't you address it to Mrs. Benidick and be done with it?—N. Y. Evening Journal.

The Test.

If you want to know the age of a horse
You can tell it by his teeth, of course;
But the age of a turkey best is known
Not by his teeth, but by your own.
—Judge.

HE KNEW.



Elderly Spinster (to young reprobate, who has been swearing)—Oh, how can you use such dreadful language? Do you know what becomes of little boys who do so?

Billy—Yes'm; they gits ter be cab drivers!—Fun.

Those Loving Girls.

Maude—Aunt Mary has a lock of George Washington's hair. It has been in our family ever since the revolutionary war.

Clara—Indeed! I wasn't aware that one of your ancestors was a barber.—Chicago Daily News.

One Woman's Way.

"Jack was poor and Clara persuaded me to marry him; she said a true woman always married for love."

"Well?"

"Then she went and fell in love with a rich man."—Chicago Record.

A Field for Action.

Dasherly—I hear that young Blower gave a good account of himself at the front.

Flasherly—Huh! It wasn't anything to the one he gave when he got home.—N. Y. Journal.

Still on the Go.

Yeast—I see that joke about a fellow's stolen umbrella is still going around.

Crimsonbeak—So is the umbrella.—Yonkers Statesman.

Out of the Service.

"So your engagement to the Lafayette avenue millionaire's daughter is off, eh?"

"Yes; I've been mustered out."—Judge.

Clearly Defined.

Bobby—Popper, what is a hostile Indian?

Mr. Ferry—One with some good, arable land.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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The Open Sesame Explained.

Softhead—I say, Cholly, why does a fellah have to wear a necktie that he ties himself, don't you know? Why cawn't a fellah wear a ready-made necktie, don't you know?

Mushbrain—Cawn't you see, me boy, how it is? It's the social test, don't you know.

"Any fellah can afford to buy any sort of a necktie, cawn't he?"

"Ah, yes; but mere sordid wealth doesn't count in society, me boy. It's bwains, culture, wefinement, don't you know."

"What has that to do with the necktie?"

"Can't you see? Society, me boy, admits only those who have bwains enough to tie their own necktie, don't you know."—N. Y. Weekly.

Reserved Her Decision.

"I cannot love you, George, because I understand that you—that you have loved other girls."

"But, Clara, my love for them was in every way justifiable, I assure you?"

"How, pray?"

"Clara," he said, as he restored his arm to her slender waist, "I loved them because I thought they were all like you."

She reserved her decision.—Tit-Bits.

Liked to Be Fooled.

Said Mrs. Fondmother to her son who is unduly partial to the softer sex:

"Don't you put any reliance on what the girls tell you. They are awful liars and will fool you every time."

"Yes, but how nice they do it," replied the enamored youth, with a beatific smile.—N. Y. World.

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Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer of 1125 Howard street, Philadelphia, Pa., when she discovered that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this royal cure: "It soon removed the pain in my chest, and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the universe." So will every one who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the throat, chest or lungs. Price 50c. and $1. Trial bottle free at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

Now They Are Strangers.

He—What lovely flowers. Do you know, they remind me of you.

She—Why, they are artificial.

He—Yes, I know; but it requires close examination to detect it.—Chicago Daily News.

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Was the gun that hit G. B. Steadman of Newark, Mich., in the Civil War. It caused horrible ulcers that no treatment helped for 20 years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Cures cuts, bruises, burns, boils, felons, corns, skin eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co., druggists.

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Correctly Stated.

Young Softleigh (getting shaved)—Are you shaving down, barber?

Barber—Um—yes, I believe you could call it that.—Town Topics.

A Bad Breaking Out.

"Do you believe that love is a sort of sickness, as some doctors say?"

"Well, yes—something of a rash nature."—N. Y. Journal.

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LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$559,245 21
Guarantee Fund		27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account		6,268 89
Interest Account		8,811 98
Real Estate Income Account		184 23
Tax account		32 25
		$602,315 35

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		25,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		6,350 00
" " Mortgages		160,310 00
" " Personal Securities		164,870 86
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		1,500 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		735 27
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$10,919 15	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	9,018 65	
Mercantile Trust Co.	12,075 38	
		32,013 18
Cash on hand		2,074 97
		$602,315 35

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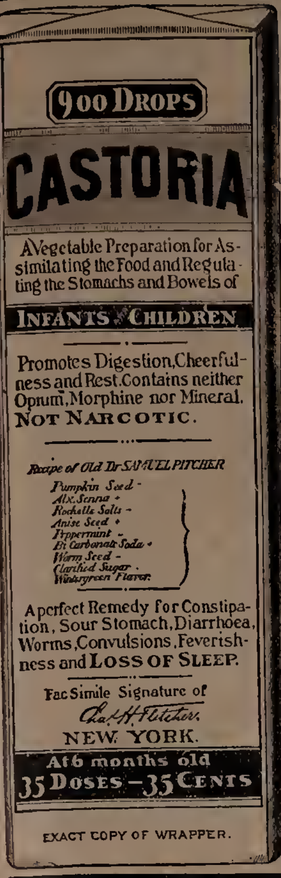

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That can alone make sweet and bitter draft
That life holds out to all, should most abound
And least be threatened in the fields and groves?
Possess ye, therefore, ye who, borne about
In chariots and sedans, know no fatigue
But that of idleness and taste no scenes
But such as art contrives, possess ye still
Your element; there only can ye shine,
There only minds like yours can do no harm.
Our groves were planted to console at noon
The pensive wanderer in their shades. At eve
The moonbeam, sliding softly in between
The sleeping leaves, is all the light they wish,
Birds warbling all the music. We can spare
The splendor of your lamps; they but eclipse
Our softer satellite. Your songs confound
Our harmonious notes. The thrush departs,
Scared, and the offended nightingale is mute.
There is a public mischief in your mirth;
It plagues your country. Folly such as yours,
Graced with a sword and worthier of a fan,
Has made, which enemies could ne'er have done,
Our arch of empire, steadfast but for you,
A mutilated structure soon to fall.
—William Cowper in "The Task."

The Yellow Tomatoes

And How They Gave Shape to an Engagement Ring.

When Dominicus Van Brunt first went to the public school in his adopted country, he had the felicity of sitting opposite a little girl with freckles and blue eyes. Her name was Bertha Manderson, which was a difficult name for Dominicus to remember. But it was not at all hard for him to remember the dear little girl with freckles. She wore tiny black tassels at the top of her shoes and white aprons, ruffled and tied upon the shoulders with large, airy looking bows, and the ends of her smooth braids were tied with ribbons now the color of the violet and now the color of the rose.

Dominicus said to himself that in Amsterdam he had never known any little girl so freckled and so dear.

"I wish she would look at me," thought little Dominicus Van Brunt. But he thought it in Dutch, although when he spoke aloud he managed to make himself understood in English. It must be confessed that little American children are too egotistical to be polite. Thinking as they do that they are molded on the right pattern, they are inclined to regard all children differing from them as curiosities. They considered the round faced Dutch boy, with his shy ways and deferential manner to the teacher, a strange little fish indeed. And no one in all the school was more amused than the dainty Bertha, who looked at him covertly out of her gray blue eyes. However, she did not laugh at him. So Dominicus, who did not know that she was amused and who perceived only her aspect of gravity, thought her kinder than the rest and was grateful. If only she would have spoken to him or looked at him as if she were his friend, he would have had nothing more to ask. He could even have been patient with that terrible English language which every one around him was jabbering.

He determined to do something to call the attention of his freckled heart's own to himself, and one day he hurried into the schoolroom the first minute the doors were opened and laid three pear shaped yellow tomatoes on her desk. The scholars came, saw the pretty vegetables, and had little trouble in deciding from what source the tribute came. For who else in a fashionable suburb would have yellow tomatoes, except the son of the Dutch gardener? The school indulged in unrestrained giggling, but Bertha, instead of participating, shot defiance from her gray blue eyes, and, turning with an adorable smile toward Dominicus, carefully fitted one of the yellow tomatoes into her red mouth and devoured it in the same spirit in which a loyal subject drinks to his king. It was evident that Dominicus had been right. Bertha was different from the others. His happiness stained the boy's amiable face scarlet, and while the other boys jeered at him, a number of them felt a distinct pang of jealousy. They were quite alive to the extraordinary favor which had been shown him.

From that day on Bertha, the daughter of a prosperous lawyer and a little maid distinctly conscious of her social opportunities, and Dominicus, the son of the man who raised garden truck, were friends. There came a day when Bertha, having reached the proud age of 10, gave a birthday party on her father's lawn, and insisted on having Dominicus among her guests—a famous day for Dominicus, in which he saw his princess in all the glory of her best white frock, with her hair crimped down her back, and had the rapture of eating cream tarts in her company!

But there was yet a prouder day in which Dominicus was permitted to return this social attention and was allowed to invite Bertha and three other friends to the snowy kitchen of his home back of the garden, where the mother of Dominicus sang beautiful songs to them in a language they could not understand and fed them with crullers and grape juice. Bertha thought she had never seen any room so charming as this kitchen, with its racks of blue plates, its shining pans and its illuminated mottoes upon the wall.

Bertha was not more than 12 when she was sent to a private school, and as the years went by she saw people of quite a different sort from Dominicus and his father and mother and ought, probably, to have forgotten all about them. But it is an undeniable fact, though it may have shown some evidences of vulgarity in her nature, that all the years that she was occupied with other matters, such as boarding school and summer resorts and "coming out" and the gayeties of a winter in the city, she remembered that curious kitchen and the people who lived in it and wondered where they had gone, for it had happened that one autumn, after returning from the seashore, Bertha had discovered that the house back of the garden was empty. It had been a sad moment for her. She had felt the tears come to her eyes as she looked at the untidy piece of ground where the exquisitely kept garden of Jacob Van Brunt had been, and the windows from which the round face of her friend had often smiled at her repulsed her now with their bareness.

It happened that in course of time Bertha had a notion to go abroad, and having the consciousness of her certificate of graduation in her trunk, she was in no haste to return to her home. So she lingered where she pleased, arrogantly directing the movements of her party, which consisted of a maiden aunt and an elderly second cousin. With this double chaperonage she was allowed to do almost anything she pleased.

At length they reached Amsterdam, making headquarters for themselves there and planning to go upon many excursions through the country. It was natural enough that, having a local habitation, they should make some friends in the city, and so it came about that before they had been there long they were invited to dinner by an American lady, Mrs. Truax, whose husband was engaged in some mercantile enterprise there.

The Truax house was a cosmopolitan one, and at it the habitue expected to meet all manner of celebrities and human curios. Bertha, much elated at the prospect, whirled off, accompanied by her decorous relatives, arrayed for the occasion in the most unbecoming of their best silks.

"What dear old frumps they are," Bertha commented to herself. "I think the Amsterdam ladies will like them. They just suit this background."

They seemed to indeed and got on better than Bertha, whose youth condemned her to a subordinate place. This was not as it was in America, Bertha reflected and permitted herself to indulge in a moment of homesickness as she sat apart, her glowing beauty unnoticed by the middle aged people who were paying their respects to her aunt and her second cousin.

"I have delayed for a moment for another guest," Mrs. Truax said. "I wished to present to your niece, Miss Manderson," she said, addressing Bertha's aunt, "a young man who is half an American. Ah, there is the bell now!"

The man at the door announced a moment later:

"Herr Van Brunt."

Bertha turned with an anticipation which she endeavored to subdue. It was not likely that the son of a gardener would be at the home of Mrs. Truax. But in the young man who entered Bertha saw with unmistakable recognition, the amiable, soft eyes, the round face and high brow and quiet, kindly manners of her old friend, borne with the assurance and ease that come of self confidence.

The hostess managed to whisper to Bertha's aunt, and of course Bertha overheard:

"This young man has distinguished himself in landscape gardening. He has just laid out a park for Prince Zagenwell and is much thought of both in Holland and Germany. I hear that the Duke of York is likely to send for him for his new place in Scotland."

Dominicus Van Brunt saluted his hostess with a profound bow. How well Bertha remembered that quaint reverence of manner! He was presented to the guests and at last was led up to Bertha, who suddenly felt as if she were in short frocks, with freckles on her face and braids down her back. He started and flushed and then held out his hand in the good American way, regardless of ceremony.

"What, you are acquainted!" cried the hostess. They explained. The hostess turned in some perplexity to the spinster aunt. She wondered if she had unintentionally committed an indiscretion. But there was no annoyance in the face of the elder Miss Manderson, and the hostess felt at liberty to permit the two young people to go down to dinner together.

The conversation at dinner would not be particularly interesting to recount. But Bertha remembered every word of it. Perhaps Dominicus Van Brunt did too—but it has been impossible to secure his confidence. It is a certain thing, however, that the next day a basket came for the young American lady containing a dozen yellow tomatoes, dropped like eggs in a nest of white daisies. Which was, surely, a curious gift!

Now it is undeniable that Bertha Manderson found Amsterdam interesting, yet for some reason best understood by her sex she remained in it but a short time, hastening away to other points of interest. It is also certain that about the time of her departure a young landscape gardener ran to yews and weeping willows in his designs and accepted with alacrity the opportunity of designing a cemetery for some new American town. But he recovered from his gloom when there reached him from the shores of the Baltic a trinket fashioned of lucent amber, shaped like a yellow tomato. It occurred to him that he ought also to visit the storied benches of the Baltic, and he did so without an hour's unnecessary delay.

And the consequence was, as the children say when they play the old game, that when Miss Bertha Manderson returned to America she wore for an engagement ring a tomato shaped topaz on her third finger.—Exchange

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Railway Office (which has been connected by mistake)—Sorry, sir, but the wreck has been cleared up.—Baltimore American.

Singularly enough, the British public shows no disposition to lionize Cecil Rhodes.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Kimberley may feel relieved, but Cecil Rhodes does not—especially since his arrival in London, where he was promptly muzzled.—St. Paul Globe.

Cecil Rhodes seems to have shrunk recently. He does not appear to be so big a man in London as he was in Kimberley.—Ridgewood (N. J.) News.

Earmarks of Genius.

"Have you any special literary methods, Mr. Furore?"

"Yes; like all other great writers, I often dip my mucilage brush in my ink."—Chicago Record.

A Huge Success.

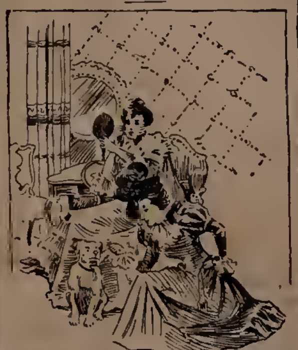
"Does Mrs. Buster make a good club president?"

"I should say so; she never wears the same dress twice."—Chicago Record.

A Boarding House Episode.

"I guess I'm a coward," the boarder said,
As he hastily pushed back his chair.
"At the restaurant I'll breakfast instead—
Only the brave would tackle this fare."
—Chicago Daily News.

INCONSIDERATE.



Lola—Tom is going to be an undertaker. He says some one dies every time he breathes.

Theone—Heavens! Why doesn't he use cloves?—N. Y. Times.

The Turkey.

As he his gaudiness admires,
And struts and lets his cares relax,
He mocks the farmer who perspires
While humbly sharpening his ax.
—Washington Star.

His Failing.

Her Mother—I am surprised at Charles squandering so much money on a phonograph.

The Wife—I am not. He always did like to hear himself talk.—Harlem Life

His Failing.

"Is he what you would call a progressive, up-to-date clergyman?"

"Oh, not at all. I don't believe he ever went slumming in his life."—Chicago Post.

Always.

Little Bobby—Pa, what's a man of the people?

Pa—A candidate for office before election.—Cleveland Leader.

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Hon. Tom Reed is making more dollars than epigrams these days.—Baltimore American.

Isn't it about time for another peacock feather to be pulled out of Li Hung Chang?—Chicago Times-Herald.

Senator Clark's fate is a terrible warning to every man who parts his whiskers east and west.—Minneapolis Journal.

An exchange declares that "Julian Ralph is writing strong English these days." So he is. Some of it is absolutely rank.—Dallas News.

It is a rather grim coincidence that the new president of the Massachusetts Homeopathic Medical society bears the name of Coffin.—Boston Herald.

The Prince of Wales probably feels that it would be just as well for him to go into the Boer war as to take chances of assassination at Paris.—St. Paul Dispatch.

One of Lillian Russell's lovers went over Niagara falls the other day. If her ex-husbands were to take the same route, the channel would be choked.—Atlanta Constitution.

William Waldorf Astor has announced a willingness to sell his English magazine. He has lost his desire to be an angel and with the angels stand.—St. Louis Republic.

Jokai, the Hungarian, has written a new novel in four convulsions on the question whether an old man should marry. The venerable novelist's late marriage to a chit will be recalled with feeling by the emphatic negative of his melancholy conclusion.—New York Press.

TOWN TOPICS.

St. Louis persists in looking at the Paris exposition simply as a pacemaker.—Sioux City Journal.

Chicago's motto is "I Will." Kansas City's motto is "Just Watch Me Do It."—Kansas City Journal.

The recent religious census of Philadelphia reveals the fact that there are but 1,925 Quakers in the Quaker City, not including the baseball nine.—Boston Transcript.

The animals recently purchased for the Chicago zoo at an auction in Cincinnati for $1,200 are nearly all dead. This appears to settle the protracted dispute between Cincinnati and Chicago as to which has the worst climate.—Kansas City Star.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition; my skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately a friend advised trying Electric Bitters, and to my great joy and surprise the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks and am now a well man. I know they saved my life and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them; only 50c. per bottle at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store.

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Capt. Mark Jamieson of the four-masted ship, Clara Norton, which is now unloading at Portland, Me., a cargo of hard pine from Galveston, Texas, is with Mrs. Jamieson visiting his father, Joseph Jamieson. Capt. Jamieson has recently returned from a trip to Cuba.——George Willard and Miss Ella Blake, grand daughter of Dea. George E. Blake, were married Tuesday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, at the parsonage, by Rev. W. J. Minchin.——Mrs. L. C. Ripley, mother of Mrs. Alonzo Cook, has just celebrated her 94th birthday. Mrs. Ripley enjoys excellent health.——Fred Willard is home for a short vacation.——It is reported that the electric road will run through the center on Saturday, connecting with the line at Plainville.——C. E. Dupee's cottage at Bates Beach is nearly ready for occupancy.——Miss Villa Curren of Washington has been in town for a short visit——Mr. and Mrs. W. H Graut of Wakefield have been visiting Mrs W. H Pierce——Jerry A. Cobb and family have moved to Medway.——Frank Pollard of Scituate is visiting his sister, Miss May Pollard.——Mrs Emma Giles is ill with rheumatism at the residence of Mrs. Harriet Giles——Mr and Mrs. W. H. Freeze entertained a party of friends Tuesday evening.——Whist was played until a late hour.——Mrs George Clark and son are in town at George W. Cowden's for the summer——The cottages are filling up rapidly round the two lakes——Wampum lodge, I. O. O. F., are to have their lodge redecorated in a handsome manner——The funeral of Benjamin Chamberlain, who died Saturday, aged 86 was held from the house of Asbael Willard on Tuesday Rev W. J. Minchin conducted the services. The interment was at Franklin.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending June 6, 1900.

Ladies—Miss Florence Dickey Campbell, Mrs. L. F. Daniels, Mrs. Flora B Jones, Mis Lizzie Robinson.

Gentlemen—Erice Nyberg

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Church Services.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor. Children's day service at 10.30. Y. P. C. U. at 6.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev F. B. Sleeper, pastor; theme, "Reflecting God's Glory." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6 15. Preaching at 7; theme, "The Hopeless Tares." Short after service in vestry.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 by S. A Cook, pastor; subject "The Christian's Relation to God's Plan for the Salvation of the People." Sunday school at 12. Junior league at 3 00. Epworth league at 6 30 Evening service at 7 30; subject, "Present Realities and Future Uncertainties"

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. I. W Sneath, Ph. D; theme, "Power of a Good Man in Extremity" Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E at 6 30. Evening service at 7 30; theme, "Babylon or Jerusalem."

Immune.

Grandpa—Don't get scared, Willie; the tiger is about to be fed; that's what makes him jump and roar so.

Willie (easily)—Oh, I ain't afraid of him, grandpa. Papa's the same when his meals ain't ready.—Illustrated American.

One of the most remarkable disappearances of the time is that of Lord Kitchener. A little while ago he seemed ubiquitous, but now he cannot be found even in the dispatches.—San Francisco Call.

He Knew All the While.

Young Sharpshins—I say, dad, what is a simple?

Old Sharpshins—A simple is a medicine compounded of herbs.

Young Sharpshins—Oh, I thought it was the man who took the medicine.—Ally Sloper.

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Second Politician—And what came of it?

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Why He Soiled Them.

Angry Father (stick in hand, to little Willy)—Why are your clothes soiled so frightfully?

Little Willy (whimpering)—I fell in the mudgutter.

"And with your new pants on?"

"Yes, popper. I didn't have time to come home and change 'em."—N. Y. World.

Not Declined, However.

The daughter of an editor was she;
And when he kissed her (through Love's impish pranks),
Quite absent-mindedly she said to him:
"Your contribution is returned with thanks!"
—Puck.

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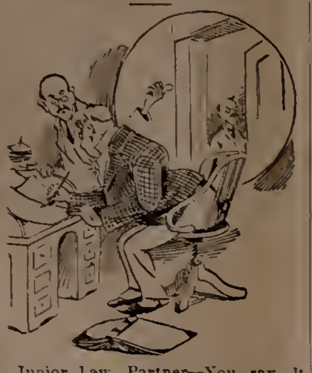

Junior Law Partner—You say it would be useless to appeal that case of Easymarks to a higher court?

Senior Law Partner—Why, of course it would—he's busted already.—N. Y. World.

Always Occupied.

It comes, the sad season when bitter winds blow
And the shovel our lives must control.
When it isn't at work on the beautiful snow
It is frolicking free in the coal.
—Washington Star.

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"That man's attentions to me are most offensive, and he has the reputation of being a fortune-hunter. Do you suppose it is papa's wealth that allures him?"

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N for Nestle's, whose milk suits the taste,
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Kyrle Bellew is about to desert London for Australia.

John W. Ransone will star next season in a piece to be called "The Politician."

Bach's "Matthew" passion is to be given at the Venice Conservatario for the first time in Italian this year.

W. J. McKiernan, the author of "The Gunner's Mate," is writing a romantic play for Melbourne MacDowell.

"The Greatest Puritan" is the title of a new play by an English author, with Oliver Cromwell as the main character.

Thirteen years ago Saint Saens' "Samson and Delilah" was hissed in Berlin. It is to be sung there again, and a better reception is expected.

John J. McNally is writing a stellar piece for Sam Bernard. Reginald De Koven is at work on a "Foxy Quiller" opera for Jerome Sykes.

Frederich Robert Sipp, in his day a violinist and teacher of note and at one time Richard Wagner's teacher, recently died at the age of 93 years.

The Frohmans' "At the White Horse Tavern" company will be continued next year, but the unfortunate "Twelve Months Later" will not figure largely in the bill.

William Seymour, the veteran stage manager and brother-in-law to the late Fanny Davenport, has been engaged to stage several of the important Liebler productions next fall.

Miss Fanny Rice expects to play a metropolitan engagement next season, presenting "A Double Lesson," "The Circus Rider" and "My Milliner's Bill" in one evening's programme.

Frances Drake, well known as both actress and writer, has decided that an engagement in "The Adventures of Lady Ursula" is preferable to a trip to South Africa for war material for magazines.

Hatty Bell, 2:25¼, by Brown Wilkes, has a filly of much promise at the Phoenix stock farm, sired by William Penn, 2:07¼. The young things at the farm are now being jogged into form.

The British undersecretary of war informed the house of commons recently that the standard price paid by the government for cavalry horses ranged from £45 to £50, and in many cases as high as £65 has been paid.

W. C. Whitney, after spending three days looking over his thoroughbreds at La Belle farm, Lexington, Ky., recently returned to New York. His horses are in splendid condition, but he says he will bring them nearer home during the summer.

THE CENSOR.

The crusaders against the bird on the hat do not seem to have winged many of the women.—Dallas News.

Railroads in the United States have about reached the point where we no longer travel; we arrive.—Huntsville (Ala.) Post.

The Paris fair will seem much like a Franco-American exhibition, with the rest of the world taken in to fill up the thinks.—New York Tribune.

The Chicago oculist who removed the wrong eye of his patient sheds another ray of confirmation on Napoleon's apothegm that a blunder is worse than a crime.—New York World.

The currency is increasing at the rate of $1,000,000 a day, but owing to some hitch in the arrangements perhaps its distribution only takes place on pay day, as heretofore.—Pittsburg Times.

Korea would probably be willing to give Russia the slice of territory the latter demands if she were not afraid that it would only serve to whet the bear's appetite for more.—Pittsburg Times.

The New Yorker who has talked his last will into a phonograph may suppose that he has got ahead of the lawyers, but there are experienced litigants who will not jump at any such conclusion.—St Louis Dispatch.

Any person who catches more than 30 brook trout per day in Connecticut is liable to be fined and imprisoned. The people of Connecticut have evidently become tired of the lies of the fisherman.—Chicago, Times-Herald.

Too much rope skipping has killed one girl, and too much waltzing has crazed another. This should be a warning to those who indulge in pleasure or exercise of this kind that moderation is good in all things.—New York Herald.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next-of-kin and all persons interested in the estate of Philip Dolan of Franklin, in said county an insane person:

Whereas, John Dolan, the guardian of said ward, has presented his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, certain real estate therein specified of his ward for his support,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the fifth day of July, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this fifth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

je8,15,22

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Edwin J. Pond, late of Providence, in the State of Rhode Island, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Metcalf E. Pond of Franklin, or to some other suitable person,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on Thursday, the 5th day of July, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 6th day of June, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of Henry Bemis, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

HENRY E. RUGGLES, Executor.

Address: Franklin, Mass.
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Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Hear Dr. Morris tonight.

The National bank shows two new signs.

The haying season has begun in a small way.

A new front is being built to the Foran house on King street.

O. S. Stetson, Jr., has returned from his studies at Worcester.

F. A. Bates and family of Somerville spent the holiday in town.

Mrs. A. H. Morse returned last week from her stay in California.

Mrs. George S. Kingman of New Bedford is a guest at T. B. Allen's.

Go to the Methodist church tonight and hear the eloquent Dr. Morris.

Mrs. Mima Holmes of Somerville has been spending a few days in town.

Prof. H. R. Burrington has gone to his farm in Clinton for the summer.

Charles Hebert, a former proprietor of Hotel Briggs, was in town Thursday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Swanbeck of Howard street on Friday.

The report of Children's Day exercises of the Universalist church will appear Friday.

Rev. Dr. Hodge and Rev. E. W. Whitney, of Milford, exchange pulpits next Sunday.

Mrs. William Chamberlain of Putnam, Conn., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. P. M. Arnold.

It is expected that the electrics will run to Plainville by way of Wrentham tomorrow.

The sidewalk on Beaver street adjoining the new building will probably be concreted.

Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Welnschenk are stopping with Rev. I. W. Sneath for several days.

Charles G. Dean is attending the Centennial celebration at Clinton, his former home.

O. A. Stanley is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. H. M. Howard of West Newton.

Mrs. Gilbert Tweedie, formerly Miss Nellie Sullivan, visited friends in Dean academy this week.

The graduating exercises of St. Mary's school occur Thursday evening, at 7.30, in the Opera house.

A good programme of sports is being prepared by Manager Worthley for July 4 at Indian Rock park.

Eugene Houle has bought the residence owned by O. B. Carter on Washington street, and has moved his family into it.

J. H. Johnson of Boston, New England agent of the Atlantic Coast line, has been visiting his brother, W. S. Johnson.

Rev. Dr. Hodge speaks today at the anniversary of the Murray church, Attleboro, on "The Church of the Twentieth Century."

W. H. Allen of Downington, Pa., has been here a few days, bringing two daughters to stay with their grandfather, C. M. Allen.

Charles F. Nye and B. M. Rockwood will take in the Republican convention at Philadelphia, being called to that vicinity on business.

Miss Mandy Landry of Fall River is visiting her parents on Union street.

Messrs. Thayer and Stewart, with their wives, returned last week from their fishing trip in Maine, after a most delightful experience.

The assessors have made their returns to the town clerk for the number of dogs found and the dog officer will soon be abroad.

O. B. Carter has given up the idea of running a ball team in Franklin this season and the prospect is gloomy for a crack team here. Too bad.

H. T. Hayward has his motor carriage in training again and can be seen these pleasant June evenings with friends gliding along the boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Uriah Williams of McCarthy street have moved into the residence formerly occupied by Edward Whittaker on the same street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bailey, Misses Jessie and Grace Russell and Mrs. Reed of Cambridge worshiped at the Congregational church on Sabbath morning.

Mrs. S. E. Merry, Mrs. Wesley J. Beckett, Miss Sadie Barteaux and Miss May Saunders left this morning for their homes in Nictaux Falls, Nova Scotia.

Mrs. William Howard of Watertown, daughter of Mrs. Stephen Maroney of Washington street was made happy Tuesday over the birth of a baby boy.

The remains of Edward Maker, who died in Worcester last week, were brought here for interment yesterday. The deceased was a relative of Warren King of Chestnut street.

C. Gregori has sailed from New York for a visit to the old folks at home in Italy and to take in on the trip a visit to the Paris exposition. He expects to return in the fall.

The painters are getting in their work on the interior of Hotel Windsor, and the new name to come will have the benefit of shining new paint to add lustre to the signboard.

Deputy Sheriff Fitzpatrick enjoyed an outing down Boston harbor last Thursday, as guest, with other deputies, of Joseph J. Feeley, Esq., of Norwood, on his yacht "Clytie."

At the county convention of Ladies' Auxiliaries, held at East Weymouth on Saturday, Miss Mary A. O'Sullivan, president of the Franklin auxiliary, was chosen county treasurer.

Col. George W. Nason of Boston spent yesterday in town, glad to get away from the noise and bustle on Bunker hill day to the quietness of Franklin and renew old acquaintances about town.

M. F. Conroy turned the postoffice over to his predecessor on Saturday night, and goes out of office with the goodwill and esteem of every patron, as an obliging, competent and faithful official.

The space between the street railway tracks and a few feet on each side at the crossing on Union and Central streets has been concreted by the street railway company, making a decided improvement.

A dozen or more of the friends of Principal and Mrs. E. D. Daniels swept down upon them last Friday afternoon at Lake Pearl, but were made to feel at home at once and enjoyed a most delightful time.

Mrs. Thaddeus Turner is in Curleyville, Conn., called there by the death of A. J. Turner, brother of the late T. M. Turner. The funeral will be held at the Unitarian church, Medfield, on Thursday, at 2 p. m.

Be sure and see the fire extinguished in Central square tomorrow evening by the new method, and you will want one for your house. No danger with it and no safety without it. The display will be given at 7.30.

The new sidewalks on High street in front of Drs. Hodges' and King's residences will be much appreciated. That about the School street schoolhouse, the Baptist church and Mrs. Farnum's residence has already been laid.

The High school baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Rev. Dr. Sneath at the Congregational church next Sunday evening, and all of the pastors are to unite and participate. An interesting and profitable address is assured.

H. A. Talbot assumed the reins of government in the postoffice on Monday morning, and listened with unvarying patience for a thousand times, more or less, to "Well, you look natural," varied now and then by the originality of the patron.

The big 700-horse-power engine at the Unionville power station is now in operation and will be ready to start for the running of cars to Plainville tomorrow. The 300 horse-power engine has been in operation since the opening of the Caryville route.

Don't forget the attractions at Lake Pearl on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings each week. Manager Enegren desires to provide a pleasant breathing place for Franklinites and the trolley cars permit an hour or two of relaxation at small cost.

Miss Jane Kingston died Monday, at 5 o'clock, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mary Daniels, South Franklin. The funeral services will be held from the home of Mrs. Daniels, Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, with interment at the Union street cemetery.

The Greenhalge Literary society presented a pleasing program before a good-sized audience in the Horace Mann building Friday evening. A drama entitled "Cousin Frank" was was finely acted, and readings, piano and mandolin solos, vocal duets and solos were also rendered by the members.

Rev. W. C. Selleck, of Providence, preached last Sunday afternoon at West Wrentham and Dr. Hodge will preach next Sunday at 4 o'clock. By request, Dr. Hodge will preach his sermon given here a few weeks ago on "The Story of the Ship that Found Herself."

Special requests have come from denominational headquarters that the subject of the missionaries in China be made the special theme for the weekday meetings of this week, and all of the pastors will make the occasion one of special importance, interest and prayer.

A large number of friends had an enjoyable outing at the home of Mrs. William Blake, North Franklin, Thursday. After partaking of an appetizing collation, vocal and instrumental music, dancing, etc., was the order until early evening. Guests were present from Franklin, Woonsocket and Milford.

All who miss the lecture in the Methodist church this evening will lose a rare treat, as Dr. Morris is a speaker par excellence, and his subject, "That Mysterious Man," is treated in a masterly manner. The proceeds are to be devoted toward clearing off the debt, which should add to the interest in the lecture.

There is to be a fine exhibition of an improved method of extinguishing fire without water, in Central square, at 7.30 on Wednesday evening, when a building will be set on fire and put out with dry powder, a most astonishing feat. This extinguisher is attracting attention everywhere and is meeting with ready sale.

The patrons of Lake Pearl listened with delight to Jos. Hickey, the popular Boston tenor comedian, who rendered several popular ballads Sunday evening, including "The Holy City," which called forth an ovation. Mr. Hickey is spending a few days in town at the residence of W. Scott on Summer street, accompanied by his sister.

The lawn party held for the benefit of the Baptist church at the residence of Capt. A. F. Pendleton on Union Friday evening was well attended and proved a most enjoyable affair. The grounds were illuminated with Chinese lanterns. Refreshments were served on the lawn and a fine musical and literary program was rendered.

Friday evening the selectmen appointed J. R. Hosford a special policeman without pay, approved bills and voted to grant permits for the sale of fireworks July 3 and 4. Supt. Blanchard of the electric lighting company appeared in relation to changing the location of the pole at the corner of Central and East streets.

Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin, Dr. C. B. and Mrs. J. Hussey, Misses King, Whiting and Eisenhardt went to Providence on Friday to enjoy the class day exercises incident to the graduation of Fred. V. Hussey from Brown university. The program was as follows: Sayles' Memorial hall, 10.30 a. m.; Band concert, 3.30 p. m.; afternoon exercises, front campus, 4 p. m.; planting class tree, 5 p. m.; College songs, Chapel steps, 5.30 p. m.; promenade concert, 8 p. m.; procession, 12 m.

Miss Maude L. Ray graduated from Vassar last Wednesday with gratifying honors, her mother, Mrs. W. F. Ray, and her brother, W. F. Ray, being present to share in her happiness. Last week's New York World contained a picture of her and the following complimentary mention: "Miss Maude Louise Ray, of the class of 1900, is the composer of the class song and parodies sung today. In addition to her musical accomplishments Miss Ray is one of the best athletes at Vassar. She played on the basket ball team of 1900 and to her skill is due many of the victories during the past season. Miss Ray is from Franklin, Mass."

When the Franklin-Medway electric line is in operation the company will run express trains hourly to Boston, making stops only in the centre of each town between here and Boston. There will be seven stops altogether and the run is to be made in one hour and a half, the fare being placed at thirty five cents. Cars that will stop anywhere on the route between Franklin and Boston are to be run half hourly. The line is now fast approaching completion, ground being broken on Main street nearly to School. If there is no further delay on account of rails work on the line should be very nearly finished by next Saturday night.

Eat fish as well as meat. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fishman.

Ray—Broenniman.

Exactly one hundred years to a day after the property now known as "Elm Farm," in Unionville, came into the hands of Maj. Moses Knapp, his great grand-daughter, Eleanor Knapp Ray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Ray, beneath the large old elm planted by him, was united in marriage to Edward G. Broenniman of New York city, the ceremony being performed by Rev. D. M. Hodge, D. D., and Rev. W. C. Selleck of Providence, the plighting of the troth being repeated after Dr. Hodge, the present pastor of the Grace Universalist church of this place, who also uttered the mystic words, "I pronounce you husband and wife." The double ring service was used, the groom presenting one to the bride and the bride to the groom, Rev. Mr. Selleck reading this part of the marriage service.

The ceremony was performed at high noon on Monday. Above the contracting couple swung an historic American flag, one that had seen service in many a political campaign, having been presented to the Republican party by the bride's grand-uncle, the late Hon. Joseph G. Ray, many years ago. The bride was gowned in white Louisine silk, with bridal veil, and carried a white service book. She was attended by five little bridesmaids, Misses Gertrude Thayer, Gertrude Knapp, Elizabeth Knapp, Helen Knapp and Gladys Mollert, the last named being a half sister of the groom, living in Watertown. They were all daintily dressed in pink, with Greenaway bonnets, and had been chosen instead of some older persons out of respect to the cousin of the bride, Miss Rachel Thayer, who had been selected for this loving service—a pretty compliment to her memory.

The groom was attended by C. I. Ford of New York, with whom he met the bridal party in front of the piazza, on the west side of the house, where the ceremony was performed, Reeves' orchestra of Providence playing the wedding march from "Lohengrin" as the bridal party left the house, and Mendelssohn's wedding march immediately after the ceremony, when the newly married couple returned to the house.

About the lawn were scattered little tables from which bouillon was served, and later the wedding breakfast was enjoyed in the dining room, the Hope club of Providence doing the catering. The exterior of the house was tastefully decorated with mountain laurel, wild flowers, ferns and palms, while inside there was a profusion of choice cut flowers. Here, too, the bridal gifts were displayed, consisting of dainty china, beautiful paintings, costly silverware, delicate bric-a-brac and a wealth of cut-glass, testifying in a measure to the esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Broenniman are held.

Although the wedding was a semi-private one, yet guests were present to nearly the number of 200, from Woonsocket, Fitchburg, Lexington, Pittsfield and Franklin, a brother and sister of the groom, Arnold B. and Miss Lydia Broenniman, coming on from Watertown, Wis. Later in the afternoon the bridal couple left for the wedding tour, their destination and route being kept a profound secret, much to the chagrin of their friends. They will return to New York after their trip, being domiciled at the St. Andrew, one of New York's swell up town hostelries.

Mr. Broenniman is a member of the New York produce exchange, and has a fine position, representing a number of large flouring concerns in Minneapolis. Of the bride little needs to be added, as she is so well known here. She attended school at Dean and also enjoyed a private tutor, going later to Miss Chapin's private school in Boston and to the famous "Elms" in Springfield. She finished her education at Vassar, graduating with high honors in June '99. She has traveled abroad extensively and numbers a host of friends here and elsewhere whose best wishes are for the blessings of a happy union.

To Abandon the Church.

At both masses in St. Mary's chapel Sunday morning Rev. Father Lee read a letter from Archbishop Williams in relation to the church building. In the letter the archbishop states that after considering the matter fully and having conferred with three expert architects as to the advisability of repairing the church, he deems it the wisest course not to undertake the work, as it would be only temporary and a makeshift at best. He therefore decides that the church be permanently closed and all services held in St. Mary's new building hereafter.

The church has been closed since last February, and since that time services have been held in the basement of the new building. Some of the parishioners had requested the archbishop to have the church building repaired and the contents of the letter read Sunday is his final decision in the matter.

Pull up your carpets and buy new,
Sanford's stock will surely suit you.
Sanford Bros., Medway.

A Successful Opening.

Manager Worthley opened the season at Indian Rock park on Saturday afternoon with a ball game and horse trotting, attracting about 600 spectators, who clearly "got their money's worth," as manifested by the appreciation shown. The ball game was between a nine selected in town, and made up of some of our best local players, pitted against the Hyde Park nine. The game was interesting throughout, both sides doing good work, with occasional lapses, which arose rather from lack of practice than inability to play. The umpiring was done by C. E. Emerson, and was mainly satisfactory. It was anyone's game to the close, when it really looked as if Franklin would win, as Jenness was doing good work and had struck out three men in the last inning. But the home team was unable to hit safely, and the Hyde Parks returned home the victors by the score of 6 to 5. Radford, the old Carter player, came with the visitors, but appeared to be having something of an "off" day, except as to hitting. The brothers Fiske, Sam. catching and Wes. at second, did fine work, and Jenness, the Dean pitcher, was "all right." Hathaway played a good game at short, and Grant let nothing escape him in middle. Dilling covered right and Foster left satisfactorily, and Farrel, with one exception, did excellent work at first. Swett of Dean also attended to third without error.

The horse racing divided the attention of the spectators and was as exciting as could be expected. The following is a summary of the events:

2.40 CLASS—Half-mile heats.

Doctor, b. g., J. L. Wood, Milford	1	1	1
Midget, ch. m., Nichols, Wrentham	2	2	2
Norfolk Boy, b. g., Wall, Norfolk	3	3	4
Roderick C., b. g., Clancy, Medway	4	4	3

Time—First quarter, 42, 40, 40; half mile, 1.21, 1.19, 1.20.

FREE-FOR-ALL—Half-mile heats.

S. S. Rich, b. g., Spofford, Franklin	2	1	3	1	1
Charley Macklin, br. g., Heath, Woonsocket	1	3	1	2	3
Blanche White, w. m., Mullet, Attleboro	3	2	2	3	2

Time—First quarter, 38, 39, 37, 38½, 37; half mile, 1.15, 1.17, 1.13½, 1.16, 1.16.

Starter, H. A. Worthley. Judges—E. F. Ware, Roy King, J. F. Dingman.

There was a one-mile open bicycle race, which was closely contested and full of interest from start to finish. Those engaged in the race were J. Victor Norton of Norfolk, Patrick C. Merwin of Medway and Bert Green. Norton finished in the lead, with Merwin a close second. Time, 3.10.

Mr. Worthley, the new manager, proposes to keep these attractions going, and is now arranging for some speedy trotters to appear later. He expects to draw a good many in from out of town who like lively sport.

The Initial Contest.

The Franklin Country club opened the season on its golf links Saturday afternoon with a contest participated in by fourteen of the members, under the handicap arrangement, members playing by twos, the prizes being two cups for first and second prizes, gross and net scores, and a set of golf balls for second best gross score. The winners are indicated below, F. P. Chapman making best net score, L. W. Arnold the best gross score, and W. C. Sherman the second best gross score. After the games a luncheon was served by the ladies of the club in the club house, a most dainty and appetizing repast being set out, and thoroughly enjoyed after the exercises of the afternoon. The party remained till early evening, and had a most delightful time. It is quite likely that these contests will be continued, with something on for every Saturday afternoon.

Player.	Gross.	Handicap.	Net.
F. P. Chapman	100	22	78
L. W. Arnold	92	10	82
W. C. Sherman	96	6	90
P. A. Woodward	119	28	91
E. H. Rathbun	98	6	92
Charles Gilmore	133	40	93
A. D. Thayer	134	40	94
A. B. Palmer	124	28	96
B. M. Rockwood	137	40	97
H. W. Thayer	141	44	97
G. W. Gilmore	132	32	100
C. F. Nye	115	14	101
P. R. Allen	142	40	102
J. H. A. Smith	119	18	103

Fire at 7.30.

G. S. and A. J. Howe Co. of Worcester will demonstrate in Central square Wednesday evening, June 20, at 7.30 o'clock, "The Monarch" fire extinguisher. This extinguisher is simply a dry powdered chemical thrown into the fire, which immediately becomes a gas and instantly extinguishes the fire. A structure 12 feet high, representing the interior of a building, will be used for the demonstration. Chief Engineer McKinnon and the board of fire engineers will be present to witness the test. The general public is invited to be present.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Dr. Eudora M. Faxon of Boston will meet patients for eye, ear, nose and throat work at the residence of J. W. Faxon, on Pleasant street, Friday, June 22, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Read the Business Announcements.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Accused of Bigamy.

The arrest of Peter Embser, a printer employed at the Heliotype works, on Friday evening on the charge of bigamy created quite a stir about town when it became known on Saturday. Deputy Sheriff Fitzpatrick and Special Officer Connor arrested Embser on Main street about 8.30 Friday night on a warrant issued by Judge Doe on complaint of Julia Embser of Freeport, Ill., who claims that she was married to Embser at Dansville, N. Y., by Rev. Father Rober of that place nearly nine years ago, that they have lived together at Freeport and Rockland, Ill., and other places in the West since their marriage up to April, 1899, when he left, ostensibly to look for work. Four days after his departure she received a letter from him, but since then had not heard from him.

As is generally known, Embser was united in marriage to a respectable young lady of this town last February, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Father Lee in St. Mary's church after the bans of marriage had been published on the three Sundays preceding their union.

The defendant was arraigned before Judge Doe in the district court this morning, when the woman who claims to be his first wife appeared against him and testified to the above. She said that her maiden name was Miss Julia McGrath and that after her marriage to Ember two children were born to them, both, however, having died. She did not produce a marriage certificate.

Embser did not make any defense, and Judge Doe found him probably guilty, and held him in the sum of $2,000 for his appearance before the grand jury at the September term of the superior court at Dedham. He was taken away on the 11.40 a. m. train by Deputy Sheriff Fitzpatrick Saturday.

Embser was married to Miss Catherine Kearns, and the couple have been living in apartments on West street. The accused made friends quickly and had a large circle of acquaintances here.

His alleged first wife is respectable appearing, apparently about forty years old and of spare figure. She was not the least embarrassed while giving her testimony, and made a favorable impression. The affair has caused considerable talk throughout the town. Embser's second wife was not in court.

A Waste of Time.

The folly of spending strength and time in the patching up of old things to make them look like new goods is caustically criticised by a correspondent of the Congregationalist in this manner:

No other popular delusion has done so much harm in the home life of America as the "packing box cupboard," unless it be the "barrel chair." Scarcely a week passes in which some woman does not rush into print and give minute instructions how to convert an empty flour barrel into an easy chair, with the aid of a little chintz and some excelsior; or a soap box into a parlor cabinet by the application of sandpaper and shellac. The amount of time needed for these transactions is never taken into account. Of course the author never did it herself, and no one contradicts her in print, for the women who have tried it under her direction are too exhausted by sawing and sandpapering to hold the pen.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Dr. J. C. Gallison will sell a light driving horse or exchange for a heavier one. 11tf

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TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 1900

After Pretoria, What?

With the steady advance of Lord Roberts toward Pretoria the conviction grows in the public mind, whatever of regret or satisfaction it may occasion, that the end of the struggling Boer republics is not far distant. The Orange Free State is already under the control of the British, and it seems that the Transvaal must soon fall before Roberts' advancing and vastly superior force. It is not unlikely that the Transvaal burghers will make a last heroic stand at the capital of their apparently doomed republic, and no doubt many of them will die in the last ditch rather than surrender their dearly bought liberties. Possibly there will be a long siege at Pretoria, but it is difficult to see how the Boers can ultimately escape either utter annihilation or unconditional surrender.

Sooner or later, as now seems certain, Pretoria must fall, and after Pretoria's fall what then? What shall be the future of the two states whose autonomy will end with the firing of the last gun? Great Britain will unquestionably insist upon exercising sovereignty over them in some form, but how liberal will be the political conditions accorded the fallen foe remains to be seen. The British colonial system embraces a wide range. There are these three distinct classes of colonial governments:

First.—Crown colonies, in which the crown has entire control of legislation and the administration is conducted by officers under the control of the home government, such as Gibraltar, Ceylon and Jamaica.

Second.—Colonies with representative institutions, but not responsible government, the crown retaining a veto on legislation and control over public officers, such as Natal, West Australia and Barbados.

Third.—Colonies with representative institutions and responsible government, the crown retaining a veto over legislation, but no control over public officers, such as Canada, Newfoundland, Cape Colony and Australia.

In which class the Boer states, when the work of subjugation is completed, will fall under the British system is open to question. If they are placed in the latter class and the burghers are given the widest possible independence under British suzerainty, it would doubtless allay much of the apprehension in Europe as to the imperial programme of the London government, and possibly, under such conditions, when the bitterness and resentments engendered by war have passed away, the burghers might live contentedly as subjects of Queen Victoria. Possibly some of them may endeavor to trek farther into the remote interior of the "dark continent," as did their fathers, and there establish homes and an independent government. It is intimated that some of them will migrate to this country, where they can become citizens of a republic, enjoying the privileges of that form of government for the maintenance of which they have fought so strenuously.

The editor of The Leader, published at Larchwood, Ia., who has just entered the matrimonial state, is of the opinion that a married man can get out a better paper than a bachelor. In taking his readers into his confidence on the eve of his marriage he tells them that it will be for their benefit. "To the writer," he says, "the assuming of the marriage vows seems to be an incentive to greater ambition, for greater deeds and nobler achievements, furnishing the noblest purpose for living and working and a better and more fixed purpose in life." Hence he declares: "We believe that the step we have taken will benefit not only ourselves, but our patrons and our friends as well, for if we have before had reason to take pride in our chosen work those reasons are now multiplied tenfold." It will be interesting to note whether this belief on the part of the editor is justified. Other country editors who are contemplating matrimony will do well to get copies of the Larchwood Leader "before and after taking" a wife and watch its course.

MATRON AND MAID.

Over $5,000,000 of Mrs. Hetty Green's enormous fortune is invested within a hundred feet of New York's city hall.

Mrs. Mary J. Furman of Nashville has bequeathed her estate, valued at from $200,000 to $250,000, to Stanford university.

Mrs. John Lowell of West Cornwall, Vt., celebrated her ninety-first birthday recently at a reunion of 165 of her descendants.

By the bequest of Miss Anna H. Man Providence is to come into possession of about $200,000 for the maintenance of Roger Williams park

Mrs. Laura Holtschneider is the only woman alderman in Colorado and is now a candidate for the place of mayor of Buena Vista, that state.

Eleanor Farjeon, a granddaughter of Joseph Jefferson, though but 18 years old, is making a reputation as a writer of opera librettos in London.

Mrs. Russell Sage resigned as president of the Emma Willard association. The reason given was that her strength was inadequate to the demands of the office.

The late Mrs. Mary J. Furman, whose will left $25,000 to Vanderbilt university, also provided for a $26,000 monument to be erected over her grave and that the monument be taken care of by the university.

Annette Essinoff, the wife and pupil of Leschetizky, is a Russian and is one of the most eminent women pianists of the day. Paderewski is said to have declared that he learned more from her playing that from the teaching of her husband.

Miss Phil Pointer of Owensboro has been chosen sponsor to represent Kentucky at the national reunion of Confederate Veterans at Louisville May 30 to June 3. She is the daughter of the late Phil Pointer and is a brunette of striking beauty.

Miss Hester D. Jenkins, daughter of J. H. Jenkins, president of the German National bank of Oshkosh, Wis., has been appointed professor of English in the American college at Constantinople. Miss Gwen Griffiths of the University of Chicago has been appointed to the chair of science at the same college.

Miss Bessie Shirley of Salt Lake City is doubtless the only woman in the world who owns and edits a mining journal. She is but 19 years old. The paper she runs she established herself and has made a success of it. She makes weekly trips to all the neighboring mining centers in search of news and is said to have a good deal of influence.

THE HONEY MAKERS.

In breeding bees the two main points desired are usefulness and color.

Any queen cell after being sealed over can be hatched with artificial heat.

In order to obtain nice comb honey the colony must be very strong in numbers.

A weak colony will never build nice comb honey no matter how liberal the honey flow.

If the colony is weak and the brood chambers not at all full, it is of no use to place the section boxes on.

If a good flight cannot be had reasonably soon after dysentery sets in, the bees are pretty sure to be lost.

Extracted honey is much easier rated for than comb honey. If properly cared for, it will keep good for years.

If one does not practice clipping the queen bees, he is almost certain to be bothered with swarms clustering in difficult and inaccessible places or going off.

If by any means a colony is deprived of their queen, the bees will set to work and raise another if only they have any worker larvæ in the hive with which to do it.

Transferring can be done with more ease and with better results in the spring, as at that time the occupants of the hive are fewest in number and the combs are lightest.—St. Louis Republic.

THE WRITERS.

John Gilmer Speed, the well known writer, is a grandnephew of the poet Keats.

Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett says that, although English by birth, she believes America is the place for work, and, therefore, does nearly all her writing in this country.

Not long ago a friend of Maurus Jokai, the Hungarian novelist, was taking him to task for the plainness of his apartments, to which Jokai replied: "I dislike all luxury except the luxury of leisure for brain work. Most men love luxury because they have no brains."

Count Tolstoi is an enthusiastic cyclist. He declares that he has to thank his bicycle and his vegetarian diet for the robust health he has so long enjoyed. Twenty years ago his physician advised Tolstoi to avoid too much muscular exercise, but the patient was obstinate and did exactly the contrary.

BRITON AND BOER.

Of the last 50 "Boers" captured by the English all were French, Germans or Russians but three.—Wheeling Register.

Still, it does not appear that General Gatacre lost with any more regularity or rapidity than the rest.—Baltimore American.

Both Kruger and Steyn are getting older every day, yet they don't seem to be any nearer Joe Chamberlain's gibbet.—Exchange.

There is a wide difference between a scapegrace and a scapegoat—between Prince Teck and General Gatacre, for example.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

There is a new war on in South Africa. Roberts has opened fire on Buller and Warren. Meanwhile Roberts and Pretoria are very far apart.—New York World.

THE PEDAGOGUE.

President Eliot of Harvard is to spend a month at the Paris exposition.

President Faunce of Brown university announces that the class of '80 has raised a contribution of $1,000 to the general endowment fund of the university.

Brown university has 2,559 living graduates from a total of 5,115. Rhode Island has 910 of them, Massachusetts 614, New York 296, and there is no state in the Union not represented by at least one.

Ex-Postmaster General William L. Wilson, president of Washington and Lee university, who was sent to Arizona last winter on account of illness from which he was not expected to recover, is now much better and will probably completely regain his former good health.

A SECRET KEPT

Poor old Charlie Sefton left the regiment when we were stationed at Delhi and went down to Bombay en route for home. He was our senior captain and the best soldier in the regiment. He was also our best bachelor, for I did not count for much, being only a doctor and small and plain and getting on for 40.

"Whatever you do don't get married," we all adjured as we bade him farewell. Then came the rumor, a week later, that he was still at Bombay, then the telegram to me to go down and serve him as best man.

I went down by the mail train and found awaiting me on the platform Charlie Sefton, who looked so very quiet and so astonishingly happy that I felt a sort of tugging sensation in the throat. Extreme happiness is always alarming.

Miss George, to whom I was duly presented, was not in the first flush of her youth. She was a girl of perhaps 27 and good looking.

She was traveling in India with friends who, it struck me, were not on a very intimate footing. They were all staying at a hotel from which the wedding was to be unobtrusively celebrated. The couple had only been engaged a week. It is the only case of love at first sight—sincere, permanent, convincing—which I have encountered.

My simple duties were duly performed. Charlie Sefton and Eleanor George were declared to be man and wife. I saw the ceremony. I heard the declaration. I appended to the entry in the register my name, which looks more at home on a death certificate. I was deadly sober, as folks are at weddings.

"She is giving up a lot of money to marry me," said Sefton after the ceremony, when he and I happened to be alone for a few minutes.

"And you are giving up a career," I reflected, mindful of many young men married.

But there are some marriages which strike one at once as inevitable. The only question is why the people concerned have not met sooner. This union was of such a description.

The bride and bridegroom went away from the church with that distressingly happy look which makes one feel uncomfortable. They were to sail for home the next day.

I journeyed slowly back to Delhi by a stopping night train, after seeing the last of their boat from the outer pier. As I stepped out of the carriage in the early morning and noted the mist rising from the Jumna two quartermasters of the Peninsular and Oriental steamer Rumana tipped up a plank and precipitated the dead body of Charlie Sefton into the silvery waters of the Arabian sea. He died one day out from Bombay—of cholera. The thing left a shadow over us which lasted all that hot weather.

In due time we forgot Charlie Sefton. The surest proof of the existence of a merciful God is surely the facility with which we are permitted to forget.

Years afterward the whole story was suddenly recalled to me at a garden party in a quiet country village near Beccles, in Suffolk. I was taken to this entertainment—chiefly remarkable for the number of clergy present—as the friend of one of the guests. The house was a long, low building of, I was informed, the Queen Anne period. The host was a genial old chatterbox of an admiral who concerned himself with his own affairs in his retirement and refrained from writing to the newspapers, which pastime is a special weakness of superannuated admirals. He was immensely proud of his home and seized on me, the only stranger present, to observe its beauties. From the lawn I followed the direction indicated by his shaky finger, but instead of noting the carving of a gable committed the indiscretion of looking into an open window on the first floor.

Then the tragedy of Charlie Sefton came back to my mind, for I saw the woman who had married him pinning on her hat before a glass. She did not see me.

I was still with my host when we met Mrs. Sefton face to face.

"Ah," said the old gentleman with genuine delight, "here is my niece!"

Going forward, I held out my hand.

"How do you do, Mrs. Sefton?"

She looked at me quickly, without a glimmer of the eyelids.

"You are mistaken," she said. "I am Miss George."

And, with perfect good breeding, she looked toward her uncle, inviting an introduction. This the old gentleman accomplished with all the ceremony of his day, mentioning the lady's name as Miss George. It was not a sister. I was not mistaken. This was the woman whom I knew to have been a wife for the space of 48 hours. There was the evidence of an internal trouble beneath the eyes, which I remembered and now saw developed as the intervening years would have developed it.

We spoke for a few minutes on indifferent topics.

"The doctor is a great traveler," the old gentleman said. "He knows India, my dear."

"Yes," I added, "I know India."

"Ah," answered the most intrepid woman I have met, "indeed!"

Then my host hurried me off to examine a carved mantelpiece of which I have no recollection at this time. I do not think I even saw it.

"How funny," said the admiral confidentially when we were alone, "that you should have mistaken Eleanor for some one else, especially a married woman! You know there is a little romance about her."

"Indeed?"

"Yes; my brother left her £90,000 on condition that she married a certain man or remained single. Should she marry some one else she forfeits the money. She enjoys her life and her wealth immensely. She travels a great deal and has a house in town. I think she will remain single. The man has married some one else, you know. Interesting, eh?"

"Very," I answered.

I always try to mind my own business.—Exchange.

When the Long "S" Was Abolished.

In the latter part of February, 1800, a London publisher instituted a trifling though welcome improvement in printing. His name was Bell, later the founder of the well known Weekly Messenger, and at the date mentioned he caused to be substituted the short for the long "s" in the setting of certain works he produced. His example was generally followed a year or two later. There is said to be but one public notice where the long "s" is still used—namely, the announcement in the front of the Foundling hospital. This notice was repainted quite recently.—London Chronicle

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"Well, ma'am, I shall have one right left, and that's my right hand, and if he comes expecting me to slave for him he'll have that, too."—Pick-Me-Up.

Where He Quit.

He led her to the altar
One dreamy, blissful day;
But she began to lead the mo-
Ment that they turned away.
—Chicago Daily News.

Public Works.

American Taxpayer (traveling in Egypt)—What earthly use were all these monstrous pyramids? Why did the Egyptian governments build them? That's what I can't understand.

American Statesman (after reflection)—Mebby there wor a divvy in 'em.—N. Y. Weekly.

Explained at Last.

Mrs. Pressley—Mrs. Bingle says her husband has kissed her regularly every morning and every evening during the 14 years of their married life.

Mr. Pressley—I have often wondered what gave him that expression of settled melancholy.—Chicago Daily News.

A Remedy.

Anxious Parent—Doctor, my daughter appears to be going blind, and she is about to be married.

Doctor—Let her go right on with the wedding; if anything can open her eyes, marriage will.—N. O. Times-Democrat.

A Masculine View of It.

"Isn't my new dress becoming to me?" asked the delighted wife.

"Yes," replied the head of the establishment; "and I suppose the bill for it will soon be-coming to me."—Chicago Daily Record.

Her Worst Fault.

"Isn't it difficult, Mrs. Jones, to get along with a girl that uses such broken English?"

"Oh, I don't mind that so much. It's her broken china that sets me wild."—Detroit Free Press.

Moderation.

"I'd like to hear your definition of moderation," said the skeptical man, to whom Mr. Booce had been orating.

"Well, I am a moderate drinker myself. I always save out enough to pay cab fare home."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Proper Word.

Mrs. Benham—Mother promises to spend a month with us.

Benham—Don't say "promises."

Mrs. Benham—What shall I say?

Benham—Say "threatens."—N. Y. Truth.

Economics.

The Gentleman—I should think you would find it cheaper to smoke a pipe.

The Wanderer—Me friend, you can't pick up smokin' tobaccer on the streets like you kin siggars.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

An Extreme Case.

"Claredon Dawdley is the most hopelessly lazy man I ever knew."

"Doesn' he do anything at all?"

"Do anything? He doesn't even blame his parents for not bringing him up differently."—Chicago Daily Record.

Revenge.

First Dentist—I got even with the photographer who took my picture.

Second Dentist—How did you do it?

First Dentist—When he got into my chair I said: "Look pleasant, please."—N. Y. Truth.

Near-Sighted.

Briggs—I didn't know that you were near-sighted!

Griggs—Near-sighted! Why, I walked right up to one of my creditors yesterday!—Boston Traveler.

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Fires in Natal.

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One "Black Monday" nearly 30 years ago will long be memorable for the destruction wreaked through two counties by the ruthless fire fiend. "Fire breaks" of trees or bare spaces combined with vigilance in suppression have greatly lessened the risks of conflagration, but the dangers of grass fires will long be a menace to the tree planter and pastoralist in the upper districts.

Natal has been described as a "vast meadow." Its hills are clothed from foot to brow with crisp and waving grass. The latter often overtops a man's head. From the earliest recorded times it has been the fashion, and a wasteful, barbarous fashion it seems, to burn these luxuriant pastures.—Cornhill

Whitewash.

A good whitewash is made by putting a piece of lime weighing about five pounds in a granite pan or bucket. Pour on it a gallon of water, allow it to boil and slack until the steaming is over; then take from this two quarts of the liquid lime, put it in a wooden or granite bucket and add sufficient water to make it rather thin. Add a small amount of pure indigo sufficient to give it the proper color; add a teaspoonful of salt and half a teaspoonful of lampblack; stir well. If you wish it colored, add one of the colorings which can be purchased at any druggist's, stating that it is to be used with lime.

Curiosities of the Alphabet.

To those who have never considered the subject it might appear that each letter is of equal importance in the formation of words, but the relative proportions required in the English language are these: a, 85; b, 16; c, 30; d, 44; e, 120; f, 25; g, 17; h, 64; i, 80; j, 4; k, 8; l, 40; m, 30; n, 80; o, 80; p, 17; q, 5; r, 62; s, 80; t, 90; u, 34; v, 12; w, 20; x, 4; y, 20; z, 2.

It is this knowledge of how frequently one letter is used compared with others that enables cryptogram readers to unravel many mysteries.

Your best friend can give you no better advice than this: "For impure blood, bad stomach and weak nerves take Hood's Sarsaparilla."

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There was a time once when mother's folks used to send provisions to the starving ones in Oklahoma. In this year of our Lord Oklahomans are preparing a corn train to ship to the famine sufferers of India.—Kansas City Journal.

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The answer to that old query, "What's in a name?" was not hard to define in the case of one justly celebrated Family Remedy that had its origin away down in Maine, which proves that with age comes wisdom about

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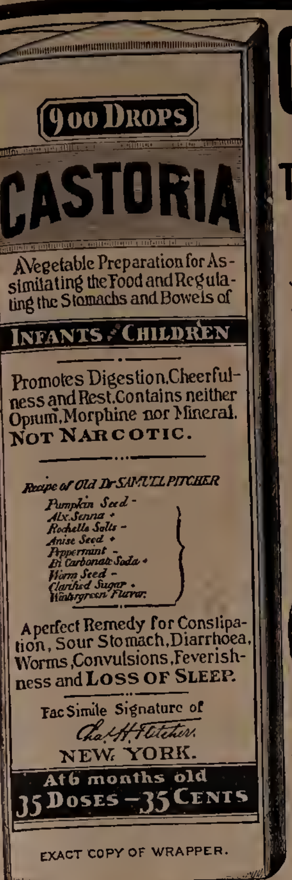
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HOME AGAIN.

Far down the lane
A window pane
Shines mid the trees through night and rain;
The weeds are dense
Through which a fence
Sprawls out, one sees not where nor whence,
And there the springhouse, indistinct of line,
O'er roofed and tangled with a trumpet vine.

No thing is heard,
Ne beast or bird,
Only the rain by which are stirred
The draining leaves
And trickling eaves
Of crib and barn one scarce perceives,
And gardens where old fashioned flow'rs hang wet,
The phlox, the candytuft and mignonette.

Why should I wait?
The hour is late;
She has not heard me at the gate.
Upon the roof
The rain was proof
Against my horse's hurrying hoof,
And when the old gate with its weight and chain
Creaks she will think it but the wind and rain.

Along I steal
With cautious heel
And by the lamp lit window kneel,
And there she sits
And rocks and knits
Within the shadowy light that flits
On face and hair, so sweetly sad and gray,
Dreaming of him she thinks is far away.

Upon my cheeks
Is it the streaks
Of rain, as now the old porch creaks
Beneath my stride?
And open wide
The door flings, and she's at my side.
Dear mother! And, back from the war, her boy
Kisses her face all streaming wet with joy.
—Madison Cawein in Harper's Bazar.

A QUESTION OF METHOD

Young Bowen's Contempt For Army Red Tape.

Young Clancy Bowen brought to New York from his western home a life equipment of so much energy, combined with the unshakable belief that it was easy enough to "do things" if you only "got down on your four legs and exercised," that his friends, both new and old, expect a great deal of him. But they are yet awhile no nearer dropping the objectionable introduction to his name than they were three years ago, when Bowen had no better sense than to spend a week of his precious time in the attempt, according to a promise, to collect an old and outlawed debt from a vanishing person in the east for the benefit of some one "at home." Then and always they called him "young." Only this winter he had an experience which should have been formative. It stunned him, perhaps, but he awoke unchanged.

Bowen's brother, a soldier in the regular army, went to the front in 1898. The stay at home, however, bore a heavier burden of the distresses of the campaign in Cuba than the one who saw the battles. When he read in the newspapers that the army was keenly suffering for food while whole shipfuls of stores remained untapped at anchor a few miles off the beach, the young man seethed with pent up irritation—pent up until he had finished a scrap of breakfast at his boarding house, where there was no one but the landlady, and she deaf, and found the ear of an acquaintance down town.

"Say, what good are those generals? They ain't fit to be pitching hay! Say I'd get a rope on to every one of those ships, one by one, and haul 'em up on shore, and I'd dump 'em out and fill up the brave fellows fighting for their country till they was gorged!"

"You couldn't do that, or anything, not if you was a general," said the other. "Red tape." He repeated the last words decisively. "Red tape!"

"I'd ravel it all out!" cried Clancy and hurried off. That was the man: this is the simple experience:

The brother came back from the war not a bit the worse either for the fasting or the fighting, but the chance of army life did not bring him within reach of Clancy's arms for more than a year. Then, after everything else had been said, the soldier let fall the information that he had been obliged to leave his extra clothing, together with most of his worldly goods, at the barracks in California when he was ordered to the front and regretfully wished he had them now.

"Where did you put the things?" asked Clancy, alive at once, ready to take charge of the matter of getting them back.

"Captain told me to pack my stuff in my company locker, and I did—No. 65, Benicia barracks, Second infantry storehouse," rattled off the soldier.

"Well, all we have to do is to write out to the man, the janitor, or what you call 'em, who keeps care of the building, and ask him to send your duds along—eh, as you have need of 'em here. I'll fix it up for you."

"I dunno," said the other hesitatingly; "that wouldn't be quite right, you writing the letter and all. I'd better ask my captain to write. He'll say 'communicate' to the chaps out west. Then it'll all be reg'lar."

"Oh, well," Clancy sniffed; "that will do, I s'pose. Is your captain a good feller? Will he tend up to it sharp? If not, you'd better let me"—

But the other interrupted decidedly. He would do things in the right way, and it would be better in the end, he said.

Several months passed. Nothing was heard from Benicia barracks. Clancy tried to make his brother "punch up" the captain. He even wrote a fevered appeal himself to the man who, he reckoned, must have taken away those things and sold them, but the soldier would not let the letter be mailed. The brothers nearly split up over this question, for Clancy said he was ashamed that one of his family should have so little "hustle" in him.

"I tell you it's no use to do anything but wait," said the brother in his stupid, firm way. And last week he was proved right. A red inked, blue inked green inked bundle of paper, all pasted together and strung out with a pinned copy of his letter to his captain, came to the soldier. He brought the thing to Clancy at the first opportunity.

"Snakes!" said the young man. "Is that quite all? Conversational, ain't it? Well, let's see. 'Respectfully forwarded to the adjutant, Benicia barracks, with request that a search be instituted for the purpose of finding the clothing said to have been packed away'— That's from your captain, and they call it the first 'indorsement.'" Clancy turned and twisted the wad of papers about until he found what he was looking for, then read:

"'Second indorsement. The box locker referred to was shipped, with all its contents, to Fort Leavenworth, Kan., on Dec. 8, 1899,' and he says he knows you might possibly get it if you applied to the quartermaster at Fort Leavenworth. That's good news. Course they haven't made it take any more journeys since. Now your captain takes a hand. He's respectful, but he puts his paw right down. I see that, 'request that the contents be forwarded as soon as practicable.'

"'Fourth indorsement. Respectfully referred to the quartermaster.' That's at Leavenworth. Now we're getting warm. 'Fifth indorsement. Respectfully returned the adjutant, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas,' he says. Well, he's found your stuff and wants 'authority to ship.' That's what we're after. 'Sixth indorsement. Respectfully forwarded to the assistant adjutant general something or other department of Missouri, requesting authority to forward.' Well, he just very respectfully returns to the quartermaster up there, who returns back to him, and then he returns it to somebody else, who tells 'the commanding officer' at Leavenworth that he can send you your old pants if he wants to, William, but he must be sure and send the papers back." Clancy sighed seriously.

"'Tenth indorsement. Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. Respectfully referred.' Oh, respectfully referred, to the quartermaster for his information and guidance. Want to save the wear and tear on the quartermaster's brains. Be cheaper to buy you new duds, I should say. Here's a few more. 'Eleventh indorsement.'" Clancy paused, his brows knitting. "Oh, this is good stuff," he cried out. "It tells the story, all of it. Listen:

"'Respectfully returned to the adjutant, Fort Leavenworth, Kan., with the report that under authority indorsed hereon and in conformity with'—there's a lot of dates and requests that he has to conform to, but he made out to pack your things in a box, and, William, they're a-coming. There's more indorsements, though: 'Respectfully returned to Private William Bowen, inviting attention.' I guess so! Have you got the goods, William?"

"No," said William. "I been reading this."

"And then the adjutant returns respectfully to you, but you don't get it, and then the captain returns respectfully to you, and you do get it, thirteenth and fourteenth indorsements, good, and the box is on the way." Clancy, though abashed, became sarcastic:

"Do you circulate a round robin before they'll let you put on them pants?" he asked.

And a few weeks later he had entirely recovered from the shock. Young Clancy Bowen was himself again. "You'd orter let me write out about your things," he said.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

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MEN OF MARK.

Thomas Bailey Aldrich, the poet, has contributed $100 to the Richard Hovey monument fund in Boston.

Murat Halstead has accepted the presidency of a new college of journalism which has just been started in Cincinnati.

D. A. Tompkins, a millionaire cotton mill owner and philanthropist of Mississippi, will build a textile school in Jackson at a cost of $40,000.

Senator Hanna has had set as a scarfpin a ruby which for ages adorned the brow of an East Indian idol. The jewel has been in the senator's family for several generations.

E. Parmlee Prentice, whose engagement to Miss Rockefeller has just been announced, will one day inherit from his father one of the best collections of rare books in America.

Fredérick William Fritzsche of Philadelphia was at one time a member of the German reichstag. There are four other ex-members of that body now living in the United States.

President Kruger, it is said, never goes out of his house without wearing a big major general's scarf over his coat, on which he wears the Prussian order of the Red Eagle of the fourth class and a Portuguese medal.

The Duke of Abercorn, who has taken a prominent part in the entertainment of Queen Victoria, is the premier peer of Ireland and is the possessor of many titles and honors. He enjoys peerages in England, Ireland and Scotland, and his ancestors date back to 1445.

Hammond Lamont, professor of English at Brown university, has resigned from that position and will become managing editor of the New York Evening Post. After his graduation from Harvard in 1886 Professor Lamont engaged for some years in newspaper work in Seattle and Albany.

The story is told that when Senator Clark came to Washington he asked for a suit of 16 rooms at a hotel. The manager protested that that number was impossible—there were only 16 rooms in the whole annex. "Well, how much do you want for the annex?" asked Clark. "Ten thousand dollars." "All right, I'll take it." And he did.

Jeff Davis, an octogenarian negro, who died at Palestine, Tex., the other day, was a former slave of President Davis of the Confederate states. At the close of the civil war the ex-slave went to Palestine from his master's home in Mississippi and lived ever since near the farm of John H. Reagan, the sole surviving member of the Confederate cabinet.

England's oldest actor, James Doel, has just passed another birthday, his ninety-sixth, and is still hearty, although he has retired from the management of the inn of which he was landlord until a few months ago. He made his first appearance upon the stage of the Plymouth theater, in "The Turnpike Gate," when Queen Victoria was little more than a baby.

GEMS IN VERSE.

A Hardworking Woman.

All day she hurried to get through,
The same as lots of women do;
Sometimes at night her husband said,
"Ma, ain't you goin to come to bed?"
An then she'd kinder give a hitch
An pause half way between a stitch
An sorter sigh an say that she
Was ready as she'd ever be,
She reckoned.

An so the years went, one by one,
An somehow she was never done,
An when the angel said as how
"Mis' Smith, it's time you rested now,"
She sorter raised her eyes to look
A second as a stitch she took.
"All right; I'm comin now," says she.
"I'm ready as I'll ever be,
I reckon."
—Kansas City Journal.

The Women of England.

Long since our men went forth, superb and glistening,
Flushed with the fierce expectancy of fight,
But on us women of England, waiting, listening,
Dreaming alone at night—
O Lord, have mercy!

They revel high, to war's grim banquet bidden.
To the dregs they drain life's cup, but we sit here,
Silent, obscure, in cloudy shadows hidden,
Tortured with hope and fear—
O Lord, have mercy!

The little feet that once with sweet caressing
The mother fondled—feet of her only son—
Through what red sea of slaughter are they pressing
Beneath an alien sun?
O Lord, have mercy!

In night illumed alone by the scarlet luster
That lights the valley of death from while to while
We hear the winds of winter rage and bluster
Around our lonely isle—
O Lord, have mercy!

On us who grudge not that which we are giving,
Flesh of our flesh, life of our very life,
Thou, who art Lord both of the dead and living,
On mother, daughter, wife—
O Lord, have mercy!
—Pall Mall Gazette.

The Clod and the Genius.

A genius and a clod one day
Raked the meadows sweet with hay.
The genius said, "I plainly see
That hayseed's not the thing for me."
And he said as his hay rake forth he hurled,
"I'll go snatch laurels from the world."

The clod opined that good, green hay
Was better than laurel any day.
So the genius traveled wide and soared
And hocked sweet sonnets for his board.
The clod's dad died and left a will:
Gave him a farm and a good grist mill.
He sold young pigs and cows and beeves
And never pined for laurel leaves.

The genius came to the farm one day,
And the clod in the meadow raked the hay.
The genius had seen some right hard knocks,
And at the time he was on the rocks.
He had taken his meals, it was plain to see,
With great irregularity,
And a good old fashioned mutton stew
Would beat all the laurel, he thought, that grew.

The clod embraced his long lost twin,
Straightway to the kitchen took him in,
And he said as he watched his brother's greed
That he didn't think laurel was much for feed.
Next day the genius raked the hay
For the clod at a dollar ten per day.
And he said as he mopped his sweating brow,
"Three 'squares' beat laurel anyhow."
—Bismarck Tribune

Scatter Smiles.

Go sing to others songs of hope
And scatter smiles of cheer,
And thou'lt forget to grieve or mope,
For life won't seem so drear;
For love smiles scattered on the way,
Like dew from heaven's skies,
Will bring a balm to saddened hearts
And hope to tearful eyes.

Go sing to others songs of hope
And lend a helping hand,
And thou'lt be happier, happier far
While journeying down life's strand,
And though dark clouds be overcast,
Ah, let thy smiles more beam
And form a rainbow arch of hope
Across life's troubled stream.

Go sing to others songs of hope
And search some heart to heal,
With kindly thoughts and loving deeds
An active soul reveal,
That day by day some brother's load
May lessen through thy love
And some poor soul be filled with bliss
Akin to that above.

Go sing to others songs of hope
And spread thy influence sweet,
And other souls, admiring thee,
Thy example may repeat
Until the fellowship of men
May grow in love and grace,
And when thy mission be fulfilled
Leave earth a better place.
—Lumilla Claire Clark.

A Woman's Work.

When breakfast things are cleared away,
The same old problem's rising,
For she again sits down to think
Of something appetizing.
The dinner she must soon prepare
Or give the cook directions,
And great is the relief she feels
When she has made selections.

When dinner things are cleared away,
The problem that is upper
Is just the same, with one word changed,
"What can I get for supper?"
She wants to give them something new,
And long is meditation
Till choice is made, and then begins
The work of preparation.

When supper things are cleared away,
Again her mind is worried,
For then she thinks of breakfast time,
When meals are often hurried.
She ponders o'er it long until
The question is decided,
Then bustles round till she makes sure
That everything's provided.

That "woman's work is never done"
Has often been disputed,
But that she's worried is a fact
And cannot be refuted.
The worry over what to eat
Is greatest of these questions,
And glad she'd be if some one else
Would make the meal suggestions.
—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

One Thought.

Though time may dig the grave of creeds,
And dogmas wither in the sod,
My soul will keep the thought it needs—
Its swerveless faith in God.

No matter how the world began
Nor where the march of science goes,
My trust in something more than man
Shall help me bear life's woes.

Let progress take the props away
And moldering superstitions fall,
Still God retains his regal sway,
The Maker of the All.

Why cavil over that or this?
One thought is vast enough for me—
The great Creator was and is
And evermore will be.
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox in Woman's Home Companion.

A little rule, a little sway,
A sunbeam in a winter's day,
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DANA BLOCK.

WRENTHAM.

Mrs. O. J. Goodspeed and daughter, Elsa, are spending a few days at Marshfield Hills.——A large picnic from Tremont Temple, Boston, was at Lake Pearl Monday.——Fred Mocella gave a birthday party to a number of his little friends Saturday afternoon.——The W. H. S. alumni will hold their annual ball the end of the month.——Mrs. Sargent and Miss Margaretta Sargent are at J. E. Chamberlin's.——Mrs. Mary A. High of Waterloo, Iowa, and Mrs. Abbie B. Donaldson of Rhinelander, Wis., niece of the late Mrs. Lydia Jennys, are in town.——There will be an exhibition of the work of the scholars of the public schools held in the banquet room Thursday afternoon and evening.

SHELDONVILLE.

C. E. Thomas is out with a new democrat.

Frank Metcalf is riding a new Pierce wheel.

Mrs. Charles Fuller of Pawtucket is visiting relatives in town.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Shelden on Wednesday, June 7.

Miss Alma Scott is convalescent after an illness of three or four weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Falk entertained relatives from Pawtucket Sunday.

A Children's day concert was given Sunday evening by the Sunday school.

Miss Beatrice Provan of West Wrentham is enjoying a visit from her mother and brother of Boston.

Jacob Estey of Boston has rented the parsonage for the summer and will shortly move his family here.

David Chapman of West Wrentham has disposed of his real estate and personal property and gone to Manchester, N. H., where he will reside with his children.

Leon Crowninshield of Providence has just returned from a year's voyage to China and is now visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Lucy Outhouse of this place.

A Bible was presented last Saturday evening to Rev. Mr. Hargrove of Brown university by some of his Sheldonville friends. Mr. Hargrove has occupied the pulpit here since Rev. E. E. Barris moved to Stillriver and is held in high esteem by all who have come in contact with him.

THE BARGAIN CENT.

How would you like to be the street car conductor when the proposed half cent coins get real numerous?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

There is no use for the half cent here, and the government will commit a folly and create a nuisance if it attempts to put such a coin into circulation.—Boston Post.

The proposition to coin half cents is not in accord with the American style of carrying on business. China's infinitesimal coins have not been conducive to a higher civilization nor to the comfort of the class compelled to handle them.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

There are many persons who are not poor, but who are too stingy to give a whole cent for any object, no matter how worthy. Is it unreasonable to suppose that the fountain of charity in such a soul would flow if it could have a chance to gush in half cent spurts?—Washington Post.

The Non-Irritating Cathartic

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He Was a Poet.

The man who said that distance lends
Enchantment to the view,
I'll bet referred unto a bill
That was shortly coming due.
—Answers.

A Good Notion.

Hardup (to Good-natured Friend)—Well, old man, I've called upon you to ask you to allow me to be your banker for a time.

Good-Natured Friend—Be my banker! Eh, what? What do you mean?

Hardup—Why, dear boy, your banker keeps your money for you, doesn't he? And if you let me have a fiver I'll promise to keep it as long as you like.—Ally Sloper.

Their Origin.

Johnny—Paw, I know how clams was started.

His Father—Well?

Johnny—After all the other animals was made there was a lot of gristle left, and there wasn't anything else they could do with it, and they made it into a clam.—Chicago Tribune.

Unlike Caesar's Wife.

Smith—Jones says there is something suspicious about his wife's actions.

Brown—Is that so?

Smith—Yes; he says she insists on getting a whiff of his breath every time he is detained downtown late at night.—Buffalo Commercial.

His Reason for It.

Mother—Why, Tommy! you don't mean to say you took a second piece of pie when you were visiting, do you? Why did you do it?

Tommy—I just wanted to show them that I was used to having plenty to eat when I was at home.—Puck.

Perfectly Safe.

Mallaby—Bragleigh boasts that no living man could forge his name successfully to a check and get it cashed. Has he such a very peculiar signature?

Homans—No. But he hasn't any bank account.—N. Y. Truth.

A Matter of Phrase.

"What will your next political move be?" inquired the energetic politician.

"I don't think," said the defeated candidate for congress, "that there's going to be any. I guess I'll stay home."—Washington Star.

Merely Developed Him.

Meekton (bitterly)—You have made a regular fool of me since we were married.

Mrs. Meekton (coldly)—Oh, no. I have merely developed you.—Towe Topics.

Was It Empty?

Goslin—Aw, I have a vewy bad headache this mawning, doncher know.

Cuspid (a dentist, absent-mindedly)—Why don't you have it filled?—Harlem Life.

When Genius Gets a Show.

"Why is it the mind is brighter when a man is past 40?"

"After that age the man gets sense enough not to eat too much."—Chicago Record.

No One Knows.

Little Clarence (after a season of cogitation)—Pa, why are parlor ornaments called ornaments?

Mr. Callipers—My son, I cannot tell a lie; I do not know.—Puck.

A Bachelor View of It.

Miss Quipp—The idea of anything of coral for an engagement memento!

Mr. Quirk—Why, isn't it a cause of many wrecks?—Jewelers' Weekly.

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Mr. Asbury Peppers.

"Speaking of the stage," said Asbury Peppers to the boarder who had no chance to escape, "a plump figure is worth a round sum."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Thoughts of Home.

The Sweetheart—And did you sometimes think of me while at the front?

The Soldier—Yes, whenever they blew the "call to arms".—N. Y. Journal.

A Small Chip.

"Young Dealer is getting to be as inveterate a poker player as his father."

"A chip of the old block, eh?"—Philadelphia North American.

Love's Courage.

The microbe has no fears for me;
In fact, I'd think it bliss
To be a microbe, don't you know,
And dwell in my love's kiss.
—N. Y. Journal.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Hugh Lyons to the Medway Savings Bank, dated November first, 1879, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 515, folio 244, for breach of the conditions thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on

SATURDAY, the FOURTEENTH day of JULY, 1900,

at . o'clock p. m., all and singular the following described property.

A certain tract of land containing forty acres, more or less, situated in the westerly part of said Medway, on the westerly side of West street, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the northeasterly corner thereof at the junction of West and Alder streets, and thence westerly on Alder street to land of E. L. and O. F. Metcalf; thence southerly and westerly on land of said Metcalfs to land of Charles Wight; thence southerly on land of said Wight to land of C. M. Hill, thence easterly on land of said Hill to West street, thence northerly on West street to land of the heirs of Luther Daniels, deceased, thence westerly, northerly and easterly on land of said heirs to West street; thence northerly on said street to the point of departure, being the same tract described in a deed from James Bradly to grantor, dated April 10, 187[illegible], and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 509, fol. 510. Except such portion of the above premises as have been released (June 3, 1897) to the said Hugh Lyons for a location of the Milford, Holliston and Framingham Street Railway Company.

Terms at time of sale.

MEDWAY SAVINGS BANK,
By its Treasurer, W. H. Upton, Mortgagee.
Medway, Mass., June 19, 1900. je19,26jly3

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next-of-kin and all persons interested in the estate of Ruby Wales of Bellingham, in said county, minor:

Whereas, Varnum B. Rockwood, the guardian of said minor, has presented his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, certain real estate therein specified of his ward for investment,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the fifth day of July, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this nineteenth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
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POULTRY POINTERS.

Allow no decomposing vegetable matter around the quarters.

Destroy the nest of the sitting hen when the chicks are a day old.

Diarrhea may often be mistaken for cholera, showing nearly the same symptoms.

The rapidity with which fowls multiply renders improvement rapid and inexpensive.

As the season for sudden showers comes on provide for the chicks convenient sheds, under which they can run for protection whenever necessary.

Birds that a fancier would not breed for himself ought never to be sold to another unless it be clearly understood that the birds are not up to the standard.

Use plenty of raw bone, either crushed or in the form of meal. It contains lime, as do oyster shells, and, in addition, contains animal matter of great value.

On the farm, especially where the fowls are given a free range, it is usually not necessary to feed the hens except at night, allowing them to hunt and scratch for their food during the day. In this way they will be kept thriftier and in a better laying condition.—St. Louis Republic.

THE PARIS EXPOSITION.

A fountain throwing up wheat will be one of the features of the Canadian exhibit at Paris.

By the middle of May there will not be a thing left to be done on the exposition grounds, so nearly is everything completed.

A locomotive works at Crewe, England, has just completed its four thousandth railroad engine, and it is to be sent to Paris for exhibition.

Boston is proud of the model of that city which is to be exhibited at the Paris exposition. The model will show the city and the surroundings for 12 miles, and every house, tree, water course and road will be visible.

Old Paris will attract the attention of thousands of visitors. The buildings, churches and streets are peopled with citizens wearing the costumes of the middle ages, the renaissance period and the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries.

RAILWAY RUMBLES.

It costs $550,000,000 every week to run the world's railways.

The Canadian Pacific railway is surveying a new route from Ottawa to Arnprior.

A new system of railway traction has been invented by a New Zealander in which half of the car is underground and half above. It is proposed to construct a conduit of sufficient capacity to receive the truck and running gear.

Russia is getting ready to build a new railway from the south of European Russia to Turkestan. One line proposed goes from Orenburg through the Turgai country and Turkestan to Tashkend. Another starts at Alexandrovsk on the Caspian and follows the left bank of the Amu Daria to Tchardshui on the transcaspian railroad.

SPRING BUDS.

It is pretty nearly time for the man with the lawn mower to appear.—Worcester Spy.

It is an open question now whether the new kissing bug or the old summer girl will get the first inning.—New York Press.

The tree man is around with his bill of $20 for sticking up in the lawn a bean pole that doesn't grow.-

THE DOMINIE.

The Rev. Dr. Reuen Thomas has been pastor of the Harvard church, Brookline, Mass., for 25 years, and his people recently presented him with a purse of $5,000 as an evidence of their esteem.

The Rev. T. H. James, who has been preaching in Oakley, Kan., on a [illegible] salary, recently inherited a fortune in England, and intends to use [illegible] of it to endow a college and a hospital in Oklahoma.

Many of the friends of Archbishop Corrigan expect him to return from his visit to Rome the possessor of the red hat of a cardinal. His claim to the distinction, it is said, will be urged by prominent New York Catholics, who have gone to Rome in advance of his visit.

The Rev. Samuel E. Eastman and his wife, the Rev. A. F. Eastman, have been unanimously elected pastors of the Park church, Elmira, to succeed the late Rev. Dr. Thomas K. Beecher. Mr. and Mrs. Eastman had been Dr. Beecher's assistants for several years previous to his death.

THE PEDAGOGUE.

Professor Arthur Graves Canfield of the University of Kansas has been appointed to the chair of romance languages and literature of the University of Michigan.

The Harvard club of St. Louis has decided to found a $300 scholarship at the university, to be open to graduates of Missouri universities and colleges who wish to follow a graduate course of study at Harvard.

President Eliot of Harvard said recently that a greater proportion of Harvard men were going into journalism and literature than into any other business or profession, except possibly the law. "And it is a good place for them to go," he added.

RAILWAY TIES.

A Toronto street railway company has been fined for not providing rear vestibules on its cars for the protection of conductors.

The electric locomotive, while slow to make its appearance on the railroads of this country, is finding much use on the "industrial" railways of manufacturing establishments.

Special smoking cars are run on Montreal street railway lines. The Broadway cable equipment of New York has also received an addition of 20 cars for the same purpose.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of William B. Nolen, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Henry R. Jenks, executor of the will of said deceased, has presented to said court his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offers named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of two certain parcels of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts, legacies and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county, on the twenty-seventh day of June, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this first day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Sarah O. Whiting, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said court for probate by Ann O. Bennett of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the fifth day of July, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

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HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Mrs. Alice Barcroft of Norfolk, Va., is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. A. J. Bailey has gone to Newburyport for the summer.

Mrs. Washington Hunt of Abington is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. E. Harrie.

Miss Carrie Fisher is spending three weeks with relatives in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper will exchange with Rev. S. L. Morse of Medfild Sunday forenoon.

Miss Sadie Fulton of Summit, N. J., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Jacob Quilter.

Dr. D. E. Baker of Newtonville has been visiting his parents, Dea. and Mrs. E. E. Baker.

The Our Boys nine will play with the Textile team at Unionville tomorrow afternoon.

G. I. Partridge shows us some hens' eggs that are corrugated, presenting a rather unusual appearance.

Officers for the ensuing year will be elected at the meeting of Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pekins of Newtonville are guests of William G. Cody and family of Union street.

The freshmen team of the High school will play the Medway High school nine, at Medway, tomorrow morning.

Rev. Dr. Hodge preaches Sunday morning in Milford and Rev. E. W. Whitney will preach in Franklin.

The holy communion will be celebrated for St. John's mission, at the rectory, Sunday morning, at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Frank Moore, who has been the guest of relatives in Worcester for the past two weeks, returned home today.

The concreters have patched many places in the streets where the concrete had been broken from putting in pipes to the sewer.

Native strawberries, large and luscious, from the bed of Almon Sanborn, causes us to extend to him herewith our sincere thanks.

There will be an exhibition of the class work of the pupils of St. Mary's school in the new building tomorrow afternoon from 1 to 6 o'clock.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Blanchard on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel McLaughlin also welcomed a little son into their home on the same date.

E. Lovell Metcalf's store on Central street, which has been vacant for some time, was opened today by William Elkerton, who will conduct a bakery business.

The second team of the High school defeated the Hayward nine, 11 to 7, on Saturday. Palmer and Hood were in the points for the High school and Chilson and Dean for Hayward.

A large number of Franklin people attended the dance held at Lake Pearl Tuesday evening. Mrs. Mabel Tracy at the piano and Miss Bertha Razee, violinist, furnished music for the dancing.

Charles R. Gowen, superintendent of streets, had one hand badly injured last week by a pick in the hands of one of the workmen. The point passed through Mr. Gowen's hand, making a painful wound.

The two large elm trees in front of the Shaw place on Main street have been cut down and the sidewalk lowered to correspond with the grade of the street. They have been a landmark for the past fifty years.

Albert J. Reilly, manager of the O. B. Carter Clothing company, was united in marriage to Miss Annie M. Moore, at the rectory of the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, Boston, on Tuesday evening, Rev. Fr. Lee of St. Mary's church here, performing the ceremony.

Cards have been received by friends here announcing the marriage of Helen E. Richardson to Frederick M. Waite in Boulder, Col., on Saturday, June 23. It is quite likely that they will take a wedding trip east. They will be warmly welcomed here, where Miss Richardson has so many friends.

It is hoped that the baccalaureate sermon at the Congregational church on Sunday evening will be heard by every friend of education in town, as our High school is undenominational, and it will inspire the pupils with fresh vigor if they feel that their friends are interested in their welfare. Fill the church.

Services in the Universalist church at West Wrentham will be held next Sunday at 4 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Hodge will preach. Last Sunday a valuable picture was presented to the society and Rev. Mr. Selleck made remarks appropriate to the presentation. The picture now hangs in the church back of the pulpit.

Next Monday evening at 8 o'clock, in the church vestry, the Methodist people will tender a silver reception to their pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook. This will be in the nature of a "God speed" on the eve of his departure for Europe. A pleasant time is assured and friends of other denominations are cordially invited to unite.

The baccalaureate sermon to the senior class of the Horace Mann High school will be delivered by the Rev. E. L. Atkinson, of Boston, Sunday, June 24, at 7.45 p. m., in the Congregational church. Mr. Atkinson is well known for his practical work among the poor in the city, and an inspiring address may be counted upon.

Last Friday evening the selectman had an interesting discussion over a layout and plan, lately dug from the musty records, of that part of Central street from Summer street to Cross street. The layout gives 44 feet at the upper end and 48 1 2 on the lower portion and was made by the county commissioners fifty-eight years ago.

St. Mary's alumni tendered the graduating class of 1900 a reception at the convent Wednesday evening, when a pleasing literary and musical programme was rendered by members of the alumni and graduating class. Refreshments were served and at the close each graduate received a handsome gift from Sister Angela, their teacher.

Postmaster Talbot can now get your registered letter back, if you like. Under the old registered letter law after the letter passed out of the office where it was registered it could not be recalled without the consent of the one to whom it was addressed. Henceforth registered letters can be recalled at any time before they pass into the hands of the addressee.

There will be a free distribution of tickets for the graduating exercises of the Horace Mann High school, Thursday, June 28, at 7.30, from the south porch of the Horace Mann. Tickets will also be mailed to those requesting, if return stamp is enclosed. The graduating exercises will begin promptly at 8 o'clock Friday, June 29. Seats cannot be reserved after 8.15.

A barrel of cement fell on the right leg of George H. Usher, engineer at Singleton's mill, Wednesday afternoon, while he was assisting in unloading the barrel from Hosie Bros.' wagon. The bones were broken above the knee and Drs. G. A. Martin and Charles Hussey were summoned to attend the injured man. Later he was conveyed to his home in South Franklin.

Capt. J. B. Crocker arrived in town yesterday from Galveston, Texas, from which place he brought a cargo of lumber in the four-masted schooner, Charles L. Davenport. His vessel is now unloading in Philadelphia. He left Baltimore, Md., the latter part of March, with a cargo of coal, for Galveston. He will remain here until the first part of July, when he makes another trip to Texas.

Foreman Kenney of Boston, who has been at work on the new barn now being erected for Mrs. W. F. Ray, fell from the top of the structure, a distance of 30 feet, onto a pile of debris below, while at work on Tuesday. He was hurt about the right shoulder and chest and was injured internally. He was able to walk to his boarding house and later took a train for Boston, where he received medical treatment.

The Massachusetts Forestry association discourages the cutting of shrubs and plants along country roadsides. The country farmer not infrequently feels that it looks more thrifty to keep all such cut down, but the stubby, stumpy aspect that remains after mowing is not very beautiful. We all know how pleasant in country roads is the growth on either side, and the Forestry association advises that where practicable it be let alone.

John Ewen, formerly employed here at Singleton's mill as loom fixer, and who left in March, 1899, to accept a more lucrative place at Waco, Texas, later leaving there to fill a position with the Southwark Woolen Co., Philadelphia, made a brief visit with friends here yesterday, accompanied by Mrs. Ewen. They left in the afternoon for Eastport, Me., the former home of his wife, where they will spend a two weeks' vacation, returning to their home in Philadelphia next month.

Almon Sanborn attended on Tuesday the funeral of his brother in-law, N. W. Sanborn, at the home on Grace street, Malden. The first service was conducted by Rev. H. H. French of the First Congregational church, the second the Knights Templars ritual, under the auspices of Olivet commandery of Lynn, of which the deceased was a life member. Mr. Sanborn said the Masonic ceremony was the most impressive he ever witnessed. Deceased was a 32d degree Mason.

It has been found necessary to limit the audience to the seating capacity of the Opera house at the High school graduations. Formerly, when no restrictions were imposed, so many were obliged to stand that their restlessness and noise seriously interfered with the program. Now, every opportunity is given to those who can appreciate the exercises to secure tickets in season. If no effort is made to secure tickets no right censure can be given if admission is denied.

Manager Enegren has secured for Saturday night the well-known Norfolk orchestra to furnish the music, and a large crowd is expected to be present to enjoy the cooling breezes, the music and dancing. He is also enlarging the seating capacity of his amphitheatre with new seats and other accommodations. Lake Pearl is having a splendid patronage this season, and a large delegation of clerks from Woonsocket have decided to take an outing there shortly. Over 2,000 were there from a number of churches in Boston last week Thursday.

Sheriff Fitzpatrick did a neat job yesterday. He was after a couple of young fellows who had stolen a hen near the crossing and raised a row there after being discovered. They were traced down near the M. M. Daniels farm by the sheriff, but he knew it would be useless to try and capture them single-handed. He got ahead of them and invited them to ride into town. All unsuspecting they accepted, and he took them to Cunningham's barn where he "collared" them. They were mad enough when they discovered how they had walked into the trap. Judge Doe sent them to Bridgewater as tramps.

The feast of Corpus Christi, which occurred last week Thursday, was observed at St. Mary's chapel Sunday afternoon, when after benediction there was a procession of the different church societies and children, with Rev. Father Lee bearing the Blessed Sacrament. The march was from the chapel to the summer house on the church grounds, where was a second benediction. The procession then marched to the rectory, and from thence returned to the chapel, there being a benediction in each. There was a large attendance of parishioners and the services were solemn and impressive.

Everything looks favorable for the opening of the Franklin-Medway line by next Wednesday. The 60-foot and girder rails necessary to complete the line are now on the ground and the work of construction is being hurried. It is possible that a car may be run over the route next Monday. The tracks are laid up near the Crescent House and the wiring men are not far behind. Contractor Gore is doing a fine job, clearing up his work as he goes along, and not a "kick" coming from any one. The main highway to Medway is said to be in even better condition than before the track was laid, which speaks well for the intentions of the company.

An exhibition of the merits of "The Monarch" fire extinguisher was made in Central square by the traveling agent, L. B. Scott, on Wednesday evening, attracting a large crowd of interested spectators. He fired a large box 12 feet high, 5 1-2 feet wide and 3 feet deep, after having smeared it liberally with tar, kerosene and other inflammable substances. When it was well afire, he threw into the bottom of the box about one-third of a tube of dry powder, and the entire fire was out in two seconds. In fact, it was over disappointingly quick. Many of the fire department were present, including Chief McKinnon and Engineers Kelley and Cunningham, and they were very enthusiastic over the work of the extinguisher. A local agent has been selected, who will attend to sales here.

Principal A. W. Peirce of Dean presided at the annual banquet of the Tufts college alumni association, held at Young's hotel in Boston on Monday evening. The large dining room of the hotel was filled to its utmost capacity, 149 loyal alumni representing 41 of the 43 classes that have been graduated from the college. After the tables were cleared Toastmaster A. W. Peirce, '84, in a few introductory remarks, mentioned the long forward strides which Tufts is now taking in the educational world, and announced that this was the largest and most representative gathering ever held by the Tufts graduates. It was a most gratifying affair throughout.

There was a good-sized audience in the Methodist church on Tuesday evening to enjoy Rev. Dr. Morris' lecture on "That Mysterious Man." The speaker soon showed that his subject referred to man himself, and related many of the wonderful things in regard to the human frame, the scientific explanation of seeing and hearing, etc. He also spoke of the marvelous achievements that man had brought about, and some of the things which the future held in store. He presented many of his thoughts in a striking way, and contributed many valuable nuggets of information to his listeners. He was eloquent at times, and showed a magnificent command of language and manner of expressing himself. The lecture was useful, entertaining and satisfactory.

The Children's day service at the Universalist church last Sunday was called by those present one of the prettiest services ever held here. A large audience was in attendance. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and ferns, many roses being used in bouquets and designs. The service began with anthem, scripture lesson and prayer, this devotional service being followed by the baptismal service, administered by Dr. Hodge. Following this came the Sunday school concert, under the direction of Misses Mason and Tower. This showed careful preparation and was of great excellence, the young people acquitting themselves very creditably throughout. The collection was taken by six young misses of the school, and if appreciation shows itself in such offerings then on this occasion the committee and those taking part must feel that their efforts were a success.

The Wrentham Branch.

The Wrentham division of the electric road was formally opened yesterday, cars now making trips every half hour. The first trip over the track was made on Wednesday afternoon, having on board a number of the officials of the road, and of the town, among them being the following: President George W. Wiggin, Treasurer E. K. Ray, Directors J. F. Ray and A. D. Thayer, Contractor W. H. Tylee, Superintendent H. M. Young, Judge O. T. Doe, Overseer of the Poor George E. Emerson, Assessor J. O. Chilson, ex-Selectmen W. M. Fisher and Hiram Whiting, School Committeeman W. A. Wyckoff, Charles J. McKenzie, Herbert W. Thayer, ex Postmaster M. F. Conroy, Sheriff J. B. Fitzpatrick, Cashier F. H. Bartholomew, Editor C. B. Johnson, Express Agent H. M. Grant, Insurance Agent P. A. Woodward, Druggist A. C. Mason, George Baker, P. Reynolds and others.

When the car arrived in Wrentham it was greeted by a large proportion of the inhabitants, who welcomed the innovation with every expression of pleasure and many snap shots of the car and its occupants were taken. A number of the prominent Wrenthamites were taken aboard, Selectmen C. W. Pond and Wm. T. Maintien, ex Representative Daniel Brown, Rev. W. J. Minchin and many others, filling the car to its utmost capacity. The run was made to the Plainville track, and was greeted along the entire route by the waving of hands and handkerchiefs on the part of the residents. The historic elm, over which so much talk had been made, was viewed with interest, and it was generally considered that the wisest course had been pursued in regard to it. The car was then run back through Wrentham to Lake Pearl, where a short stop was made, and then back to Franklin. Everyone aboard the car was pleased with the trip, and the Wrentham people were manifestly delighted with the prospect of quick and speedy transportation between their town and Franklin, the general expression being that most of the trading would be done with Franklin merchants.

Emerson's Market.

New peas asparagus, string beans, tomatoes, spinach, 15c peck; radishes, lettuce, rhubarb, cucumbers, Bermuda onions cabbages, 3 cts a pound; new beets and turnips, new potatoes. Boiled ham 25 cts a pound. Try our Imperial cheese. Fresh killed fowls, lamb, veal, pork. Get your native strawberries here. Fresh cream.

Dr. Eudora M. Faxon of Boston will meet patients for eye, ear, nose and throat work at the residence of J. W. Faxon, on Pleasant street, Friday, June 22, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Pull up your carpets and buy new, Sanford's stock will surely suit you.
Sanford Bros., Medway.

Send your boys to Ochee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

St. Mary's Graduating Exercises.

The seventh annual graduating exercises of St. Mary's school were held in the Opera house last evening before a large audience, and as in previous years were deeply interesting, the pupils showing by their work that the Sisters' efforts in the mind-training of their charges to a high standard of excellence were crowned with the same gratifying success that has been attained in the past. From the first grade to the ninth the pupils in each acquitted themselves most creditably, the little drama, "Miriam," and operetta, "Grandma's Picnic," affording ample opportunity to all the scholars, both large and small, to display their talents. The Sisters are deserving of much praise for their painstaking and successful labors as reflected in the proficiency of all the pupils taking part in the exercises last evening, and have reason to feel proud of the splendid showing made.

The graduates were: Miss Emma L. Cody, Miss Rose M. Walsh, Miss Anna T. McGroary, Francis E. Walsh, Miss Adele M. Waldemeyer, Cornelius J. McGroary, Miss Kathleen A. O'Donnell, Henry J. Kelley, Henry J. Feeley and Miss Winifred J. Sullivan. The salutatorian was Francis E. Walsh and the valedictorian Miss Adele M. Waldemeyer, both of whom delivered their essays in good voice, with apt gesticulation and without embarrassment.

The order of exercises was as follows:

Entrance March……Selected
Miss D. G. Griffin.
Opening Chorus……White
Senior and Intermediate Classes.
Salutatory……Master Francis E. Walsh
"The Invitation"……Minims
"My First Attempt"……Master Alfred Gunning
Drama—"MIRIAM."
Ibraham, a Pharisee,……Master Henry J. Feeley
Saloma, his wife……Miss May E. Fiorani
Miriam, his daughter……Miss Rose M. Walsh
Orpha, his daughter……Miss Kathleen A. O'Donnell
Europa……Miss Emma L. Cody
Tyrah……Miss Sarah M. Costello
Attendants……Misses Anna Kennedy, Anna Brogan
Angels……Misses Velleda LeClaire, Elizabeth Pariseau, Marguerite Cross, Grace Keefe, M. Keefe and Helen Sullivan.
Scene I.—Apartment in Ibraham's house.
Recitation—"The Bells of Shandon"—
Miss Margaret E. Coughlan
Scene II.—Apartment in Ibraham's house.
"Twelve Little Sleepy Heads"—Song and Drill……Babies
Scene III.—Garden of Ibraham's house.
Patriotic Song and Recitation—"To Old Glory."
Masters Willie E. Murphy, Arthur R. Geany, William Feeley and Henry McCabe.
Operetta—GRANDMA'S PICNIC.
(Fifty little boys and girls.)
Grandma……Miss Alice Query
The Queen……Miss Ethel Geaney
The Little Bird……Miss Lillian Sullivan
Two Stars……Misses Nellie Malkemus, Eva Snow
Gypsy……Miss Lillian Cross
"Rockaby, Baby"……Miss Mary Cody
"Boys"……Master Louis Fiorani
"Our Song"……Miss Nellie Bourbeau
Robin Red Breast……Miss Ella Howard
Nightingale……Miss Margaret Williams
Dolly……Miss Bessie Walsh
Lark……Miss Mary Howard
A Satisfied Little One……Miss Maud Granger
Vocal Quartette—"The Professor at Home."
Misses Catherine F. Croston, Annie T. McGroary, Masters Henry J. Feeley and Cornelius J. McGroary.
Valedictory……Miss Adele M. Waldemeyer
"Parting Whispers"……Graduates
Address……Rev. M. J. Lee

Premiums were awarded as follows:

A gold medal and diploma to each of the ten graduates.

Gold medal for Christian doctrine to Arthur R. Geany, eighth grade.

Class premiums for general excellence during the year to Joseph Rogers, eighth grade; Elizabeth Pariseau, seventh grade; Gertrude Neelon, sixth grade; Ella Howard, fifth grade; Mary Peiri, Bessie Walsh, fourth grade; Catherine Shaughnessy, third grade; Marguerite Cross, Joseph Cataldo, second grade; Mary Gilooley, first grade.

Premiums for regular attendance were awarded to Rose Walsh, Emma Cody, Anna McGroary, Francis Walsh, Henry Kelley, Anna Kennedy, Willie Murphy, John McGroary, Arthur Geany, Willie Shaughnessy, Elizabeth Pariseau, Eva Cody, Anna Brogan, Gertrude Neelon, Fred Shaughnessy, Mary Howard, Ella Howard, Mary Lavalley, John Brogan, Bessie Walsh, John Conroy.

Gold medals were donated by Rev. L. Lowney, Rev. William Reardon, Rev. J. I. Lane, Rev. James Meehan, Rev. M. J. Kelleher, Rev. M. J. Lee, Rev. M. J. Sullivan and St. Mary's alumni.

After the awarding of premiums Rev. Father Lee delivered an address, complimenting the Sisters for their faithful and efficient labors as teachers, and congratulating the graduates upon the the high averages attained in all their studies and also upon their splendid deportment. He referred to the necessity of a religious and moral training for the child, and pointed with pride to the success of St. Mary's school in intellectual and moral tuition since its establishment seven years ago.

Richardson's Market.

We are now getting native strawberries, the best to be had. All the choice spring vegetables, such as new peas, string beans, tomatoes, radishes, lettuce, cucumbers, onions, cabbages, beets and turnips fresh from the market gardens. As usual we have the best cuts of meats, veal, lamb, etc., and choice fowls. Try a can of our 10 cent soups as a first course for Sunday dinner, all kinds.

The Utmost Enthusiasm.

Everywhere in town among Republicans there is the greatest satisfaction expressed at the selection of McKinley and Roosevelt to lead the forces to victory next November. There is no question but that the latter will strengthen the ticket, as his popularity is simply remarkable in the west, which section practically demanded his nomination.

To those who feel that the president has been more or less controlled by outside influences the name of Roosevelt will inspire confidence, as it is felt that with him as vice president the office will no longer be a grave in which to bury ambitious politicians, for "Teddy" will surely be heard from, and he will receive the recognition due the office and originally given it. Any man who today is vice president and tomorrow may be president should be wholly in the counsels of the chief ruler, and should be a wise counsellor as well, so that he could pick up the reins of government just where they may happen to be laid down.

McKinley has been tried and the Republicans of the country have unanimously said in convention that he has "not been found wanting." If elected, as is confidently expected, he will not have a third-term idea affecting his actions and can give the country as nearly a non partisan government as is possible to give.

It is safe to say that Roosevelt will remain prominently in the public eye for the next four years, as his nature will not permit him to do otherwise, and the training in statesmanship which he will receive will largely fit him to receive the higher office four years hence. That he is to leave New York state is regretted by all, as it seemed as if he were leaving a great work undone, and one which could be done by no other than he, but it would have been political suicide and downright stupidity for him to have denied the country the demand it was making of him.

His career has been a remarkable one. Four years ago he was practically unnoticed, and was asking for the routine work of an assistant secretaryship; today the entire country insists that he shall take the second highest office in their gift, and holds out to him the alluring promise that he shall be called up higher, all of which proves that a young man who has the "stuff" in him is bound to rise.

For the moment he is occupying a more prominent place before the country than McKinley. He stands as its leading man, though he has not as yet established himself conspicuously as a leader. That remains to be done, to show the metal that is in him, and to prove to the country that its confidence has not been misplaced. Popular idols have fallen before, and the public is notoriously fickle, but it recognizes sterling honesty, sincerity of purpose and sound common sense. That he is honest he has proven; that he is level headed and sagacious rests with him to prove. This is the opportunity of a lifetime, and to him has come a chance among a million. His star is in the ascendancy, and his future rests with himself alone.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Dr. J. C. Gallison will sell a light driving horse or exchange for a heavier one 11tf

To Rent—A pleasant summer room, furnished, at Mrs. L. A. Harris', West street. 15

Tenement of six rooms over Batchelor's paper store. Inquire of H. E. Batchelor. 22tw

Three good horses for sale cheap. Weight 1100 to 1300. Edward S. Cook, Central street, 22,29

To Rent.—5 room tenement, Central square. Inquire E. B. Sherman, Emerson's market. 5tf

Three hundred cords of pine trash wood for sale. Edward S. Cook, Central street, Box 212. 15,22,29

For Sale—An open buggy and two second hand harnesses all in good condition. T. B. Allen.

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 18 tf

Get your round-trip Boston, Providence and Milford tickets of Charles H. Prince at the SENTINEL office.

Wanted — Loan $150, four months, 3 per cent. a month interest and firstclass security. "W," SENTINEL Office.

W. Elkerton opened a first class bakery today in the store formerly kept by E. Lovell Metcalf. Give him a call. 22

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Hay, at Maple Farm, all good; 95 cts. to $1.10 per hundred delivered to any part of town. Orders at Chilson's market. O. S. Stetson. 15-tf

Cut flowers, wedding bouquets, flowers for graduation, all kinds of funeral designs made up at Slade's green house at short notice. P. O. Box 179.

Lawn Mowers—Don't try to mow your lawn with a dull mower. Bring it to Rose's machine shop, and he will put it in perfect order. It will cut better, quicker and with far less exertion.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table firstclass. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. MCKINNON, Agent

At Archers pond a five-room cottage with sleeping accommodations for nine persons, two boats, etc., for the months of July and August, at $30 per month. Address C. W. Pond, Wrentham, for particulars.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 22, 1900

The Sandstone Brick Industry.

Burned clay bricks, like natural stone, have served as building material from the beginning of history among nearly all races. Recently a formidable rival has sprung up in the sandstone brick. This brick is the product of quartziferous sand with which a proportionately small amount of lime is mixed, the whole mass being subjected to a high pressure of steam. The result is an extremely hard, water tight product impervious to frost or weather and unaffected by all acids. Like every new industry, sandstone brick making has had many technical difficulties to overcome, the principal one being caused by changes in the weather. In cold, wet weather much poorer results have been obtained than in warm, fine weather.

Chemists and experts have tried to find a way by which a uniform degree of durability would be insured, but thus far with indifferent success.

The American consul at Leipsic, Bernard H. Walker, Jr., reports that a Zurich chemist, Wilhelm Schwarz, has invented a process by which good results can be obtained under all circumstances. Mr. Walker says: "Mr. Schwarz found that it was necessary to give the mixture an exact quantity of moisture as well as to prepare and mix it at a certain temperature so that the combination of the silicic acid in the sand and lime should begin to take place before the mixture is pressed into brick forms. In this way all deleterious aeration of the lime is avoided during the manufacturing process. Mr. Schwarz has invented a process by which the amount of moisture can be regulated—namely, mixing dry sand with lime in a vacuum, so that any aeration of the lime by the carbonic acid of the atmosphere is impossible. At the same time the temperature is raised to and kept at a certain degree by steam heat, and then a certain quantity of moisture in the form of steam is admitted. By this means the preparatory process is safely finished, the action of the steam causing the condensation of the silicic acid in the sand and lime and so giving the proper proportion of cementing particles to the mixture."

If Mr. Schwarz's process shall prove all that is claimed for it, there will begin a new era in the limestone brick industry that will be of great importance to all countries, particularly in regions where there is neither clay nor stone, but where there is plenty of sand.

Pro-Boers and anti-Boers find much to commend in the pluck and determination of the 350 Afrikander women who, as reported in a dispatch from Pretoria, asked the government for arms and ammunition and offered themselves as a guard for the Transvaal capital. They suggested that they be allowed to do the work of the men officials at home, who, they protested, "ought to be fighting at the front." Whether the Boer cause be right or wrong—that is a matter about which a good many people seem to honestly differ—these women possess the courage of their convictions and prove that they have in them the making of heroines of the most resolute type. Indeed the Boer women all through this struggle have proved themselves scarcely less courageous than their fathers, husbands and sons. They are worthy to be the mothers and daughters of the sturdy and heroic race of men who are fighting at tremendous odds to retain the political and religious rights and privileges for which their fathers trekked to the remote mountains and veldts of South Africa.

During their southern trip Mrs. Dewey would not permit the gallant admiral to kiss young ladies over 16 years of age, but she was unable to conceal her surprise at the great number of candidates who were hovering around the 15 mark.

HAIR HELP

So many persons have hair that is stubborn and dull. It won't grow. What's the reason? Hair needs help just as anything else does at times. The roots require feeding. When hair stops growing it loses its luster. It looks dead.

Ayer's Hair Vigor

acts almost instantly on such hair. It awakens new life in the hair bulbs. The effect is astonishing. Your hair grows, becomes thicker, and all dandruff is removed.

And the original color of early life is restored to faded or gray hair. This is always the case.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

"I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor, and am really astonished at the good it has done in keeping my hair from coming out. It is the best tonic I have tried, and I shall continue to recommend it to my friends."

MATTIE HOLT,
Sept. 24, 1898. Burlington, N. C.

If you do not obtain all the benefits you expected from the use of the Hair Vigor, write the Doctor about it.
DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

His Faith Rewarded.

George had wanted a bicycle for a long time. Last year his birthday was embittered by the fact that he did not get the much-coveted wheel, and so he awaited the day this time with much anxiety. During the week before he regularly and earnestly resorted to prayer that he might have his desire granted. His parents really feared for his faith should he be disappointed. Therefore on the morning of his birthday he found awaiting him by his bedside a beautiful new wheel. "Well," he called out cheerfully, "I thought the Lord wouldn't have the nerve to refuse me this time."—Current Literature.

Apparent Difference.

Johnny—Pa, some of the curious people round here they call "odd" and some of the others "eccentric." What's the difference?

Pa—When a man is said to be eccentric he usually has more or less money. When he is poor a man is simply odd.—Boston Transcript.

Municipal Jealousies.

New Yorker—You are a stranger here, I presume?

Chicago Man (haughtily)—I am from the great city that New York is jealous of.

New Yorker—Ah! And how are things in dear old Lunnon!—N. Y. Weekly.

Heap o' Difference.

Mrs. Jorks (reading the evening paper)—I see that Mrs. Moaner's jewel case has been stolen. I wonder how much it would be worth?

Mr. Jorks—That depends, dear, whether it is Mrs. Moaner the actress or Mrs. Moaner the banker's wife.—Ally Sloper.

Litterateur's Confession.

"To grow long hair I'm tryin',
And the reason must be plain:
To become a social lion
One of course must have a mane."
—Washington Star.

"Hunger is the Best Sauce."

Yet some people are never hungry. Whatever they eat has to be "forced down." There is, of course, something wrong with these people. By taking Hood's Sarsaparilla a short time they are given an appetite and then they enjoy eating and food nourishes them. If you find your appetite failing, just try a bottle of Hood's. It is a true stomach tonic and every dose does good.

The best family cathartic is Hood's Pills.

He Don't Believe It.

Mary—Teacher says history repeats itself.

Tommy—Well, I guess it don't. And a feller's got to do some purty hard scrappin' to be able to repeat it himself.—N. Y. Truth.

GOSHEN, ILL.
Genessee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.:

Dear Sirs:—Some days since a package of your Grain O preparation was left at my office. I took it home and gave it a trial, and I have to say I was very much pleased with it, as a substitute for coffee. We have always used the best Mocha and Java in our family, but I am free to say I like the Grain O as well as the best coffee I ever drank.

Respectfully yours,
A. C. JACKSON, M. D.

Jell-O, the New Dessert, pleases all the family. Four flavors: Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. At your grocers. 10 cts. Try it today.

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RELIGIOUS THOUGHT.

Gems Gleaned From the Teachings of All Denominations.

The measure of manhood and womanhood is the compass and purity and splendor of one's desires.—Rev. David N. Beach, Congregationalist, Denver.

Self Mastery by Prayer.

The man of prayer is master of himself and of his resources and can summon the Great God to his support.—Rev. Dr. Lee, Baptist, Cincinnati.

Purity and Goodness.

Purity and goodness alone can master the ills of the flesh, for "to be spiritually minded is life and peace."—Rev. F. E. Mason, Spiritualist, Brooklyn.

Thinking and Character.

Our thinking determines our character. If you wish to be a true, manly man, you must think on manly subjects.—Rev. Dr. Landrum, Baptist, Atlanta.

Enlightenment For Our Souls.

We should enlighten our souls through the revelations which God has given us in his word, in his Son and in his providence.—Rev. D. C. MacLeod, Presbyterian, Washington.

Confession.

Contrition or sorrow for sin is the essential life of this sacrament. Without true abiding sorrow for sins committed confession would be a form.—Rev. F. H. Gavisk, Catholic, Indianapolis.

God's Order In Our Lives.

You cannot make and fix the bounds of life according to order except according to God's order, which is an order of spirit and principle.—Rev. Nathan Hugh Lee, Methodist, Denver.

Personal Influence.

Our influence in this world depends for its value for good or evil on our faith in Christ as it is illustrated in our thought, word and deed as we live before God and man.—Rev. R. F. Eakes Atlanta.

An Ideal That May Be Realized.

The man who purposes great wealth may miss it, or great distinction may fail of it, but the man who purposes to follow Christ here and hereafter may realize his ideal if he will.—Dr. Vosburgh, Baptist, Denver.

Love to God.

Love to God and love to men, daily and everywhere. Such a life will take us to the house of God, there to acknowledge our repeated failures, to seek forgiveness, to ask for help, but the life of service will be lived out among men.—Rev. Edmund Duckworth, Episcopal, St. Louis.

Putting on Christ.

Let us love humility and lowliness; let us burn away our sins with scalding tears of repentance; let us keep our hearts for him alone; let us put on Christ; then when the shadows of this world shall have passed we will see him face to face for eternity.—Rev James T. Coffey, Catholic, St. Louis.

Life's Principle.

Love is the energizing principle of life. God is love, and since man was made in God's image he, too, should exercise love. This is the highest thing man can do, to love. Jesus did not manifest his love by infatuation, but by pity, sympathy and mercy. Love is the life principle.—Mrs. Matilda Fletcher, at the Tabernacle, Denver.

Christ Victorious.

The spiritual baptism of the Son of God was one of heaven's mysteries. The temptation likewise is a mystery. How could Jesus be tempted? And yet in his temptation our Lord, for himself and for every disciple, stands as the victorious Son of God, "tempted in all points like as we are."—Dr. Michael Burnham, Congregationalist, St. Louis.

Salvation.

Salvation means being saved, and it ought to mean saved from sin, not saved from punishment. It ought to mean the good life and not forgiveness for having lived a bad life. There ought not to be any idea akin to magic in our conception of salvation, that God in a supernatural way washes our nature clean from all stain of guilt and magically frees us from evil desire.—Rev. David Utter, Unitarian, Denver.

Power of God's Life in the World.

If you drop a live seed into a bit of mud, if it is a live seed, it will take that mud and build it over into blossom and fragrance with perfect facility. Now, if a bit of vegetable life can do that how is it possible that we are ever such infidels as to imagine that the very life of God planted in the world cannot tackle a little moral mud and convert it into beauty and perfume just as fast as it is the pleasure of his infinite and generous purpose to have it done?—Rev. Dr. Parkhurst, Presbyterian, New York.

Church Popularizing.

The desire to popularize the church is not unrighteous. It is sometimes born of personal ambition of leaders who seek to use her popularity in the attainment of selfish ends, but it is a recognized principle that the success of an enterprise whose end is to uplift the fallen, lighten life's burden and exalt character is measured by its ability to gain and hold the favor of the people who are to be reached, and out of this fact grows the general desire to popularize the church.—Rev. E. M. Smith, Christian Church, Centralia, Mo.

The World's Greatest Book.

The Bible is the greatest book the world has ever known, and I accept it from cover to cover. In the canons of rhetoric and literature it is acknowledged to be without an equal. Science corroborates it, civilization has been possible only by its teachings and its laws of ethics in jurisprudence the world over are taken as the standard, and finally, its great scheme of the world's redemption as outlined in the New Testament stamps it as divine. In my scientific investigation I have never for a moment doubted its great truths and its historic narratives. Tie to it, young man, for in it ye have the chart that shall make you a better man and citizen.—Rev. Camden M. Coborn, at Y. M. C. A. Hall, Denver.

THE CENSOR.

That "they do these things better in France" does not apply to the fatal accident on the fair grounds.—New York World.

Falling into the sea is the latest advertising actress' scheme. Falling off the earth has not yet been tried.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Baseball is good while it lasts. It keeps a boy from smoking cigarettes while he wears the cage over his countenance.—New Orleans Picayune.

The new kissing bug is much larger than the one reported last year, but it is not making anything like as big a sensation.—Philadelphia Ledger.

It is an unfortunate fact that the use of corn for feeding animals is one of the obstacles against its popularization as a food for human beings.—Chicago Record.

If Alaska is ever to have a permanent population, one that will regard the country as a home, the Finns are just the people to start it.—Pittsburg Commercial Gazette.

Eddie Reed, a boy preacher of Paris, Ills., has induced several of his fellow townsmen to sign pledges to refrain from the wicked game of draw poker. Little Eddie probably struck a bunch of losers.—Buffalo Express.

"Incircumscriptibleness" is not the longest word in the English language. "Nonintercommunicability" is a longer one, which may appear in the new Oxford dictionary. It will be a great boon to space writers.—Boston Globe.

Yes, human nature is very discouraging. It is hard sometimes to make the punishment fit the crime, but it would seem that the whipping post and wife beating are exactly suited to each other. The experiment is worth trying.—New York Herald.

LITTLE "BOBS."

Lord Roberts' military "net" is one that lets the big fishes escape as easily as the little ones.—New York World.

Even if Lord Roberts has not conquered the Boers he seems to have got the better of the war critics.—Syracuse Post-Standard.

It was well enough for Lord Roberts to call Africa the graveyard of military reputations, but it is scarcely fair for him to become a wholesale military undertaker.—New York Journal.

Lord Roberts' aim sooner or later must be to bring the Boers to face him in a pitched battle. Until he destroys or thoroughly cripples the military power of the federals his job is not ended.—Brooklyn Citizen.

THE ART OF WAR.

"Sniping" is firing by sharpshooters wherever they see an enemy's head or limb.

Troops on outpost duty do not salute their superiors or notice them unless addressed.

There are over 20 rope knots used in military engineering, in addition to which for pontooning and spar bridging there are several different forms of lashing and bracing.

Wide pontoon bridges are steadier than narrow ones. The boats for such structures should not be immersed deeper than within a foot of the top and are placed stem on to the current.

ALUMINIUM.

Music is being printed in one-half the time on aluminium plates as against stones.

A new fashion is coming in of coating stoves with aluminium. The material is practically indestructible.

Dr. Much of Berlin has made a new alloy of magnesium and aluminium, producing a compound like brass, white as silver, which can be turned and bored.

Aluminium, which had no commercial existence a few years ago, was produced in the United States last year to the extent of 5,200,000 pounds, valued at $1,750,000, which is one-tenth of the cost of ten years ago.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

Instead of rickety tables for china and bric-a-brac a house decorator advises a narrow shelf across one side of the room upon which to stand jugs and teapots.

The best cure for the disgusting cockroach is to purchase a poison phosphorous paste and spread it on bread. This kills them in a few minutes. They go away to die.

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Second Newspaper Reader—Yes, they have ha'pennytrated the wall of rock.

Third Newspaper Reader—You mean penetrated.

Second Newspaper Reader—No, I don't. They're only half way through.—Ally Sloper.

Those Loving Girls.

Maude—Mr. Willing asked me to accompany him to the opera to-morrow evening.

Clara—And you accepted the invitation?

Maude—Certainly.

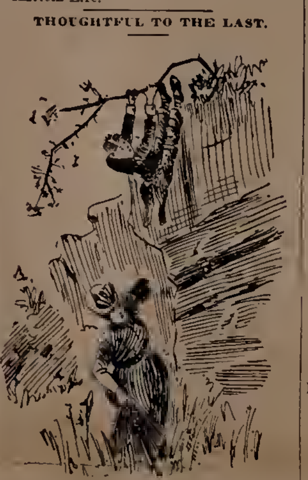
Clara—Strange. He asked me also.

Maude—There's nothing strange about it at all. I told him I wouldn't go without he provided a chaperon.—Chicago Daily News.

Then and Now.

They met; she was a maiden fair and he a faultless swell,
'Twas on the broad plazza of a watering place hotel;
And now that chilly autumn's here, they meet in town once more—
'Tis at the ribbon counter of a Broadway dry goods store.
—Harlem Life.

THOUGHTFUL TO THE LAST.



He—Oh, Mary! I can't hold on any longer.

She—Then wait till I get out of the way. No use losing a husband and a new hat at the same time.—Harlem Life.

Pernicious Inquisitiveness.

"What is a professional, pop?"

"A professional, my son, is one who indulges in a sport where money figures."

"When you go fishing and buy your fish, that doesn't make you a professional, does it?"—Yonkers Statesman.

Impossible.

Patrioticus—There will never be a name like Dewey in French history.

Quibleigh—Oh, I don't know. There might be.

Patrioticus—Never. There is no "w" in French anyway.—N. Y. Journal.

A Juvenile Philanthropist.

Mother—No, Tommy, you mustn't have any more turkey. I'm afraid it might make you sick.

Tommy—Well, if folks didn't get sick the doctors couldn't have any Thanksgiving.—Judge.

With All Improvements.

First Tramp—I hear they are building a new jail, with all modern improvements.

Second Tramp—That won't do us no good. You'll need a pull to get in there.—Fliegende Blaetter.

The Worm Turns.

Mrs. Peck—I wouldn't act like an idiot if I were you, Henry.

Mr. Peck—No, of course you wouldn't, dear, but as you are not me you might at least try to act a little less idiotic.—Chicago Daily News.

Marked Zero.

Teacher—What does the word marsupial mean?

Tommy—Carrying a pouch.

Teacher—Give an example of a marsupial.

Tommy—A tobacco smoker.—Chicago Tribune.

Put to a New Use.

'Twas the first letter written on a typewriter that Rachel had ever received.

"Mamma, mamma!" exclaimed the little lady as the postman left, "I've got a letter that was written on the sewing machine."—Judge.

She Gave Him No Chance.

Bacon—Did you say you hadn't had a chance to speak to your wife about that matter we talked over, last week?

Egbert—That's what I said.

"Well, it seems very strange."

"Oh, no, it doesn't. You don't know my wife."—Yonkers Statesman.

Seeking Information.

"Oh, Mr. Van Dobbs!" exclaimed Mrs. Cumrox.

"What is it?" inquired the artist.

"Would you mind telling me whether this picture is impressionistic or whether it hasn't been finished."—Washington Star.

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Due Depositors	$559,245 21
Guarantee Fund	27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account	6,268 89
Interest Account	8,831 98
Real Estate Income Account	184 23
Tax account	32 25
	$602,315 35

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		21,719 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		6,350 00
" " Mortgages		166,310 84
" " Personal Securities		164,870 80
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		1,500 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		735 27
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$10,919 15	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	9,018 65	
Mercantile Trust Co	12,075 38	
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LONGING.

Tell me, ye rocks or heaven's arched skies,
Is there a place where friendship never dies,
Where to our hearts
No knowledge comes of piercing wrongs
Or sad tho'ts crowd in countless throngs
To deaden life's bright dream,
Where doubts dwell not nor fears
Molest our happiness?

Oh, answer back, ye hills, and say
There is a land where endless day
Claims one perpetual song,
Where friendship's flowers live for aye
And hope's refreshing stream
Flows constantly, with love's sail
Furled upon it!

No night ere comes to lead us where
The rocks lay hidden under
Or storms arise in friendship's skies
To tear our barks asunder.
Oh, may'st thou lead us quickly on
Ere tired we grow of waiting
Into that land of love and song
Where joys are unabating.

—A. T. H. in Philadelphia Bulletin.

Madge Marbury's Message

Summer Romance In a City.

"No, I'm tired of seaside romances, so I propose to stay here and see what sort of romance a summer in New York has to offer."

Sam Storrow jumped upon a north bound electric car as he spoke, leaving the man to whom he had announced his plans in a speculative mood.

"I'll bet," murmured Ralph Ralston, as he hailed the next south bound car, "that Storrow's had a row with Madge Marbury."

Since the date, just four years ago, when they had left Harvard, neither Sam Storrow nor Ralph Ralston had settled down to any serious occupation. They had devoted themselves to the somewhat indefinite pastime of "looking around."

It had been the kind of looking around usual with idle men of private means—moderate dissipation and lovemaking, or the pretense of lovemaking, with women who were as well off and as idle as themselves.

But it must be admitted of the two Storrow's life had been much the more innocent, and his affair with Miss Madge Marbury might have resulted in matrimony ere this were it not for the frequency of their petty quarrels, none of which might ever have occurred if they had not had so much idle time to quarrel in.

The excitement of these little tiffs had begun to pall upon him, and when the last one occurred he decided that he would stay in town when Madge went away. In fact, he was hard up for a new sensation.

The electric car whirled him rapidly up Madison avenue. He looked at the monotonous array of drawn shades in the house fronts—inevitable symptom of the summer season—and the thought came to him of the darkened, silent reception rooms so gay with beauty and fashion in winter time. But the butterflies had fled to shore and mountain, leaving Madison avenue to console itself until their return. Miss Madge Marbury had gone to Bar Harbor.

"Goodby, Mr. Storrow," she had said to him just before they parted. "I hope you'll find some romance in the city to compensate you for your self imposed and solitary martyrdom."

These words came back to him now, and the recollection made him feel more than ever resolved to find his romance during his summer in town. He would not have Madge Marbury chaff him on her return.

Ralph Ralston thoroughly disagreed with Sam Storrow as to the relative charms of city and seaside in summer. This was natural, for the two men had never agreed upon any question since the day they first met, and neither bore much love toward the other.

So a few days after the meeting with Storrow Ralston was in the vortex of Bar Harbor's gay life, troubling himself very little about romance and content with agreeable realities.

There was no more agreeable reality than his present proximity to Miss Madge Marbury on the veranda of a cottage that nestled picturesquely up among the pines.

They were enjoying the beauty of the cool Maine night. The intense blue of the heavens gave that suggestion of illimitable vastness which, though the suggestion may be always there, is only borne in on us under the spell of certain moods; the song of the pines kept time with the more distant music of the incoming tide, and the breeze came laden with a mingled fragrance of balsam and odor of ocean brine.

"Can you imagine, Miss Marbury, a more fantastic notion than his staying in town in search of romance when he might be here?"

Ralston had been expatiating upon the eccentricities of Sam Storrow.

"I don't know," she said. "We may find our romance in the most unexpected places."

"I rather imagine that Storrow somehow is not without some definite idea of where to find his romance."

She began to think. If that were so, why should he not find it near her? Her vanity was piqued, and Ralston, being a good tactician, tried to follow up his advantage.

"Of course, Miss Marbury, I am not in Sam Storrow's confidence."

But it takes a very wise man to head off the sudden turns of a feminine train of thought, and his words had just the opposite effect to that he had intended.

She said impulsively: "No; if you had his confidence, you would probably tell me more."

The next moment she regretted her impulsiveness, for it was no part of her policy openly to antagonize him until she had more fully made up her mind as to which of these men—

Well, the thing was to repair her mistake.

"You take me too seriously, Mr. Ralston. You know, women must not be interpreted too literally."

Ralston was far from being inclined to take the sex too seriously, but it was as well that women, for their own peace of mind, should think otherwise. He took his cue from her and answered, with another laugh:

"It would upset any one's seriousness to think of Sam Storrow installed over on the east side in a tenement and going to Tompkins square on band nights in search of the romance of the slums."

"Is that really true?"

"Yes; he has been seen there."

"By whom?" The words escaped her before she could obey an intuition to keep them back.

"You would not have me betray confidences?" he rejoined.

She began to think she had been unjust to him, and when he came and stood close to her she did not push her chair away, nor when he picked up her fan from the next chair, where she had thrown it, did she make any sign of disapproval, and so it was natural that he should presently occupy the chair the fan had vacated.

"After all," he reflected, "you can bring any of these women round if you only go the right way about it."

And, as for her, she had veered back to the old point of view—that as between the two men one had shown his devotion by his presence, whereas the other had found a superior attraction elsewhere.

"If I thought you could betray any confidence, Mr. Ralston," she said now in belated answer to his last query, "I should not want ever to see you again."

He knew what she meant well enough; for, like herself, he was thinking of how very near to victory he had been not longer ago than last night on this same veranda.

Somehow it seemed to have grown darker. The song of the pines swelled into a stronger chorus, and there was a deeper, more sullen, note in the distant booming of the surf.

They were standing together now on the edge of the veranda, and he had taken her hand without any protest on her part. He had drawn her gently and gradually around, so that she was half facing him now, and his other arm, which embraced the post of the piazza at her left, was ready to encircle her neck the moment his instinct should tell him it was safe to make the attempt.

"Miss Madge," he whispered into her very ear, "say that you believe me worthy of all your confidence."

It was the last ditch, and there was plainly a struggle going on within her, for in spite of the cool Maine night her blood coursed so fast that it was a race between her heart and pulse beats.

His purely animal instinct warned him that she was winning a victory this time over herself and over him, and as he tightened his hold upon her hand and let his hand drop from the piazza post across her shoulder she gave a sort of gasp, wrenched herself free from him and darted into the house through the open French window.

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The band was playing in Tompkins square to the motley east side audience who had poured out from the reeking rooms of torrid tenements as well as from homes of comparative comfort. Decent poverty, squalid need, relative wealth, rubbed shoulders here upon a ground of common equality.

But in a remote corner of the square the electric light played with a rather weird effect upon the strangely determined face of a woman—a refined looking, high bred woman, clearly not in touch with her surroundings. Beside her sat Sam Storrow, his eyes upon the ground. But his companion was keenly alert, and presently, when she saw another woman approaching, she waited until she noticed Storrow give a surprised start of recognition, and then she arose and spoke to the newcomer.

"Miss Marbury," she said, "when I sent you that anonymous letter to Bar Harbor I believed I could reach your heart, although I had never seen you. I brought you here to open your eyes. A week ago Mr. Ralph Ralston, walking with me across the square, pointed out Mr. Storrow, whom I did not know. 'Storrow,' said he in his usual flippant way and as if it were the best joke in the world, 'is slumming for romance this summer in town. Get acquainted with him and show him the tender romance of the slums.' I am one of a university settlement party living among the east side tenements, and I got acquainted with Mr. Storrow and with his story from his own lips.

"Miss Marbury, to Ralph Ralston's propensity for fickle flirtation I owe my romance and its loss. Now it is my turn, and my resolve to spoil Ralph Ralston's romance is no stronger than my resolve that you shall benefit by my experience. Miss Marbury, I am not a man hater, but I still trust I shall never be less than a woman, and my revenge upon Ralston will be sweeter if I know that you have found your romance in one who is worthy of you."

She glanced at Storrow, who sat there dumfounded, while the incandescent globe, glowing with a fitful radiance, illumined the flush of triumph on one woman's face, on the other's the first dawning of the truth.—Chicago News.

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Old Gotcash—Did, hey? How, may I ask?

Dobber—Those blotches in the foreground of the painting—you spoke of them as gooseberry bushes. Mr. Gotcash, I—I cannot conceal the truth any longer. They are cows!—London Answers.

Germany is thinking of making an attempt to prohibit the entry of a large number of American prepared food products. Several reasons are given for the restriction, but the real one is that during the year 1899 we sent to Germany for sale over $155,000,000 worth of goods and bought from Germany only $84,000,000 worth.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

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"Very sorry, sir, our eggs is out. This is the only one we have left—but we boiled it 12 minutes, sir."—Harper's Bazar.

Unconscious of Course.

He had come upon her dozing in a hammock, and when she woke up she accused him of stealing a kiss.

"Well," he said, "I will admit that the temptation was too strong to be resisted. I did steal one little kiss."

"One!" she exclaimed, indignantly. "I counted eight before I woke up."—Chicago Post.

Mortifying Error.

"I was much annoyed at a typographical error in your paper this morning, sir."

"I am very sorry, general. What was it?"

"I told your reporter I was an old plainsman. I am described in your paper this morning, sir, as an old, plain man."—Chicago Tribune.

A Stitch in Time.

Peggy—When I was down town today, I stopped in a lawyer's office, and inquired the price of a divorce.

Polly—What in the world did you want to know the price of a divorce for? You're not married!

"No; but I'm engaged."—Yonkers Statesman.

Impartiality.

His portrait 'midst the news you scan
This is the fame for which men fight.
From the next column glares the man
Who burglarized a bank last night.
—Washington Star.

Ode to a Pipe.

Pipe! Oh, rank and odorous pipe!
Thee will I smoke;
I'd rather have a good cigar—
But, alas! I'm broke.
—Chicago Daily News.

Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her, and she writes this marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason's drug store.

Observed in Passing.

Newpop—I have noticed that babies always have very open countenances.

Oldpop—Yes; especially about midnight.—Brooklyn Life.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

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What He Was After.

"I believe this is a through train?" said the road agent.

"It is," replied the conductor.

"Then I will proceed to go through it," announced the polite robber.—Philadelphia North American.

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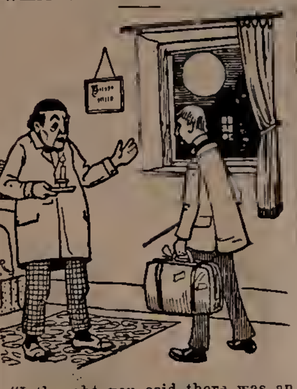
Allen's Foot Ease, a powder. It cures painful, smarting, swollen feet and ingrowing nails and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot Ease makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating callous and hot, tired, aching feet. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores; by mail for 25c. in stamps; trial package free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Perspiration that annoys may be greatly helped by the use of saleratus. The part affected rub with this ingredient after the skin has been wet. Leave on until after the bath. It can be applied when a bath is not to be taken.

Your best friend can give you no better advice than this "For impure blood, bad stomach and weak nerves take Hood's Sarsaparilla."

WHAT MORE COULD HE WANT!



"I thought you said there was an extensive view from my room?"

"Well, hang it, man! on clear nights you can see the moon—when there is one."—Ally Sloper.

Merely Preliminary.

"Well, Louise, where's your new hat?"

"I haven't any new hat."

"Why, you said you were going downtown to-day to get a new hat."

"Arthur, you never hear anything straight; I said I was going downtown to-day to look at new hats."—Chicago Daily Record.

Time He Was Buried.

"Please, sir," said the energetic office boy to the active member of the firm, "I wants ter get off this afternoon. Me grandfather's dead."

"Is that so, James? When did he die?"

"About five years ago, sir."

To Mothers In This Town.

Children who are delicate, feverish and cross will get immediate relief from Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. They cleanse the stomach, act on the liver, making a sickly child strong and healthy. A certain cure for worms. Sold by all druggists, 25c; sample free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

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BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 49, 4 10, 5 11, 6 01, 7 19 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7 54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 5 45, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 58, f5 21, 6 19, f7 25, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

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WRENTHAM.

The funeral of the late Thomas Hopkins was held Wednesday morning at the Catholic church. The interment was at Franklin.——Elmer David Sawyer and Cora Adelaide Hawes were recently married by Rev. Henry M. King of Providence.——Frank Jordon and Miss S. Annie Naylor were married in Foxboro at 4 o'clock Wednesday by Rev. Fr. Broderick of St. Mary's church. A reception was held in the evening at the residence of the bride's parents.——The first car of the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket railroad passed through the centre of the village from Franklin to Plainville on Wednesday afternoon. [See Franklin news.]——Mrs. Sally Rowells entertained the Kipling club Friday night.——Mr. and Mrs. Merriweather of Boston are at E. H. Dimond's.——Miss Agnes Plimpton, who has recently arrived from England, is visiting her uncle, F. N. Plimpton.——Mrs. Harriet Rand is in a feeble condition and gradually growing weaker.

CURTAIN RAISERS.

Ada Rehan has played 250 roles.

It is said that the "Belle of New York" has earned $200,000.

John Hare, E. S. Willard and Sarah Bernhardt will visit America next season.

The latest novel to be dramatized is "The S[illegible]nce of Dean Ma[illegible]l," which E. Lewis Scott has prepared for the stage.

Henry Irving's profits for his present tour of this [illegible] are [illegible] variously reckoned all the way from $25,000 to $100,000.

Holger Drachmann, the D[illegible] dramatist, poet and pa[illegible], [illegible] arrived in Chicago. He intends [illegible] the conditions of the laboring classes of America.

Mrs. Patrick Campbell, the [illegible] actress, is considering an [illegible] Liebler & Co. to make an American tour next season. Mrs. Campbell has never appeared in this country.

Florence Rockwell has been engaged to play the chief female part in "Mr. Van Bibber," a dramatization of Richard Harding Davis' stories, in which Robert Hilliard will appear next season.

Your Liver

Will be roused to its natural duties and your [illegible] and constipation be cured if you take

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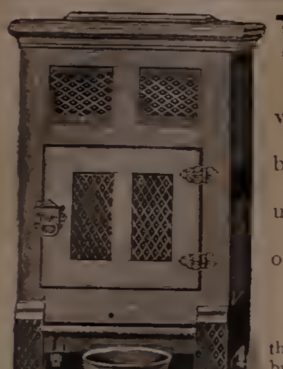
Sold by all druggists. [illegible] cents.



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Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits.

LADIES' SUIT, sold for $8.50; sale price $5.75.
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LADIES' SUIT, sold for $10.00; sale price $7.98.
LADIES' SUIT, sold for $15.00; sale price $8.75.
LADIES' SUIT SKIRT and JACKET, silk lined throughout; was $17.50, now **$11.75**.
LADIES' HEAVY WOOL BICYCLE and RAINY-DAY SKIRTS; were $2.00, this sale **$1.49**.

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HOW TO HURRY.

1. Do nothing that you don't have to do. Cut out the nonessentials.

2. Don't hesitate. Begin at once. When you are through, stop, and begin on the next thing.

3. Don't be too particular what part of the job you begin with. Other things being equal, do what's under your hand first and the next nearest thing next.

4. Don't pause between jobs.

5. Don't go from one job to another until the first is done. "Do one thing at a time." It takes time to change your mind.

6. Do your thinking while you're acting. And think about the work in hand.

7. If you have assistants, use them. At first do only what they can't do, and afterward help them out.

8. Do nothing twice. This makes it necessary to do it right the first time.

9. Don't lay down one tool except to take up another.

10. Beware of looking out the window. That way distraction lies.

11. Don't put things off. Do them when you think of them.

If you'll follow these rules and a few more that you can make yourself, you will be able to reduce your office hours about one-half; you won't think you're hurrying and you won't be bored and worn out by your work.—[illegible]

Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female disease quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a Godsend to weak, sickly, run-down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co. druggists.

Where Kissed.

Dollie—Was it a quiet spot where you kissed Mollie?

Chollie—No; it was on the mouth.—Chicago Journal.

A Metamorphosis.

Jack—Miss Ramsey is getting gray.

Dick—Now she will be blue.

Jack—O, no; now she will be blond.—Town Topics.

Stupid Brute.

She—That horrid cook of the Browns has got a hat just like mine.

He—I see no occasion for that to worry you. There is no danger of you being mistaken for one another. Your hair is not the same shade.—Indianapolis Journal.

Accounting for It.

Horrified Mistress—Verena, the guests are not eating their oyster pie. What is the matter with it?

New Cook—I dunno, mem. I put in half a cupful of sugar f'r every pint of eysters. Mebby that wasn't enough mem.—Chicago Tribune.

Valuables.

Mrs. Pelham—So your home burned down the other night! Did you succeed in saving anything?

Mrs. Harlem—Oh, yes, indeed! My husband dragged out a ton of coal before the cellar caught!—N. Y. Evening Journal.

Church Services.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor. Rev. E. W. Whitney of Milford will preach at 10.30. Y. P. C. U. at 6.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. S. L. Morse of Medfield. Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6.15.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 by S. A. Cook, pastor; subject "Renewing Our Strength." Sunday school at 12. Junior league at 3.00. Epworth league at 6.30.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D. Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Baccalaureate sermon to High school graduating class, by Rev. E. L. Atkinson of Boston, at 7.45.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending June 20, 1900:

Ladies—S. Elizabeth Pollard, Mrs. David Miller, Mrs. Flora B. Jones, Mrs. S. H. Bratt.

Gentlemen—Frank C. Jones, Edgar Richardson, J. H. White, Cinaid Chiaruzzi, Guiseppe Dicamphsarito.

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B for biscuits of all the best brands,
C for crackers and clams for chowder,
D for doughnuts and Dalmation powder,
E for extracts of Baker's best make,
F for fish that will make fine fish cakes,
G for groceries kept neat and in shape,
H for honey to eat on wheat cakes,
I for Indian corn meal and ink,
J for fruit juice for a summer drink,
K for Kennedy, whose goods we stand by,
L for lemons that make a nice pie,
M for mince meat, molasses and mace,
N for Nestle's, whose milk suits the taste,
O for onions, a sure cure for the croup
P for potatoes to eat in your soup,
Q for Quaker, those rolled oats so nice,
R for raisins for puddings and rice,
S for sugar, sand soap and saleratus,
T for tubs, tapioca and tomatoes,
U for undoubtedly the cheapest in town,
V for vinegar as sour as can be found,
W for witch hazel that makes one strong,
X for Xebec, a vessel it was used on,
Y for yeast that will raise bread best,
Z for zeal in which we stand the test.

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Leave Wrentham P.O. for Franklin at 8.15 a.m. 3.30 p.m. Leave Franklin depot for Wrentham at 9.30 a.m., 4.30 p.m., connecting with trains for Boston and Providence via N. Y. & N. E. railroad; trains leaving Boston at 7.40, 8.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m., leaving Providence at 8.35 a.m.

☞ Orders may be left at Railroad Station.

N. B. WEBBER, Prop.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

Cotton soaked in peppermint oil has been found to be effective in getting rid of mice.

Milk jugs should be rinsed out with cold water before being scalded in hot. If hot water is poured in first, the curd sets, and the surface cannot be so easily cleaned.

"Never, never, never," says Harper's Bazar, "buy a chair without sitting down in it and seeing whether it is or is not comfortable and suited to your requirements." Good advice too.

Lamp chimneys, if held over steam and quickly wiped out with a dry cloth which is quite free from lint, will be just as bright and shining as if laboriously washed with soap and water. Of course if smoked black they will require washing.

THE DEACON.

J. W. Moodie, the Scotch soldier evangelist, is addressing large meetings at Cape Town.

Bishop Potter of New York makes it his rule to read a certain amount of Greek every day of his life.

Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale celebrated his seventy-ninth birthday in good health at his home in Roxbury, Mass., the other day.

The Rev. C. D. Crane of Portland, Me., thus explained the other day why so many Maine officials permit the illegal sale of liquor: "They know that we will continue to vote as we pray—that is, with our eyes shut."

TRUST THRUSTS.

The sugar trust and the coffee trust are fighting in New York, and the milk trust is doing things here. Taken all together, they should be able to keep the pot boiling.—Baltimore American.

Already the automobile establishments of the country are moving for the formation of a gigantic ironclad trust. Automobile makers thus prove themselves about as rapid as their machines.—Syracuse Post-Standard.

Efforts are being made to establish a permanent "matinee theater" in London. A company has just been registered for the purpose. The idea has been tried before, but never on very energetic or enterprising lines.

Sims Reeves, the superannuated British tenor, who insists on giving concerts although he can't be heard across the footlights, is to receive a pension [illegible] a year from the queen for the rest of his life. Reeves is 81 years old.

Fine Intentions.

"I am determined," said the man who is proud of his boy, "that this youngster shall acquire correct habits of speech."

"The best way to do that is to see that he has good examples."

"Of course. And that's what I'm going to do. I don't intend to let him say 'don't,' and I ain't going to tolerate the use of that vulgarism 'ain't.'"—Washington Star.

A Determination.

I've changed my intentions.
The orator's charm
No longer will win me;
I'm tendin the farm.
I've lost precious moments—
I'm sure of it now—
A follerin politics
'Stid of the plow.

Fur talkin won't hitch up
The bosses, you know,
An speeches won't furrow
The soil, row by row.
The seasons is changing;
I'll quit it, I vow—
This folleriu politics
'Stid of the plow.

—Washington Star.

First Class In Logic, Please Criticise.

"But how," asked the hard featured man who was looking at the pictures, "do you know this is an accurate likeness of Homer?"

"Do you know, sir, of anybody else it looks like?" demanded the artist.

"No."

"Then of course it's Homer."—Chicago Tribune.

The Appetite of a Goat

Is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose stomach and liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, the wonderful stomach and liver remedy, gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25c. at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store.

Does Coffee Agree With You?

If not, drink Grain-O—made from pure grains. A lady writes: "The first time I made Grain-O I did not like it, but after using it for one week nothing would induce me to go back to coffee." The children can drink it freely with great benefit. Get a package today from your grocer, follow the directions and you will have a delicious and healthful table beverage for old and young. 15c. and 25c.

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Thick Flanks	6c	Spinach, peck	10c
Spring Broilers	28c	String Beans, qt	5c
Fresh Killed Fowls	18c	Lettuce, head	5c
Smoked Bacon, strip	10c		

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If you have one you are glad of it; if you haven't one you'll be glad to have one. It is not profitable to pay board,

FOR...

what you pay in that way will go a long way towards paying for the very furniture you are using. Probably you would prefer to select more modern furnishings.

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per month will pay for furniture and carpets enough to furnish a modern home with all the necessities and comforts enough to make the ordinary mortal supremely happy. We charge no interest. We only ask your promise to pay a little at a time as you earn it and you have the goods set into your house at once.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the next-of-kin and all persons interested in the estate of Philip Dolan of Franklin, in said county, an insane person:

Whereas, John Dolan, the guardian of said ward, has presented his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, certain real estate therein specified of his ward for his support,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the fifth day of July, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this fifth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

je8,15,22

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Edwin J. Pond, late of Providence, in the State of Rhode Island, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Metcalf E. Pond of Franklin, or to some other suitable person,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on Thursday, the 5th day of July, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this 6th day of June, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

je8,15,22

If you want to buy or sell anything, have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

Hattie M. Fisher 1.1901

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MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
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West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
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West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
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West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Peck yesterday.

All the schools close for the summer vacation this week.

There will be a special meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., tonight.

Miss Mary Wade has returned from Watertown to live with her mother here.

Mrs. G. P. Cody and Mrs. Toomey of Dedham are visiting at the home of W. G. Cody.

There will be a special meeting of the J. G. Ray Engine company tomorrow evening.

The Misses Ellen and Louise Fiorani of Cottage street are visiting their sister at Reading.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Wilkins entertained over the Sabbath Miss Hilda Lauden of Boston.

Frank Jacobs has just had a cottage built at Lake Pearl, Contractor Rounds doing the work.

Martin Kelley of Pond street has returned from a two weeks' visit with his sister at Fitchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rockwood spent the Sabbath with their son, Julius T. Rockwood, in Malden.

Rev. M. J. Sullivan of Brockton, formerly curate at St. Mary's church, is visiting at the rectory.

The hearing on the W. R. Cook school attendance case has been further adjourned to next Saturday.

Evening service for the rest of the season at the Episcopal church has been changed from 2 to 3 o'clock.

Charles Whittaker and Fred Blake went into service as conductors on the M., A. & W. street railway yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Flynn of Brockton spent Sunday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ford.

It is understood that Charles Stewart, the straw goods manufacturer, has made an assignment to George W. Wiggin, Esq.

There was a large crowd on the trolleys Sunday and the street railway company did the largest day's business of the season.

Conductor Mathes, who has been laid up for the past six weeks, is now able to be out and will take his train again shortly.

Mrs. S. W. Squire returned from the west Thursday after a visit of eight months with relatives in that part of the country.

Mrs. Mary F. Piper, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Judge Doe, left yesterday to spend the summer at Maplewood, Me.

The trolley ride to Plainville and the Attleboros is a most pleasant one, and that it will prove a popular route goes without saying.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Young of Brandon, Vt., have been enjoying sea breezes at Newport, R. I., a few days.

Mrs. C. W. Howard, formerly of Franklin, Mrs. J. W. Hinkley and Miss Cornelia started Wednesday to visit relatives in northern New Hampshire.

The Franklin fire department has purchased twelve of the Monarch fire extinguishers through L. J. Kelley, who has accepted the agency here.

Charles F. Nye enjoyed the sights at the national convention at Philadelphia last week, and is of the opinion that a remarkably strong ticket has been named.

The act of consecration to the sacred heart was read in St. Mary's chapel, at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, by Rev. Fr. Lee, during the exposition of the blessed sacrament.

Fred A. Darling, who has just built himself an automobile, was on the street Saturday and attracted a good deal of attention. It weighs 1,750 pounds and seems to fill the bill.

Peter Sexton, a former Franklin boy, and now in the service of Uncle Sam as an artilleryman, being stationed at Fort Adams, has been visiting friends in town the past few days.

A large gasoline automobile advertising Dr. Pierce's remedies has been in town a few days. It is one of the Winton make and goes about from place to place in the interest of the concern.

Martin Costello, who is one of the mounted bicycle police of Springfield, returned yesterday after a brief visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Costello of Fisher street.

A man visited the office of the assessors recently to find the assessment value of a piece of property offered to him, and which, it was claimed, was taxed for $1,000. The books showed the assessment to be $60.

O. B. Carter and Manager Worthley are arranging a team to meet the North Attleboro nine for two games on the Fourth of July at Indian Rock park and only crack players will be engaged. We shall speak more of this later.

The Medfield & Medway Street Railway company have petitioned the railroad commissioners for the right to increase their capital stock from $50,000 to $100,000, to cover the extension of their line to Franklin, which is now finished.

Fred. P. Chapman has been confined to the house with a carbuncle upon his neck. It is unnecessary to say that it is unpleasant as well as painful, forcing him in a large measure to give up business for a while. He is now able to be out.

The many friends of Lee Clark Abbott, a graduate of the class of '95, Franklin High school, will be pleased to hear that the young man is finishing a four years' course at the University of Vermont. The exercises of commencement week take place from June 24 to June 28 at Burlington, Vt.

Jerome B. Rhodes, formerly a resident of Canton and a deacon of the First Baptist church in that place, has removed with his family to Franklin, and last Thursday evening was received into membership in the Baptist church here and unanimously elected as a deacon to serve in the same capacity here.

Charles H. Prince, foreman of the SENTINEL office, sails for the Paris exposition this week, planning to be absent about a month. He accompanies Rev. Mr. Cook, who was to have had as his companion Rev. Mr. Shenk, but the latter is detained by business. Mr. Cook will probably be absent two months.

Cards have been sent to friends in town announcing the marriage of A. Cressey Morrison, brother of Mrs. Cora Linn Daniels, to Miss Emma Webster Conway at Plymouth church, Brooklyn, N. Y., on Monday, June 18. Mr. Morrison is very pleasantly remembered by those who have had the good fortune to meet him when he has been in town visiting at Sardia lodge.

A number of the friends of Mrs. C. Slocum gathered at the residence of her brother, David W. Corson, on Saturday afternoon to assist her in celebrating her 84th birthday, much to the delight of the aged celebrant. A very pleasant afternoon was spent, and Mrs. Slocum enjoyed the occasion to the full. In addition to their presence not a few of the guests presented her with appreciative and loving gifts.

Mrs. W. H. Jackson went to Nantasket Beach on Thursday as delegate from the local W. R. C. to assist in forming the new organization to be made up of the various corps in Norfolk county. Plans were decided upon and much of the preliminary business settled. On Wednesday she visited the Soldiers' home in Chelsea and was much impressed by the comfort, neatness and homelikeness of the place.

Rev. and Mrs. Guy W. Miner and son Reginald are spending a few days in New Britain as guests of the rector of St. Mark's church, Mr. Miner taking occasion to attend the 75th anniversary of Trinity college at Hartford. He was graduated from there twenty years ago, this being his first return to commencement, and he is promising himself a good deal of pleasure in meeting his former college mates.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Sanger have been entertaining a Japanese friend, A. S. Mihara, who is the manager of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, or Japan Mail Steamship Co., in Hong Kong. He was educated in Japan, where he learned to speak the English language, and has become largely accustomed to our ways and ideas. He wears the American dress and is an intelligent, refined and exceedingly interesting gentleman to meet.

Waldo C. Everett of the Mount, who graduated from the Emerson School of Oratory last month, recently gave a recital under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. at the West Duxbury M. E church, and the Press of that place paid him this compliment: "Mr. Everett as a public reader has received recognition and hearty approval in Boston and elsewhere. His readings aroused great enthusiasm, winning the hearts of his listeners."

Word was received here Sunday of the death of Willard A. Miller at Coney Island, where he has been the past year. He was a son of the late Gilmore Miller and was born at Franklin forty-eight years ago in the Mount district. He was clerk in the meat and provision store of A. B. Chilson for several years. The body was brought here for interment in the Union street cemetery this morning, the service at the grave being conducted by Rev. S. A. Cook.

Capt. J. B. Crocker has always prided himself on his lawn, and when he came home from the salt sea Thursday the hose was all ready for him to wet it down, but he said he had seen enough of water for a day or two and would look around a bit before renovating the door yard. So he went down town and met old friends, who shook him by the hand and congratulated him on the tan he had acquired and the captain said that was much better than holding the end of a hose.

Friday evening the selectmen held a conference with Mr. Fletcher and Mr. Ruggles of the cemetery association in regard to the improvement of the Union street cemetery so far as the appropriation of $600 will allow. It was decided to bring the work at once under the superintendency of Mr. Westland, the superintendent for the cemetery association, directed by the selectmen. Mr. Ruggles made a formal report on the disapproval of the proposed curfew law and the bills on the secretary's table were ordered paid.

As shown by the records in the town clerk's office the month of June is hardly keeping its reputation, locally, as the month of roses and marriages. The former blossom in the same profusion as in the past, but during the two or three years previous to 1900 there has been a falling off in the number of declarations of marriage intentions for this particular month. The annual crop may be just as large, but if so the season has changed somewhat. Perhaps it is due to the climate, which some people believe to be changing from the old style to a new regulation of temperature.

The M., A. & W. company timekeepers have a sure way of taking the time of the Italians at work on the construction of the road. When an Italian is hired, instead of taking his name he is given a small piece of metal with a number stamped on it. Each man has a different number. Every evening when the timekeeper goes around, each man has to show his number. By this method much bother is avoided. The Italians are very frugal and save most of the money which they earn. One of them, in making a deposit at the savings bank here the other day, held up a hand with one finger missing, as a means of identifying himself.

The chapel in the Methodist church was very prettily decorated with palms and roses in honor of the "good bye" reception tendered Rev. S. A. Cook last evening. A goodly number were present and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Everett and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Willard assisted Mr. Cook in receiving. A fine musical and literary program was given, after which remarks were made by Rev. Dr. Sneath and Rev. Frank B. Sleeper, which were highly enjoyed, as both the speakers had crossed the "big pond" and gave many reminiscences incident to their trip. Cake and lemonade were served. Many hearty wishes for a pleasant journey were extended to Mr. Cook.

The annual High school graduation occurs on Friday evening, and the prospect is that there will not be a vacant seat in the hall, as Supt. Daniels has arranged a number of novel features and the pupils may be relied upon to give a good account of themselves. The diplomas are to be presented by William A. Wyckoff, one of the members of the school board. Tickets for admission to the hall are to be distributed on Thursday evening, June 28, at 7.30 o'clock. As the seating capacity of the hall is somewhat less than the usual number who desire to attend, it is important that those desiring tickets should be on hand Thursday [illegible] at the High school.

The state board of railway commissioners met recently and heard the directors of the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket Street railway on matters of grade crossing. The first petition heard was that of the company for the approval of a crossing with the tracks of the Midland division of the Consolidated system at North Bellingham. Fourth Vice President Curtis and Supt. C. N. Woodward of the Consolidated railroad appeared as remonstrants, and President Geo. W. Wiggin of the street car company for the petition. It was shown that there were six passenger trains daily through the town, all of which stopped at the station, and one freight train that did not make a stop. After hearing the testimony Chairman Jackson stated that the board was averse to authorizing crossings of this kind, as under the most careful supervision there was menace to life.

Fred. V Hussey, who was graduated from Brown university last week, has decided to take up the profession of medicine and will go to London this fall, where he will be entered for a four year's course in the St. Thomas Hospital Medical school. This is one of London's famous institutions, and combines with the academic work a good deal of hospital practice, as over 100,000 cases are treated there every year. This, of course, is of inestimable value to the medical student. He will be accompanied by his brother, Dr. C. B. Hussey, who will spend the winter also in London, his course of study involving the spending of the forenoons at the St. Albans Street hospital for children and the afternoons at the St. Thomas hospital. It has long been his idea to devote himself to the diseases of children, and here he will be afforded a fine opportunity. He will be absent till April.

Bradley M. Rockwood returned from the National Republican convention at Philadelphia Sunday morning, having enjoyed a most delightful experience, and one that he will never forget. He had a fine opportunity of seeing the "big men" of the party, Hanna, Roosevelt, Foraker and others, as well as the discredited "boss," Matt. Quay. He was fortunate in securing a good seat in the convention hall, and was present when the nomination speech was made for McKinley. He says that the convention was plainly for Roosevelt, though New England and some other sections would gladly have supported Long. He thinks, with millions of others, that the vice presidential nomination will materially strengthen the ticket, as well as give the office of vice president a new force and power, as Roosevelt is not one to "take a back seat." After the convention Mr. Rockwood enjoyed a couple of days at Atlantic City, Jersey's famous summer resort, and is decidedly enthusiastic as to its charms as a place to get relief from the summer's torrid heat and get a whiff of old ocean's breezes and a roll in her magnificent surf.

Opening of the Medway Line.

Contractor Gore hopes to open the line between Franklin and Medway tomorrow afternoon, as he has been pushing the work the past few days to the utmost limit, it requiring some work upon the Sabbath to get the line in readiness. The last rail was laid on Saturday, and the men were then busied in digging the holes for the iron posts and setting up the poles, stringing wire and clearing up the roadway, trimming trees, etc. The trolley wire was all up by Monday, and a car came down over the line to test the roadbed.

The company has sent out the following to interested ones here: "Dear Sir:—You are cordially invited to the opening of the Medfield & Medway Street Railway Co., Wednesday, June 27th. Cars will leave Dedham for Franklin at 12 o'clock. Return from Franklin to Westwood, where there will be an open air clam bake. Train from Boston leaves at 11.33, connecting with car at Dedham. Yours respectfully, H. Gore & Co."

What the Trolley Means.

Few people realize what a change the introduction of the trolley cars into Franklin means. A year ago the town was absolutely cut off from the outside world except by such transportation as was afforded by the steam cars. Nearby towns were as distant as Boston, unless one owned a horse.

Today one can get out in every direction, and with the exception of City Mills and Norfolk there is almost no town that has not speedy and frequent access to Franklin.

To the northeast is Medway, Dedham and Boston; to the northwest is Milford and South Framingham; to the southeast is Wrentham, the Attleboros, Pawtucket and Providence; to the southwest is Woonsocket and Providence. With the completion of the line to Foxboro early in July an outlet will be had in that direction to Walpole, Mansfield, Taunton and Pawtucket.

From all these towns visitors can now come. From the neighboring ones trade is bound to come. There is not a merchant in town who feels that he is doing all in his power to secure the incoming trade or prevent the home trade from leaving.

The SENTINEL will assist in both. It would seem to be the part of wisdom for the home merchant to use the columns of the SENTINEL for both these ends. Think it over.

Practical and Spiritual.

The annual baccalaureate sermon before the graduating class of the Horace Mann High school at the Congregational church on Sunday evening was largely attended, nearly every seat below and in the gallery being taken It was a union service and participated in by Revs. Sneath, Sleeper and Cook, the latter reading the scriptures and Rev. Mr. Sleeper making the prayer.

The sermon was delivered by Rev. E. L. Atkinson of Boston and was timely, practical and helpful. He took his text from Gen. 18: 26, "And the Lord said, 'If I find in Sodom fifty righteous within the city, then I will spare all the place for their sakes,'" the central thought being the power of righteous men. The speaker congratulated the class of 1900 on living in a town which gave to the world so eminent a divine as Rev. Nathaniel Emmons. He said that for the time being the teacher exercised a greater influence than the preacher. The student of today is to be congratulated that he is coming into possession of the wonders of this closing year of the century. The text put a premium upon righteousness. The Jews had a saying that if all the people kept all the law for one day even the Messianic kingdom would be brought in. Moody said that forty truly good men could turn Boston upside down. The work of the righteous man in this world is to change the kingdom of men into the kingdom of God. That is what education, civilization and Christianity is for.

While religion is old, yet some of the fashions are new. The plan now is to save others. That was Christ's plan and to that end he sent out His disciples. This wonderful fellow feeling is a part of the divine plan. It means "The world for Christ." It is getting to be the belief that the world can be saved. It can be worked and moulded and transformed. We are His ambassadors. We help Christ by helping men. For their sakes was this wealth, this education, this love given to us. The great ideal should be that this life was given to us to give for others. All the world is now open to us as never before. Dr. Emmons would doubtless be astonished to hear it said that we could help God. Whether a laborer, a merchant or a rich man, all have a part in bringing in the kingdom of God. If we are ready for it we shall "find beautiful fighting all along the line." The four things I would emphasize are purity, the capacity for taking trouble, courage, true manhood, so that the world may say in truth, "Here stands a man."

Owing to the absence of Dr. A. J. Gallison in Europe and the temporary illness of F. P. Chapman, the only member of the school board present was William A. Wyckoff. The pupils marched in down the south aisle, while Mr. Wyckoff, Supt. Daniels and the other teachers came down the north aisle. The church was finely decorated with flowers and the music rendered by the choir was fitting and pleasing. On the whole, the record set by this baccalaureate service reached the highest water mark, and augurs well for succeeding ones, which should engross the attention of every friend of education in town.

Saturday's Ball Games.

All the amateur ball players apparently "got in the game" on Saturday and the following contests were pulled off:

A town nine beat a scrub nine from Medway at Indian Rock park on Saturday, 25 to 8

The Hayward team went to North Bellingham Saturday afternoon and defeated the best team there, 11 to 7.

The High school freshmen were defeated, 27 to 8, on the common by a picked nine. Robinson, who pitched for the picked team, allowed the school boys only three hits.

Our Boys rode to Unionville in the afternoon and there met the Textile team. The latter seemed out of form and Our Boys administered a crushing defeat, the score standing 22 to 2 in their favor at the close. The battery work of Williams brothers for Our Boys was a feature.

Talk about the "White Man's Burdens"—but the publishers are having their full share of burdens during these good times. First, through the paper trust, the price of paper has been doubled. Previous to that the type founders got together, and now the ink men have formed a combine. The labor market is stiffer, yet the price of advertising and subscription has not advanced and the desire for complimentary notices and free advertising has not lessened.

At Archers pond a five-room cottage with sleeping accommodations for nine persons, two boats, etc., for the months of July and August, at $30 per month. Address C. W. Pond, Wrentham, for particulars.

Eat fish as well as meat. Shad, sword fish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fish-man.

Send your boys to Ochee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Pull up your carpets and buy new,
Sanford's stock will surely suit you.
Sanford Bros., Medway.

Attractions at Hoag.

The theatre at Hoag lake was opened Tuesday evening. The scenery for it is being painted and the scenes already painted are of high grade. The curtain is covered with the advertisments of merchants of Woonsocket and in the center is a fine picture of Niagara Falls, with the steamer Maid of the Mist just below the falls. The curtain is 24 by 33 ft.

There are four distinct sets of scenery for the theatre. One is a parlor scene. Another is an outside scene, a wood with spreading trees and pretty foliage. There is a Venice scene with old ruined castles, sheets of water and graceful gondolas on them. The last is an olio drop for the purpose of specialty performances between the acts of a play.

The theatre is a spacious building with a seating capacity of 1250 persons. The entrance to the theatre is at one end of the building, next to the ticket office. One passes into the large auditorium and down a broad aisle. The floor is raised and there is not a poor seat in the house. The first rows, taking 500 seats, will be furnished with theatre chairs, and the price of these will be 10 cents. The other seats will be benches, and one may occupy them for the small sum of five cents. The whole theatre will be lighted with arc lights and the stage will be furnished with 65 incandescent lights. The stage is 66 feet wide and 28 feet deep and will be furnished with 14 wings. The dressing rooms are on the ends of the stage, in a very convenient place. Mgr. Young has booked shows for the coming season and the season will open next Monday with Boone's Entertainers as the attraction. Week after next there will be an opera company there. All the shows will make one week stands.

The grounds around the lake will be improved. Near the entrance to the grounds will be a merry-go-round, like those at Crescent park and at Roger Williams park in Providence. It will be 90 feet across and will have in the center a piano imported from Germany. The land for this is staked out.

There is a beautiful island in the lake. It has been connected with the mainland by a bridge 255 feet long and eight feet wide. The underbrush on the island is to be all cleared up, and a more beautiful spot for a picnic ground can not be found within a radius of a good many miles. The bridge will be strung with many colored incandescent electric lights and the island will be lighted also. The mainland will be lighted with arc lights and the park will be a most inviting place by day and night.

There is a cottage house at the lake, and this will be transformed into a large kitchen and a spacious dining room be built near it. A dance hall is to be soon erected. It has not yet been decided how large this will be, but it will accommodate a large number of couples. There will be boats for hire.

Every afternoon and evening this week there is an opera company giving entertainments, and on Thursday evening the Woonsocket Cornet band furnishes a concert from 7.30 to 8.30. The opera company is one that fills engagements at such resorts and comprises some of the "stars" of the stage. The admission is five and ten cents.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

To Let —Tenement of four rooms on Oak street. J. F. Fitzpatrick. 26,29*

Store girl wanted. Address, at once, Box 342, Franklin.

Dr. J. C. Gallison will sell a light driving horse or exchange for a heavier one. 11tf

Tenement of six rooms over Batchelor's paper store. Inquire of H. E. Batchelor. 22tw

Three good horses for sale cheap. Weight 1100 to 1300. Edward S. Cook, Central street, 22,29

To Rent.—5 room tenement, Central square. Inquire E. B. Sherman, Emerson's market. 5tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

For Sale—An open buggy and two second hand harnesses all in good condition. T. B. Allen.

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 18-tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Columbia bicycle, 24-inch frame, in first class condition, to be sold at a sacrifice for cash. Charles Spence, 37 Summer street. 26

Hay, at Maple Farm, all good; 95 cts. to $1.10 per hundred delivered to any part of town. Orders at Chilson's market. O. S. Stetson. 15-tf

Cut flowers, wedding bouquets, flowers for graduation, all kinds of funeral designs made up at Slade's green house at short notice. P. O. Box 179.

Lawn Mowers—Don't try to mow your lawn with a dull mower. Bring it to Rose's machine shop, and he will put it in perfect order. It will cut better, quicker and with far less exertion.

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. See Chas. H. Prince, SENTINEL Office,

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKINNON, Agent

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

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Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

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Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

TUESDAY, JUNE 26, 1900

Celebration of Louisiana Purchase.

Preparations are already well advanced on the project for celebrating in 1902 the one hundredth anniversary of the Louisiana purchase, which may be regarded as one of the half dozen most important events in the history of the United States. The event will be celebrated with an exposition at St. Louis, which, while a world's fair in the sense established at Philadelphia, Chicago and Paris, will derive its distinctive feature from exhibits illustrating the progress and prosperity of the states carved out of the semicontinental wilderness acquired by Jefferson from France only 100 years ago.

The people of this country know rather than realize what has been accomplished in this marvelous territory, while to other nations a definite presentation of the results achieved will contain many elements of surprise. There will be enough to show. The states belonging to the Louisiana purchase, including Oregon and Washington, supplied 300,000,000 of the 547,000,000 bushels of wheat produced in this country last season. From them, during the war with Spain, came all the horses and mules and all the beef used by the government, and now England is drawing from them the greater part of what she needs for her campaign in South Africa.

The people of St. Louis have raised $5,000,000 by voluntary subscriptions for this fair, the city of St. Louis has appropriated the same amount from its treasury, and a bill pending in congress will, if passed, provide another $5,000,000 to be spent under direct government supervision.

This is a good start, and with the patriotism and enterprise of the west and south to push the undertaking its success is assured. It is the aim of the projectors of the enterprise to make it a world's fair in the broadest sense of the term, and all the world is invited.

Richard Guenther, the United States consul at Frankfort, reports that the scarcity and high price of coal in Europe have given much impetus to the construction of apparatus for the use of liquid fuel—petroleum, benzine and gasoline. The advantages of liquid fuel when properly applied are obvious. There is no smoke, no stoking, no ashes or cinders, no incomplete combustion, the fire can be started or shut off at a moment's notice, a more even temperature can be maintained than by the use of coal or wood, and the fire can be regulated by the mere turning of a single cock. There is no dust or dirt, no spacious coal sheds are required, and there is no danger of spontaneous combustion, as frequently happens with coal. It is claimed that petroleum and its manufactures will soon to a great extent supersede the use of coal for manufacturing purposes, and therefore the supply of petroleum becomes of great importance. Statistics show that the United States and Russia are between them producing in round numbers 120,000,000 barrels per year and that the production of outside countries has of late increased so much that they are able to contribute enough now to bring the world's aggregate annual production to about 150,000,000 barrels. The increased demand for liquid fuel will stimulate the exploitation of oil fields in different lands. Railway companies are trying oil fired locomotives. One steamship line has adopted oil for firing under the boilers of most of its vessels. Nothing seems to be in the way of a more extensive use of oil for fuel except the price.

The Cuban bandits who have operated quite successfully in various quarters of the Pearl of the Antilles could get points from the American manipulators of the Havana postoffice. But, then, with our superior education and wider experience, why shouldn't we be able to do things somewhat better than the ignorant Cubans?

RELIGIOUS THOUGHT.

Gems Gleaned From the Teachings of All Denominations.

The one great thing that constitutes a home, that has the power to create it, is love.—Rev. Minot J. Savage, Unitarian, New York.

Future of Young People.

Early associations and friendships almost surely determine the future of young people. Rev. J. R. Miller, Presbyterian, Philadelphia.

Salvation of a Soul.

What saves a soul is the application of truth to human life and character in such a way as to create righteousness and true holiness. Rev. Madison C. Peters, Baptist, New York.

Progress of Mankind.

Mankind is under the law of evolution. Whether he will or not, he must progress. The world is getting better in spite of the ominous prophecies of the pessimists. Rev. Kranskopf, Rabbi, Philadelphia.

New Idea of Christ.

The new idea of Christ is that his life should permeate the very lives of men; that he is the embodiment of God's conception of what man is to become.—Rev. R. Heber Newton, Episcopalian, New York.

Value of the Better Life.

If we want a better press or a better educational system or better politics or wider and truer charities, the church must first create the better life out of which these may spring. Rev. W. C. Madison, Methodist, Denver.

Value of Jesus' Example.

Jesus' example keeps fresh and alive the enthusiasm of our early ideals and makes us dare to trust God and right when worldliness and unworthy ambitions tempt us with their gilded prizes. —Rev. Richard E. Sykes, Universalist, Denver.

God In Our Circumstances.

Whatever your circumstances may be, God stands inside those circumstances. The secret of overcoming power is that we become conscious of this nearer, stronger environment and co-operate with it; that we should live, move and have our being in God.—Rev. Henry Evertson Cobb, Reformed, New York.

Truth of the Gospel.

What words can adequately characterize a minister who does not preach plainly revealed principles and truth of the gospel which he knows to be true because they are not agreeable to him personally or because he fears they will not meet with the approval of his people?—Rev. J. L. Barton, Congregationalist, Bangor, Me.

Compassion of Christ.

Our age needs most of all the Christ spirit of compassion that would not send the multitude away hungry, but would open all the great stores of plenty, of culture, of liberty, of justice, of humanity, that every soul might be fed. Would you know the life, the peace of God, open your hearts to the compassion of the Christ.—Rev. Dr. H. W. Thomas, People's Church, Chicago.

Life In Paradise.

The paradise life will be one of sinlessness. The condition immediately following death is not a preparation for a higher life in the sense that saints are to be kept there until they are prepared for a better life. Paradise is a place of development. It means growth in knowledge and in power and in character. All the imperfections of sin are removed, and the sinless man grows and ever grows up and on toward the perfection of the infinite himself.—Rev. John F. Carson, Presbyterian, Brooklyn.

Young Men's Opportunities.

The man who starts out to get as much as he can and give as little as possible may have some success, but it will not be great. It is not the business of time to serve the man, but it is the business of the man to serve his time. Things of this life worth having will be hard to get. Young men have strength and hope, while old men have memory and experience. Young men should resolve to keep themselves abreast of their fellows, so that when the opportunity they seek comes they will not be found a laggard. Fred W. Lehmann, Central Branch Y. M. C. A., St. Louis.

The "Open Door" For the Church.

As with the nation, so with the church. The Master, with the power or the keys, opens doors for the church to enter. The sphere of influence of the church is bounded only by the world's needs. Christ opened the great door of the church's usefulness when he commissioned it to go into all the earth teaching and discipling in his name. The gospel of the Son of Man is to be given to the world through the church. A door was opened on the day of Pentecost, when waiting multitudes from all parts of the empire heard "the wonderful works of God." This door has never been closed. It still swings wide open waiting the entering in of the church. Rev. Frederick Getty, Methodist, Langhorne, Pa.

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GEMS IN VERSE.

Two Little Girls.

I'm twins, I guess, 'cause my ma say
I'm two little girls. An' one of me
Is good little girl, an the other 'n' she
Is bad little girl as she can be.
An ma say so 'most ever' day.

An she's the funniest ma! 'Cause when
My doll won't mind an' I just cry,
W'y, nen my ma she sob an sigh
An say: "Dear good little girl, goodbye!
Bad little girl's comed here again!"

Last time 'at ma act that a-way
I cried all by myse'f awhile
Out on the steps, an nen I smile
An git my doll all fix' in style
An go in where ma's at an say,
"Morning to you, mommy dear!
Where's that bad little girl wuz here?
Bad little girl's gone clean away,
An good little girl's comed back to stay."
—James Whitcomb Riley in Century.

Lincoln.

When Lincoln died, an universal grief
Went round the world. Men loved him in that hour
The north her leader lost, the south her friend,
The nation lost its savior, and the slave
Lost his deliverer, the most of all
Oh, there was sorrow mid the humble poor
When Lincoln died!

When Lincoln died, a great soul passed from earth
In him were strength and gentleness so mixed
That each upheld the other. He was firm
And yet was kind, as tender as a child,
And yet as iron willed as Hercules.
His power was almost limitless, and yet
His mercy was as boundless as his power.
And he was jovial, laughter loving, still
His heart was ever torn with suffering.
There was divine compassion in the man,
A godlike love and pity for his race.
The world saw the full measure of that love
When Lincoln died.

When Lincoln died, a type was lost to men.
The earth has had her conquerors and kings
And many of the common great. Through all
She only had one Lincoln. There are none
Like him in all the annals of the past.
He was a growth of our new soil, a child
Of our new time he was American;
Was of the people from the lowest rank,
And yet he scaled with ease the highest height.
Mankind one of its few immortals lost
When Lincoln died.

When Lincoln died, it seemed a providence,
For he appeared as one sent for a work,
Whom, when that work was done, God summoned home.
He led a splendid fight for liberty;
And when the shackles fell, the land was saved,
He laid his armor by and sought his rest.
A glory, sent from heaven, covered him
When Lincoln died.
—Denver News.

Don't Overwork Your Talking Apparatus.

Speech is silvern, we are told by a thinking man of old,
But a silence he assures the world is golden,
And a maxim never bore more emphatic truth in store
Than this phrase that comes to us from ages olden.
Such a truth should surely find to the chambers of the mind
In its missionary flight an open lattice,
In this modern age when men, nearly one in every ten,
Freely overwork their talking apparatus.

When a too athletic tongue in its music box is hung
As it were by balanced pivot in the middle,
And in propagating sound is forever dancing round
Like a drop of water on a heated griddle
'Tis annoying to the ear and elicits but a sneer
When the fusillade it shoots is leveled at us,
And we fain would place a ban on the freedom of a man
When he overworks his talking apparatus.

Too much liberty of speech is quite apt to overreach
The desired result for which it is intended,
And the cup of our desire by a too great vocal fire
Oft we crack too seriously to be mended.
Friends are never in excess, and with those we now possess
We are liable to lose our friendly status,
And they're apt to pass us by with a glacial sort of eye
If we overwork our talking apparatus.

'Tis the men who have control of their tongues who reach the goal
Of ambition in this life's unceasing battle;
Not the men who think they take half the pie and all the cake
With their voluble and often senseless prattle.
Men whose chinning is arrayed as their only stock in trade
Should be taken by a posse comitatus
And in silent cells immured until permanently cured
Of imposing on their talking apparatus.
—Denver Post.

Homely Philosophy.

If there's anything you'd like,
Be it wealth or be it fame;
If you want to make a strike
And to gather in the same,
Go to work.

Don't get down and lose your nerve,
Grumbling that you have no luck;
You have all that you deserve;
Better have a little pluck.
Go to work.

If you fail, don't rail at fate;
Charge it to yourself alone;
You'll discover, soon or late,
That you reap as you have sown.
Go to work.

Hard old world? Well, grant it so;
Got to face it, though, or quit;
The more reason that you show
You can brave and conquer it.
Go to work.

With success you would be crowned?
Now's the time, then, to begin;
There's no use to sit around,
Envious of those who win.
Go to work.

Failure's for the false and weak;
Fortune's for the strong and true;
Have a message—dare to speak;
Have a purpose—learn to do.
Go to work.

The Lazy Man.

Let other bards twang the harp in praise
Of the man who loves to toil,
Who's always at work at half past four
And who burns the midnight oil.
I think my lute to laud the good sense
Of the thoroughly lazy man
Who never will work unless he must
And who loafs whenever he can.

He watches the struggles of other men
With a calm, superior smile,
For as long as they work he knows he can feel
And smoke his pipe meanwhile.
For [illegible] are of the lazy ones,
[illegible] always be,
And why should he worry and hustle and push
While he gets a good living free?

Oh, the only true philosophy
Is that of the lazy man,
Who never will work unless he must
And who loafs whenever he can.
He has no craven to lay up wealth,
He has no need to save,
For others will care for him all through life,
And others will dig his grave.
—Somerville Journal.

Death stands above me whispering low
I know not what into my ear.
Of his strange language all I know
Is, there is not a word of fear.
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THE DRESS MODEL.

Flaring wing effects are still a dominant characteristic of spring and summer millinery.

Argentine gray is a beautiful color very much like the moonlight and opal grays of last season.

Thin muslin gowns are fitted to the figure below the waist this season in an easy and graceful manner.

In place of the high white linen collar on the pretty afternoon waists of taffeta, china silk, etc., are to be worn those of fine hand embroidered bishop's lawn, linen batiste, or French muslin.

A new English skirt just touches the ground at the back, is less sloped on its front and side gores, and is some inches fuller all around the upper portion than any of the skirt models in vogue for seasons past.

French cashmere, a very light weight of ladies' cloth, and fine French flannel in soft powder pink make pretty house blouses. They are elaborately braided in white soutache and fastened with small round pearl buttons.

A special feature of new millinery is that the blossoms and foliage used for decoration are abnormally large, many of the huge leaves that extend at right angles from the sides of the hat being shaped like those of the begonia.

The season's new wash silks or "silk cheviots," as they are called, appear in soft, beautiful shades of rose, amber and reseda; heliotrope, russet and mignonette; chamois and violet; cream, pink and stem green, and green with delicate touches of red or gold.

The new French foulards are handsome, both in texture and coloring, and so glossy and soft that they look like panne. Some of the more expensive weaves are double width, an advantage which is apparent with the still prevailing style of plaited skirts.

The new sashes which are so fashionable this season are not excessively high priced, considering their quality and their marked vogue. Five yards are often used when the wearer is tall and chooses the Louis XV sash, the deeply fringed ends of which reach quite to the foot of the dress skirt.—New York Post.

TURKEY WINGS.

The sultan of Turkey continues to promise and build ships.—Scranton Tribune.

Like other debtors, the sultan is sur[illegible] any hard [illegible] mna of promise, but he is ver[illegible] when it comes to writing checks.—Pittsburg Chronicle.

Turkey is said to be buying new guns. Ten to one the money she owes us has been pledged to pay the bills.—Baltimore American.

Our children's children will please see to it that Abdul Hamid puts up that indemnity and those buildings.—Detroit Free Press.

Probably it is reasonably safe to say that Uncle Sam will ultimately get the Turkey and the sublime porte the buzzard.—Boston Herald.

Should Turkey ever seriously propose to pay one creditor the others would object. Russia, it may be certain, will never suffer anybody to reap any advantage great or small from Turkey save and except Russia.—Kansas City Star.

THE PEDAGOGUE.

If President Eliot of Harvard lives until next November, he will have held his present office longer than any of his predecessors. He was elected in 1869.

Professor Otto G. Ramsay of the chair of gynecology at Johns Hopkins university has been appointed to this chair at the Yale Medical school, to succeed Professor B. Austin Cheney, resigned.

Sir William Muir, the principal of Edinburgh university, announces his approaching resignation. His tenure of office will be chiefly memorable for his strenuous and successful efforts to obtain for women full privileges in the university.

Dr. Jerome H. Raymond, who is said to be the youngest college president in the United States, has resigned the presidency of West Virginia university. He had requested from the trustees the removal of five professors, whom he charged with incompetency and insubordination. When the board failed to adopt his suggestion, he resigned.

Mme. Sarah Grand has finished her new novel. It is to be called "Babs, the Impossible."

Rudyard Kipling, according to London announcements, is to visit the United States next autumn. The author says he does not lay his former illness against the American climate.

Since Mark Twain announced his candidacy for the presidency other humorists are falling into line, and among the most promising is M. Quad, who promises, if elected, to put a tax on all dialect stories.

Le Gallienne, the poet, was the other day exploring a dangerous cave in a cliff near Hyeres. Swung by a long rope, he was caught in the rocks. It took his companions nearly an hour to disengage [illegible]

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—Philadelphia Bulletin.

A Desirable Change.

Mr. Soak—But, my dear, I tell you a drink now and again makes me feel like an utterly different man.

His Wife (icily)—Oh, well, in that case I can hardly blame you.—Brooklyn Life.

Just So.

Starboarder—Who is making all that noise?

Mrs. Hashly—It's Rev. L. O. Cutor rehearsing his sermon for to-morrow.

Starboarder—Oh, I see. Practicing what he preaches.—Town Topics.

A Misunderstanding.

Fair Summer Boarder—How many bossies have you, Mr. Whiffletree?

Farmer Whiffletree (sadly)—Four, miss—a wife and three darters.—Judge.

Manners.

"A lady never contradicts, Mrs. Tompkins."

"No, Mr. Tompkins, for a gentleman never gives her occasion."—Chicago Daily Record.

Saved a Cool Thousand.

Wife (proudly)—I saved you $1,000 to-day.

Husband—Saved $1,000? We haven't that much to save. We haven't $100 we can call our own. Hang me, if we have over $10, come to think.

Wife—But you have always said that if you ever had money enough you would build a house.

Husband—Of course.

"Well, for $5 I bought a book showing how to build a $10,000 house for $9,000."—N. Y. Weekly.

Could Tell by the Hour.

It happened at the club.

"This telepathy or thought transference or whatever it is isn't such a wonderful thing after all," he said. "I can sit here with you fellows, and still be conscious of what my wife is thinking about and just about what she is saying to herself."

"Undoubtedly," replied one of the others, "but you couldn't do it if you couldn't see the clock."—Chicago Evening Post.

No Consolation.

"There's no use in being discouraged, Victor," said his young wife. "Remember that when William Cullen Bryant began to write he got only two dollars apiece for his poems."

"Only two dollars!" exclaimed the struggling young literary genius, with bitter emphasis on the "only." "If I could get two dollars apiece for my poems, Arabella, I could make $40 a day!"—Chicago Tribune.

Excels That of a Woman.

Wife (reading the paper)—The giraffe has a tongue 18 inches long.

Husband—Aren't you jealous?—N. Y. World.

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Touch of lips and clasp of hands,
We twain together.
Sometimes the hope, sometimes the fear,
The song, the sigh, the smile, the tear,
But evermore your love, my dear,
And we twain together!

Over seas of sad unrest
We twain together;
One's head on the other's breast—
We twain together.
Breathing one sweet or bitter breath,
The light of life, the dark of death,
Until the green sod covereth
We twain together!

—F. L. Stanton in Atlanta Constitution.

THE THREE LETTERS

Dorothy Sargent, Being In Doubt, Left the Choice of a Husband to Chance.

BY LOUISE CLARK.

"Who is she?"

"Old John Sargent's daughter. He died when she was a child, you know, and left his entire fortune to her."

"Why isn't she married?"

"They say she has buried her heart in Charlie Cutter's grave. You remember, poor Charlie was thrown from his horse some five years ago and broke his neck and her heart at one blow. She is a stunner, though, isn't she? No use trying to get her, Billy. Settle down and calm yourself. My sister says she never had a spark of sentiment about her. But now she seems to have lost all interest in anything. Oh, no, not a mean, stingy streak in her nature! She is very generous with her money, but gives as though she did not care a straw what she was giving the dust to—unnatural, very. I am afraid of her myself, but she is a thoroughbred; never saw her do or look a thing out of the way."

"By Jove! I think the girl has a heart within her, and if I were going to be in town this winter I would try and reach it. She walks like a queen. What is she doing here?"

"Going to the cemetery. They say she comes here at all hours of the day, but there is never a flower on Charlie's grave. She makes no outside show. Give me a match."

"Does she live alone?"

"No—a houseful of servants and a cousin or something as a companion. She used to go slumming, but I heard she got mixed up in a row one night and was hustled off to the station house before the policeman found out who she was. Then the whole force went down on their knees, and she was sent home, so they say, in the Black Maria. Anyway, she gets some one else to slum nowadays, and she pays the bills."

"Is she a bluestocking?"

"Certainly not. She is nothing but what a man would want his wife, mother or sister to be, with a couple of millions thrown in. She takes a box by the season at the Savoy and turns it over to the young folks, like a dear that she is; but, by Jove, she would give you the same kind of a nod if she met you as she would her cook, and there would be no more heart or soul in her greeting than in a dish of smoked mushrooms. I hate to have a woman so independent and so polite that one can't catch hold of a straw for a good foundation for criticism. I wish you were going to be here, Billy. If any one could move her, you could. But she is a stunner and no mistake. Here comes Ned in his trap alone too. Good luck. We'll ride home. Hi, Ned! Room for two? Thanks."

Today Dorothy Sargent entered the silent city of the dead with more than sadness in her sweet face, and as she reached the grave that held all that was mortal of the one man she had ever loved she pressed her face against the marble cross and in her anguish cried aloud:

"Help me, dearest!"

Suddenly, as though the load were lifted from her heart and her prayer answered, she sprang from the ground and hurried home.

Going at once to her room, she took from her desk three letters. Bowing her head upon her hands, she whispered:

"Whatever is is right. My love will guide me. I will be satisfied."

A messenger had brought to her the first letter from the National club. She drew it from the envelope and reread the lines she knew she would have to answer:

> Before you opened the envelope which holds this letter, Dorothy Sargent, you knew who was the writer, and you knew what he had to tell you.
>
> By breaking the seal you have proved you are willing once again to listen to me.
>
> I have returned to my native land after an exile of ten weary years. God knows I did my best to give my wife the love she craved, and he knows I did my best to make her happy and was as true as steel to her, but in his wisdom, which I dare not question, he gave her pure mind the power of seeing beyond what I gave her, and the dear child returned to her Maker broken hearted, leaving me and four motherless children to you, my one love, my one thought and my dearest wish.
>
> Would that you were poor that I might give to you what you could not otherwise have!
>
> Nothing but pity for Marion's children, for my children, can tempt you to come to me now. Come! I will make you love me, I will, and you must know it.
>
> No man ever gave to a woman a purer love than is offered to you again.
>
> Give to me this one word I crave in the name of the innocent woman who knew she held the heart that belonged to another. I cry to you—and not in vain! JOHN H. NORTON.

Rigid and white as death, she threw the letter on the burning coals and watched the flames devour the paper till there was nothing left but a gray mass that trembled and fell to pieces as a whiff of wind blew across the grate.

Opening the second letter, she read:

> Dearest—For the years I have known and loved you I have never till now dared to tell you of my love.
>
> You were rich; I was poor. Shame on me that I would so belittle you! As though you did not know an honest man's heart is worth more than Crœsus' wealth.
>
> You know what I have done in the scientific world, but you do not know what I have accomplished has been through you and that for you alone I have succeeded.
>
> I dare now offer to you the heart and life which will go on and on working for you, spurred by the glorious knowledge that you have said, "I love you."
>
> May I come to you and take you in my arms and hold you close to the heart that beats for you alone?
>
> That I have told you of my love makes me happy. That you will bid me come is the prayer of thine, SYLVESTER NEWCOMB.

As the poor girl finished reading this letter she threw it, as she had done the other, in the fire. As she watched it burn, she said aloud:

"I could be happy with him. His profession would be more to him than he imagines, and he might not see I cannot love as he does."

And she read the third letter:

> My Dear Dorothy—You were a little girl when I saw you first. I loved you then because your beautiful eyes were so like those God had given to the woman I was soon to marry. You know of the short year of happiness which was granted me, and you know what a long, weary life I have led since my wife died.
>
> You, dear, have been and are the one woman in this world to whom I can offer myself and what is left of my life and heart.
>
> Thou art not my first love.
> I loved before we met,
> But the vision of that summer dream
> Is pleasant to me yet.
>
> Thou art my last love,
> I will not say my best:
> My heart has shed its outer leaves
> To give thee all the rest.
>
> I do love you, not with the boyhood passion you may crave, but with the true and honest love of a man old enough to be your father. For years I have loved you thus, but would not tell you, dear. I wanted you to have the happiness which a younger man might give you, and I loved you so tenderly I wanted you to have what would please you most.
>
> You know your own heart's story. I do not ask you to tell me anything, but if you will be my wife I will do all in my power to make you as happy as I know you can make me.
>
> Send me one word, dear, and I will promise to watch over the treasure God has trusted to my care if you will bid me come. Faithfully yours, THOMAS SEWELL.

"He asks so little. I ought to be able to live with him and be happy. I shall be making less sacrifice if I say 'Come' to him, and his dear, old, gentle life will be a benediction indeed."

With tears in her eyes she laughed aloud as she threw this last letter in the fire, and while watching it burn she said:

"I can't marry them all."

Taking a sheet of paper in her hand and smoothing it gently, as though giving it a little blessing, she dipped her pen in the ink, and, with a shudder, as though it were with her own blood she were writing, she wrote the one word:

> Come!

Folding the paper, she put it in an envelope and sealed it.

She then drew another sheet from the case before her and wrote upon it:

> My Dear, Dear Friend—I love you too well to give myself to you, and myself is all I have to give.
>
> God grant you may find a woman worthy of your honest love is the prayer of DOROTHY SARGENT.

In closing this letter in an envelope and sealing it, she gave a sigh of relief and took another sheet of paper, on which she wrote:

> No woman living ever grieved more in saying no to a devoted suitor than does your sincere and unhappy friend, DOROTHY SARGENT.

And she sealed this as she had the others and went to the library, leaving all three of her answers on her desk.

Touching the bell in the hall as she passed through, the butler answered her call.

"James, tell Poole to bring me the three letters on my desk. She may stamp them first."

Her maid brought her the letters. Stepping to the table, she bowed her head and whispered:

"God help me to direct these aright."

On one she wrote, "John H. Norton, Esq., National Club."

On the second, "Professor Newcomb, Cambridge."

On the third, "Hon. Thomas Sewell, Hotel Cecil."

"Give these to James to [illegible]ost. I am not at home if any one [illegible] this evening and will dine alone."—[illegible] Herald.

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Down a Mountain o[illegible] Avalanche.

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A Woman's Predicament.

The Chicago Post describes the sad case of a woman who was waiting at the "limits car barn" for an Evanston avenue car. There were plenty of Evanston cars, but her transfer check was good only on the avenue line, and she was determined not to pay another fare.

At last, as night approached, she went to a telephone and called up her husband. She told him the situation—that no Evanston avenue cars seemed to be running, that it was getting dark, and she was afraid. What should she do?

"Why, take an Evanston car," he replied.

"But I shall have to pay another fare," she objected.

"Well, what of it? You don't want to stay there, do you?"

"But I can't," she said and hesitated.

"Why not?" he asked.

"Because—because I haven't any money. I just used my last dime in the telephone to call you up."

And then she wondered at the laugh which reached her ears over the wire.

The Pastor's Salary.

They have ways of their own in doing things in dear old Massachusetts, and they cannot be said to be generous ways. In a certain little coast town lives and works a clergyman beloved for his good deeds. From early morning till late at night he is at the beck and call of his parishioners, never complaining, always cheerful. His annual stipend is $200. The summer visitors to this town last year, appreciating the preacher's gentleness and hard work, and noticing his lack of material prosperity, clubbed together and presented to him a purse of $100. The good church folk, of course, heard of it—and when it came time to pay him his yearly salary they tendered him $100 and a receipt to sign for $200! "You have got the other hundred from the summer people," they said. The old man accepted the situation and is working away as hard as ever.—New York Sun.

British locomotive firms have work on hand for 12 to 18 months.

Tokyo, Japan, is to have a fine electric railway system 200 miles in length.

A new automatic electric safety block signal, which will stop a train without the assistance of the engineer or motorman, is now being introduced. It is applicable to any style of motor power.

Retribution.

"Yesterday," said Jabson, "I refused a poor woman a request for a small sum of money, and in consequence of my act I passed a sleepless night. The tones of her voice were ringing in my ears the whole time."

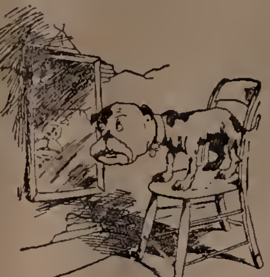
"Your softness of heart does you credit," said Mabson. "Who was the woman?"

Jabson—My wife.—Tit-Bits.

An Explanation.

Says the dominie: "These dames protest
they're poor—
Yet see the sumptuous gowns they wear."
"Mayhap they've paid for their gowns, my
dear,"
Says the dominie's wife, disposed to be
fair
—Detroit Journal.

A TRIFLING DEFECT.



"Oh, how handsome I'd be if it wasn't for these how legs of mine!"—N. Y. Truth.

A Show.

This world is all a fleeting show:
On getting in mankind is bent;
Some get good seats, some standing room,
While many crawl under the tent.
—Harlem Life.

Unveiling the Past.

"I wish now," shrieked the angry young wife, "I wish now, George Whackster, you had married Lucy Jones instead of me! That's what I wish!"

"I would have married her," howled the equally angry young husband, "only she wouldn't marry me, and you would!"—Chicago Tribune.

Judged by His Style.

Jones—How on earth does Bluffem manage to get credit at that swell tailor's?

Brown—The tailor found out that he lived at the Asdorf-Waldoria.

Jones—But how does he manage to bluff the hotel people?

Brown—I suppose they judge him by his clothes.—Judge.

Masculine Intuition.

Mr. Simkins—Our new neighbor, Mrs. Lamkins, is not a very neat housekeeper, is she?

Mrs. Simkins—Indeed she isn't. She lets things lay around every which way. How did you know?

Mr. Simkins—Oh, her husband looks so jolly.—N. Y. Weekly.

Eclipsed.

"That's a very full moon," said the visitor to Hobbletown.

"Full!" sneered the oldest inhabitant, contemptuously. "Mister, you ought ter hev seen how full the moons got way back in the winter of thirty-nine!"—N. Y. Truth.

Completing the Diagnosis.

"I don't know whether you can do anything for my little girl or not," said the caller. "She has a bad case of strabismus."

"I notice she's cross-eyed, too," observed the traveling eye doctor.—Chicago Tribune.

Red Letter Day.

Counsel (to witness, the father of a family)—Why are you so certain, Mr. Branch, that the event occurred on such a date? May you not be mistaken?

"Impossible, sir. It was the day I didn't have to buy any of my children a pair of shoes."—London Punch.

A Chance for Him Yet.

"I've cured Cousin Algernon of his infatuation for that girl who has refused him four times."

"How did you do it?"

"Showed him statistics proving that there are over 3,000,000 unmarried women in this country."—Chicago Record.

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"Timmins, do you know anything about literature?"

"No."

"Know anything about art?"

"Nothing."

"Know anything about music?"

"Not a rap."

"Good! Come over to my room, pick out a pipe and let's enjoy ourselves."—Chicago Daily News.

It Worried Him.

Mr. Bloggs—You see, my dear, my salary is small and I am not able to save much. I am continually troubled with the thought that if I should die suddenly—

Mrs. Bloggs—Oh, don't bother about that, Henry. You know I've got my old black silk dress that's nearly as good as new.—N. Y. World.

It Does Make a Difference.

Jones—Yes, that's a capital photo, old man; but—er—you seem to look—er—so much younger and more cheerful—jollier altogether, you know, than you do now.

Smith (with a sigh)—Yes, that was taken before I was married. — Ally Sloper.

After the Honeymoon.

Anxious Mother—Why, my dear, what's the matter?

Married Daughter—Boo, boo! My hus—band doesn't lov—love me any more.

"Mercy on us! How do you know?"

"He's—he's stopped kicking my (boo, hoo!) Fi—Fi—Fido."—N. Y. Weekly.

A Bit of Advice.

Mr. Youngling—I come to you for advice. I—I love a girl and she tells me that she returns my love. Now what I would like to know is whether a short or a long engagement would be better?

Mr. Benedict—Make it short, my boy, make it short—the shorter the better. Then, after you are married, your wife will not have a chance to repeat as much tiresome stuff that you said while you were courting her as she would if your engagement were long drawn out.—Cleveland Leader.

Love's Young Dream.

Sweet Girl—Papa, Mr. Poorchap proposed to me last night, and I told him I would marry him, if you were willing.

Father—Send him about his business.

Sweet Girl—He hasn't any.—N. Y. Weekly.

Why She Did It.

"Why is it," they asked, "that you let your husband have his own way in everything?"

"Because," she replied, "I like to have some one to blame when things go wrong."—Chicago Post.

Misunderstood Again.

Mr. Banks—Don't you think my wife paints very nicely?

Miss Milburn—Charming! It makes her look so much younger, I think.—N. Y. World.

Wasn't Necessary.

Singleton—Did you send cards to your friends announcing the birth of your baby?

Benedick—No; none of my friends are deaf.—N. Y. Truth.

The Beginning of Her Rule.

Susie—Papa, what makes a man always give a woman a diamond engagement ring?

Her Father—The woman.—Jewelers' Weekly.

In the Cold, Cold Ground.

Verseleigh—You believe that all poets are born, don't you?

Oldstyle—I do. I believe they're all dead, too.—Town Topics.

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WRENTHAM.

The electric cars Sunday were well filled all day and many from out of town availed themselves of the opportunity to visit the village again after an absence of many years.——Miss Mabel Dean returned Monday to her home in Maine.——Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Chamberlin attended class day at Harvard.——Rev. Fred A. Brooks of Boston is to conduct the summer service at Trinity church this season.——The art department at the Congregationalist fair consisted of D. S. Farrington, C. E. Brown, F. A. Shepard, B. F. Hardman and L. F. Perry.——Daniel Brown is making great improvements on his Red Springs property.——Oliver Everett, who gave the drinking fountain to the town, talks of having it removed to Wampum, first getting a vote from the town to do it.

The annual graduation of the High school takes place on Wednesday evening at 7.45, and Principal Symonds promises unusually pleasing exercises. The graduating class consists of twelve members.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Samoa and Alaska.

THE ROYAL BOX.

The Prince of Wales receives on an average between 500 and 1000 letters a day. Over 200 of these are usually begging letters.

Empress Eugenie is the only royal woman owning a steam yacht. Her fine ship, the Thistle, is one of the best known pleasure craft on the Mediterranean.

The sultan of Turkey rises every morning at 6 o'clock and after devoting the first half of the day to work breakfasts at noon. After that he takes a drive or a boat ride in his park and dines at 8.

The Empress Frederick, who has returned to Germany after an absence of nearly six months in Italy, is in better health than when she left home, but for some time during the winter her condition caused much anxiety, and the Emperor William sent a specialist to Spezia from Berlin to see her.

Duty Toward the Church.

The beautiful though useless rainbows are not to be compared to the worm spinning our silks, or the sheep growing the wool, or the great mines filled with gems which will yet flash among the crown jewels, or of the anthracite which will yet flicker upon the hearth. So in your lives try to find your duty toward the church. It has apostolic origin, and there must be good reason for its establishment. Let the organ sound like the singing of the redeemed; let the congregation be the type of Christian fellowship; let the pulpit be the gospel fireside, the Sunday school be the place where you can study God's word, the building be the old homestead where the Father is looking for his prodigal's return and the prayer meeting be the place where you can distribute the bread of life to others and, like the loaves and fishes, have 12 basketfuls to spare.—Rev. Frank De Witt Talmage, Presbyterian, Chicago.

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"Freddy, how did you get it into your head that Diogenes was a woman?"

"Because she was always looking for a man."—Judge.

Brotherly.

They quarreled over her, but now
They as two brothers be—
For the girl since has declared herself
Each fellow's sister. See?
—Detroit Journal.

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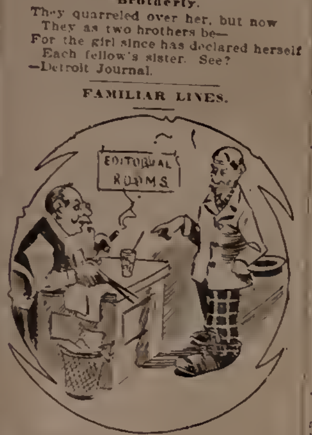

Young Man—I came to inquire whether you have read those jokes yet that I left here a few days ago?

Editor—Oh, often.—St. Louis Republic.

A Quandary.

Loving my friend and loving truth,
By doubts and fears I'm torn in half,
Because my friend has asked, in sooth,
That I should write his epitaph.
—Robert Gilbert Welsh, in Judge

Very Strange.

"Did you know that the scientists have come to the conclusion that a decapitated head can think, although it cannot speak?"

"That's queer, when it is so much easier to talk than to think."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Same Sensation.

Abe Johnson—Did you evah walk ten miles to rob a chicken coop and den find dar was nuffin' in it but a bear trap, a spring gun and a bulldog?

Pete Jackson—No; but I married fo' money once!—Puck.

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"We had to give our pet dog away."

"Why?"

"Well, he ran away nine times, and every time the same boy brought him back and charged me 25 cents."—Detroit Free Press.

Complimentary.

Jim Jackson—I s'pose yo' knows I's goin' wif de Johnson gal now?

Sam Shindigg—No, I didn't; but I suspected it. I heard she shook Abe Absalom fo' nuffin' at all.—Judge

One or the Other.

"Miss Blobbs is either very intellectual or else she hasn't a grain of sense."

"Why?"

"She didn't say anything about my having on a new hat."—Chicago Record

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ANNUAL MEETING.

I hereby give notice that the annual meeting of this association will be held

MONDAY, JULY 2, 1900,

at 2 o'clock p. m., at its banking rooms, to elect its officers and transact any other business which shall come legally before said meeting. Six vacancies exist in the membership.

There will also be a meeting of the Board of Trustees at 3 o'clock at the same place to hear a report from the Treasurer, declare a dividend and transact any business which shall come legally before said board.

CHARLES W. STEWART,
Clerk and Treasurer.
Franklin, Mass., June 25, 1900 je26-1t

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of John L. Fairbanks, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Eliza Fairbanks of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of July, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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A SINGULAR DUEL.

A Story Offering a Fine Flight For the Imagination of the Reader.

By Barry Pain.

At 3 in the morning it was already light as the two men came along the cliff path. They walked in silence until they reached a wedge shaped promontory. The path skirted the one side of it and was divided from it by a light fence; on the other two sides was nothing but the sea, roaring on spiked rocks hundreds of feet below.

Age was the chief distinction between them. Halbron was 25 and Safwell 11 years older. Both were men of fine physique and looked in perfect condition. Halbron was perhaps a shade taller and had a trifle longer reach, and Safwell was a little the heavier. Both wore an air of grave determination; in this strange duel there were no elaborate courtesies.

Two miles away a lazy, pretty woman woke for a moment, yawned, and went to sleep again. Both men had the thought of that woman in their hearts.

The older man spoke:

"I mention once more the conditions: You will try to kill me by throwing me over the cliff. I shall try to kill you in the same way. We go on until one is dead or both are dead. The fence constitutes the boundary. It is not permitted to kick or hit with the fist, but everything else is permitted; one may take advantage of the exhaustion or sleep of the other, supposing that the struggle is prolonged; one may resort to any kind of feint. I think I have mentioned everything."

"Now," said Halbron.

For a moment they watched each other with strained eyes, and then Safwell sprang forward suddenly and tried to throw Halbron. He caught him by the ankle to drag him, but Halbron [illegible] himself free and was on his feet again in a moment. He flung himself on Safwell, and the two, locked closely together, spun round and round. The struggle lasted some minutes, neither being able to get the other down. Suddenly they broke away; they had worked right up to the edge of the cliff, and another step would have sent both over.

Instinctively both men rushed back to the fence and flung themselves down panting. Safwell happened for one instant to turn his head, and in that instant Halbron had caught him by the foot and was dragging him. He tried to twist his foot free, but could not; nor could he stop himself with his other foot or by clutching at the short, dry grass. He was within three feet of the edge, and the case seemed hopeless for him. At the best in going over he might be able to clutch at Halbron and drag him over, too; that was his only consolation. But as Halbron was on the point of swinging him over he stumbled and fell, releasing Safwell.

Both men sprang to their feet and faced each other. They were on the narrowest part of the wedge. As Safwell lowered his shoulder to charge he saw Halbron drop and let the force of the charge carry him over. There was a moment's pause, and then Halbron darted back to the fence again. Safwell went after him and once more they locked, every muscle strained in the life and death struggle.

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It was 7 in the morning. The woman was awake again and angry at being awake, she who usually slept so long and well. After a vain effort to get some more sleep she gave it up and presently rang for her maid. When the fresh sunlight was admitted into her room and she had got her letters and her cup of tea, she had a feeling of unusual virtue in being awake so early. It seemed to herself to be good of her.

Prone on the grass by the fence lay the two men a few yards apart from each other, utterly exhausted. They had been like that for the last half hour. It looked as if it would resolve itself into a trial of endurance, that the one who first slept or swooned would be the one to die. They watched each other carefully; the least movement of the one was suspected and answered by the other. Since the duel began it had gone on in absolute silence; not a word had been spoken. Twenty times the merest chance had saved them both from destruction.

Safwell felt that his strength was giving out; he determined on a plan which would end the fight one way or the other and seemed to give him at least an equal chance with his opponent. His plan was to stand on the extreme edge of the cliff, with his back to his enemy; Halbron would not risk a charge, but would creep up behind him and then push him to send him over. If just at the moment of that push he dropped, Halbron would be certain to stumble over his body and over the cliff; if he dropped too soon Halbron would not stumble and would have a good chance of rolling him over the edge; if he did not drop soon enough then it was certain death.

He rose and went to the edge and looked over, with his back to Halbron. He stood there for some minutes, and then he could hear Halbron softly rise to his feet. He dared not look round. He had to go by the sound alone. It was Halbron's breathing that he heard best; on the grass the footsteps were almost inaudible. Another moment would settle it.

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I am sorry that I forgot the rest of this story.—Exchange.

The Most Beautiful Flag.

In a village school in the Acadian region of Nova Scotia the young lady teacher, who was from a portion of Canada more remote from the United States than the section she was in, was on one occasion preparing for a little celebration of the queen's birthday—the 24th of May. Calling one of the boys, she gave him a coin and said to him:

"Take this, please, and go out and get us the prettiest flag you can find."

She had no idea, of course, of his procuring anything else than a British flag, and her astonishment was great therefore when the boy came back with a small edition of the stars and stripes.

"What have you there?" the teacher asked sharply. "Did you suppose I sent you for anything else than the flag of your country?"

"Why," answered the boy, "you told me to get the prettiest flag I could find, and there was nothing else so pretty as this!"

The boy's judgment was unprejudiced at any rate, for he was a Canadian.—Youth's Companion.

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As always, we shall be headquarters this season for **HORSES.** Heavy Draft and Driving Horses suitable for all purposes.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Hugh Lyons to the Medway Savings Bank, dated November first, 1879, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 515, folio 244, for breach of the conditions thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on

SATURDAY, the FOURTEENTH day of JULY, 1900,

at 3 o'clock p. m., all and singular the following described property:

A certain tract of land containing forty acres, more or less, situated in the westerly part of said Medway, on the westerly side of West street, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the northeasterly corner thereof at the junction of West and Alder streets and thence westerly on Alder street to land of E. L. and O. F. Metcalf; thence southerly and westerly on land of said Metcalfs to land of Charles Wight; thence southerly on land of said Wight to land of C. M. Hill; thence easterly on land of said Hill to West street; thence northerly on West street to land of the heirs of Luther Daniels, deceased; thence westerly, northerly and easterly on land of said heirs to West street; thence northerly on said street to the point of departure, being the same tract described in a deed from James Bradly to grantor, dated April 10, 1878, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 509, fol. 10. Except such portion of the above premises as have been released (June 3, 1897) to the said Hugh Lyons for a location of the Milford, Holliston and Framingham Street Railway Company.

Terms at time of sale.

MEDWAY SAVINGS BANK,
By its Treasurer, W. H. Upton, Mortgagee.
Medway, Mass., June 19, 1900. je19,26jly3

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next-of-kin and all persons interested in the estate of Ruby Wales of Bellingham, in said county, minor:

Whereas, Varnum B. Rockwood, the guardian of said minor, has presented his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, certain real estate therein specified of his ward for investment.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the fifth day of July, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this nineteenth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Sarah G. Whiting, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, has been presented to said court for probate by Ann D. Bennett of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the fifth day of July, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this eleventh day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

je12,19,26 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Hattie M Fisher 1Jan01

The Franklin Sentinel.

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MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
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" "	4.40 "
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Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
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West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

High school graduation tonight.

The selectmen will meet this Friday evening.

Native strawberries are of good quality and price.

George H. Croissant is spending a day or two in Palmer.

Edward Stewart is assisting at the Adams express office.

Farmers report the grass crop much better than last season.

Frank Cody is able to be out after a week's illness with malaria.

Mrs. Alfred Briggs is at Onset, where she has pleasant rooms to let.

Division 8, A. O. H., will hold a regular meeting Sunday afternoon.

The new factory at South Franklin is nearly ready for the machinery.

Mrs. W. Green and Miss Annie Kelley are visiting relatives in Woodbury, Me.

Principal Daniels and family have returned from their cottage at Lake Pearl.

Benjamin Jarvis, a well known resident of Franklin several years ago, is in town.

R. Fiorani is entertaining his daughter, Mrs. Annie Michilini, and children of Reading.

Mrs. Annie L. Stebbins starts today on her annual vacation from SENTINEL office duties.

Mrs. Hugh Murphey is confined to her home on Fisher street by an attack of rheumatism.

Misses Emma Holmes and Clara Nixon have arrived home from Bridgewater Normal school.

The Franklin ball team are arranging to play the Gymnasium nine of Woonsocket tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Margaret and Alice Sullivan of Brighton are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Cody, of West street.

Miss Alice Boyles and Miss Eva Stocker of Mr. Watkins' room have a perfect record of attenance for the year.

The friends of Niss Emma Colby will be pleased to learn that she graduated with honors from Wellesley college this week.

Burt Turner of this town has resigned his position in Taft's grocery store, Uxbridge, to accept a similar one in Norwood.

The annual meeting of the Benjamin Franklin Savings bank will be held in the banking rooms on Monday July 2, at 2 p. m.

Henry R. Jenks, E. H. Sherman and N. E. Newell have been appointed appraisers on the estate of the late Parker R. Farr.

Miss Eunice Crocker and Miss Amy Briggs went to Wellesley on Tuesday, to attend the graduation of their friend Miss Emma Colby.

The Carters, which will be made up with mostly the same players as last year, will play at North Attleboro in the morning of July 4.

Cornelius Curran and family removed Monday from Fisher street to the house recently vacated by Uriah McWilliams on McCarthy street.

The High school graduating class at Concordia, Kan., has adopted as its motto this year: "Beyond us lie the sawbuck and the washtub."

A tree in front of the Charles River company mill on Cottage street was struck by lightning Wednesday afternoon and considerably damaged.

Rev. Samuel Halfyard of New Foundland, a student at the Boston University School of Theology, is to supply the Methodist pulpit during the absence of Rev. Mr. Cook.

Frank H. Wilkins of the Horace Mann high school has been elected principal of the high school in Plainville. Mr. Wilkins intends to study for an A. M. degree this year.

Fred Sherborne, the veteran expressman, between Milford and Boston via Franklin, will retire from his accustomed route July 1 next, having sold his interest therein to Geo. Fuller of Boston.

It is understood that the Flax Fibre Co., has purchased the Steel Edge plant in Millis for the further prosecution of their business. Clifford E. Emerson has gone there in the employ of the company.

Sickness may interfere with the graduating exercises of the High school. Miss Mary E. Hudson is sick with quinsy sore throat and James H. Hood is a victim of the mumps. Both are members of the class of 1900.

During the thunder storms of the past few days a number of electric cars have been struck and "burned out," though nothing serious happened to the passengers beyond a slight scare. The expense to the company is quite considerable.

Master Robert Thayer left yesterday for Camp Algonquin, N. H., his second season at this ideal resort, where, in company with fifty other boys, every form of legitimate athletic work is carried out under the watchful eye of efficient instructors.

Two tramps who have been hanging about the storehouse of Enoch Waite for the past few days were arrested by Officer Redpath and Special Officer Cody near the Waite mill early Wednesday evening, and in the district court yesterday Judge Doe sent them to the state farm at Bridgewater.

The success of Monday evening was duplicated Tuesday evening at the theatre at Hoag's Lake when a large and appreciative audience witnessed the production of "La Mascotte." Thursday evening the Woonsocket Cornet band gave another of its fine concerts, followed by the regular performance.

Pupils neither absent or tardy for term ending June 29; Florence Blackmer, Edith Hamilton, Olive Hofer, Lizzie Jose, Shirley Stevens, Mira Smith. Rank of pupils for the year: 1, Mary Woodward, 2, Olive Hofer, Nellie Holmes, 3, Mira Smith, 4, Florence Blackmer, Ida Van Arsdalen.

Rev. Mr. Cook and C. H. Prince left this morning for Boston, where they embark later in the day for a trip to Europe. They take their wheels, and hope to see not a little of the country before they return. They will also take in the Ober-Ammergau exhibition, as well as to see the various foreign cities.

Some trouble was caused the electric railway people at the junction of Central and Chestnut streets at about 10 o'clock Monday night. As a car came near this corner a trolley wire slipped and became entangled in the electric light wire, dragging the big arc light out of place. The electric light company repaired the damage.

The American band orchestra of eight pieces has been engaged for the dancing at the coming lawn party of the St. Mary's society, and the American brass band will furnish an excellent out-door concert from 8 to 10. Various other attractions will be in order and the event promises to be a highly entertaining affair. The tickets are now being rapidly disposed of.

At a meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary, A. O. H., held Tuesday evening last, the following officers were elected: President, Miss Mary A. O'Sullivan; vice-president, Miss Isabella Murphy; treasurer, Mrs. Margaret Bourbon; financial secretary, Miss Annie Callahan; recording secretary, Miss Mary Walsh; sergeant at-arms, Miss Agnes Callahan; sentinel, Mrs. Margaret Cullen.

Another capital attraction will be furnished by Gilmour and Roderguez for the summer season of the stock company at the Tremont Theatre, Boston, next week. "Engaged" will be the piece which the Tremont Theatre Stock Company will give next Monday evening. This farcical comedy made its first success at the Haymarket Theatre, in London, and the tremendous success which it made was followed by similar experience on this side of the Atlantic.

Martin Touhey, a weaver in the Ray mill, was found dead in a small building where he roomed belonging to James Follansbee on Union street. He had been drinking for a week, but was in his room Thursday forenoon, and asked for a drink of water. About noon someone going in found him dead. Drs. Martin and Hussey were called, but nothing could be done, as he had been dead two or three hours. His death was probably due to alcoholism.

An Auspicious Opening.

The Medway-Franklin line, which is a branch of the Norfolk Western line, running from Dedham, was formally opened on Wednesday, three cars coming over from Dedham, containing officials of the road, officials of the various towns and interested citizens all along the line.

The car reached here at just 1.40 p. m., the head car carrying the Norwood band, which had discoursed its fine music upon the way. It was a strange sight, indeed, to see an electric car coming down Main street, a thing which it had been asserted could never be done in Franklin. Flags were flying from the various cars and large announcements disclosed the fact to the people along the route that this was "opening day." A large crowd of interested sightseers had also gathered to see the first car come in.

Aboard the cars were the Messrs. Gore, upon whom the success of the enterprise has largely depended, and they showed a perfectly justifiable pride in this auspicious accomplishment of their plans. A short stop was made here to allow the invited guests to get aboard, when the three large cars, each carrying about fifty people, moved off for Dedham, where the Messrs. Gore were to disclose other pleasing features of the trip.

The conductors furnished a delightful diversion for those who were fumically inclined, for at the very outset, instead of appearing with the stereotyped "Fares, please," they appeared with a box of cigars, which they presented the passengers with the compliments of the officials. This they repeated at intervals and it was thoroughly appreciated.

Through Medway, Millis, Medfield to Westwood the cars sped on, taking the steep hills with ease and gliding along at the rate of about four minutes to the mile, frequent stops being made to allow the passengers an opportunity to enjoy the fine scenery en route. All along the line the inhabitants were out to welcome the cars, and some citizens had even taken the pains to trim up with bunting, etc.

Westwood was reached in about an hour and a quarter, no attempt having been made to "speed" the cars. Just beyond the car barn the passengers disembarked and were directed to a grove ~~nearby, where the~~ "second course" was awaiting them. Cooling drinks were served and the guests were invited to sit down to a clambake. This proved to be something decidedly more than a mere bake, as every man was served with a large pan of steamed and steaming clams, but each one was also expected to make away with a whole lobster, to say nothing of the hot potatoes and steamed chicken. In fact, it was an unusually fine spread and one that would have done credit to a seaside resort of A1 reputation. Meanwhile the Norwood band was discoursing popular music, cigars were passed around and every one was made to feel that it was his duty to enjoy himself.

One pleasing incident occurred just here. Supt. Spring, in a neat and appropriate speech, presented to Treasurer Gore, on behalf of the employes of the road, a magnificent bouquet of flowers, which was received by Mr. Gore with a speech of appreciative thanks. Supt. Spring created the impression among all who were brought into contact with him that he thoroughly understood his business, was popular with the employes and was just the man for the place. Indeed, one motorman was heard to remark, "Those Gore brothers and the superintendent are the finest men I ever worked for." It surely seemed like the truth.

After dinner the party was escorted to the car barn where Treasurer F. S. Gore showed them over the entire place, explaining the detail, showing the storage batteries, etc. Then a return was made to the grove, where a procession was formed, headed by the band, and the entire party marched to the car barn, where cheers were called for for the Messrs. Gore and Supt. Spring, who had proven such royal hosts for the afternoon. These were given with a rousing good will and a tiger, and the aforesaid gentlemen looked their appreciation, as if they were receiving much pleasure in conferring it upon others.

Shortly after 5 o'clock two cars started back for Franklin and one was sent to Dedham, so that all the party might be provided for. The run was made home without incident, though there was a good deal of good-natured bantering among the passengers, and laughter and jest was continuous. The return trip was made in just an hour, though this time can be materially shortened.

The objects of interest on the way to Dedham included the town pound in Westwood, built about 1700, and now the central figure of the design on the town's seal; the old Colburn house in the same town, the old Peak house in Medfield, the old fork mill on Rattlesnake hill in the same town; Dean academy in Franklin, views of Buckminster pond and the winding Charles and the outlook from Franklin hill.

The new road is four miles in length, and the total length of the system is 20 3 10 miles. The total cost of construction was about $240,000. The girder rail is used largely and modern four-wheel Brill and Laconia and eight-wheel Newburyport cars. The car barn, waiting room and storage battery buildings are located at Pond Plain in Westwood.

The town was represented by selectman Alfred Clark, his confreres, Messrs. Gallison and McCarthy, having planned to go, but were detained here on a highway matter, much to their regret. Among other guests were G. E. Emerson, F. M. Richardson, J. B. Fitzpatrick. M. F. Conroy, C. B. Johnson, P. H. O'Donnell. E. C. Dean, E. B. Sherman, W. S. Johnson and D. P. Moran. Attorney H. E. Ruggles, who has looked after the company's interests here, was also present with a number of others.

It was announced that cars were to run every half-hour, and the trip to Medway, about four miles, was to be made in fifteen minutes. This will be extremely good time, and will admit of making good connections in all directions, for here cars can be had for Dedham and Boston, Milford and South Framingham, the Bellinghams and Woonsocket.

Everyone upon the car was enthusiastic over the excellent manner in which the entire constructive work had been done, the condition of the roadbed as well as the highway, the contractors actually having left the highway in many places better than before. The ride is a very pleasant one, and the Messrs. Gore have not spared money or time to provide their patrons with a fine road, and one from which satisfactory service is confidently assured. They finished up their work as they went along, and many residents along the route are better off for what the contractors have done for them gratis. This, it is needless to say, is fully appreciated by them. That this line, in common with the Woonsocket line now running into town, is destined to receive a good deal of summer business, as well as a permanent and steady business throughout the year, no one can doubt, and Franklin is distinctly the gainer by the enterprise of Messrs. Gore & Co., who have brought this transportation problem to so successful a completion.

A Historic Church Gone.

An alarm of fire was rung in from box 41 at 5.40 on Tuesday evening, and it was soon discovered that St. Mary's Catholic church was on fire. The firemen were speedily on the ground, a second alarm having been rung in, and they soon saw that all hope of saving the edifice must be abandoned, as it appeared to be all afire inside when it was first discovered.

They directed their streams, six in number, upon the neighboring buildings eight of which caught fire from time to time by flying sparks. Only the absence of a high wind saved these structures. Within an hour from the time of the alarm practically nothing was left of the building but a few thin, badly charred sheathing boards. Nothing was saved from the interior but some vestments, books, candles, etc., the valuable organ, costing about $2,500 seven years ago, going up in the general ruin. The firemen did masterly work under the direction of Chief Engineer McKinnon and were everywhere praised for saving the adjoining buildings, the rectory itself being but about twenty feet from the burning church.

The origin of the fire is a mystery. It was discovered by Rev. Fr. Lee, as he was sitting upon his piazza in company with Rev. Fr. Meehan of Ware and Rev. Fr. Reardon of Amesbury, a crisp, crackling noise attracting his attention. Looking around he saw the flames issuing from one of the front windows. He had been inside the church some time before in company with his guests, showing them its condition, and is completely at a loss to account for the fire, as he used extreme care while going about the church.

There are a number of theories in regard to the possible cause, though it is quite probable that the real cause can never be ascertained. Spontaneous combustion finds many believers, and another one is that it was set on fire by a tramp, who was seen by K. R. Jewett to have gone into the yard some time before the discovery of the fire. Attention was attracted to him because he answered the description of the tramp who shot Conductor Billings upon a freight train at Thompson on Sunday. He was said to have been seen near the Congregational church just previous to going to the Catholic church.

Just how much insurance was carried has not as yet been ascertained, but it is understood to have been about $20,000. The building had not been condemned in the sense that it could not be rendered safe at a reasonable cost, but the archbishop decided that under the circumstances it would be wiser not to repair this for the reason that in the future a new and more modern edifice would be required by this parish. Were it not for the future needs of the parish the church could have been repaired so as to serve for quite a good many years. It was only since last February that it had not been used, owing to the discovery by Father Lee that it was for the present unsafe, and it had been examined a number of times by competent experts, differing, however, somewhat in their decisions.

The church was originally the old Congregational edifice and was the first church in Franklin, being built in 1788, Dr. Nathaniel Emmons having been its famous pastor. While it was owned by the Congregationalists, in 1840, it was moved 80 feet further north, to its present site, and considerably altered. The Congregationalists held services in the building for the last time Dec. 31, 1871, after which time it passed into the hands of the Catholic congregation. Rev. James Griffin became the pastor in 1877. Upon the death of Father Griffin the pastorate was taken by Rev. Father Mulcahey, now at Arlington, and for the past nine years Father Lee has been the rector.

Rev. F. B. Sleeuer will preach at North Bellingham, Sunday afternoon.

Contributions of rare sermons by former pastors have been made recently to the historical room of the Congregational church by Rev. Dr. Hodge, Mrs. Rena B. Richardson and Mrs. Chas. T. Love.

The annual graduation of the High school will take place in the Opera House this evening, where a most interesting programme has been prepared, appealing to all classes of listeners. Faithful work has been done by the pupils graduating and their diplomas have been fairly and honorably earned. A certificate from this High school admits to a number of the colleges, which speaks well for the standing to which Principal Daniels and his corps of efficient instructors have brought the institution.

The following programme was finely rendered by the pupils in Miss Fernald's room at the William M. Thayer school Thursday afternoon, the little ones between the ages of 5 and 9 doing remarkably well: Song, The Apple Story; A Little Boy's Wish; Trumm-Trumm; Bugle Call; The Swing; Chick-a Dee Song: The Sun's Travels; Peasant Song; The Land of Nod; Dancing Song: The Town of Sleep; song, London Bridge; My Bed is a Boat; Blacksmith Song; The Wind; song, Bed in Summer; Winter or Summer; song, The Ring; My Shadow; song, Bye, Baby, Bye; Seven Times One; song, The Bandoline; A Good Play; The Mountain and the Squirrel; song, When You are All at Home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Colgan and the Misses Sarah and Mary Colgan, Maggie Nevins and Wm. Bourbeau attended the wedding of James J. Colgan, a former resident of Franklin, to Miss Margaret Gillan, a popular young lady of Providence, Wednesday. The bride was handsomely gowned in light blue chiffon with white trimmings of same over blue silk and wore flowers in her hair. The bridesmaid, a sister of the bride, was attired in lavender and white of the same. The groom was attended by Mr. Eugene Farley, cousin of the bride. Rev. Father Craig of St. Mary's church, Broadway, Providence, performed the ceremony. A dinner was served to a large number of guests at the home of the bride's parents. The happy couple left at eight o'clock for New York. After their return they will reside in their newly furnished home in Woonsocket. They were the recipients of many costly and handsome presents. They have the best wishes of a host of friends.

Canning is Coming.

If you want nice fruit next winter prepare to can very soon, as fruit is coming on, but don't use your old jars. Our new ones are cheaper, better, and improve the flavor of the fruit. We have the square "Royal" fruit jar, best quality selected glass, with "Lightning" top at 90 cents, $1 00 and $1 25 cents per dozen. There are none cheaper in the end. Window screens at reduced prices.

HOSIE BROS.

Richardson's Market.

We now have a full line of Kennedy's famous crackers, such as Saltines 16 cents, Longbranch 16, Cheese straws 16, Butter thin 16, Golden Gates 10, Soda 10, Cream Toast 10, Graham 10. Also crisp potato chips, ice cold watermelon, cooked ham, choicest butter in town from 23 to 30 cents per pound. Native berries. All the choice spring vegetables, such as new peas, string beans, tomatoes, radishes, lettuce, cucumbers, onions, cabbages, beets and turnips fresh from the market gardens. As usual we have the best cuts of meats, veal, lamb, etc, and choice fowls. Try a can of our 10 cent soups as a first course for Sunday dinner, all kinds.

The ice cream season is here and with it we come prepared to serve customers with ice cream made by us. We are not the only ones who make it in Norfolk county, but our cream is second to none, and the proof of the pudding is in the eating. Our ice cream parlor at the store is neat and cool. We have a new team on the road and you will find us on the streets when cream is wanted. Ice cream will be furnished in any quantity at short notice and orders taken and delivered.

A. E. WINCHENBACH,
Opera House Block, Central square.

At Archers pond a five-room cottage with sleeping accommodations for nine persons, two boats, etc., for the months of July and August, at $30 per month. Address C. W. Pond, Wrentham, for particulars.

Send your boys to Ochee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

ANY OLD TIME.

Said the Orthodox clock to the Grace
church clock,
From out its modern steeple:
"You run 'on tick' but not on time—
It's wrong to deceive the people."

But the Grace church clock, disturbed by
this fling,
Struck out, then and there, in a chime.
"Be sure you're right ere you criticise me;
Your face shows 'a high old time.'

Then up spoke the clock on the Opera
house:
"It's wrong for churches to fight;
Don't put up your hands, for I'm no
'lightweight;'
I can prove I'm the only one right."

In the midst of these gibes the steam
whistle blew
To show 'twas not losing its head.
"You've got wheels," said the whistle,
"and though I'm a great 'blow,'
It's six when I say so; 'nuff said."

Just "where we are at" there is no one
who knows—
We're considering the question whether
It wouldn't be wise for the clocks of the
town
To "go on a strike" together.

An Early Morning Fire.

An alarm was rung in from box 6 at 2 o'clock this morning on account of a fire that was discovered in the E. Lovell Metcalf building on Central street, the first floor and basement of which is used as a bakery by William Elkerton, who commenced business there only a week ago. The fire started in a closet in a room above the oven at the rear of the building and spread to beneath the roof.

J. G. Ray engine companies 1 and 3 were at the fire soon after the alarm and had it under control in a short time. But smoke and water played havoc with the stock in the bakery beneath, and the loss from this source and the damage to the building is about $200. The loss to the building is covered by insurance and the stock of Mr. Elkerton was not insured. The fire was undoubtedly caused by spontaneous combuftion. Mr. Elkerton resumed business today.

Emerson's Market.

New peas, asparagus, string beans, tomatoes, spinach, 15c peck; radishes, lettuce rhubarb, cucumbers, Bermuda onions, cabbages, 3 cts a pound; new beets and turnips, new potatoes. Boiled ham 25 cts a pound. Try our Imperial cheese. Fresh killed fowls, lamb, veal, pork. Get your native strawberries here. Fresh cream.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

To Let.—Tenement of four rooms on Oak street. J. F. Fitzpatrick. 26,29*

Store girl wanted. Address, at once, Box 342, Franklin.

Dr. J. C. Gallison will sell a light driving horse or exchange for a heavier one. 11tf

Tenement of six rooms over Batchelor's paper store. Inquire of H. E. Batchelor. 22tw

Three good horses for sale cheap. Weight 1100 to 1300. Edward S. Cook, Central street. 22,29

To Rent.—5 room tenement, Central square. Inquire E. B. Sherman, Emerson's market. 5tf

For Sale—An open buggy and two second hand harnesses all in good condition. T. B. Allen.

Wanted.—A girl to assist in the care of children a portion of each day. Inquire at the SENTINEL office.

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 18 tf

Three hundred cords of pine trash wood for sale. Edward S. Cook, Central street, Box 212. 15,22,29

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Hay, at Maple Farm, all good; 95 cts. to $1.10 per hundred delivered to any part of town. Orders at Chilson's market. O. S. Stetson. 15-tf

Cut flowers, wedding bouquets, flowers for graduation, all kinds of funeral designs made up at Slade's green house at short notice. P. O. Box 179.

Lawn Mowers—Don't try to mow your lawn with a dull mower. Bring it to Rose's machine shop, and he will put it in perfect order. It will cut better, quicker and with far less exertion.

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. At Calkin's Studio, over SENTINEL office.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

Lost or Stolen—On Wednesday evening, an English bull dog, clear white; name and address of owner on collar at time of disappearance. Any information respecting the whereabouts of the dog will be thankfully received and due reward given. G. H. Ochee, barber, Central square, Franklin, Mass.

R. R. Tickets.

During my absence my ticket business will be conducted by R. J. Calkin, up stairs over SENTINEL office.

CHAS. H. PRINCE.

Fireworks.

We have the largest and best assortment of fireworks in town and can sell the cheapest. Open all night July 3.

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Opera House Block,

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FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 1900.

Pugilism and Statesmanship.

The announcement is made, apparently in all seriousness, that James J. Corbett will be a candidate for congress in the Twelfth New York district. Speaking of his candidacy, the distinguished pugilist said: "I don't see why I should not run for congress as well as the next man. I have never given the great topics of the day more than passing thought, but I am willing to train for them just as earnestly as I have trained for any other contest."

Mr. Corbett at least is frank, and his willingness to "train" for congressional duties is commendable. That is more than a good many congressmen are willing to do.

While the prize ring has not been the school from which statesmen have been graduated, "Gentleman Jim" has precedent for his political ambition. New York was once before represented in congress by a professional pugilist in the person of John Morrissey, who a third of a century ago served two terms, and there are those who say that there have been worse men in the house of representatives than the ex-prizefighter. England also furnishes a precedent in the person of Thomas Gully, grandfather of the present speaker of the house of commons, who was elected to parliament shortly after retiring from the prize ring.

If elected, Corbett might distinguish himself in more ways than one. He might be useful in settling promptly and effectively election contests and committee room disputes, and occasionally the science of which he is a master might well be employed on the floor of the house. He would have been an especially handy man to have around in adjusting the squabbles during the present session.

Mr. Corbett possesses in an eminent degree the qualifications of some congressmen. One of these is "sparring" over troublesome questions, and certainly no one can deny that he is an adept at sparring. Then there is the matter of "dodging" perplexing issues. His ability as a dodger was amply demonstrated in his recent encounter with Mr. Jeffries.

If "Gentleman Jim" could use his prowess in "knocking out" bad bills, it wouldn't be a bad idea to have him in congress.

Judge Sutherland of Rochester, in giving judgment for a defendant, the proprietor of an automobile, against an action which had been brought for frightening a horse, said: "If one should find it desirable to go back to primitive methods and trek along a city street with a four ox team and wagon of the prairie schooner variety, it would possibly cause some uneasiness in horses unused to such sights. Yet it could not be actionable, in my opinion, if a runaway should result, provided due care were shown not unnecessarily to interfere with the use of the highway. Horses may take fright at conveyances that have become obsolete as well as at those which are novel, but this is one of the dangers incidental to the driving of horses, and the fact cannot be interposed as a barrier to retrogression or progress in the method of locomotion. Bicycles used to frighten horses, but no right of action accrued. Electric street cars have caused many runaways. Automobiles operated without steam by storage batteries or by gasoline explosion engines, running at a moderate speed, may cause fright to horses unused to them, yet the horse must get used to them or the driver take his chances." If the horse is to keep up with the procession, he must get accustomed to the automobile and not "shy" when it appears on the public highway.

Now that a projectile has been discovered that will pierce the heaviest armor we may confidently expect that some one will find a way to make the armor resist it. That has been the experience of the past.

PASSING YEARS

Look in your mirror today. Take a last look at your gray hair. It surely may be the last if you want it so; you needn't keep your gray hair a week longer than you wish. There's no guesswork about this; it's sure every time.

To restore color to gray hair use—

Ayer's Hair Vigor

After using it for two or three weeks notice how much younger you appear, ten years younger at least.

Ayer's Hair Vigor also cures dandruff, prevents falling of the hair, makes hair grow, and is a splendid hair dressing.

It cannot help but do these things, for it's a hair-food. When the hair is well fed, it cannot help but grow.

It makes the scalp healthy and this cures the disease that causes dandruff.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

"My hair was coming out badly, but Ayer's Hair Vigor stopped the falling and has made my hair very thick and much darker than before. I think there is nothing like it for the hair." CORA M. LEA,
April 25, 1899. Yarrow, I. T.

Write the Doctor.

If you do not obtain all the benefits you desire from the use of the Vigor, write the doctor about it. Address,
DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

THE PARIS FAIR.

The mineral display of British Columbia and the Yukon is particularly fine. The timber exhibit comprises all kinds of Canadian woods from a shoe peg to a saw log.

Vesuvius is situated next to the Champ de Mars railway station, and, besides the eruption and other volcanic display, there is a series of other attractions, including concerts and theatrical performances.

Professor Bernhard E. Fernow of the College of Forestry of Cornell university has been elected an official delegate to the international congress of forestry, to be held in connection with the Paris exposition.

It is said that more than $10,000,000 has been invested in the private enterprises known as "side shows," and the exposition authorities have evidently profited by the experience of the World's fair promoters in letting concessions on the Midway. Most of these "side shows" are backed by stock companies, and their capitalization is enormous.

TOWN TOPICS.

Bay City is said to be the only city in the country where a man must pay two fares if he boards a street car carrying a large grip.—Detroit Free Press.

Perhaps Concord will buy a steam fire engine now that one of the most interesting historical edifices in the town has been destroyed by fire.—Boston Globe.

The admiral's candidacy gives New York a pretense of excuse for abandoning the Dewey arch fund, and New York is quick to take advantage of it.—Washington Post.

Greater New York proposed to asphalt Broadway from Fourteenth street to Forty-second street. Will Bradford permit Gotham's Rialto to eclipse our Main street?—Bradford (Pa.) Era.

Chicago's official sealer has issued orders that all ice must be weighed in the presence of the customer. This practically puts an end to the fun of being the iceman in Chicago.—Buffalo Express.

THE COOKBOOK.

Meat for soup should be cut into small pieces.

Fish is fresh when the eyes are clear the gills red and the flesh firm.

When making tea, if the kettle should have boiled, pour a cup of cold water in and let it boil up again before making, and you will find the tea will be as nice again.

The soapstone griddle must be made very hot before the batter is poured upon it. Such a griddle should be heated gradually, but must be hot enough to bake the cake quickly. Never grease a soapstone griddle. If the cakes stick, it is because the griddle is not hot enough.

THE BOTANIST.

There is no tree which requires less pruning than a cherry tree, either at the time of planting or at any other.

There is a hospital for trees on the banks of the Seine in Paris. Trees which grow weak along the boulevards are taken there to recover.

Most people think milkweed is poisonous, but botanists and other people who know what is good declare that the young leaves, when they are just in the right condition, are a cross between spinach and asparagus and are delicious in a salad.

The Chicago man explained that he had moved into the suburbs in order to keep the wolf from the door.

"Of course," he ba[illegible]led, observing our puzzled looks, [illegible] r to the figurative wolf more pa[illegible]y."

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RELIGIOUS THOUGHT.

Gems Gleaned From the Teachings of All Denominations.

Riches are the stairs whereby men may climb into the heights of popularity.—Rev. Madison C. Peters, Baptist, New York.

Wisdom.

We can learn wisdom of any one whether we agree with him or not.—Rev. Dr. Gottheil, Rabbi, New York.

Intelligence.

Intelligence is the soil, freedom the air that produces the tree of life that satisfies the soul.—Rev. Thomas J. Dickson, Christian Church, Kansas City.

Honor For Christ.

Honor for Jesus is the believer's desire, but honor for him is best obtained by being an honor to him.—Rev. G. W. Cassidy, Baptist, Walnut Hills, Cincinnati.

Value of Sympathy.

Sympathy is like steam. You should not generate it unless you know how to use it so that it will drive the machinery.—Rev. Dr. O. T. Gifford, Baptist, Buffalo.

Difference In Religion.

The difference in the religion of people is the difference of the God they take into their lives and the extent to which they admit him.—Rev. J. A. McKirahan, Presbyterian, Walnut Hills, Cincinnati.

Pearl of Greatest Price.

One of the greatest blessings is the gift of salvation, the great mystery of redemption. No soul should ever be satisfied without this gift. This is the pearl of greatest price.—Rev. Dr. Ball, Methodist, De Soto, Mo.

Religion of the Future.

The coming religion will be more and more a religion of the people. They will worship God directly, as was intended in the beginning. It will be a religion of absolutism.—Rev. E. E. Hale, Unitarian, Boston.

Wealth's Highest Use.

The highest use of wealth and the ultimate justification of the same is that which makes it a fulcrum under the lever with which society as a whole is raised.—Rev. Jenkin Lloyd Jones, Episcopalian, Chicago.

Christ's Purpose.

Christ proposed to conquer the selfishness and hate and cruelty of the world with the simple principle of love, and, thank God, he is doing it. Since his advent into the world all changes have been improvements.—Rev. J. R. Fisher, Presbyterian, Newark, N. J.

Freest Thinking.

The freest thinking is the thinking that takes in all the facts of life. No man can lay the ax of prejudice at the root of his mental processes and cut off the struggling of man toward God and label himself a freethinker.—Rev. Dr. O. P. Gifford, Baptist, Buffalo.

To Be Christlike.

The mere doing as Christ would do will never make Christians. To be Christian is to be more than imitators. It is to have the same mind in us as in Christ and to be filled with the same glowing ideal.—Rev. Alexander D. MacKinnon, Presbyterian, Boston.

Influence of the Home.

When the philosophers affirm that every sage and seer and statesman has had a great mother or father, they affirm that the home is the foundation of civic power and wealth. The home becomes a temple, marriage is indeed a sacrament, when we recognize that what the parent is today the child will be tomorrow.—Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, Congregationalist, Brooklyn.

More Courage Needed.

A cowardly Christian is a contradiction in terms. Show your colors. I often think that courage is our most needed virtue. We need newspapers which dare to lose subscriptions and advertisers rather than lose their principles. We need courage in politics that will lead a man to look further than a second term. We need ministers who don't ask the past or the powers that be at present what they shall say. I don't asperse the American people. We have courage in the pulpit, in politics and in journalism, but we need more of it.—Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott, Congregationalist, Brooklyn.

Crisis of Religious Experience.

Improvement of a crisis in life consists largely in taking up in a new way powers and talents that we have used before. A man has personal magnetism. Let him lay it down before the Lord, take it to himself again and use it for God's glory. If a woman can sing, let her lay that before the Lord, take it to herself again and sing for the Lord. This is the principle. When the crisis of a call to service arrives, put the principle into operation. God needs men and women who are willing to surrender to him what hitherto they have used in the service of the world.—Rev. William J. Harsha, Presbyterian, New York.

Sincerity of Prayer.

True prayer is not, then, a substitute for true effort, but an accompaniment of it. It has been defined as "the soul's sincere desire, uttered or unexpressed." Sincerity in prayer involves effort. It means a life purpose in accord with the Master's. Sincerity in prayer to the Lord Jesus Christ means an absence of selfishness—"not as I will, but as thou wilt." It is not an expression of superficial or passing emotion. It must come from the calm depths of a soul waiting on the Lord. There is little or nothing efficacious or worthy in any prayer of words unless it embodies this living feature of sincerity or genuineness. It either means the accompaniment of the prayer of true life or else it is the first movement of the soul to find and follow henceforth the path of true life after having lived a wrong or disorderly life. It means the determination from that time forth to co-operate with the Lord by obedience to his laws and by seeking his strength and inspiration.—Rev. John Goddard, Church of New Jerusalem, Cincinnati.

The Variety Ceased.

"Mrs. Hasher," said the cross-eyed boarder to the landlady, "I hope you will not consider me impertinent if I say that there is not very much variety in your fare."

"Sir," replied Mrs. Hasher, "I used to serve hash frequently, but the young gentlemen objected so strongly that I stopped it."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

None a Total Failure.

"Of course," he said, oracularly, "some marriages are failures—"

Her youth had been left somewhat in the past, but she was still able to blush, which she did, and then hastened to say:

"Not failures. Some may be less successful than others, but you cannot convince me that any marriage is a total failure."—Chicago Post.

A Case of Good Riddance.

"He married you and deserted you," said the lawyer, "and yet you are unwilling to prosecute him, though he has married again."

"Well," said the tired looking woman, "I used to hold a grudge against him fer marryin' me, but his leavin' wiped thet out. Let the other woman prosecute him. She has the wust of it."—N. Y. Journal.

Good Men Not Needed.

Stranger—I should think such an enterprising, public-spirited citizen as Mr. Goodman would be nominated for some important office in this community.

Politician—He'd run well, but we don't need him.

"Don't need him?"

"No. We're always sure of a big majority, anyhow."—N. Y. Weekly.

His Impression.

"Rafferty," said Mr. Dolan, "what's thim primary colors Oi hear me dau'ther Ann tellin' of since she tuck to shtudyin' art?"

"Wull," was the answer, "judgin' be all the primaries Oi wor iver to, Oi should say they wor black an' blue."—Washington Star.

A Suggestion.

Bobbie had been studying his dear old grandfather's wrinkled face for a long time.

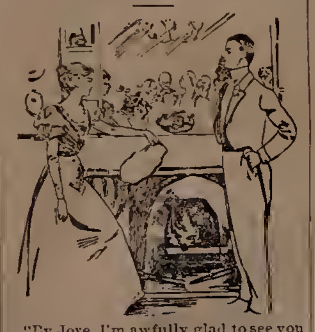
"Well, Bob," said the old gentleman, "do you like my face?"

"Yes, grandpa," said Robbie; "it's an awfully nice face. But why don't you have it ironed?"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Slow of Comprehension.

The Spaniards comprehend the truth.
And heavily it sets.
The Yankees didn't go to war
To pay somebody's debts.
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

DOUBTFUL COMPLIMENT.



"By Jove, I'm awfully glad to see you here, Miss Brown. When I first came in I felt quite nervous—everybody looked so awfully clever."—Punch.

Man.

Man was sentenced to earn
His bread in the sweat of his brow.
But the man who does it is looked upon
As small potatoes now.
—Chicago Daily News.

The Sequence of Events.

"The doctors had a consultation yesterday."

"What was the result?"

"I understand that the family lawyers are now in secret session."—Brooklyn Life.

A Sad Awakening.

"You shall be rich and famous," said the fortune teller.

"Alas!" cried the sitter. "Then I am undone. For my dream was to devote my life to art."—Philadelphia North American.

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"Why, what did he do?"

"When he came to open the door he was in his shirt sleeves, and he sat around that way in the parlor all the time I was there."

"Didn't you have on a shirt waist?"

"Yes."

"Well, he had on as much as you had. He might just as well say you are no lady. What is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander."—N. Y. World.

She Chose Slavery.

Ethel—I have the choice of being an old man's darling or a young man's slave, and I've decided to be a young man's slave.

Clara—My dear, I think you are foolish, but I wish you happiness.

Clara (a few years later)—What became of that meerschaum pipe brother John gave your husband Christmas?

Ethel—I burned it up.—N. Y. Weekly.

The Word and the Deed.

Mrs. Uptown—This is strange. Here's a letter from the hired girl I discharged the other day for refusing to do things the way I wanted them done, asking me to send her trunk.

Mr. Uptown—There's nothing strange in that.

Mrs. Uptown—Yes; but she signs it "Your obedient servant."—N. Y. Evening Journal.

And Then Start Again.

Saloon Keeper—I can't charge anything more up to you, Mr. Soak. You'll have to pay cash hereafter. I've used a whole leadpencil up charging the stuff you've had.

Mr. Soak—Don't let a little think like a five-cent leadpencil worry you. I'll bring you a new one to-morrow.—N. Y. World.

Not Apprehensive.

First Boarder—The landlady has gone to a food exposition, but I don't think it can possibly affect us.

Second Boarder—Why should it affect us?

First Boarder—Well, of course, if she finds any cheaper kinds of food than we are getting now, we'll have to eat them; but I don't think it's possible.—Puck.

Rolling Passion.

Mrs. Shopleigh—This war tax is not so bad, after all.

Mrs. Trotleigh—How do you make that out?

Mrs. Shopleigh—Why, don't you see? If you write a check for one dollar and put a two-cent stamp on it, that reduces it to 98 cents.—N. Y. Journal.

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His Answer.

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Due Depositors	$559,245 21
Guarantee Fund	27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account	6,268 89
Interest Account	8,831 98
Real Estate Income Account	184 23
Tax account	32 25
	$602,315 35

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$1,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		6,350 00
" " Mortgages		166,310 00
" " Personal Securities		164,870 86
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		1,500 00
Town-Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		735 27
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$10,919 15	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	9,018 65	
Mercantile Trust Co.	12,075 38	
		32,013 18
Cash on hand		2,074 97
		$602,315 35

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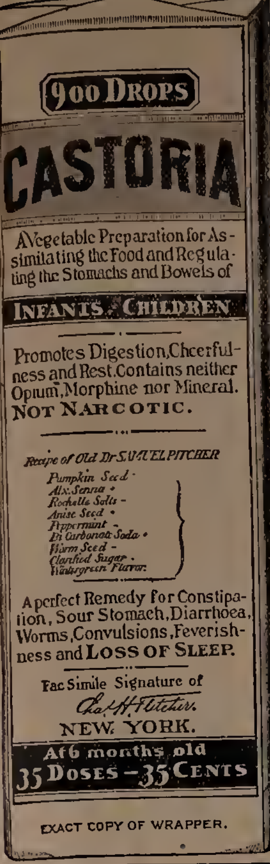
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THE FOUR ARMED LADY

By Francis Livingston

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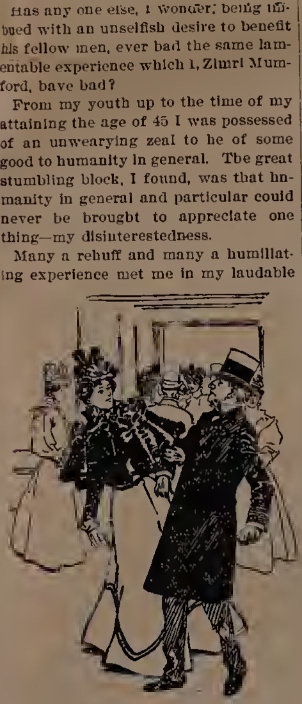
Has any one else, I wonder, being imbued with an unselfish desire to benefit his fellow men, ever had the same lamentable experience which I, Zimri Mumford, have had?

From my youth up to the time of my attaining the age of 45 I was possessed of an unwearying zeal to be of some good to humanity in general. The great stumbling block, I found, was that humanity in general and particular could never be brought to appreciate one thing—my disinterestedness.

Many a rebuff and many a humiliating experience met me in my laudable efforts, but it was not until I encountered the four handed lady that I gave up in disgust.



SHE TOOK MY ARM AND HURRIED ME ALONG.

This happened shortly after I had closed my water store. Ten years ago, having met with indifferent success in a business career, solely from my unwillingness to take advantage of the extreme gullibility and desire to be humbugged of my fellow creatures, I conceived the idea of a water store. I had discovered that many men went into a saloon for a glass of beer simply because there was no place where they could get a glass of water.

Having a small, independent fortune, I put a few thousand dollars into a little place, stocked it with ice tanks, glasses and a marble counter and put out a sign to the effect that drinking water could be had there free of charge.

I at once encountered the violent opposition of the saloon element, but this I had expected. What I was not prepared for was the hostility of the general public. As soon as it became apparent that I was not advertising a new spring water or selling something in connection with my gratuitous distribution of aqua pura, people began to ask where the business end of the thing came in—what I was doing it for, anyhow? My invariable answer—that I was trying to do some good in a small way and that I expected no return whatever—met only with derision. I became a subject for merriment in the comic papers. Some people pretended to imagine that I sold liquor surreptitiously, and in the course of my brief career in the water store I was accused of nearly everything from illicit distilling to selling policy slips. The police used to look in with uncomfortable frequency, and small boys often congregated before my door. The humanitarian idea in connection with my scheme was absolutely rejected.

I have a quick temper, and there were one or two rows in my store. One man who insulted me I knocked down. He had me arrested for assault, and the next day I closed my water store for good.

That ended my attempts to benefit mankind in a public way, but I did not relax my private efforts.

One afternoon I was surprised by having a young and handsome woman come up to me in an excited manner on the street, which was crowded at the time, and ask if she could put herself under my protection for a little while. I consented, and immediately she took my arm and hurried me along, talking volubly and rather incoherently, I thought.

She said some one was following her. I did not see any one near who seemed to be noticing her but one of my old enemies, a policeman. I accompanied her for several blocks. She did not seem to want to leave the avenue, but kept in the thick of the crowd. Suddenly she dropped my arm with a "Thank you" and disappeared into a shop.

I walked on alone for several blocks, wondering who she could be and if she were not a little distraught, when I remembered that I was going out of my way and took a horse car going back in the direction whence I had come.

A little later, to my surprise, the young woman who had so recently asked my assistance boarded the car. She did not appear to see me; but, taking a seat opposite me, she dropped her eyes to the floor and seemed to be lost in thought.

Now, during the short time the young woman's hand had rested on my arm I had noticed (it being ungloved) that it was white and slender, with long, taper fingers. I think there is a great deal of character expressed in the human hand, so I thought to interest myself by studying the hands of my pretty vis-a-vis.

They were now gloved and crossed on her lap, and, to my surprise, instead of the slender, pliant hands I had noticed, these were as characterless as those of a stuffed doll. They seemed to be fairly crowded into her gloves, and while I was wondering how she could so disfigure such naturally pretty members something very singular happened.

My eye was attracted by a movement on the right side of the lady, and while I watched two long white fingers and a thumb stole out from under her cloak and busied themselves in the pocket of the woman sitting next her. Presently they slipped back under the protecting garment holding a purse. I looked closely at the other side and detected a movement there also. All this time the two gloved hands lay [illegible] in her lap and her eyes were [illegible] floor of the car.

This double surprise caused me two separate shocks. The lady had four arms and was a pickpocket. Immediately she arose and started to leave the car. On the instant I decided how I would act. I hurried after the misguided young woman, pausing an instant only to say to the lady whose purse she had taken:

"Madam, if you have lost any of your property, report to police headquarters. Perhaps I can recover it for you."

The lady looked up in surprise, but I did not wait. I sprang from the car and took after the four armed lady.

She had left the avenue and was walking rapidly down a side street when I overtook her.

"I'm afraid you are a bad young woman," I said.

She looked around in astonishment. "What, my elderly protector again?" she said, and began to laugh, but did not pause in her rapid walk. I had difficulty in keeping up with her.

"I saw you take that purse," I said sternly, "and I want you to give it to me."

"What purse? What are you talking about?" she said angrily.

"The purse of that lady who sat beside you. There is no need for you to dissemble," I replied. "If you don't do as I bid you, I will have you arrested."

She shot a wicked look at me from under her black brows, but made no reply.

"It is a shame that you should turn your affliction to such base advantage," I said.

"What affliction?" she asked.

I did not wish to wound her unnecessarily and hesitated before replying.

"The fact that you have two arms more than other people."

She turned away her head, and her shoulders shook. I thought I heard a sound of laughter, but when she turned around she seemed to be crying.

"You don't know what I suffer on account of it," she said, her voice broken by sobs. "People avoid me as a monstrosity. I am very poor, too, and this is the first time I have ever stolen."

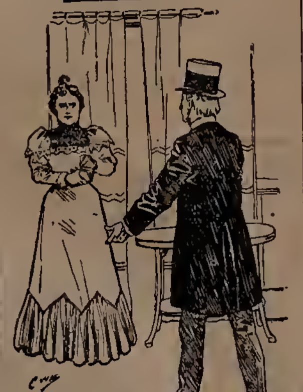
I could not help feeling sorry for her.

"Give me the purse," I said, "and perhaps I can help you."

She put out her hand—one of the pretty ungloved ones—and laid the purse in my extended palm.

"Thank you so much," she said—"no, do not follow me—we shall meet again." And she almost ran away from me.

At the first convenient opportunity I examined the purse. It contained nothing but a little change, a pair of eyeglasses, a key and some visiting cards. The address on the latter was quite near at hand. After waiting awhile to give the owner time to get home I called there. The lady had just returned and was in a state of great excitement. She clutched the purse when I gave it to her and began to thank me hysterically until she opened it, when she cried:



"WHY, THERE'S NOTHING IN IT!"

"Why, there's nothing in it! Where is the money?"

"Madam," I said, "that is just the way it was given to me."

"By whom?"

"By the young woman who took it."

"Oh, I dare say! You and your young woman are a precious pair!"

The front door opened, and her husband entered. The excited lady ran to him and began a most ridiculously misleading account of the whole affair and my connection with it.

"There seems to be something very strange here," said the husband. "When did you discover that my wife was robbed?"

"I saw the woman stealing her purse."

"Why didn't you denounce her then as a thief?"

"Well, I didn't think that necessary. I thought it might be her first offense, as indeed it afterward proved to be."

"Humph! Just wait here a few minutes, will you?"

He went out, and when he returned it was with a policeman.

"I'd like to hear this interesting story of yours told in a police court," said the man.

Despite my indignant protestations I was placed under arrest and taken to the police station, where I was locked up. In vain I sent messages here and there. My lawyer was out of town, and so, it seemed, were all my friends. I was forced to pass the night in that dreadful place, and early the next morning I was arraigned in the police court. We had police justices in those days, and the one before whom I was brought was an old friend—or rather an old enemy. I had faced him once before during the last days of my unfortunate cold water experiment.

Moriarty P. J. glared at me from under his bushy eyebrows as he heard the charge—larceny.

"I've seen you before," he said. "Weren't you up here once for violation of the excise law?"

"I was not," I answered indignantly.

"Are you represented by counsel?"

"No. I don't need any. This charge is too ridiculous."

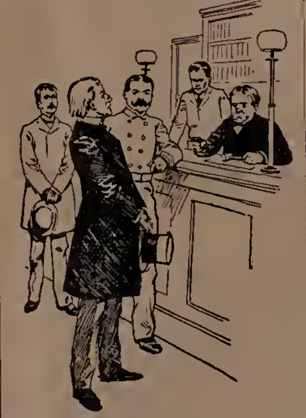
He advised me to waive examination until I could procure counsel, but I demanded that the case proceed at once.

It was astonishing what an array of evil looking things they brought against me.

The detective in a big department store said he had seen a woman, whom he recognized as a shoplifter, acting suspiciously. When she found she was watched, she left the establishment. He followed her and saw her join me on the sidewalk.

The policeman on the post testified that half an hour after the time mentioned by the detective he had observed a woman, who was a well known crook and who was called sometimes "Lady Liza" and sometimes "Slippery Lize," get off a car. I had followed and joined her, and the officer had seen her hand me something.

"That is all perfectly true," I said, "but if this unhappy young woman is in truth a 'well known crook' and not, as I believe, a first time offender, it is singular that neither of these witnesses mentions a most striking personal peculiarity. I refer to the fact that the young woman has the misfortune to have four arms."



"I'VE SEEN YOU BEFORE."

The policeman and the detective both burst out laughing. "Sure, yer honor," said the former, "that's one of Slippery Lize's old tricks. She wears a pair of stuffed arms for show and uses her own to work with under her cloak."

"I think you're a sly one," said Justice Moriarty, frowning at me, "and I'm going to hold you for general sessions."

A young lawyer who, it seems, knew me, and who had come in during the examination, now came forward and spoke privately to the justice. I could not help overhearing part of what he said. He told the justice all about my water store and said that I was well meaning and undoubtedly honest, but here he dropped his voice and tapped his forehead while I caught the words "crank" and "little off."

Justice Moriarty, addressing me, said, "I remember you now, and I'm going to let you off this time, but"—

"I decline," I interrupted, "to accept my disgrace on the ground of any mental deficiency. I am in possession of all my faculties, and if a desire to aid my fellow"—

"You'll take what you can get," shouted Moriarty P. J. in a fury, "and now get out of here double quick! Here's a piece of advice for you, too," he cried, shaking his finger at me. "Keep your nose out of other people's business!"

Of course this was coarsely put; but, smarting as I was under the way my last attempt to help somebody had been misunderstood, I determined to act upon the advice. Thereafter I gave all my thoughts to my own pocketbook, to my own appetites, to my own footsteps. I was astonished to find how much better I got along, and, so far as I could see, others got along just as well as before. I have now changed the old order of my life. I have come to the conclusion that people don't care to be benefited.

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Jones—Ha, ha! And Bigghedd thinks that is a reflection on him, I suppose?

Smith—Oh, no! He thinks his wife must have been married before, and never told him.—Puck.

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CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 6 05 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m; f12 59, 5 29, 6 13, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 39, 10 35 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

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WRENTHAM.

There was a large attendance at the town hall to witness the graduation of the class of 1900, W. H. S. The hall was handsomely decorated with ferns and daises. The following is a list of the graduates: Evelyn Soderberg Johnson, Bertha Eliza White, Bertha Mary Willard, Christina Darling Winter, Mildred Gardner Follett, Anna Lawson Tilson, James Earl Rogers, Louise Adelaide Follett, Merrill Nelson Falk, George Allen Gilmore, Clarence George McEwen, Elton Calvin Metcalf. Addresses were made by Elbridge J. Whitaker, Esq., and Supt. A. B. Cole. The class elected the following officers: President, James Earl Rogers; vice-president, George Allen Gilmore; treas. Bertha May Willard; sec., Bertha Eliza White. The class motto, "Constantia Vencit."——Miss Annie M. Sullivan gave a birthday party for Miss Hellen Keller Wednesday afternoon; the party was conveyed by N. B. Webber to Noon Hill where lunch was served. The party returned home late in the evening.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Spain and Alaska.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending June 27, 1900:

Ladies—Miss Ada Bell, Mrs. Isaac Hagerman, Miss Rosanna Landry, Miss Mame Lyons, Miss M. J. Malaney, Mrs. Martha Stevens, Mrs. Emma Ramsden.

Gentlemen—Frank Sprague Church, Thos. Durkan, Lewis Geoudreton, Jos. McDonald, Jas. McNulty, Frederick D. Monks, H. J. Stewart.

Foreign—Mons. Louis Marceau.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Church Services.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "The Broken Body." Y.P.C.U. at 6.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. Samuel Halfyard at 10.30 and 7.30. Sunday school at 12. Junior league at 3.00. Epworth league at 6.30.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 4. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. F. B. Sleeper, on "Lost Opportunities." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Preaching at 7 on "National Crisis and Tribulation. A short after service in the vestry.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D.; theme, "Chosen to the Inner Circle;" also communion service. No Sunday school. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30; consecration service, to be followed with a short sermon by the pastor upon the topic, "A Woman's Mirror and What She Did With It." No other evening service.

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LADIES' SUIT, sold for $8.50; sale price $5.75.
LADIES' SUIT, sold for $9.00; sale price $5.75.
LADIES' SUIT, sold for $9.50; sale price $6.98.
LADIES' SUIT, sold for $10.00; sale price $7.50.
LADIES' SUIT, sold for $10.00; sale price $7.98.
LADIES' SUIT, sold for $15.00; sale price $8.75.
LADIES' SUIT SKIRT and JACKET, silk lined throughout; was $17.50, now **$11.75**.
LADIES' HEAVY WOOL BICYCLE and RAINY-DAY SKIRTS; were $2.00, this sale **$1.49**.

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CALLED AT 2 P. M. SHARP

1 Mile Open, for Gents—1st prize, striped Jersey; 2d, bicycle bell.
1 Mile Open, for Ladies—1st prize, bicycle lantern; 2d, cyclometer.
1-2 Mile Dash, boys under 18—1st prize, striped Jersey; 2d, golf hose.
1 Mile Running Race, open—1st prize, running shoes; 2d, gold-headed cane.

A Genuine Rhode Island Clam Bake
WILL BE SERVED.

Admission --- Adults 25c.
Children 10c.

TAKING THE REINS.

In 95 races Woodsbed, 2:09¼, has missed the money only nine times.

A 2-year-old brother to Azmoor, 2:13¼, has been named General Joe in honor of General Wheeler.

George U. Curtis has purchased the gray pacer Gil Curry, 2:09½, and will use him on the road.

The colt by Margrave, 3, 2:15½, out of Cora Lee, by Axtell, is eligible to stakes to the value of $52,000.

It is said that Frank Stannard spent the entire season of 1899 teaching The Swift, 2:09¾, to pace without hopples.

Lucie May, 2, 2:22½, winner of the pacing division of the Kentucky Futurity last year, is being trained at the trot.

Monroe Salisbury's "hearse horse" San Pedro, 2:10¾ pacing, 2:14½ trotting, is now driven on the New York speedway by Frank Ferguson.

Dave McClary will ride in the free for all ranks again this year, as C. W. Lasell has sent Rubenstein, 2:05, to him to campaign this season. The fast Baron Wilkes pacer is now at Hartford.

William Holland, Waterloo, Ia., claims the horse auction championship. On March 27 he sold 4,100 horses at St. Paul in exactly five hours, or nearly 14 horses per minute. The sale aggregated $161,000, or $9 per second.

A 3-year-old by Emperor Wilkes, out of Countess Emeline, by Chimes, has paced a quarter this spring in 0:31, and another by the same sire, out of Psyche, 2:15¼, has stepped a half in 1:08 and a quarter in 0:33. Both youngsters are owned at Reservoir farm, Lexington, Mass.

Miss Bennett again demonstrated her ability to beat the best 2-year-olds [illegible] the Memphis track. With 115 pounds up recently she won the Memphis Stakes in a gallop from Garry Herrman and Bad Scharr, both stake winners, and equaled the local track record for five furlongs, 1:01¾.

POULTRY POINTERS.

To be sure of vigorous, healthy chicks it is best to use for hatching eggs that are less than 15 days old.

Oats are a very useful food, as they stimulate without enervating, and help to make a variety.

While the gizzard of the fowl [illegible] the food, it can only be done [illegible] the aid of sharp, gritty material.

One advantage with the Pekin duck is that they can be raised with only as much water as they need to drink.

Spring chickens at spring prices pay better than fowls sold later on, even though the later birds weigh more.

One advantage with poultry farming is that although but little land is required the harvest comes every day.

Feather pulling is largely due to idleness. It is most apt to occur in active breeds kept confined and given no exercise.

Crowd the growth of the early chickens as fast as possible. The earlier they are sent to the market the better prices they will bring.

Eggshells are good for fowls, but they should be crushed very fine before feeding them or the hens may get into the habit of egg eating.—St. Louis Republic.

Coming of Power.

Power comes when there is a real desire to have it. When such desires take hold of us in a religious life, then we will have power.—Rev. C. L. Wort, Presbyterian, Cincinnati.

Angels' Food.

Whatever we have of youth or health or brains or wealth is our portion of angels' food, yet remember that even angels' food can breed worms and rot.—Rev. E. Trumbull Lee, Presbyterian, Cincinnati.

Influence of Associations.

A man's habits of thoughts, a man's very nature, is changed by his associations. If he makes companions of the coarse and sordid, he will become coarse and sordid.—Rev. H. E. Cobb, Reformed, New York.

Need of a Personal Faith.

What this age is specially needing is that every man get a faith of his own and stand fast by it. Without this anything like stalwart manhood is impossible.—Rev. Dr. Adoniram J. Rowland, Baptist, St. Louis.

Spain's Greatest Need.

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I for Indian corn meal and ink,
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K for Kennedy, whose goods we stand by,
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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Miss Annie Rheuu of Milford is the guest of the Misses Doherty of Cottage street.

Jeremiah Halloran of Weymouth spent Sunday at the home of his mother on Main street.

A number of young people are preparing to take in the summer school at Hyannis this season.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Young, who have been visiting at C. W. Stewart's, returned to Vermont yesterday.

Miss Annie Thompson of Woonsocket is visiting at the home of Cornelius Curran on McCarthy street.

Miss Lizzie Donlon has returned to Blackstone after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Garrity here.

Division 8 A. O. H., will hold a special meeting this evening, when officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Sharp of West Somerville have been guests of J. T. Hutchison. Mr. Sharp was formerly located here.

D. Frank Pendergast and Joseph Maroney returned Sunday evening from Providence, where they have been visiting friends.

Campaign flags cannot be swung out this year with the party candidates names upon them, but their pictures can be placed there.

The Carters will play at North Attleboro tomorrow morning, and will present a strong game. A number of base ball enthusiasts will attend.

Miss Viets will be away for a few days vacation and will return about July 11th to finish the season in the millinery department in Sanborn's store.

Saturday night one of the large eight-wheeled cars on the Medway & Franklin street railway carried a little over 500 passengers from 6 till 10.45 p. m.

Mrs. Charles R. Gowen of Pleasant street entertained her father, Mr. Wm. H. Williams and her brother, J. Everett Williams and family of Attleboro, Sunday.

The Franklins were "wallopped" at Woonsocket on Saturday to the tune of 18 to 9. If that team is to represent Franklin it ought to get a winning nine together.

The Harvard quartette of Boston, which has been heard here so many times with pleasure, sang at the Universalist church in Woonsocket last Sabbath, "Lily Sunday."

Griffin court, M. C. O. F., will celebrate the Fourth with a smoke-talk at their rooms in the evening. Foresters from North Attleboro, Medway, Holliston and Walpole will be present.

The M. W. & A. street railway company talk of putting in a switch track near Indian Rock park to avoid the wait which is now necessary here for the Wrentham car to arrive.

The showers Thursday evening put a quietus on the plans for band concerts, and such amusements in this vicinity, and people were more intent on keeping themselves dry than seeking recreation.

When the late Charles J. McKenzie was in business, says a former employe, it was his custom at Christmas to present each married employe with five dollars and the single men with a smaller amount.

Miss Catherine Costello and Michael Costello of West street, attended the High school graduation exercises at Southbridge Thursday evening. Their cousin, Miss Marion Cousins, was among the graduates.

At the meeting of the selectmen Friday bills were approved and sewer matters discussed at some length. The teachers' pay roll for the end of the school year was passed. Anthony Connor was appointed dog officer.

The storm in Franklin Wednesday afternoon caused a slight fire at the shoddy mill. The lightning came in on a wire and it was soon discovered that the roof was on fire. A hose was secured and it was extinguished without much damage.

Have a good time tomorrow, boys, but be careful of fire. Don't take too many chances at getting hurt. The Fourth was made to enjoy but hardly at the expense of a long period of pain. You can be boys and at the same time young gentlemen. Rowdies are always at a discount.

A large congregation at the M. E. church Sunday morning listened to a very helpful sermon, replete with well chosen points and good precepts by Rev. Samuel Halfyard of Newfoundland, who supplies during Pastor Cook's absence. His subject was prayer, and the impression made was a very favorable one.

A large crowd will go to North Attleboro tomorrow to enjoy the Carter-North Attleboro game. As the teams are shifted so much this season the rivalry will be especially keen. Most of the old-time favorites will be in one team or the other, and will have their supporters. Electrics now take passengers to within a short distance of the ground from the Franklin post office.

John Love, an aged and respected farmer of Norfolk, was attacked by a heifer while in his pasture Sunday morning, knocked down and gored. He was in an unconscious state when discovered. A messenger was at once dispatched for Dr. G. A. Martin, who upon his arrival found that Mr. Love had three ribs broken and was suffering greatly from shock. He is 70 years of age, and although somewhat improved today, his condition is still serious.

There is a general feeling of sympathy for Charles Stewart the straw goods manufacturer, that he has been obliged to close his establishment, and it is sincerely hoped that the place may be re-opened under his management or that of some one. It is too valuable a plant to remain closed, and our straw workers here would be sadly disappointed to be obliged to seek work out of town. Mr. Stewart's liabilities are said to be under $40,000, the bad seasons having a decided effect upon the trade.

Francis McKenna, a shoemaker, who kept a cobbling shop and lived on Union street, near Nason's crossing, died at his home at 2 o'clock Sunday morning after a short illness. On Thursday last he went to Medway to visit relatives and was taken ill, and from that time until the end came he had been in a weak condition. He had been a sufferer from malaria. He was about 63 years of age and single. The funeral will be held from St. Mary's chapel tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

The case of Willie R. Cook, charged with neglecting to have his child attend school, was partially heard by the district court Saturday morning. Superintendent of Schools E. D. Daniels, W. A. Wyckoff of the School committee, N. E. Newell, truant officer, and John H. Tyler, the transportation agent for the South Framingham district, were the witnesses heard and Mrs. Cook, wife of the defendant, was on the stand when an adjournment was taken to July 5. It was shown that the committee offered to drive the barge to the house of Robert Wyllie for the accommodation of Mr. Cook's children, but Mr. Cook declined to send his children under that arrangement.

F. S. Gore, treasurer of the Norfolk Western electric road, now running into Franklin, is a delegate to the Democratic convention now in session in Kansas City. He is a delegate for the 10th district, was born April 15, 1862, in South Boston. In 1885 he went into business for himself as a paver and a street railway builder, under the firm name of F. S. Gore & Co., and in 1891 merged his business with that of H. Gore & Co., and became and still is a member of that firm. He is also president of the Boston Asphalt company, and is largely interested in street railways, including the Norfolk Western and Medfield and Medway lines. He was a member of the common council from ward 15 in 1892. He was a member of the old ward 15 committee and chairman of the new ward 16 committee until 1899, when he removed to ward 24. He was a delegate to the Chicago convention in 1896.

A Community Saddened.

"Was here; is gone. And thus from earth goes one whose love of life, of home, of friends, was ever keen. No dark and fearsome thought of shores beyond, but one whose hope was clear, whose trust supreme and faith triumphant. We say he is not here. But why speak thus? 'Tis true the form hath gone. Sight is not all. Example lives and inspiration lends to lives that come. He hath not lived in vain."—Trueman.

The story which passed from lip to lip last Friday evening that Charles J. McKenzie had suddenly passed away seemed almost incredible, especially to those who had not known of his illness and to those who had but recently conversed with him, apparently in good health. The cause of his death was angina pectoris. The funeral was held from his late residence yesterday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Hodge of the Universalist church and Rev. Dr. Sneath of the Congregational church officiating.

Mr. McKenzie was in many respects a rare man. He was of a quiet disposition, unostentatious to a degree, open, frank, a hater of shams, a firm friend, and had ever a kindly word for every one. Perhaps no man in town had more friends than he, and no friend had they more worthy. He loved friendship for its own sake, and cared nothing for social or political power. Again and again his friends desired him to take office, always to be met with the same answer; he preferred to serve in a less conspicuous way, but no less to serve.

He was a thorough business man, giving by nature that attention to detail which makes for success, and and so long as he was blessed with good health made himself felt in the manufacturing world. He was possessed of excellent judgment, was a sound adviser and keen judge of men. His counsels were wise and safe and much sought after, as evidenced by the many positions of trust which he held.

His charities were far greater than any one knew. In regard to this his pastor, Rev. Dr. Hodge, pays him this deserved tribute:

"Mr. McKenzie has been an unknown helper to many people, in ways that during his lifetime were not permitted to become known. No man was ever more kindly thoughtful for others, giving and helping, not unwisely and impulsively, but conscientiously and generously, as a man responsible for the right use of what he had, but also his brother's helper. Quiet and undemonstrative, he was yet a man of deeply religious instinct, a churchgoer who worshipped in his own soul and in the deep and earnest endeavor to do his full duty as a man, as in the sight of God, kindly and tolerant, giving full credit to truth and goodness wherever he found them; he was always a faithful servant and supporter of the Universalist church, the teachings of which were accordant with his reason and his sympathies. The place he has left in that church it would be hard indeed to fill."

His devotion to Dean academy is too well known to require comment. He had been for a long time a trustee of Dean and for many years its treasurer. No institution could have asked a more faithful stewardship or a better friend. He gave to its interest not a perfunctory service, but such thoughtful care and generous zeal as ordinary men give only to their own business. In a thousand ways he made the institution the better for his devotion, and every teacher and pupil felt his whole-hearted interest in the school.

The deceased was in the fifty-fourth year of his age, and was born in Woodstock, Vt., in 1846, his father being Justin McKenzie, a succesful woolen manufacturer and one of the proprietors of the Dewey Mills at Quechee, Vt., a plant that is still in existence, and in the conduct of which the son had an interest. He received his education in the district schools, and entered Tufts College when a young man, graduating therefrom in 1868 with high honors.

His business life began shortly after he finished his collegiate course. He came to Franklin in 1872, and in the manufacture of felting he associated himself with Hon. Joseph G. Ray of Franklin and Hon. Oscar J. Rathbun of Woonsocket, R. I., both deceased, under the firm name of Ray, Rathbun & McKenzie, with factories at Nason's crossing.

In 1879 he also became interested in City Mills Felt company. In 1881 he bought out his partners here and changed from felt to woven woolen goods. Later his health compelled him to retire from active business, but since then he has been in many responsible positions of trust, and was at the time of his death custodian of the Dean fund of $25,000 for the benefit of the Universalist church.

Mr. McKenzie married Feb. 24, 1874, Louise, daughter of Eliakim Johnson of Woodstock, Vt., a granddaughter of Jacob Collamore. His widow and a brother, Mr. Frank S. McKenzie, a woolen manufacturer of Woodstock, survive him.

The body was taken to Woodstock, Vt., this morning for interment.

"And there they left him, where he oft had roved
To greet at morn each mountain's purple dome;
In constant sight of the dear hills he loved,
His happy boyhood home."

PERGE MODO.

The High School's Successful and Pleasing Graduation.

Congratulations are surely in order at the pleasing exercises attendant upon the graduation of the members of class of 1900, of the Horace Mann High school, in the Opera House Friday evening. The hall was well filled, the exercises held the close attention of the large audience, and the nature of the exercises was a pleasant relief from what is apt to be given in public graduations.

Principal Daniels and his assistants have surely done faithful work if results are taken into consideration, and Franklin citizens have every reason to feel that the money expended for this High school is wisely used in the selection of the corps of workers.

The decorations, in charge of Miss Ham, were more elaborate than usual, and surely never surpassed in attractiveness and artistic arrangement. The stage was banked with flowers potted and otherwise, the stage doors were relieved by overhanging evergreen porches, festoons of green and color were twined about the room, and back of all on the stage stood out the class motto, "Perge Modo," press bravely on.

As representative of the school Board, William A. Wyckoff spoke of the sudden death of Charles J. McKenzie, who has been so closely identified with education, especially at Dean academy, saying had it been possible the exercises would have been postponed, but owing to the shortness of time for announcement it was not possible.

The following was the order of exercises:

March—"March of the Praetorian Guard"—
Miss Alice Grace Nixon.
Song—"Their Native Land" .... F. Masini
Chorus.
Prayer .... Rev. I. W. Sneath
Essay—"An Old-Time Club."
Miss Maisie B. Whiting, Salutatorian.
Reading—"Diccon's Death"
(To Have and to Hold."
Miss Caroline Guigon.
An Illustration—
"Some of the Physical Features of Franklin."
Miss Angelina M. McManus.
Oration—"Oliver Cromwell."
Miss Mabel H. Aldrich.
Song—"Over the Waves We Float"—
Stephen Glover
Chorus.
Essay—"The Department Store."
Miss Charlotte E. Butters.
Reading—"Modern Improvements at the Peterkins'" .... Lucretia P. Hale
Miss Mary E. Hutchinson.
Songs—"Lullabies."
Miss Clementine S. Guigon.
Stereopticon—"Snap Shots in Scotland."
James H. Hood.
Essay—"Some Geometrical Ideas in Decorative Art."
Miss Ellen J. Butters, Valedictorian.
Presentation of Diplomas.... William A. Wyckoff
Song—"Night" .... A. Ergman
Chorus.
Benediction .... Rev. I. W. Sneath

The first number upon the programme by Miss Nixon showed her mastery of the piano, her excellent interpretation and musical taste. The choruses, under the direction of the musical instructor, Mrs. Hosmer, were finely rendered, particular attention being paid to time and tone. The singers were entirely under the sway of the instructor's baton.

Miss Whiting warmly welcomed the friends to the exercises, saying that their presence indicated the interest in the pupils and the cause of education. She compared the clubs of the present day with those of the olden time, contrasting the conditions and the participants, evidencing close historical study of the personages of that period.

Miss Guigou's recitation was dramatically handled, with clear conception of the author's meaning and delivered with marked degree of histrionic ability. The illustration by Miss McManus was decidedly novel, nothing of the kind having been done here. She exhibited a large relief map; showing all the hills, valleys, streams, lakes, etc., in this section, together with a geological description, which showed a vast amount of time and research, as well as a natural aptitude for such study.

Miss Aldrich gave her hearers an interesting study of the life of Cromwell, his characteristics, his wonderful personality outlining his career, and marking the salient points in his history in a pleasing manner, showing, as well, that she had given this remarkable man a good deal of thought and study.

Miss Butters handled the department store in a manner entirely new to her audience, showing as she did how such a vast number of articles and sales are watched, checked, charged, etc., accompanying her description with large diagrams which indicated every detail of the work. She made it very interesting.

Miss Hutchinson's reading was very enjoyable, the shades of humor being delicately brought out and well recited. The pictures shown by Mr. Hood, 24 in number, were taken by him in a trip abroad, and were accompanied by bits of pleasing historical description, which showed that he had "kept his eyes open" and used them to advantage. This was something new in graduations and was thoroughly appreciated.

One of the especially pleasing things of the programme was Miss Guigou's "Lullabies," as she gave a brief history of music, its various phases, dwelling upon that which especially appeals to children. She sang a number of them very sweetly, in various tongues, with fine vocal expression, and deftness of touch.

Miss Butters showed a number of large charts, extremly well drawn with designs from Greek and Roman art in architecture, showing their relation to each other and how they had been combined to make the pleasing effects obtained. The drawings held the general interest, while the historical portion finely supplemented the artistic work. In bidding the school farewell she said as follows:

"Years ago, in different gardens, seeds were planted. Slowly, year after year, they grew. The master of the garden carefully pruned and watered the [illegible] ers. Some grew tall and fair; others, refusing to grow in the garden, were removed.

"Friends of the schools, we, the class of 1900, thank you for the garden, gardeners and growth. The gardener planteth his hopes with his seeds and later reaps his thought in fruit. What matter if at home the growth were slow? Squashes, in a season, ripen; oaks, in years. What matter if, in pruning, the master's knife cut keep? The fruit grew fairer. What matter if the storm and wind and heat beat upon us? Its endurance gave us strength.

"Today we leave the sheltered garden for a larger life. Today we highly resolve to so live in the days to come that you, our friends, may reap the fruit of your long labors, to so live that at nightfall we may hear the voice of the Master of all saying: 'Well done, good and faithful servants.' Dear teachers, classmates, school committee and friends, farewell.

"Dear schoolmates, your days today are prophetic of good will. Your prophecy prepares your future. Fret not thyself at correction. Does the tree reprove the master's knife when pruning? Does the iron on the anvil complain of the hammer's stroke which fashions it into use? Does the ore murmur at the furnace's heat which melts out its dross? Thus through discipline good becomes better. Schoolmates,

"Press bravely on and reach the goal,
And gain the prize and wear the crown.
Faint not, for to the steadfast soul
Come wealth and honor and renown.
To thine own self be true and keep
Thy mind from sloth, thy heart from soil.
Press on, and thou shalt surely reap
A heavenly harvest for thy toil."

In awarding diplomas Mr. Wyckoff gave the graduates some wholesome and timely advice, reminding them that their work had but just begun, and leaving the impression upon them that the future depended largely upon themselves. He also called the attention of parents to an absolutely necessary factor in education—the hearty and persistent co-operation of the parents. He urged them to visit the schools and watch the progress of the pupils, thus encouraging them and the instructors as well. It is hoped that the earnest words of the school committee will be heeded,

The following are the graduates:

Classical course—Ellen Josephine Butters, Mary Elizabeth Hutchinson, Maisie Blanche Whiting.

English course—Mabel Huntley Aldrich, Caroline Hall Guigon. Angelina Mary McManus.

Commercial course—Charlotte Edna Butters.

The Fourth at Lake Pearl.

Never in the history of this popular resort has so elaborate arrangement been made by manager Enegren to provide amusement, recreation and a general good time as this year. All classes, all ages, all tastes are provided for. Come and have an outing where cool breezes blow. See list of attractions on the fourth page.

I have purchased the blacksmith shop formerly owned by Rogers & Son, on Cottage street, and will continue the business in all its branches at the same stand. Horseshoeing a specialty. I solicit a share of the public patronage.

WM R. NICHOLS.

The ice cream season is here and with it we come prepared to serve customers with ice cream made by us. We are not the only ones who make it in Norfolk county, but our cream is second to none, and the proof of the pudding is in the eating. Our ice cream parlor at the store is neat and cool. We have a new team on the road and you will find us on the streets when cream is wanted. Ice cream will be furnished in any quantity at short notice and orders taken and delivered.

A. E. WINCHENBACH,
Opera House Block, Central square.

Pineapples for preserving, only $1 a dozen. Now is your chance. For the Fourth we have fireworks of all kinds at lowest prices. Come to us for fruit of every kind in season for preserving. Our prices are lowest for quality.

ZENONI & GREGORI.

Eat fish as well as meat. Shad, sword fish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fish-man.

Send your boys to Ochee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

Read the Business Announcements.

COMMUNICATIONS.

(The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.)

MR. EDITOR.—On one of the very hot days past previous to the death of our beloved townsman, Mr. Charles J. McKenzie, I overheard him say to Mr. Quilter, who was mowing his lawn, "Take care of yourself Clarence; it is very warm; there is another day coming."

To every toiler passing those grounds, those words should shed their fragrance like the summer flowers, coming as they did from an employer to employee.

No better index could be given of his kindly heart.

E. H. S.

Census Notes.

Counting about seventy-five millions of people is a big job, and would have been quite a job for Messrs. Newell and White, but the fact that it was undertaken by no less than 52,000 enumerators, not to mention several thousand supervisors, special agents and clerks, made the individual burden less weighty than would otherwise be the case.

If reports are creditable some of the census takers experienced a good deal of trouble in their efforts to count noses and obtain facts considered necessary by Uncle Sam. So far as known here Messrs. Newell and White, with few exceptions, found courteous treatment and prompt answers to questions. It is a favorite pastime for citizens to speculate on the probable increase of population over the count ten years ago and estimates are given from 50 per cent. upward. The weather was excellent for the business, both for the taker and the taken. Everything has been in accord—the ideal June day, the courteous greeting of the housewife, even in the midst of her washing, and the gentle thanks of the census man.

In a neighboring town it is reported a woman got angry when Uncle Sam's man called and stoutly refused to give her age. In another house one of the men had jotted down a family of twelve persons, and when he had nearly finished the little girl came home from school and told the enumerator that four of her brothers and sisters he had down were dead a long time, and the poor enumerator knocked off work then and there, and went home and spent a whole evening in scratching the names of the dead people off his list. One of the inquisitive men on going the rounds said that they were not obliged to answer any of the questions themselves, and at times it is not very pleasant to call on a spinster, who, in all probability, has weathered forty or fifty summers, and ask her age, and if she is black or white. The man with the book would rather give her the benefit of the doubt and jot her down as twenty years, but the rules of the twelfth census are rigid and all listed questions were asked.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Store girl wanted. Address, at once, Box 342, Franklin.

Dr. J. C. Gallison will sell a light driving horse or exchange for a heavier one. 11tf

Wanted.—At Lake Pearl a kitchen girl. A very active girl will receive good wages. Apply to Wm. Enegren, on the grounds.

Tenement of six rooms over Batchelor's paper store. Inquire of H. E. Batchelor. 22tw

To Rent.—5 room tenement, Central square. Inquire E. B. Sherman, Emerson's market. 5tf

For Sale—An open buggy and two second hand harnesses all in good condition. T. B. Allen.

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 18-tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

For Sale—A new end spring, rubber tired runabout, up to date, will be sold low to make quick sale. Can be seen at 282 Main st., Milford, Mass.

Hay, at Maple Farm, all good; 95 cts. to $1.10 per hundred delivered to any part of town. Orders at Chilson's market. O. S. Stetson. 15-tf

Cut flowers, wedding bouquets, flowers for graduation, all kinds of funeral designs made up at Slade's green house at short notice. P. O. Box 179.

Lawn Mowers—Don't try to mow your lawn with a dull mower. Bring it to Rose's machine shop, and he will put it in perfect order. It will cut better, quicker and with far less exertion.

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. At Calkin's Studio, over SENTINEL office.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. MCKINNON, Agent.

An auction will be held at J. H. Dingman's, Sheldonville, on Friday at one o'clock, consisting of household furniture of all kinds, stable goods, lot of wall paper, etc., rare bargains, worth driving miles to purchase.

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TUESDAY, JULY 3, 1900

The United States consul general at St. Petersburg suggests that a permanent exhibition of American machinery be established at Moscow. It is not a bad idea. Russia is already a large buyer of our machinery and will undoubtedly increase her purchases many fold if our manufacturers adopt a liberal policy of exploitation. The great Siberian railway, in the building and equipment of which American machinery has been largely employed, will be an excellent foreign advertisement, but a permanent exhibition in Moscow, as suggested by the consul general, would serve to keep our machinery constantly before the Russian people. It is a foreign market worth cultivating.

Germany's shortage of coal is strikingly illustrated by the statement that, whereas in the whole year of 1899 only 124 shiploads of English coal landed at Hamburg for German consumers, 548 cargoes have arrived there already this year, and the demand is daily becoming more urgent. The scarcity of fuel is embarrassing many great German industries, and unless the famine is relieved from other sources than England the manufacturing interests of the empire may be forced into a period of restricted operations. It would be interesting to know what efforts American producers of coal are making to profit by this condition in Germany.

The people of the city of New York, who consume about 2,500,000 tons of ice a year, are having a decidedly interesting tussle with the American Ice company, which controls the visible supply in that city and has advanced the price 100 per cent over that of last year. This advance will mean dividends amounting to nearly $4,000,000 on the watered capital of $42,000,000 upon which the ice company does business. With this plum ahead of it the ice trust may be expected to die hard.

An American bar has been opened on the exposition grounds in Paris. The main features of the American bar in foreign parts, say those who have had experience, is the execrable quality of their liquors and the astonishing ignorance of the bartenders in the matter of serving them. It is admitted, however, that they produce about the same sort of a next morning's headache as the American bar on American soil.

A bill has passed the house of representatives authorizing the secretary of agriculture to "prohibit the transportation by interstate commerce of game killed in violation of local laws." There is no reason why it should not become a law. Such a federal statute, properly enforced, would do much to protect game birds from ruthless slaughter by pot hunters. It would not interfere with true sport, and no real sportsman could object to it.

A news item contains the information that a Maryland woman was killed by a needle which she swallowed in a piece of pie. The moral of this incident is obvious. After sewing the lid on a pie preparatory to baking it great care should be exercised in removing the needle.

Irish soldiers in the army of Great Britain can now wear harps, shamrocks or any number of green things they choose. Who would have thought that only the hot air of Africa would start the growth of the shamrock?

It appears "upon information and belief" that Postal Agent Neely's peculations were sufficiently large to enable him to secure bail and eminent counsel. This is where a big thief has the advantage of a little one.

Oom Paul still expects to make the fight interesting up to the twenty-third round.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Don't Know it.

How To Find Out.

Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble: too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

What to Do.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in 50c. and $1. sizes.

You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful discovery and a book that tells more about it, both sent absolutely free by mail, address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper.

Home of Swamp-Root.

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Sympathy.

"What's the matter with Freddie?" asked the boy's father.

"He's worried over his studies. He has an example that says if he has $10 and pays 50 cents for some potatoes and 75 cents for a steak and various sums for other things, how much will he have left?"

"Well, tell him not to bother. I'm not going to have the careless innocence of childhood disturbed by any such useless trouble. It'll be time enough for him to face the awful problems of life when he grows up and has grocery bills of his own."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

She Was Thinking of It.

Mrs. Elverson—Oh, Mrs. Downsleigh, I hear that your daughter Mabel is engaged to Fred Waddington.

Mrs. Downsleigh—Yes; they expect to be married some time during the winter. Why, what makes you look so funny? Do you know anything about him?

Mrs. Elverson—Oh, no; nothing much. I was only thinking. Once when he was a boy I heard our minister say he expected him to come to a bad end.—Chicago Daily News.

An Indistinct Impression.

"I dunno's I exactly agree wif dat speakuh," remarked Mr. Erastus Pinkley, as he was walking home from the lecture with Miss Miami Brown.

"At what point does yoh comprehensiveness get stalled?"

"Well, ef he says he favors de policy of expansion, I dunno's I un'stan's 'im. But ef he favors de expansion o' policy I's right wif 'im."—Washington Star.

Just Before the Wedding.

Perhaps he repented, perhaps he did it only for fun. Said he: "My darling Ethel, what would you say if I were to tell you that I cannot marry you?"

"I would say, my dearest love that I have a big brother who would make it warm for you, and that I have some billets doux that would make it expensive for you, George dear."

"But, you know, I haven't said it."

"I know you haven't, my pet."

"So we'd better get married, hadn't we?"

"I think so, my precious."—Tit-Bits.

Sanitary Item.

Uptown and his friend Westside were in a car on the Sixth avenue elevated. Although it was quite chilly, Uptown pushed up the window.

"Don't do that, you will get pneumonia," expostulated his friend.

"That's precisely what I want. My landlord is a doctor, and if I don't give him something to do pretty soon he will raise the rent on me."—N. Y. World.

A Short Fall.

Mrs. Church—I hardly ever see Tom Backslid at church any more—he must be falling from grace.

Mr. Church—Well, he won't land with much of a thump.—Puck.

Lucky.

Harlem—Yes, they're married now, and living in a flat.

Quizzer—Is his life a happy one?

Harlem—Oh, yes! His wife keeps it warm for him.—N. Y. Evening Journal.

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THE UNDELIVERED LETTER

They were tearing down the Centerville courthouse. One of the workmen found a letter upon which was the faded address "Daniel H. Carter."

"Why, it's to old Preacher Carter!" said some one.

"How do you know?" asked another.

"Why, it's 'Daniel H. Carter,' and his name's Daniel Henry. It must have been sent years before he went to preaching. Let's open it."

"Open it?" said the second speaker. "Is that letter addressed to you? No, sir. It's addressed to Daniel H. Carter, and he's the only man who has any right to its contents. That envelope's got a United States stamp on it, and I don't care how long it's laid there. It means protection to whatever it carries. That stamp would hold good a day after judgment."

The upshot of it all was that the letter was sent across to the building which had been fitted up and was doing service as postoffice in lieu of the old one and sent out by the carrier who had the Rev. Daniel H. Carter upon his route.

The Rev. Mr. Carter was an easy, good natured bachelor and had been pastor at Centerville for almost all the years since he returned from creditable service as chaplain of a regiment during the civil war. It was true that he had passed by all the religiously inclined spinsters and charitable widows in the town, but in spite of this almost unpardonable offense he was well loved and deeply revered, and the church, with the experience of many years, had grown used to its bachelor parson.

That morning when the postman rang his bell he went to the door and received his letter with his usual smile and "Thank you."

To him the envelope seemed rather dusty on one edge and a bit old fashioned, he imagined, but, then, some years had passed over the Rev. Daniel Carter's head and his sight was not so good as it had once been. So, without curiosity, he laid the letter down on his study table and went down to breakfast.

The bread, butter and eggs were particularly good that morning, and the tea was just to his taste, so perhaps the minister lingered a little longer at his morning meal than was usual. It was at any rate a rather long time for a man who had on his study table a letter which had been on the way for nearly 35 years.

But at last the pastor made an end of eating and again sought his study. He picked up the letter and adjusted his glasses with leisurely care. He glanced at the postmark and let his eye roam over the address, but he did not seem to see well, so he took off his glasses, rubbed and polished them and set them on his nose again.

He looked at the handwriting, and as his hand went up to smooth his brow a flash of recognition came into his eyes. His hand dropped quickly, and he looked at the postmark again. Then, with a sudden gasp and the perspiration standing out upon his brow, he dropped into a chair. Only for a moment he sat there staring into vacancy, and then with trembling fingers he tore the missive open and devoured its contents with his eager eyes.

When he had finished it, the letter dropped from his grasp, and he put his hands over his face. His frame shook with sobs and the tears trickled between his fingers. When his paroxysm of grief had about subsided, his voice came muffled from behind his hands in these words:

"Great God, I thank thee that thou hast revealed to me this thing!"

He picked the letter up and read it again. It ran:

> BELMONT.
>
> My Dear Daniel—What! Ashamed to come and tell me yourself! Timid boy! Have you not seen that I love you? It shames my maidenhood to write thus; but, as you say, one can write so much more boldly than one can talk. Yes, I will be your wife. Come to me when you will; it cannot be too soon. ELIZABETH DEERING.

"Elizabeth, Elizabeth!" cried the minister. "How I have paid for my cowardice! I thought you had met my proposal with scorn and deemed it unworthy even of an answer, and I was glad to go into the heat of battle and care for the suffering and dying, to bury the dead and—to try to forget. But in all these years I have not forgotten!"

Then suddenly a thought occurred to him, and he sat bolt upright in his chair. A moment after he had his hat on and was out of the house. Had any of his congregation met him as he went wildly flying down to the station they would sadly have considered the advisability of retaining such a pitifully demented creature as the pastor. His hat was set far back on his head, his hair flying and his coat open wide and an open letter flaring in his hand. He took the train for Belmont. The two towns were so much nearer than they were 30 years ago.

They had grown, and he was hardly out of the suburbs of one before he was into the suburbs of the other.

In the middle of Belmont they set him down. Could any one tell him where a Miss Deering lived? He asked the question with a trembling and failing voice. It had been past 30 years ago, you know.

"Miss Deering—what! Miss Lizzie Deering? Why, any one can tell you where good Miss Lizzie Deering lives. It's right at the end"—

But the interrogated Belmontain stood staring at the man who had dashed off in the direction pointed out before he had had time to finish his sentence.

Who shall tell what subtle instinct drew the minister to the right door? A sweet faced, gray haired woman was sitting near a table sewing. At the unannounced and impetuous entrance of her visitor she half rose and turned very pale.

"Elizabeth, Elizabeth!" cried the preacher. "I have just got your letter!"

Miss Deering let her sewing fall.

"I thought you did not care for me, and I have lived all these years so near you without daring to say a word."

He handed her the letter, and as they held it between them tears dropped upon it.

"Elizabeth, is it too late?" he said.

"I have waited," she said, "because I believed in you. I knew that something had happened that through the mists we could not see. I have kept my love fresh and green, Daniel."

That afternoon she went back with him to the parsonage.—Exchange.

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Starting Him Right.

He (after being accepted)—And now, darling, may I have just one kiss?

She—Will you promise never to ask me again if I let you have just one?

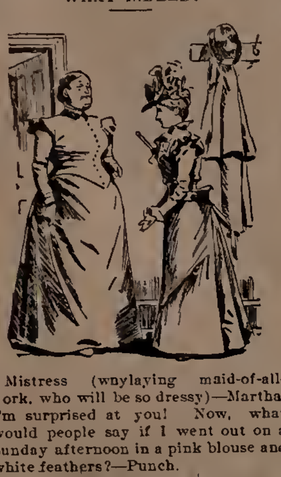
He—Yes; that is, I'll promise not to ask for that particular one again.

She—Oh, well, take it. But I don't see why you want to waste time asking such fool questions.—Chicago Daily News.

The Golfer.

The north wind doth blow
And we soon shall have snow,
And what will the golfer do then, poor thing?
He will hunt up some chap
Who understands that clap trap
And talk it all day unto him, poor thing.
—Cleveland Leader.

WHAT INDEED?



Mistress (waylaying maid-of-all-work, who will be so dressy)—Martha, I'm surprised at you! Now, what would people say if I went out on a Sunday afternoon in a pink blouse and white feathers?—Punch.

Rank Rebellion.

The darling little baby boy presented me of late,
I love with all a father's fond delight;
And yet the little rebel, quite unnatural to state,
Is up in arms against me every night.
—Harlem Life.

The Usual Thing.

Jonks is going to Klondike for the purpose of obtaining wealth enough to enable him to travel in Europe for his health."

"Why, there isn't anything the matter with his health, is there?"

"Not now; but there will be by the time he gets back from Klondike."—Judge.

What He Really Meant.

"I can hardly believe the statement of that fellow who said one trolley car could not hold all the women he has married."

"I do. There might be room for them, but I don't think it could hold them when they got started to discussing the situation."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

An Experienced Man.

"He is quite an adept with the pump," said Clingstone, as Hopkins pumped air into the bicycle tires preparatory to a long run.

"His father was a milkman, and he helped him in the business until he grew up," replied Freestone.—Up to Date.

The First Symptom.

"I'm afraid my wife's affection for me is cooling."

"Why?"

"When she bade me good-by this morning she didn't say: 'Be sure and hurry home as early as possible.'"—Cleveland Leader.

Atmosphere.

Friend (criticising picture) — Your winter effect is excellent; it fairly makes one shiver to look at it.

Artist—No wonder, old man. I began that picture in December, and had to pawn my overcoat to buy the canvas.—Town Topics.

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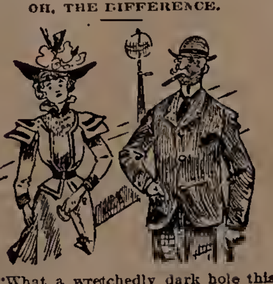
And by that self-same token he
That leads the fastest life may be
Passed by the man who "pegs away."
—Chicago Daily News.

OH, THE DIFFERENCE.



"What a wretchedly dark hole this is, now!"

"Do you think so? Before we were married, you always said it was the most delightful in Brighton—so few lamps."—Ally Sloper.

A Sermonette.

Whate'er betide, O murmur not—
Waste no good breath upon your lot;
Lo! while you grumble, flieth time,
Which, well put in, might earn a dime.
—Detroit Free Press.

Poetry and Reality.

He—I'd go through fire and water for you, dear.

She—Never mind that. Would you agree to go through the operation of making fire for me?—Yonkers Statesman.

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Due Depositors		$564,357 27
Guarantee Fund		27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account		6,268 89
Interest Account		13,108 32
Real Estate Income Account		10 29
		$611,497 56

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		31,350 00
" " Mortgages		159,969 00
" " Personal Securities		164,745 85
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		1,500 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Tax account		874 09
Expense Account		1,178 27
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$14,733 01	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	2,954 46	
Mercantile Trust Co.	64 79	
		17,752 26
Cash on hand		2,653 29
		$611,497 56

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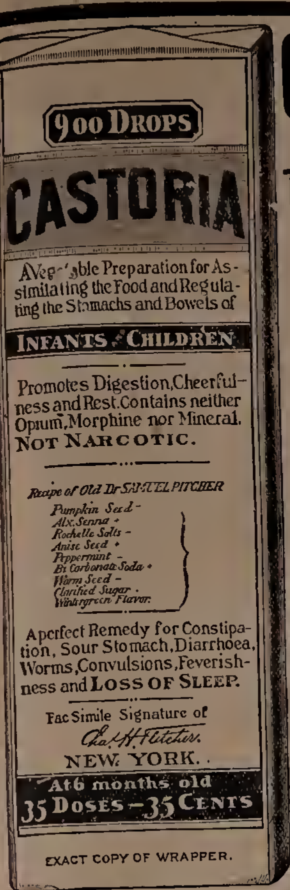

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BY HOWARD FIELDING.

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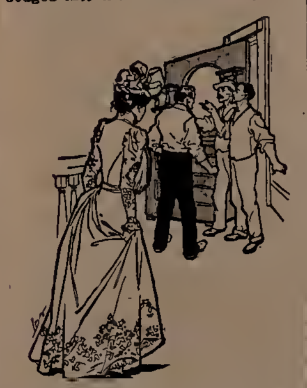
The idea of going all alone to a bachelor's apartments gave Miss Weld a feeling of impropriety. It is true that she was going only as far as the door, and her errand was of immediate and great importance; also she had known the young man since her childhood, and she expected to marry him soon, though the engagement was not even suspected by their friends.

In spite of these considerations she felt like a lawbreaker as she approached the building in which Morton had his rooms. She was very much afraid that some one would see her, and she dodged into the hall so hurriedly that she nearly collided with a man in overalls who was coming out with a bucket of whitewash.



SHE CAME HASTILY UPON A GROUP OF MEN.

She knew at once that he must be the janitor, and she was afraid he might sternly inquire what she wanted there at half past 10 in the forenoon. On the contrary, he did not even look surprised, whereupon she was angry with him and more than ever convinced that she was committing an indiscretion.

She felt a woman's impulse to stop and tell this man her errand—that she had just learned that Mr. Morton's best friend was in a peck of trouble, that she had every reason to believe Mr. Morton to be totally unaware of it and that she knew that Mr. Morton would be heartbroken if he should miss the chance to proffer instant help at such a time.

Avoiding this absurdity by a strong effort of common sense, Miss Weld hurried up the first flight of stairs. It was a crazy old building that had once been a great residence. The lower part had recently been remodeled in the interests of trade and the upper part for studios and bachelor dens. Its tenants escaped all restrictions and formalities. There was no one to care about their manners or morals, no one to receive the cards of visitors or aid or hamper them in finding whom they sought.

As she reached the foot of the second flight of stairs a man's head that had not known brush or comb that morning was suddenly thrust out into the hall, and a stentorian voice cried, "Edward!"

"Yes, sir!" responded the janitor's colored assistant, looking over the banister rail above.

Miss Weld had been so startled that she had run up the second stairs as if for her life; otherwise she might have perceived that there was something going on in the hall above and might have turned back. As it chanced, she came hastily upon a group of men, some of them in shirt sleeves and all talking at once.

They blocked the passage that led rearward to Morton's door. Miss Weld knew where his rooms were. She had been in them several times with other young people and adequately chaperoned. She remembered that the hall narrowed running backward from the stairs and that Morton's parlor door was the one on the right at the end of this little corridor.

She thought to pass the group of men, but instantly perceived behind them a more serious obstacle. It was a large sideboard of antique design. Miss Weld perceived at once that the men were moving it into the suit beside Morton's. The door of those apartments was open, and the young lady caught a glimpse of the tenant enveloped in an enormous bathrobe. She had a slight acquaintance with this gentleman, but she had no inclination to meet him under these circumstances. It seemed better to wait until the sideboard should be moved in and the door closed.

Therefore Miss Weld dodged back just as the gentleman started out toward the hall. She knew that he had not seen her, and he could not do so if she remained in the shelter of the wall that curved around with the stairs. The sideboard would prevent his coming out, and she would have to wait only a few minutes. Being somewhat exhausted by the stress of her emotions, she sat down in a niche that had been intended for a statue, having first spread a newspaper over its dusty surface.

"Why in blue bades don't you bring the thing in?" inquired the owner of the sideboard.

"It's stuck, sir," replied one of the men.

Miss Weld heard this with despair. If the sideboard were going to make any trouble, she could not wait for it. Surely it would be better to go away and find a messenger office.

She reflected with pleasure that the sideboard would keep Morton in his rooms. Indeed there was not much danger of his going out. She knew his habits and had counted upon them in coming there. The young man was a writer of stories, and the forenoon was his principal work time. From 9 o'clock till 1, as he had told her, he was nearly always chained to his writing desk.

The young lady ran down the second flight of stairs, and just at the bottom of them she became aware of a familiar voice below. It was the voice of Mrs. Leland Powers, a person of great social consequence and one whose good opinion Miss Weld greatly valued.

"I can't let her see me here!" cried the girl. "Why she's here herself heaven knows, and it's none of my business. But she simply mustn't see me."

She ran nimbly up the stairs again. The rear hall was still barred, but the man whom she feared was no longer visible. She stood looking over the banister railing until she saw Mrs. Powers on the second flight; then she rushed to the third.

"She must stop somewhere," said Miss Weld to herself. "I will keep ahead of her if I go to the roof."

But, glancing up the third flight, she saw, standing at the head of it, Mr. Graham Douglass and Mr. Bertie Hollis, both well known to her and the latter farfamed as a bearer of tales. It was simply impossible to meet them. Far rather would she face Mrs. Powers, who at least might be silent about the encounter.

The girl was leaning upon the banister rather limply when Mrs. Powers reached the top of the stairs. The matron seemed not in the least surprised.

"Good morning, Amy!" she said. "These stairs are perfectly dreadful, aren't they?"

And she passed on. Amy had no time to wonder at this calm and conventional greeting. Her business was to get out of that building at the earliest possible moment. Again she essayed flight, only to be halted by the horrifying spectacle of Mrs. Warner Burton and the two Hayes girls in the hall below. Dollie Hayes was sitting on the second step of the stairs, and the others were standing before her.

To be seen by those people was simply impossible. The fact that she had called upon Mr. Morton might better be published in the newspapers with pictures.

Amy dodged back just in time to escape being seen, and in doing so she came into collision with the janitor's assistant, Edward.

"Will you please see if Mr. Morton is in?" she whispered.

"No, ma'am; he ain't in," replied the black man in an equally cautious tone, "but he'll be right back, and if yoh'd like to wait in his room I'll let yoh in."

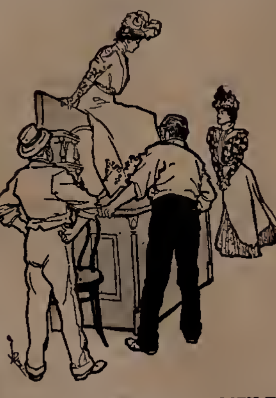
"But how can I get by that thing?" she said, pointing to the sideboard.

As she turned to do so she encountered the gaze of its owner, Mr. James Ormund, who had exchanged his bathrobe for an artist's velveteen jacket and seemed otherwise to be sufficiently clothed, though only his shoulders and head were visible. He was leaning over the lower part of the sideboard, somewhat in the attitude of one of Raphael's cherubs.

"I dunno," said the colored person, "but 'pears to me yoh might climb ober wid a cheer."

"Quite possible, quite possible," said Mr. Ormund. "Good morning, Miss Weld! Just wait a moment, and I'll get a chair—two chairs, in fact."

He ran into his parlor and reappeared with the necessary furniture. One of the chairs he passed across to Edward, who set it down by the sideboard. Miss Weld saw that it would not be very difficult to step from the chair to what was designed as the front part of the sideboard, upon which she could walk across and then descend by the other chair on the far side.



"WHAT IN THE WORLD ARE YOU DOING UP THERE?"

That she should be invited to perform such a feat seemed to her only a natural sequence in this nightmare adventure. It was unreal, but not more so than the preposterous appearance of all these people whom she knew just at the moment when their presence was least desirable and in the last place in the world where she could have expected to find them. It simply couldn't be true. It must be some sort of a dream.

The sound of voices below let her know that her friends were advancing upon her. She sprang up into the chair and thence to the sideboard. Behind it she saw safety.

Just then there was a ripping sound, accompanied by a great jerk upon her skirts. The shock turned her half round, and she sat down upon the higher portion of the sideboard in a manner that was ridiculously easy.

At this moment the round face of Dollie Hayes appeared in her field of vision.

"Why, Amy Weld!" she exclaimed. "What in the world are you doing up there?"

Perhaps the remark of Mrs. Leland Powers may have been lingering in Amy's brain and have unconsciously shaped her ridiculous reply.

"These stairs are so tiresome," she said. "I—I—just stopped to rest!"

"Well, you selected a nice place!" said Dollie. "What was the matter with the chair?"

It is wonderful how readily satan supplies a lie for any human creature's need.

Ordinarily Amy Weld was the most truthful of women, yet at this juncture she found no difficulty in uttering a large and shameless falsehood.

"I was sitting in the chair," she said, "when a horrid mouse ran out of the wall and frightened me nearly to death. So I just jumped right up here."

She gently disengaged her dress from the nail which had caught it and stepped down by means of the chair. The mention of the mouse frightened all question of veracity out of the minds of the other ladies. They ran toward the next flight of stairs, but as they reached the bottom Burton turned and said:

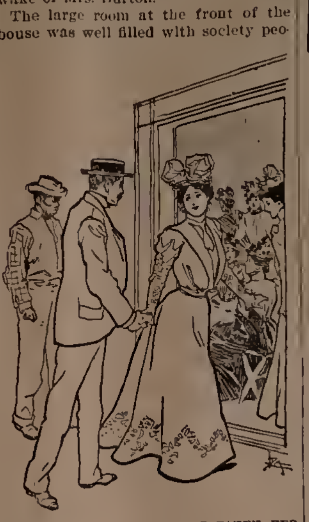
"Of course you're here for Signor Bevanini's concert?"

Amy thought she saw the woman glance backward over the sideboard in the direction of Morton's door, so she hastily replied:

"Why, of course. I'll come right along with you."

She had remembered Signor Bevanini and his habit of giving forenoon recitals for his fashionable pupils and their friends. She had not the pleasure of the signor's acquaintance and had not known that his studio was in that building, but she accepted that fact with relief and plodded up stairs in the wake of Mrs. Burton.

The large room at the front of the house was well filled with society people. At the door Signor Bevanini's "man," in something like livery, was acting as usher, and Amy perceived with horror that the fellow was accepting a ticket from each of the Hayes girls. Mrs. Burton already had hers in her hand.



QUICK AS THOUGHT HE HAD TAKEN HER HAND.

"I—I'm afraid I've left my card at home," said Amy.

"Never mind," responded the elder woman. "Signor Bevanini will remember you."

"I will call him," said the polite servant, leading Mrs. Burton away and leaving Amy standing at the door of that room which seemed to be filled with eyes—great, staring eyes—all turned in her direction.

Of course the signor would remember. He would recall with absolute distinctness that he had not sent any card to Miss Weld, of whose existence he had never before heard.

"The wages of sin is death," murmured Amy, shutting her eyes and leaning against the door jamb, half fainting. "I'll never survive this!"

She was aroused by a voice close to her ear. It was the ebony assistant janitor who spoke—in a stage whisper.

"Mr. Morton has come," he said. And Dollie Hayes, just within the door, laughed aloud.

At this extreme moment, when it seemed to Amy that the eyes of a universe were upon her, Morton himself appeared, coming up the stairs four at a time. Quick as thought he had taken her hand.

Now, it happens that Morton is a very handsome man, endowed by nature with many graces of manner and with dignity enough for four kings. It was perfectly amazing how his presence solved the situation. All the women in the signor's studio were looking enviously at Amy and no longer with a question. The signor came hurrying up and greeted his dear friend Morton, and then he ushered the two into the best place available.

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"I came to tell you about Ernest Hargrave," Amy whispered, "and I've had such an awful time."

"It was splendid of you to come!" he replied. "I wouldn't have missed knowing for anything in the world, but I just happened to hear about him early this morning, and I've been with him ever since."

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"I had a strange dream the other night," said the major.

"What was 'it?" asked the Young Thing.

"I went to heaven, and as an old newspaper man was interested in their journal up there. It was a miserable thing; not a well-written story in it, and I told St. Peter so."

"What did he say?"

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Bride—If you ever flirt with any other woman, Harry, I will shoot you!

Harry—What! Could you aim a gun at your own husband?

Bride—Yes, I could and would.

Harry (relieved)—Well, then, I should be perfectly safe.—Harlem Life.

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"It is claimed by the complainant that you assaulted him," said the magistrate.

"He lies, your worship. I never touched him. Bobson and Tibbs picked him up and carried him to the pump. All I did was to work the pump handle."—Tit-Bits.

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Mary—I can't tell, sir, for the life of me; for I'm sure I covered the key-hole.—Tit-Bits.

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Tom (shamefacedly)—That's me.—The Rival.

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"Is that so? What did he say?"

"I don't know. I happened to be called away before he had time to reply."—Chicago Daily News.

Off for the Honeymoon.

Bridegroom—I am afraid we will look so happy and contented that everyone will know we are just married.

Best Man (consolingly)—Don't worry, old chap; it will be only for a day or two, you know!—Puck.

In His Element.

"What is Squeem's business?"

"He's a starch manufacturer."

"Did he enjoy Boston?"

"Very much; he says the people there are so stiff."—Chicago Record.

Has to Keep Moving.

Parker—One place is just as good as another for a man without money.

Tucker—Yes, and it is fortunate, too, for a man without money can't stay in the same place long.—N. Y. Truth.

Two Views.

He—He that courts and runs away will live to court another day.

She—But he that courts and does not wed may find himself in court instead.—Tit-Bits.

It Seems Not.

"Stubrust the critics say your book shows great promise for your future."

"Future? Great Jupiter—can't a man ever do anything and then quit?"—Detroit Free Press.

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West Medway, July 2, 1900. jly3,10,17

PETER'S CREEK ELECTRIC ROAD

Though Jane French and Susan Lathrop were twin sisters, and though they lived only 15 miles apart, yet they had not seen each other for three years.

Neither of them found it easy to take the horses away from their work for two days, and, even if such a thing could be accomplished now and then, it was impossible for either woman to achieve the journey without some sort of man body as conductor of the expedition.

It must not be supposed that the part of New York state in which this occurred was unenriched by railroad activity. Dear, no! By riding 33 miles, thus describing an acute triangle, and waiting five hours at the junction, it was possible for Jane to go to Susan and for Susan to go to Jane.

"It's preposterous!" said Jane.

"Outrageous!" said Susan.

So they did not visit.

"There's rumors about of one of them electric roads to be built straight along Peter's creek," John Lathrop told Susan, his wife. "That'll take you straight to Jane's, and no changin of cars, [illegible] in."

"Laws!" cried Susan. "How soon'll it be builded?"

"'Bout three years," said Lathrop and laughed. But Susan was serious.

"How many hours'll it take to git from here to there on a 'lectric car?"

"Hours! Minutes, you mean, woman! Less'n 50 minutes'll do the biz."

"What! Me git to Jane in 50 minutes!" It seemed incredible. Then a resolution was born in the economical soul of Susan Lathrop. "I'll wait till that there road is done," she declared. "It'll be a savin."

Jane heard of this resolve and commended it.

"As Susan says," she remarked to her husband, "it'll be real economy to put off visitin till that there road is done."

"Yes," acquiesced Hank French, "when we git the 'lectric it'll be quicker to go anywhere than to stay at home."

"Eh?" said Jane, looking perplexed.

"Yep!" growled Hank. And, vexed at his wife's lack of appreciation of his humor, he relapsed into silence.

But three years is a long time going by. The sisters stood it with what fortitude they could. But a thousand things had happened of which they desired to speak. People had died—people they both knew—and Jane and Susan had had no opportunity to discuss deathbed speeches, likelihood of trances, details of funerals or the situation of the bereaved families. Beula Jones had used Shaker flannel instead of all flannel pinning blankets for her baby, and Susan had had no chance to tell Jane. Lila Gibbs had been married in green poplin—the idea—and Jane had lacked an opportunity to tell Susan. Pete Hines was converted and was almost exploding with his pent up oaths; Si Lewis had taken to drink since he married his second wife. Was it not pitiful that these events had remained undiscussed? Moreover, there were domestic matters of still greater importance—but these it would be a breach of confidence to mention.

The twins got so that the first news they read in The Weekly Herald was that which related to the construction of the electric road. When the teams were put at work upon the roadbed, Susan and Jane were as happy as birds. When the first rails were laid, they exulted like successful politicians the morning after election. Each was busy upon a frock which she intended to wear to the house of the other: each was full of childish anticipation at the thought of giving a surprise to the other.

The time of waiting passed. A morning of rain dawned, and at each end of the road a bright yellow car stood waiting to make its initial journey. Jane, in her new frock, was in one car, bound for Susan's, her arms filled with bundles containing gifts, her heart fluttering like that of a happy girl. Susan, in her fresh gown, was in the other car, destined for Jane's, her lap heaped with presents, her heart dancing like an accepted lover's.

The cars started by the watch, spit blue fire from the furious wheels and green fire from the frantic trolleys and made the run in 58 and 59 minutes respectively, passing each other on the way.

The summer rain turned into a downpour, and all in the deluge Jane climbed the hill to Susan's house, and Susan plodded along the common to Jane's.

"Never mind, Jane," said John Lathrop to his sister-in-law. "You just make yourself to home. Susan'll be back in no time. Don't you move out o' this here house till Sue gits home. She's bin frettin and stewin fur you till I up and said to her I guess she made a mistake in livin with me. It was you she ought to have had."

So Jane staid and looked after Susan's children and cooked for Susan's husband and watched every car for the appearance of her sister.

As for Susan, she broke down for a moment when she found that her journey had been in vain.

"Now see here, Susie," argued her brother-in-law, Hank French; "what use is it to cry? Jane'll come racin home like Maud S when she finds you're here. You stay right where you be."

So Susan did as she was bid and visited with Jane's husband and hemmed Jane's napkins and made a new kind of pickle for Jane out of some overripe string beans.

But on the third day Jane concluded to go home. And on the third day Susan concluded to go home. And so—but that's really the end of the story.

"They're a fool invention to my mind, them 'lectric cars," said Jane to her husband.

Susan dropped tears in the bath as she bathed the children.

"There's too many newfangled things in these parts," she said to the children. "Next time your ma goes anywhere she's goin to drive the horses, and then maybe she'll git somethin that she wants."—Chicago Tribune.

Wholesome Thoughts.

Health and happiness are founded on wholesome thoughts. The mind is master, not the body. Think toward God, and you become godlike; think evil, and every pore is a wide open door through which disease may enter.—Rev. George H. Hepworth, Congregationalist, New York.

Spirit of the Age.

One serious truth confronts us—the public press, our business activities, even our public educational interests, yes, even the pulpit, are more or less dominated by the commercial spirit of the age. The dollar has always been mighty and often more so than today, but it is mighty still, and its power is felt in both public and private life.—Rev. W. C. Madison, Methodist, Denver.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Hugh Lyons to the Medway Savings Bank, dated November first, 1879, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 515, folio 244, for breach of the conditions thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on

SATURDAY, the FOURTEENTH day of JULY, 1900,

at 3 o'clock p. m., all and singular the following described property:

A certain tract of land containing forty acres, more or less, situated in the westerly part of said Medway, on the westerly side of West street, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the northeasterly corner thereof at the junction of West and Alder streets, and thence westerly on Alder street to land of E. L. and O. F. Metcalf; thence southerly and westerly on land of said Metcalfs to land of Charles Wight; thence southerly on land of said Wight to land of C. M. Hill; thence easterly on land of said Hill to West street; thence northerly on West street to land of the heirs of Luther Daniels, deceased; thence westerly, northerly and easterly on land of said heirs to West street; thence northerly on said street to the point of departure, being the same tract described in a deed from James Bradly to grantor, dated April 10, 1878, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 509, fol. 10. Except such portion of the above premises as have been released (June 3, 1897) to the said Hugh Lyons for a location of the Milford, Holliston and Framingham Street Railway Company.

Terms at time of sale.

MEDWAY SAVINGS BANK,
By its Treasurer, W. H. Upton, Mortgagee.
Medway, Mass., June 19, 1900. je19,26jly3

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of John L. Fairbanks, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Eliza Fairbanks of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of July, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next-of-kin and all persons interested in the estate of Ruby Wales of Bellingham, in said county, minor.

Whereas, Varnum B. Rockwood, the guardian of said minor, has presented his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, certain real estate therein specified of his ward for investment.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the fifth day of July, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each of you fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this nineteenth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Amos W. Stone has been appointed a special policeman.

Holy Communion at St. John's rectory at 8 o'clock Sunday morning.

A number from here attended the races at Readville on Wednesday.

George M. Sneath has gone to Dorchester and Cambridge for several weeks.

William J. Whiting and family of Brooklyn, N. Y., spent the Fourth here.

Will H. Sanger, assistant clerk of the senate, was at home here over the Fourth.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper will preach in the chapel at Unionville Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. E. S. Crossman returned yesterday from an extended stay with her sister in Maine.

The Medway-Franklin street railway will need a turnout on the route in order to run half time.

Prof. A. W. Peirce of Dean academy is spending a portion of his vacation at Charlestown, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick M. Waite of Boulder, Col., are visiting her brother, W. S. Richardson.

Patrick McWilliams, who is engaged at Vassalboro, Me., has been spending a few days with his family here.

Mrs. A. J. Turner of Gurleyville, Conn., and Miss Josephine Parks of Boston are the guests of Mrs. T. M. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Clark of Framingham, former residents in Franklin, will sing in the Baptist church next Sunday.

Mrs. Moses Farnum and daughter Mary left today for their summer stay at sea-swept Nantucket. They are to be envied.

Capt. J. B. Crocker will leave for New York on Monday evening, where he will probably load with coal for some Maine port.

Mrs. Joseph Snodgrass has just returned from a two weeks' outing with his sister, Mrs. E. Childs, of Highlandville.

Mr. George S. Hosie has been appointed deputy tree warden and will look after the trees in the absence of Dr. Hodge.

Judge and Mrs. O. T. Doe will enjoy their summer outing of three weeks or a month at Gooee Necks Rocks, Me., going this week.

Two Italians were arrested Wednesday evening for fast driving, and a man from Bellingham was arrested in a drunken condition.

Dr. A. J. Gallison remembers his friends here with some birds'-eye views of Vienna, Austria, showing it to be a remarkable fine city.

The Douglas camp meeting, which opens in two or three weeks, will have its usual quota of Franklinites, who enjoy these annual holiness gatherings.

Rev. M. J. Mulcahy, formerly pastor of St. Mary's church here, but now pastor of the Arlington Catholic church, was a guest at St. Mary's rectory Wednesday.

W. W. Haslam will preach at Bellingham Centre Sunday morning and evening. In the morning his subject will be "The Ideal Church and the Ideal Congregation."

Willard Everett and family of Lowell have taken the cottage at Lake Pearl vacated by Principal Daniels. Mr. Everett has a responsible position with the Hood company.

Supt. Spring of the Norfolk Western road was in town yesterday, taking a run over the M., A. & W. railroad to get his first glimpse of Lake Pearl. He was accompanied by Mrs. Spring.

The date of the Sunday school picnic of the Congregational church has been set for Wednesday, the 18th of this month. The Baptists go the day previous, both to Lake Pearl.

Quite a good many from here are planning to take in the G. A. R. excursion to Chicago in August, on account of the reduced rates and the pleasure assured by a trip to that hustling city.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dewdney of Providence, who have been visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. O'Sullivan, of Pleasant street, returned home last evening.

Dean academy will be obliged to elect a new treasurer, owing to the death of its late treasurer, Charles J. McKenzie. The institution will have a hard time getting so good a man for the position.

The cars now running between here and Medway do not transfer passengers at that place, but take them right through to Dedham, an improvement which will be thoroughly appreciated.

Mrs. Guy W. Miner and son Reginald have gone to Centreville, down on the Cape, for the month of July. They will be joined at intervals by Mr. Miner, as he can arrange to leave his pastoral duties here.

A large pine tree nearly opposite the shoddy mill on Cottage street, was badly shattered by the lightning Wednesday, and the same bolt went into the picker room of the mill, but did no serious damage.

Every lad in town who rides a wheel should exercise more than ordinary care now that the trolley car is upon our streets. A little caution may save a life or a limb, and a little carelessness may endanger both.

Chief Engineer McKinnon went about among the merchants on Tuesday evening admonishing them not to leave any rubbish around their buildings that might possibly catch fire from the Fourth of July fireworks. A wise precaution.

One electric car got stalled on Main street and another on Cook's hill Wednesday afternoon and a delay of over an hour was the result. This blocked the whole M., A. & W. line for some time. The burning out of fuses was said to be the cause.

J. Ray Wyckoff, Miss Mary Bright, Miss Alice Wiggin, Miss Ellen Butters and Miss Pearl Jacobs are at the summer Normal school at Hyannis, which holds a six weeks' course. This is a healthful as well as helpful method of spending one's vacation.

The new and up-to-date cyclopedia, the International, may be consulted at the Franklin Library. The antiquated "American" has been exchanged for this modern one, giving patrons of the library an American cyclopedia comparing favorably with the Britanica.

Rev. Mr. Sneath expects to spend a week, this month, with his parents in Pennsylvania and will spend one week of his vacation in Franklin. The pastors are arranging to have a clergyman in Franklin during the month of August to attend to marriages, funerals and other requirements.

Since the electrics began their trips nine canines have, it is said, given up their lives in the attempt to block the wheels of the modern transportation method. These dogs were strong in the affections of somebody no doubt, but others do not mourn the decrease in the canine population.

While the names of Clementine Sara Guigon and James H. Hood appeared in the printed programme in Tuesday's issue of the SENTINEL, yet through an oversight their names were omitted from the list of graduates. Miss Guigon graduated in the English course and Mr. Hood in the partial course.

Many of our people remember the late Rev. H. L. Hastings, and it will be learned with pleasure that a "memorial" service is to be held for him at Goshen Park, near Northampton, on August 15, at which that sweet singer of Israel, Ira D. Sankey, will sing. The gospel meetings last from August 10 to 17.

There are rumors of new projects for street railway lines from here to outside points, but there is nothing very definite in them, and it is probable that for the present at least they are merely speculative, without any material basis. The town seems to be as well supplied now as the transportation business demands.

Among the guests at Fairmeadow farm, owned by L. W. Daniels, are C. H. Dunton and family, J. S. Lockwood and family, Mrs. Louise Jenkins, the Misses Stevenson, Walter Gardner, all of Boston, and A. W. Edson and family of New York. The latter will take a bicycle tour through northern Maine next week.

While little Johnny Connors, aged 12, son of Jeremiah Connors, of Alpine place, was driving one of Enoch Waite's horses to a blacksmith shop on Central street Monday the animal became frightened and threw the lad against an electric light pole. He received an ugly cut in the chin, had one arm sprained and was injured about the body.

The "limited" was stopped here Wednesday afternoon to allow the removal of the dead body of Miss Tessie Morris, a girl of fifteen, who had died just as the train started from the Terminal station. The conductor did not think it wise to carry the body through to New York without orders, so it was kept here till later, when it was sent to that city.

Jeremiah Connors, while at work in the Union street cemetery Tuesday afternoon, came across a rattlesnake that was just getting ready to spring upon him. Mr. Connors had a hoe in his hand at the time and with a well-directed blow he succeeded in breaking the reptile's back and crushing out its life. It measured two and a half feet in length and had eleven rattles.

Wednesday evening George Woolford was enjoying a ride on the Wrentham road, and in the vicinity of old pine tree collided with an electric. The carriage was smashed, the horse running away with part of the wheels to the stable here. Woolford was cut on the head, enough to require the services of a surgeon. It is understood that the motorman was blameless.

The little wire finds it hard pulling big cars up Richardson's hill, but it manages to squeeze out. On account of the steep ascent at Franklin and also at Richardson hill, the motormen have been notified not to stop the cars while climbing either of these grades. Passengers wishing to board the cars at either of the hills mentioned above must wait for the cars at the top or at the foot of the hill.

The Foresters celebrated the Fourth by having a smoke-talk at their rooms in the evening. Addresses were delivered by Deputy High Chief Ranger Grady of North Attleboro and members of the local court, and instrumental and vocal music, with the serving of refreshments, filled out the remainder of the program. A number of brother Foresters from Medway and Holliston were present and the event was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

A couple of men got into an altercation on the street here the night before the Fourth, and it seemed as if they had exhausted all the words in the English language, but when it is remembered that Shakespeare had a vocabulary of about 13,000 words, Milton had 9,000, Pope used 7,000, the average business man had about 600, and a common laborer has about 150, it can be seen that probably these gentlemen left a few words unused.

The electric storm in this town Thursday evening burned out several telephone wires on Main street. One flash of lightning cavorted through a bunch of wires in front of the post office, and a piece of wire 16 feet long was completely burned off and dropped to the ground. The conductors pulled down the trolley arms and were stalled for an hour. The dancing at Lake Pearl was postponed until Saturday evening.

Tuesday at Boston the state railroad commissioners had under consideration the petition of the Medfield & Medway Street Railway company for authorization to issue $50,000 of stock and $150,000 of bonds, to be used in liquidating its floating indebtedness. Part of this line has been in operation for a year or more, and the remainder was opened Wednesday. An order was issued authorizing the stock issue. In the matter of the bonds another hearing will be given.

A gang of workmen for the M. A. & W. street railway company are at work on the bridge near C. S. White's residence, Bellingham, and are boarding with various families in that town, as it is thought it will take nearly a month to complete the job. A gang were put at work placing the poles on Monday morning, and Tuesday night had the poles in position up to the residence of B. E. Marble. It is rumored that a car will be run next week as far as the store at least, for the North Bellingham car now wastes enough time in waiting to run that distance.

A crowd is planning to ride to North Attleboro on Saturday to see the game between the Attleboros and North Attleboros. Both nines have got some crack players, and it will not be a walk over for either: North Attleboros will play Weeks on first, Murphy second, Houghton short, Shannon third, Crollns, Clarkson and Gammons in the field, Slattery behind the bat and a new pitcher. Other players, including Woodcock and LeStage, will be on the bench. Against them the Attleboros will play Hazelton first, Fleming second, Landee short, Hafford third, Carney, Williams and Newman in the field. Griffin will be in the box, and Maloney may catch.

The pastor of the Congregational church will take his vacation during the month of August. The following persons will supply the pulpit: August 5th, Rev. T. M. Miles, D. D., of Bristol, Conn. 12th, Rev. Aquila Webb of Everett, Mass; 19th, Rev. Nathan T. Dyer of Ashburnham; 26th, Rev. R. W. Wallace, D. D., of Somerville. Dr. Miles is the pastor of one of Connecticut's substantial churches. Dr. Wallace is pastor of the First church in Somerville and was formerly pastor in Newport, R. I. Rev. Mr. Webb is a graduate of a school of oratory; is not only a speaker, but also an excellent pastor and preacher. Rev. Mr. Dyer is known in Franklin, being the son-in-law of Mr. William Mann.

Our citizens have continually been asking how is it that Franklin never has a slice of the public money for state roads. To be sure, we are not on the main highway between any large cities, yet a good road here is as much of a necessity as elsewhere, and surely Franklin pays its share of state and county taxes in proportion to its wealth and population equally with its neighbor who gets the annual plum. But isn't this state road business something of a "grab," anyway.

One of the most sadly impressive sights witnessed here in a long time was the funeral procession of honor which attended the body of the late Charles J. McKenzie from the house to the station on Tuesday morning, about fifty of our leading citizens marching with measured step and slow behind the encoffined remains of him whom they had so universally respected. Curtains were drawn in the places of business as the body passed through the streets, and after the remains had been placed upon the car, the guard of honor stood with uncovered heads while the train drew out of the station, Mr. Frank McKenzie, brother of the deceased, standing upon the platform, also uncovered, in silent recognition of this last act which our citizens would pay to the memory of his beloved brother and their honored townsman.

Wednesday evening in Foresters' hall the following officers of the Ladies Auxiliary, A. O. H., of this town were installed by Miss Katherine Sheehan of West Quincy: President, Miss Mary O'Sullivan; vice-president, Miss Isabelle Murphy; treasurer, Mrs. Joseph Bourbeau; financial treasurer, Miss Annie Callahan; recording secretary, Miss Mary Walsh; sergeant-at arms, Miss Agnes Calahan; sentinel, Mrs. Michael Callen. After the installation of officers a pleasing concert took place, in which the following local talent took part: Vocal solo, Miss Agnes Sullivan; recitation, Miss Rose Walsh; vocal solos, Misses Assunta and Claudia Micheline; violin solo, Miss Mary Walsh. The programme finished, the hall was cleared for dancing, in which all the members and friends assembled indulged until a late hour. Refreshments were served from 12 to 1.

Now that the schools have closed it would be well for parents to remember that a summer of idleness is the worst thing that can be allowed the lad. Let him have some regular work-time and play time, and he will appreciate each the more. If he can be employed a portion of the each day, so as to earn a little pocket money, it will give him a better idea of the value of money, and make him more independent. There's nothing so entirely happy for the average lad as well-timed work and play. Again there is another feature that ought to be considered. Many a lad wastes hours of time that could be well utilized by having him learn the piano. A few hours a week, under proper tutelage, will give him an insight into the instrument and a love for music that will last him a lifetime. Time spent in that manner is never lost.

Shield Its Eyes.

It is frequently noticed on our streets when babies are taken out for a ride that the sun is allowed to shine in the little one's eyes, and the mother or whoever pushes the carriage seems to mind nothing about it. A physician, in speaking of this matter, said that it pained him exceedingly to see so often on the streets thoughtless mothers, when taking their infants out in baby carriages, expose the little darling's unsheltered face and eyes to the direct blaze of the sunshine. The babe blinks its eyes from the scorching rays, and turns its head this way and that to avoid suffering, but the careless mother pushes on, and if the child gets through without serious injury to its eyes the mother is not to be thanked. The remedy is easy. Shelter the child's eyes with an awning, or place the child in the other end of the carriage with the other end forwards. This is a matter of more importance than mothers are apt to imagine. There is danger of the eyes of the babe receiving permanent injury.—Exchange.

Richardson's Market.

We now have a full line of Kennedy's famous crackers. Also crisp potato chips, ice cold watermelon, cooked ham, choicest butter in town from 23 to 30 cents per pound. Native berries. All the choice spring vegetables, such as new peas, string beans, tomatoes, radishes, lettuce, cucumbers, onions, cabbages, beets and turnips fresh from the market gardens. As usual we have the best cuts of meats, veal, lamb, etc., and choice fowls. Try a can of our 10 cent soups as a first course for Sunday dinner, all kinds.

Our mattings are made of finest stuff;
This is straight goods and no bluff.
Sanford Bros., Medway.

The Fourth in Town.

Seldom has Franklin seen a more quiet Fourth of July; except so far as the passing of people through the town was concerned. These went through here by the thousands to Lake Pearl and Hoag Lake, many people taking in both resorts during the day. Aside from this Franklin was dead.

Those interested in base ball went to North Attleboro, where they were obliged to witness a defeat to the home team by the score of 9 to 0. The Carter team was handicapped by the absence of strong players, it being difficult to pick up good men so late, owing to the demand for them. In the afternoon they went to Arlington where they were reinforced by a number of the North Attleboro men, as that team had no game for the afternoon. The Carters put up a fine game, and apparently had it won, when the Arlingtons won out in the last inning, 11 to 10.

The crowd that went to Lake Pearl crowded that popular resort to its utmost capacity. It is variously estimated that during the day from 4,000 to 8,000 passed through the gates. Manager Enegren provided the usual park attractions of music, specialties, etc., which with the water and other attractions served to occupy the time of the pleasure seekers.

Hoag Lake was simply overrun with people seeking fresh air and diversion, and this the management provided in unlimited quantities to the estimated number of 15,000 people. All the cars to and from the lake in every direction were crowded to the utmost, and thousands of people enjoyed their first Fourth of July at a resort which will be made popular and attractive if money and time can do it. In the evening the crowd was the greatest since the park has been opened, the band concerts, vaudeville performance, fireworks, torch swinging and other attractions drew the people there and a good night's entertainment was provided. The fireworks were set off by experienced men and were the finest seen in this vicinity in many years.

The day was an ideal one, and only disagreeable feature was the inability of the trolley companies to transfer the vast crowds that presented themselves for conveyance, the unusual demand fairly overwhelming them. At such a time many are sure to be disappointed: this year's experience proved no exception to the rule. But every car was sent out that could be secured, and the companies exerted every effort, consistent with safety to handle the crowds. That there would be delays and possibly many not secure transportation was to have been expected, however disappointing it might prove. But that we were able to get transportation of any kind is at least a source of congratulation, and later the service is sure to be improved, both by the Woonsocket line and the Medway line.

Learning the Lesson.

It seemed as if everyone was on the trolley cars on Wednesday, and some of the delays, owing to the crowds, were very exasperating, though there is no question but that the companies handled the large numbers as well as could be expected. That no one was injured here is a source of congratulation, as many neighboring towns had serious accidents, Webster especially. There seems to be but one solution, and that is to have a telephone upon every car, which will admit of immediate communication with the superintendent's office, so that anxious motormen and conductors may know just what to do, without relying upon chance to run their cars. In the case of the steam roads no train goes out without definite orders, every movement being subject to telegraphic orders. It will come to that, or telephonic orders, in the matter of electric transportations, and then, and not till then, will these terrible trolley accidents cease. In nine cases out of ten cars are allowed to go out upon the main line without waiting for the return cars to reach the switch and a wreck results. If the wreck were confined to the cars alone there would be less cause for public fear, but unfortunately lives are lost and passengers maimed and mangled. Nothing but the greatest care can secure the public against such an accident as that at Webster, which resulted in the killing of two persons and injuring forty-three. The lesson must be learned.

Emerson's Market.

New peas, string beans, tomatoes, lettuce, cucumbers, onions, cabbages, 3 cts a pound new beets and turnips, new potatoes. Try our Imperial cheese. Fresh killed fowls, lamb, veal, pork. Get your native strawberries here. Fresh cream.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

H. H. Gay has taken the agency for a very valuable work, "South America; its social, industrial and political conditions." It is exceedingly useful as a reference book. Drop him a postal and he will call.

The Democratic Issue.

A prominent Democratic politician in town, discussing the Bryan nomination, asserted this morning that if the issue of free silver is brought definitely to the front in this campaign party success would be an absolute impossibility, from the fact that the states that are not able to give Democratic electoral votes are the ones clamoring for the silver plank, whereas the conservative, but doubtful states, would support the ticket enthusiastically if imperialism and the trusts were made the dominant issues. He insisted that the recent congress had settled the question of free silver for some years to come and party loyalty did not demand any special reiteration of the platform of 1896, for the simple reason that the Democratic convention of that year had ignored its time-honored war cry of free trade, substituting for it the new issue of free silver. If, therefore, it was consistent to drop free trade it would be no less consistent to drop free silver. If the contest is to be waged on the issues of the trusts and imperialism there is no doubt but that the Republican party will gladly welcome the fight and stand its ground on what President McKinley has done, asking no better gauge of battle.

A Test Case.

The case against Willie R. Cook, charged with not having sent his children to school according to the demands of the school law, was concluded in the district court yesterday forenoon, Judge Doe finding him guilty and fining him $5, which he paid. A number of interesting facts were brought out at the trial. A witness had testified that Mr. Cook had asserted that he should not send his children to the Franklin school, as the Bellingham school was nearer. This he denied, but set up the claim that he was not obliged to comply with the law, because the child which had been arrested for truancy had weak eyes, was not in good health, and the school was not within a reasonable distance. All these Judge Ruggles, counsel for the Board, denied, insisting that the Board was possessed of plenary powers, in the matter of assigning studies, and distribution of children, etc. He cited cases in the superior and supreme courts in proof of the rights of the Board in this matter. The fact that the father claimed that the children were receiving instructions from the mother at home did not affect the case. Had the case been decided otherwise it would have opened the door for much abuse, as parents would have refused to send their children to town schools but to nearer schools in neighboring towns, and this town would have been called upon to pay their tuitions. If the parent wishes to pay the tuition the Board will not object to their attending nearby schools, except in unusual cases. Mr. Cook had three children technically truants, but the case was brought against but one, proving that there was nothing personal in the matter, but just that of principle, which the Board has always consistently adhered to.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Store girl wanted. Address, at once, Box 342, Franklin.

Dr. J. C. Gallison will sell a light driving horse or exchange for a heavier one 11tf

Wanted.—At Lake Pearl a kitchen girl. A very active girl will receive good wages. Apply to Wm. Enegren, on the grounds.

Wanted.—A competent girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Dr. King, High street. 6

Tenement of six rooms over Batchelor's paper store. Inquire of H. E. Batchelor. 22tw

To Rent.—5 room tenement, Central square. Inquire E. B. Sherman, Emerson's market. 5tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

For Sale—An open buggy and two second hand harnesses all in good condition. T. B. Allen.

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 18-tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

For Sale—A new end spring, rubber tired runabout, up to date, will be sold low to make quick sale. Can be seen at 282 Main st., Milford, Mass.

Hay, at Maple Farm, all good; 95 cts. to $1.10 per hundred delivered to any part of town. Orders at Chilson's market. O. S. Stetson. 15-tf

Cut flowers, wedding bouquets, flowers for graduation, all kinds of funeral designs made up at Slade's green house at short notice. P. O. Box 179.

Lawn Mowers—Don't try to mow your lawn with a dull mower. Bring it to Rose's machine shop, and he will put it in perfect order. It will cut better, quicker and with far less exertion.

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. At Calkin's Studio, over SENTINEL office.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. MCKINNON, Agent.

Send your boys to Ochee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's.

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Iron Slag as a Byproduct.

In this utilitarian age we allow very little to go to waste. Many things which a few years ago were regarded as valueless are now utilized. A considerable portion of the revenues of the Standard Oil company and other refiners of crude petroleum comes from what is known as the byproducts, which were originally thrown away. The waste of a few years ago is the profit of today. Aside from the primary product, kerosene, there are obtained from crude petroleum more than a score of byproducts, ranging from the most volatile and almost colorless fluid to the solid and opaque carbon points used in arc electric lighting. These byproducts, it is said, now bring more than enough to pay the cost of producing and refining the oil.

In this connection it is interesting to note that experiments are now being made in Pittsburg which give promise of finding a profitable use for the slag from furnaces, a byproduct which is now worse than useless, as it costs iron manufacturers a great deal of money to throw it away. These experiments are in the direction of utilizing the immense waste from the furnaces in the manufacture of slag cement, which is asserted to have a greater tensile strength than any other cement now manufactured. It does not exactly take the place of portland cement, but by mixing it with the latter the strength and durability of the composition are greatly increased. The development of such an industry would be of very great importance.

It is estimated that the slag thrown away from iron furnaces in the Pittsburg region alone amounts to 1,700,000 tons a year. A considerable portion of this is used for filling in low ground, but even when put to this purpose it costs the furnace owners a large amount of money to have it carted away. To convert this great bulk of material into cement of good quality, selling, say, for $2 a barrel, would mean the realization of many millions of dollars from a waste product. The Pittsburg experiments will be watched with much interest.

It is said that the secret of the new shells, which, it is declared, will penetrate the hardest Krupp armor plate, is merely that they have "soft metal noses." A quarter of a century ago it was known that a tallow candle fired point blank at a pine board an inch thick would pass through it as easily as a steel bullet. This was because a part of the candle formed a cushion or bank around the opening, thus preventing the central part of the candle from bending. The momentum then carried this core through the board. It is said that a soft nosed shell acts the same way. Here is another illustration of the same principle: If you take a needle and hammer it through a cork, it will pass through a penny under the cork without breaking. The cork acts as a protection, preventing the needle from bending. The soft metal at the top of these projectiles acts like the cork around the needle. It seems simple enough, and artillerists will doubtless wonder why no one thought of it before.

Corbett insists that he was whipped by Jeffries because he got careless and permitted the latter to hit him. This habit of carelessness, which cropped out when he met Fitzsimmons, seems to have grown on "Gentleman Jim" so firmly that he will probably never be able to outgrow it.

There were 500,000,000 fowls in the United States last year and the number of eggs laid was estimated at about 1,450,000,000 dozen, or 17,400,000,000 eggs. The value of these fowls and their product is set down at $420,000,000.

Evidently the sultan of Turkey is preparing to plead the statute of limitations against the Armenian indemnity.

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The World's Way.

To gobble up an island, at the present, seems to be
The purpose of each potentate and plotter:
He longs to plant his flag where'er the bottom of the sea
Sticks up above the surface of the water.
—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Won in a Fair Way.

"Why, Jimmie, my darling boy, you've got the medal for good behavior this week!" said the fond mother, noting the little silver medal on her son's vest.

"Yes, ma," said Jimmie. "Tommy Poland won it, but I told him I'd knock the head off him if he didn't give it to me."—Tit-Bits.

A Parting Shot.

"Woman," remarked the up-to-date maid, "is rapidly becoming man's superior."

"Yes—I don't think," answered the stingy youth, as he lit another cigarette.

"No, of course you don't," she retorted. "How could you?"—Chicago Record.

A Strong-Minded View.

Mr. Meeke—The paper says the judge reserved his decision. I don't see why it is judges invariably put off deciding a point until the next day.

Mrs. M.—Huh! Judges have sense enough to want to consult their wives. —N. Y. Weekly.

A Change for the Better.

Tuttle—I bought my wife a wheel today.

Buttle—She'll do more riding and less cooking now.

Tuttle—I know it; that's why I bought the wheel.—Up to Date.

A Good Hater.

Notting—How can you sit here with that Chaffer woman playing on that confounded piano of hers in the next flat?

Helter—O, I enjoy it. It reminds me that she is Chaffer's wife. I hate Chaffer, you know.—Boston Transcript.

Consolatory.

Miss Sharpe—Believe in vegetarianism? Why, I love good beef!

Cholly—I wish I were beef, you know!

Miss Sharpe—Never mind! You'll grow!—Puck.

Settled Out of Court.

Judge—You say you do not wish to prosecute this defendant for stealing a kiss?

Fair Complainant—No, your honor The property has been restored.—N. Y. Journal.

The Half Was Never Told.

"I know that age is telling on me" said Miss Sereleaf.

"Yes, dear; but you needn't mind so very much. It isn't telling the whole truth," replied Mrs. Caustique.—Tit-Bits.

Forced Upon Them.

Mamma—I wonder why babies insist upon being rocked?

Papa—They don't! If they had their way they'd much prefer to be st[?]led and howl.—Town Topics.

Well Matched.

Mr. Millyuns (engaging valet)—I warn you that frequently I am exceedingly ill-tempered and gruff.

Valet (cheerfully)—That's all right, sir. So am I.—N. Y. World.

Setting Himself Right.

She—I heard that you said to your friend that I was no spring chicken.

He—Neither you are, my dear; you're a duck.—Yonkers Statesman.

RELIGIOUS THOUGHT.

Gems Gleaned From the Teachings of All Denominations.

We should love and serve all men. But it should flow out in fullest measure to him who is poor in spirit.—Rev. R. A. Maynard, Broadway Temple, Denver.

Profanity.

To speak against anything that God has created, anything in nature, is irreligious and irreverent and consequently is profanity.—Rev. Joseph Dennis, Methodist, Buffalo.

Christianity.

Christianity is as a grain of mustard seed, little and contemptible; but, planted, it springs up a great tree under whose shadow all the weary find rest. Rev. E. E. Helms, Methodist, Buffalo.

Survival of Christianity.

One of the strongest evidences of the truth of Christianity is the fact that, despite the errors with which it has so long been weighted, it still survives. Rev. Richard E. Sykes, Universalist, Denver.

Divine Love.

The reservoir of divine love is great and full enough to supply a universal need, but to have its power and blessing we must make the personal connection. Rev. Charles H. Moss, Baptist, Cincinnati.

First Principles.

Cling to first principles and don't worry about nonessentials; grasp the great truths; hold to eternal verities; use the positive method in the treatment of sin. Rev. D. C. Garrett, Episcopalian, San Francisco.

Religious Duty.

Whatever lessens a man's religious fullness, whatever keeps him from manfully doing his full religious duty, that he must abandon, although it were dear as a right hand or eye.—Rev. Dr. S. MacArthur, Baptist, New York.

A View of Liberal Preaching.

On every hand we hear of liberal preaching. Men seem tempted to do or say something that will entitle them to be called broad and liberal, and, as liberal preaching increases, so crime seems to increase.—Rev. E. Dennitt, Baptist, Brooklyn.

The Power of God.

Jesus broke death's dominion forever by the power of his sinlessness, which is only another name for the power of God. Jesus will give to man the life which is fed from within. Our hope of immortality depends upon our partaking of the Christ life.—Dr. L. W. Batten, Episcopalian, New York.

God's Promises.

The Holy Spirit's efficient agency is still our guide and our support. The promises of God in all their variety and richness shall never fail. These facts are as windows of the church which let in the floodlight of God's glory in the church.—Chaplain W. C. Coleman, Methodist, Kansas City.

Power of Music.

Music is a kind of universal language. It is often the means of inspiring and expressing a spirit of devotion. It not only stirs the emotions, but penetrates and arouses the intellect and induces the whole man to yield to its pleadings where simple preaching has proved unavailing.—Dr. W. A. Robinson, Methodist, Cincinnati.

Man's Endeavor to Be Like Christ.

As man was before alienated from the life of God, so upon his return to God his aspirations can be satisfied with nothing less than the life of God as shown forth in Christ, for he well realizes that to endeavor only to be like a man, however good a man he may be, is simply making one image like another.—Rev. F. S. Ballentine, Scranton, Pa.

Bible Truths.

There may be many things we cannot understand in the Bible, but the simple truths, the salient truths, the Calvary truths, the truth that Jesus Christ came into the world to save sinners, are that simple even the little children gather about the mother's knee to hear the stories of the New Testament.—Rev. Frank De Witt Talmage, Presbyterian, Chicago.

Triumph of Christian Faith.

The aim of all is "to get, to gain and to hold." Thus spiritual ideals are dimmed. But the day is coming when we can harmonize the worldly with the heavenly and when we shall forget the gold, gold, gold. It is a spirit born of prosperity that numbs the kingdom of Christ, but the time will come when gold will not rule and the Christian faith will triumph.—Dr. George C. Lorimer, Baptist, Boston.

Music.

Obedience is music in that it is in harmony with the authority of God. If you want to obey God and everything he tells you, you are a sort of celestial harp on which the fingers of God plays. Righteousness is music in that it is in harmony with holiness and truth. Sympathy is music in that it is in harmony with men. Gratitude is music in that it is in harmony with the kindness of God.—Dr A. C. Dixon, Baptist, Brooklyn.

Self Exertion Essential.

What we need is to follow this law of the necessity of effort, not from compulsion, not because we must, but as a law of use, as a law of God and heaven, as a law which he himself follows who has ordained from the beginning that life is motion, that idleness is death, that usefulness is heaven, that uselessness is hell. We need to follow him who feeds the suns continually with their mysterious fuel, who holds the planets in their swift flight; we need to recognize that divine power which, on the other side of the veil, pours forth from the sun of the spiritual world its unceasing effulgence of love and wisdom, renewing the hearts and minds of the angels just in proportion to their ability to return it to him in loving deeds of service to their fellow beings.—Rev John Goddard Church of New Jerusalem, Cincinnati.

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Took him up to the skigh,
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—N. Y. World.

MATTER OF BUSINESS.

She—My father always looks forward to the football season with keen delight.

He—Is he such an admirer of the sport?

She—No. He's a doctor.—Chicago Daily News.

The Logic of Vanity.

A crank is he who'll not agree
With us in our pretense.
The man who'll praise our silly ways
We deem a man of sense.
—Up to Date.

Just What She Wanted.

"My dear," said Growell to his wife the other evening, "this is the second new dress you have had in six months. I'm afraid I will have to check your extravagance."

"Oh, you dear old darling, how good of you!" she exclaimed. "And you'll make the check payable to my order, won't you?"—Chicago Daily News.

Danger of Agreeing.

Clara—That handsome stranger appears to have taken quite a shine to you, Maud.

Maud—Ye-e-s; I can't imagine why.

Clara—Nor I.

Maud—I'll never speak to you again, so there.—N. Y. Weekly.

A Builder of the Language.

Mrs. Upjohn—Our minister is a highly-learned man. I believe he knows every word in the dictionary.

Mrs. Downleigh—That's nothing. Our preacher uses lots of words that ain't in the dictionary at all.—Chicago Tribune.

Rapid Transit.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—It only takes a snail fourteen days and five hours to travel a mile.

Mr. Crimsonbeak—Yes; but a snail doesn't have to wait and see if it's hat is on straight.—Yonkers Statesman.

Distinction.

"Did you ever in your life see me with a ruffled temper?" she demanded.

"Certainly not, Henrietta," answered Mr. Meekton; "only slightly crimped now and then, that's all."—Washington Star.

Not Shocked.

A Woman—I suppose your husband's death was a great shock to you.

The Widow—Not at all. I didn't attend the electrocution, you know.—N. Y. Journal.

A Definition.

Teacher—What do you understand by insomnia?

Pupil—That's when people stay awake all night trying to go to sleep.—Puck.

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Alas!

Gladys—What's become of Mabel?

Belle—She's joined the great majority.

Gladys—You don't mean to say she's dead?

Belle—Oh, no! Married a man named Smith.—N. Y. Journal.

Very Evident.

Tommy—Is your grandpa who is visiting you your father's papa or your mother's papa?

Willie—Why, he's mother's papa, of course. Can't you see he's smoking his pipe in the parlor?—Judge.

Had Done Pretty Well.

"I never was much on fiction," said the young man

"My boy," replied the wise father, "have you forgotten the expense account you used to send me when you were at college?"—Chicago Post.

Not Contagious.

He (after a waltz)—Do you know, I could die waltzing?

She (out of breath)—Perhaps you could, Mr. Hopnot; but that's no reason why you should expect others to die with you.—Illustrated American.

She Could and She Would.

"That," observed a friend of the family, "is a very superior woman. She can converse intelligently, I believe, on a thousand different topics."

"Yes," sighed her husband—"and she does."—Tit-Bits.

The Way of the World.

"Who is the lady that has been owing you for such a long time?" asked the dressmaker of her friend, the milliner.

"The wife of old Credley, the 'cash grocer,'" answered the milliner.—Brooklyn Life.

Callow and Inexperienced.

Adele—What do you think? Young Leslie actually proposed to me last night.

Clara—That's nothing. This is his first season and he is popping away at everything.—Town Topics.

At School.

Teacher—What is a fort?

Pupil—A place for soldiers to live in.

Teacher—And a fortress?

Pupil—A place for soldier's wives to live in.—N. Y. Truth.

Public Property.

"What is a secret, Aunt Nan?"

"A secret—well, a secret is something awfully interesting that nobody has ever told anybody, but that everybody knows."—Cleveland Leader.

Her Only Chance.

Mrs. Benham—I'm sorry I married a fool.

Benham—Don't worry about it; you couldn't have married anybody but a fool.—Town Topics.

They Are All Young.

"What a sanguine man Cooper is!"

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Held aught less pure and sweet
Than its virgin self, so chaste was it,
So perfect its retreat.

When night came down, the lily looked
In the face of the stars and smiled;
Then went to sleep—to the sleep of death—
As the soul of a little child
Goes back to the clasp of the Father soul
Untouched and undefiled.

A lily bloomed on the highway close
To the tread of the sweeping throng;
It bore the gaze of a hundred eyes
Where burned the flame of wrong,
And one came by who tore its heart
With a ruthless hand and strong.

It caught no glimpse of a garden fair,
It knew no other name
For a world that used and bruised it so
Than a world of sin and shame,
And hopeless, crushed, its spirit passed
As the evening shadows came.

And who can say but the sheltered one
A sullied flower had been
Had its home been out on the highway close
To the path of shame and sin,
And the other forever angel white
Had it blossomed safe within?

—Elizabeth Gallup Perkins in Boston Transcript.

AT THE SIGN OF SAINT LILAC.

How a Go Between Made Two Matches Instead of One.

I had paced the close cut sward at least a dozen times. The sun was already turning his fiery eye toward the west. It was not my lady's way to be unpunctual, and, seeing the nature of her business, I had not looked for delay.

Each time I passed the lilac bush I paused, fancying I heard the scrunch of her tiny shoes over the loose gravel path that led down from the house. And again and again was I disappointed. The hour grew near.

I fumbled in my bosom for her letter, to make a certainty of the matter. I muttered over the words to myself; but I had no need to hesitate upon them, for my lady's fingers could grasp the pen with a lucidity of expression and a comfortable style that in the broad noontide was as good as, nay, better than, any clerk's. It ran:

> Your request is a strange one, dear friend, but I will do myself the pleasure of talking with you at the Sign of Saint Lilac. The place is well chosen, I think, and the hour propitious. Beauclerc will be favorably impressed with my poor looks, have no doubt, despite the cold light of 4 o'clock. What made you choose such an hour—save that you are a man? Still, it is like your kind heart to be scheming for my better fortune, and I will marry your good Beauclerc, provided he will have me and I like the trim of his beard. I kiss the page—here. Deliver the message faithfully or expect no mercy from your little friend.
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> AUDREY.

I had told her 4 o'clock so that I might enjoy a full hour's speech with her myself and make quite clear the nature of the thing—that Beauclerc, my friend, was an honest and an amiable man and actuated by no unworthy motive in thus leaving me master of his choice in regard to a wife. I had felt diffidence in the business at first, but when I bethought me of poor little Audrey—so lonely and so comfortless up at the big house—my heart had swelled with a monstrous pity, and I had undertaken the commission at a breath.

Beauclerc had reasoned with me thus—that I (being a poorer man and consequently more honest than he) should know better of a fitting helpmate for his declining years. "One must have a woman about the house, friend John," he had concluded, "at the last. 'Tis ill going out of the world leaving behind no one to fight over your fortune or carry on the name, and I will be a docile old beast in harness do you but find me a gentle and patient lady. Nay, marriage is all a lottery; I would have you choose for me; so that I can have the small consolation of not blaming myself overmuch should the venture prove a failure. Dip your hand in Dame Fortune's lucky bag and draw a prize, friend John, for me."

So I had mentally decided upon Audrey, though I could have wished to have been "dipping" for myself. But I wanted to make life brighter—not worse—for my lady and so banished the thought as best I could. But the pricking was there nevertheless.

I glanced at the sundial. It was nigh on to 5. Beauclerc might come at any moment. It was certainly most provoking. I dug my heels vengefully into the turf and had ventured "just like a woman!" betwixt my set teeth when of a sudden I heard a quick, impatient step, and my tryst was at an end. "How late"—

I stopped. It was not Audrey after all, but a stranger. I bowed stiffly and began an apology.

"Sir," said the fair unknown, cutting me very short, "do I address a friend of George Beauclerc?"

"Madame," replied I, with my best bow, "it is my good fortune to name that gentleman on the list of my acquaintances."

"Perhaps I should have said 'the friend,'" continued she, with a heightening color. I noticed her looks more narrowly now that we stood side by side in the shade of the lilac. She was older than my lady, and there was a line 'twixt her white brows that told of a history, yet she was of a trim build and very beautiful still. Meanwhile she eyed me with diffidence. "I scarce know how to make my errand clear to you, sir," she went on presently, "but you have, if rumor lies not, a delicate commission of your friend Beauclerc upon your hands?"

I bowed again.

"We were formerly acquainted," she said and paused. "But, like most friendships, ours had an end. Sir, cannot you guess what I am at so much trouble to make clear? Has George never even mentioned to you so little as my name?"

"Madame," said I, "if so be you are the lady through whom my friend Beauclerc so nearly lost his life, I will be candid with you. In stating the nature of the commission with which I have the honor of being intrusted, my friend expressed one condition—that the lady who would consent to his proposals should not be of the same name as—yourself."

"But if it were all a mistake?" she cried. "If I could prove that it was a mistake? Sir, credit me with a little truth. That letter arranging the assignation which so nearly terminated his life was never penned by me. It was long after I had foolishly steeled my heart against him and had utterly lost his esteem that the truth reached me—that George Beauclerc, so far from being the despicable man I had deemed him, was really smarting under the sense of a deadly affront, apparently offered him by me. But you men will more readily believe a woman faithless than misdoubt that fine thing honor!"

Her words came all in a rush; her voice was so piteous that I could not but feel for and believe her. "The proof, madame?" I asked weakly.

"Is here!" She flourished a paper before me, addressed to Beauclerc. "The true writer of that abominable letter avows himself at last! Yes, it was a gross forgery, sir! See for yourself!" She flung it to me imperiously and triumphant.

I read the letter, and my heart sank for Audrey. Here in truth was the woman that should mate with Beauclerc, if so hap he were willing, and this I was fain to think he would be now that the truth was clear. I handed back the paper with a sigh, yet my heart was lighter than I would have imagined.

"Madame," said I at last, "your case is now my own. Yonder comes Beauclerc. Go you to meet him.' There is my brief. Tell him from me I dare swear that you will do his business more thoroughly than I." I gave her my card, with a bow. Across the back I had scribbled while I spoke, "The bearer, dear friend, is my choice." In a moment I and Saint Lilac were once more alone.

But I trembled when I thought of Audrey. What would she say? Had I not deliberately brought her on a fool's errand? I stood mightily perplexed, my chin in my hand, half hoping that my lady would not come, after all, now that she was so late. Perchance I might get to her home. I could explain then with a better grace, although my knees knocked together at the prospect of the interview. "Zounds," I half muttered, "what a pother I am in, to be sure!"

"'Tis a bad sign you should talk with yourself," suddenly came a voice from behind the lilac. "Either you must be so conceited as to deem no other worthy of your speech or else your wits must be wool gathering."

It was Audrey. I knew her dear tones at the first word. Strangely enough, now that I was embarked on what bid fair to be a perilous time, my spirits revived.

"You offer me a meager choice," I said, rallying. "I will tell you why you find me here so out of conceit with the world"—

"You may spare yourself the trouble, friend John," said she, coming into view. "I have been under the shelter of our patron's wing"—she bowed to the lilac—"all through your strange interview."

"Then you have heard?" I gasped.

"Every word," replied my lady, nodding her little head. I had not dared to raise my eyes, but I could tell from the tone of her voice that her golden curls were shaking at me. "You are a naughty man," she said severely.

I stealthily raised my glance, first taking in her little shoes, then slowly up that dainty form till I reached her soft blue eyes.

"You have made a great fool of me," she went on.

"My dear," said I, gaining a little courage, "listen how much greater fool you have made of me. I love you with all my heart and soul! Not till I was so near to losing you altogether did I know how dear you were. My scheming on your behalf I fancied to be only for the sake of friendship. But I love you—I loved you always. I knew you were not happy, and Beauclerc is an honest fellow and rich, while I—I am too poor—too humble. You would but have been exchanging one misery for another. I have made a rash venture, and I have lost all!"

I looked away as I spoke. I could not meet that gentle reproach in her eyes. "I thought I should have been happy," I stumbled on, "in seeing you happy, and that the next best thing to having you myself would be to find you an interest in life and a home."

Somehow I found her at my side—her hand on my arm. "You can still find me a home, friend John," she murmured, and her voice was the sweetest music in this world. "But, to make me happy—ah, then you must share that home too."

I looked up amazed. "I would not have married your Beauclerc," she went on rapidly—"no, not for all the riches in the world! But I did want to tease you, friend John. Listen. Love is a master—not a servant. We must dance to his pipe, no matter how alluring the gilded palace may seem, no matter how brilliant the diadems that ambition may offer. The honest hearth and the one I love—these are God's gifts that I will not barter for all man's money—no, not if it were heaped right up to the skies! Kiss me, John!"

I did her bidding, the happiest creature on poor old earth, while Saint Lilac waved his hands in perfumed blessing over our heads and sighed with us in sheer contentment.—Vanity Fair.

GEMS IN VERSE.

OLD FAVORITES.

The Gifts of God.

When God at first made man,
Having a glass of blessings standing by,
Let us (said he) pour on him all we can:
Let the world's riches, which dispersed lie,
Contract into a span.

So strength first made a way;
Then beauty flowed, then wisdom, honor, pleasure:
When almost all was out, God made a stay,
Perceiving that, alone, of all his treasure,
Rest in the bottom lay.

For if I should (said he)
Bestow this jewel also on my creature,
He would adore my gifts instead of me,
And rest in Nature, not the God of Nature:
So both should losers be.

Yet let him keep the rest,
But keep them with repining restlessness:
Let him be rich and weary, that, at least,
If goodness lead him not, yet weariness
May toss him to my breast.

—George Herbert.

In Bohemia.

I'd rather live in Bohemia than any other land,
For only there are the values true
And the laurels gathered in all men's view;
The prizes of traffic and state are won
By shrewdness of force or by deeds undone.
But fame is sweeter without the feud,
And the wise of Bohemia are never shrewd.
Here pilgrims stream, with a faith sublime,
From every class and clime and time,
Aspiring only to be enrolled
With the names that are writ in the book of gold,
And each one bears in mind or hand
A palm of the dear Bohemia land.
A scholar first with his book—a youth
Aflame with the glory of harvested truth,
A girl with a picture, a man with a play,
A boy with a wolf he has modeled in clay,
A smith with a marvelous hilt and sword,
A player, a king, a plowman, a lord—
And the player is king when the door is passed,
The plowman is crowned, and the lord is last!
I'd rather fail in Bohemia than win in another land.
There are no titles inherited there,
No hoard or hope for the brainless heir,
No gilded dullard native born
To stare at his fellow with leaden scorn.
Bohemia has none but adopted sons;
Its limits, where fancy's bright stream runs;
Its honors, not garnered for thrift or trade,
But for truth and beauty men's souls have made.
To the empty heart in a jeweled breast
There is value maybe in a purchased crest,
But the thirsty of soul soon learn to know
The moistless froth of the social show,
The vulgar sham of the pompous feast,
Where the heaviest purse is the highest priest;
The organized charity scrimped and iced
In the name of a cautious, statistical Christ;
The smile restrained, the respectable cant,
When a friend in need is a friend in want,
When the only aim is to keep afloat,
And a brother may drown with a cry in his throat.
Oh, I long for a glow of a kindly heart
And the grasp of a friendly hand,
And I'd rather live in Bohemia than in any other land!

—John Boyle O'Reilly.

What Is Time?

I asked an aged man, with hoary hairs,
Wrinkled and curved with worldly cares:
"Time is the warp of life," said he; "O, tell
The young, the fair, the gay, to weave it well!"
I asked the ancient, venerable dead,
Sages who wrote, and warriors who bled:
From the cold grave a hollow murmur flowed,
"Time sowed the seed we reap in this abode!"
I asked a dying sinner, ere the tide
Of life had left his veins: "Time!" he replied;
"I've lost it! ah, the treasure!" and he died.
I asked the golden sun and silver spheres,
Those bright chronometers of days and years:
They answered, "Time is but a meteor glare,"
And bade me for eternity prepare.
I asked the Seasons, in their annual round,
Which beautify or desolate the ground;
And they replied (no oracle more wise),
"'Tis Folly's blank, and Wisdom's highest prize!"
I asked a spirit lost—but O the shriek
That pierced my soul! I shudder while I speak.
It cried, "A particle! a speck! a mite
Of endless years, duration infinite!"
Of things inanimate my dial I
Consulted, and it made me this reply—
"Time is the season fair of living well.
The path of glory or the path of hell."
I asked my Bible, and methinks it said,
"Time is the present hour, the past has fled;
Live! live to-day! to-morrow never yet
On any human being rose or set."
I asked old Father Time himself at last;
But in a moment he flew swiftly past;
His chariot was a cloud, the viewless wind
His noiseless steeds, which left no trace behind.
I asked the mighty angel who shall stand
One foot on sea and one on solid land:
"Mortal!" he cried, "the mystery now is o'er;
Time was, Time is, but Time shall be no more!"

—William Marsden.

Nature's Chain.

Look round our world; behold the chain of love
Combining all below and all above,
See plastic nature working to this end,
The single atoms each to other tend,
Attract, attracted to, the next in place,
Formed and impelled its neighbor to embrace.
See matter next, with various life endued,
Press to one center still, the general good.
See dying vegetable life sustain,
See life dissolving vegetate again:
All forms that perish other forms supply
(By turns we catch the vital breath, and die);
Like bubbles on the sea of matter borne,
They rise, they break, and to that sea return.
Nothing is foreign; parts relate to whole;
One all-extending, all-preserving Soul
Connects each being, greatest with the least;
Made beast in aid of man, and man of beast;
All served, all serving; nothing stands alone;
The chain holds on, and where it ends, unknown.

Has God, thou fool! worked solely for thy good,
Thy joy, thy pastime, thy attire, thy food?
Who for thy table feeds the wanton fawn,
For him as kindly spreads the flowery lawn.
Is it for thee the lark ascends and sings?
Joy tunes his voice, joy elevates his wings.
Is it for thee the linnet pours his throat?
Loves of his own and raptures swell the note.
The bounding steed you pompously bestride
Shares with his lord the pleasure and the pride.
Is thine alone the seed that strews the plain?
The birds of heaven shall vindicate their grain.
Thine the full harvest of the golden year?
Part pays, and justly, the deserving steer:
The hog that plows not, nor obeys thy call,
Lives on the labors of this lord of all.

—Pope.

Life and Eternity.

Life is the veil that hides eternity.
Youth strives in vain to pierce it, but the eye
Of age may catch, through chinks which Time has worn,
Faint glimpses of that awful world beyond
Which Death at last reveals. Thus life may be
Compared to a tree's foliage; in its prime,
A mass of dark, impenetrable shade,
It veils the distant view; but day by day,
As autumn's breath is felt, the falling leaves,
Opening a passage for the doubtful light,
Exhibit to the gazer more and more
Of that which lies beyond—till winter comes,
And through the skeleton branches we behold
The clear, blue vault of day!

It Is God's Will.

The heart that trusts forever sings
And feels as light as it had wings;
A well of peace within it springs,
Come good or ill;
Whate'er today, tomorrow brings;
It is His will.

—J. Williams.

Thus conscience does make cowards of us all,
And thus the native hue of resolution
Is sicklied o'er with the pale cast of thought;
And enterprises of great pith and moment,
With this regard, the currents turn away,
And lose the name of action.

—Shakespeare.

Pleasant Work For Spare Minutes.

General Lewis M. Peck, a distinguished veteran of the civil war, a bibliophile, if not a bookworm, was the leading worker on the volunteer committee which prepared the famous index of magazine and other short articles for the Brooklyn library, then under the management of the late Dr. Noyes. This work was an extension of Poole's famous index to periodical literature. Not long after the task was completed the general met at a reception a young woman who had just been elected librarian of a social club.

"I am thinking," she said, "of getting up a nice, complete catalogue of all the leading magazine articles for my library. I have considerable leisure time and like hard work. How long do you think it would take me?"

"It depends upon the amount of your leisure. The last one took 100 men five years each."—Saturday Evening Post.

The Bishop's Whist Game.

I dined one evening at a hotel and sat next to an Episcopal bishop from England. The bishop, if I may be allowed to use such a disrespectful expression, was chortling. He was doing it softly and unobtrusively, but he was undeniably tickled.

The night before he had found himself alone in a Pullman with a prominent rancher and a Japanese student from an American university. They had read all their papers, talked themselves hoarse, and the rancher suggested a game of whist. To get a fourth they enlisted the services of the colored porter on the car.

"The porter played a remarkably fine rubber," said his lordship gleefully. "The Jap had only played twice before, but he picked it up in the most wonderful manner; but I wonder what they would think of such a quartet over in England!"—Blackwood's.

He who has dollars without sense or sympathy will be a curse to the world; he who lays life and wealth on the altar of service receives a hundredfold in this life and has the promise of eternal life in the world to come.—Rev. Bruce Brown, Christian Church, Denver.

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Lady (to tramp)—Now, you've had your dinner, why don't you go right out and saw that wood? What are you waiting round here for?

Tramp—Don't be in a hurry, lady. Do you take me for a slot machine?

Lady—I expect you to act like one.

Tramp—I'm like one of the slot machines that don't work.

And as he walked leisurely out of the yard picking his teeth she was sorry she hadn't let him alone.—Harlem Life.

No Spare Hours.

Mr. Hayseed (arriving at city hotel)—I s'pose I kin hear the gong here when it rings for dinner, can't I?

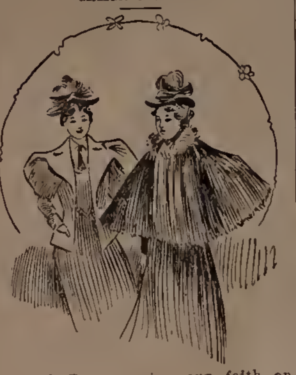
Clerk—We have no gong. We have breakfast from 6 to 11, dinner from 12 to 6, supper from 6 to 11.

Mr. Hayseed—Jehoshaphat! How am I to git time to see the city?—N. Y. Weekly.

His Poor Argument.

"Your money is nothing at all to me,"
The lover impatiently cried.
"Then get out; you haven't a business head,"
Her rich old father replied.
—Chicago Daily News.

MAKING SURE.



Maud—Do you pin your faith on Charlie?

Ethel—I'm not satisfied with pinning. I want a good, hard knot tied.—Philadelphia Press.

An Observation.

Chill breezes now
The tree-tops woo,
The snowbird's note
Is falling due.
—N. Y. Truth.

How It Happened.

Sympathetic Visitor (to prisoner)—My good man, what brought you here?

Facetious Prisoner—Borrowing money.

"But they don't put people in prison for borrowing money!"

"Yes, I know, but I had to knock the man down three or four times before he would lend it to me."—Pick-Me-Up.

Greatly Afflicted.

Mrs. De Platte—How are you all at home, Mrs. Brownston?

Mrs. Brownston—Not well at all. My daughter has la grippe, my country cousin has the influenza, and my servant has a cold in the head.—N. Y. Weekly.

Crowded Out.

When first they wed she gives him half
The clothes-hooks for his share,
But it isn't long till he has to hang
His pants on the back of a chair.
—L. A. W. Bulletin.

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Rev. William J. Minchin is taking his vacation commencing with July 1st —— A waiting room has been built at the foot of Creek street where the electric cars meet ——Messrs. F. A. Shepard, C. F. Brown and D. S. Farrington entered the North Attleboro county club golf tournament on the club grounds July 4th. ——Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brown are visiting friends on Long Island.

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The undersigned desire to thank all the friends for the basket of flowers, especially the residents of Franklin street and the quartette who assisted in our recent bereavement.

HENRY MAYSHAW AND FAMILY.

Those Ill-Natured People.

Clara (haughtily)—I went to the theater every night last week and had a different escort each time.

Rival Belle (vindictively) — You should be more cautious, my dear.

"Cautious?"

"Yes, my dear. Ill-natured people all over town are saying you can't get the same to go with you twice."—N. Y. Weekly

His Greatest Achievement.

"But," remarked the amateur philosopher, "have you ever done aught to make people remember you after the clods have fallen above your head?"

"Well," replied the fellow with a jag. "I just give Bill Simpkins a biff on the nose that I guess he'll remember after I'm done if he's alive then."—Cleveland Leader

The War in Vain.

"I do wish the United States would get possession of the Canary Islands."

"Why?"

"Because it would make good singers cheap, wouldn't it?"—N. Y. Truth

A Libel on Collegians.

Mrs. Benham—I wonder why our boy hasn't written lately.

Benham—He's probably having good luck at poker.—Town Topics.

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Church Services.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "Hidden Treasures." Y.P.C.U. at 6.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 4 Sunday school at 3. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. Samuel Halfyard; subject, "The Christian's Relationship to Christ;" at 7.30 he will preach on "Divine Love and its Results." Sunday school at 12. Junior league at 3.00. Epworth league at 6.30.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. F. T. Hazlewood, D. D., of Boston. Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6 15. Preaching by the pastor at 7.30. Theme, "The Glory of Seeing." A short after service in the vestry.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph.D.; theme, "Unconscious Goodness." Sunday school at 12. Y.P.S.C.E. at 6.30, closing with a short address by the pastor. No evening service. All are invited to the meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. The pastor will speak upon "Apelles, the Weighed Man."

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Clara—I cannot understand Douglas. He keeps on pulling out his watch and looking at it.

Gertrude—There must be a woman in the case.—N. Y. World.

Progress.

Tourist—Do you—aw—fellaws still shoot men for wearing silk hats?

Pieface Johnson—Not less'n they wears 'em with sack coats.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Great Deal Better.

"Married yet, old man?"

"No, but I'm engaged, and that's as good as married."

"It's better, if you only knew it."—N. Y. Truth.

At the Butcher's.

Customer—Why did you put up that large mirror near the door?

Butcher—To prevent the servant girls from watching the scales.—Chicago Journal.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending July 5, 1900.

Ladies—Miss Clara Giblin, Miss Mary McLand, Miss M. J. Mahoney, Mrs. Julia O'Donnell, Miss E. M. B. Still.

Gentlemen—Frank Eddy, E. A. Hocking, E. R. Killeean, Rev. J. H. Mansfield, D. D., Eric Nyberg, John W. Smith, Sig. Giuseppenicola Mastrandrea.

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"They Say."

Have you heard of the terrible family They
And the dreadful, venomous things they say?
Why, half the gossip under the sun,
If you trace it back, you will find begun
In that wretched house of They.

A numerous family, so I am told,
And its genealogical tree is old,
For ever since Adam and Eve began
To build up the curious race of man
Has existed the house of They.

Gossip mongers and spreaders of lies,
Horrid people whom all despise!
And yet the best of us, now and then,
Repeat queer tales about women and men
And quote the house of They.

They live like lords and never labor.
A They's one task is to watch his neighbor
And tell his business and private affairs
To the world at large they are sellers of wares—
These folks in the house of They.

It is wholly useless to follow a They
With a whip or a gun, for he slips away
And into his house, where you cannot go,
It is locked and bolted and guarded so—
This terrible house of They.

Though you cannot get in, yet they get out
And spread their villainous tales about.
Of all the rascals under the sun
Who have come to punishment, never one
Belonged to the house of They.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox in Youth's Companion.

Overlooked.

He wouldn't look well in a [illegible]
He wouldn't be praised in a [illegible]
His home's neither palace nor [illegible]
He's only a man of today.
He couldn't [illegible]
If carnage and [illegible] were [illegible]
He merely can suffer and labor
A hero of everyday life.

He isn't delightfully daring,
He isn't a maiden's ideal,
His love and devotion declaring
A hero of ballads and steel.
He is merely a man who is fighting
The battle of civilized times—
A battle that's withering, blighting,
Unsung in the troubadour's rhymes.

He's really but one of the many,
Determined and worthy and bold,
Whose struggle's as noble as any
By poet or novelist told;
And later, when Time writes the story
Of those who've been valiant in strife,
A page will be due to the glory
Of heroes of everyday life.

—Chicago Post.

Nature's Miracle.

He who loves not a noble tree
No fellowship may claim from me.
Deep in the earth its great roots spread,
But heaven's own blue surrounds its head.
It holds the joy of summer morn,
The strength of winter's wildest born.
God's birds find shelter in its arms,
Secure from everything that harms.
It bows when south winds wander past,
But breasts unharmed the fiercest blast.
'Tis Nature's miracle to me,
Her fairest work—a noble tree.

How Love Is Increased.

We increase our love by exercising it. This is a law in physical life. It is also the law of our spiritual regime. Love is a muscle that needs to be exercised. We increase our love by having a greater zeal. Zeal is the steam in the boiler of life. Shut off the steam, and the wheel stops; shut off the zeal, and progress ceases. We increase our love by a willingness to risk more. There is too much of a staid conservatism which stands faltering upon the brink of greater enterprises.—Rev. Dr. G. H. Broening, Presbyterian, Wissinoming, Pa.

True Repentance.

If you come to him repentant of your sins, that confirming strength the power of his Holy Spirit will be conferred. Constant prayer and attention to duty are the essence of spiritual well being. We must regulate our appetites and opinions if we are not watchful over our inner thoughts; then our actions may reflect them and be unworthy. Repentance simply does not consist of being sorry for the wrong done; it means making right the wrong. That is true repentance. And to accomplish this the value of daily prayer cannot be too greatly emphasized.—Right Rev. W. F. Adams, Bishop of Easton, Pa., Episcopalian.

Real Wealth.

The only real wealth is that of mind and heart. There can be no real greatness but that of goodness. It is not a question of much or little property, but of moral purpose. The mothers and teachers who pour out their lives over cradles and in schoolrooms, that the world may have better men and women; the honest toilers in coal mines, in shops and fields and stores and offices stand before heaven as noble compared with those who grow rich out of the profits of other men's labor or the scheming politicians who speculate, trade, on the honor of a country and the rights of the people.—Rev. Dr. H. W. Thomas, People's Church, Chicago.

The Broadway theater, New York, it is said, will clean up over $100,000 profit for its owner, Jacob Litt, this season, which will probably be the largest profit ever made in any one year by an American theater.

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B for biscuits of all the best brands,
C for crackers and clams for chowder,
D for doughnuts and Dalmation powder,
E for extracts of Baker's best make,
F for fish that will make fine fish cakes,
G for groceries kept neat and in shape,
H for honey to eat on wheat cakes,
I for Indian corn meal and ink,
J for fruit juice for a summer drink,
K for Kennedy, whose goods we stand by,
L for lemons that make a nice pie,
M for mince meat, molasses and mace,
N for Nestle's, whose milk suits the taste,
O for onions, a sure cure for the croup
P for potatoes to eat in your soup,
Q for Quaker, those rolled oats so nice,
R for raisins for puddings and rice,
S for sugar, sand soap and saleratus,
T for tubs, tapioca and tomatoes,
U for undoubtedly the cheapest in town,
V for vinegar as sour as can be found,
W for with hazel that makes one strong,
X for Xebec, a vessel it was used on,
Y for yeast that will raise bread best,
Z for zeal in which we stand the test.

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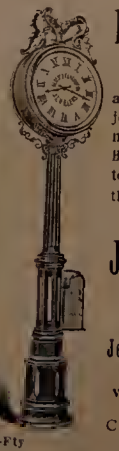

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Providence	6.40 "
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MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
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43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Lawn party on St. Mary's church lawn tomorrow evening.

Miss Nellie A. Farr of Wrentham is visiting friends in town.

Miss Minta E. Gowen is visiting in Providence and Attleboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Y. Reed are enjoying a vacation in Maine.

Mrs. Solon Abbott and children are visiting at Hyde Park, Vt.

Miss Sadie Gay of Pawtucket has been the guest of Miss Ethelyrn Rounds.

The Universalists will picnic at Lake Pearl next week, Friday, July 20th.

Farmers are busy gathering their hay crop, which is better than last season.

Miss Mary O'Sullivan of Pleasant street left Thursday for a stay at Narragansett Pier.

George H. Graut has a large number of men employed on the work at Heag pond.

F. M. Ballou has nearly completed his work concreting and will finish this week.

Miss Lulu Hutchinson of Wrentham is visiting the Misses Allen of Garfield street.

The Medway & Franklin street railway has now a turnout at the top of Richardson hill.

The union picnic of the Grange and Farmers' club will be held at Lake Pearl July 25th.

Timothy Healey, Jr., is now in service as one of the conductors on the M., A. & W. line.

Druggist Mason has just put in a water power ceiling fan for the convenience of his patrons.

The electrics bring many visitors to town and strangers are pleased with its appearance.

Mrs. Mary Bradley of Somerville is visiting her daughter, Mrs. P. Lennon, of West street.

Mrs. Uriah McWilliams returned Friday from an extended visit with relatives in Marlboro.

Miss Agnes J. Slade has returned from a pleasant visit with friends at the Oaklands, Lowell.

Miss Mary Maroney of Providence is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Riordan, on Central street.

The Carter Juniors defeated the Hayward nine on the common Saturday afternoon, 13 to 11.

Miss Elizabeth Maher of Providence, is the guest of the Misses Callahan of Washington street.

The Medway road sent over its illuminated cars last evening, attracting a good deal of attention.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hosford were made happy this morning by the advent of a little son into their home.

Mrs. G. P. Mason of Swansea, who has been visiting her son, A. C. Mason, returned home this morning.

Judge Doe and wife have gone to York Beach, Me., for a season to listen to what the wild waves are saying.

Mrs. Lydia Harris and her daughter, Mrs. Robinson, have gone to Cottage City for a stay of several weeks.

Wm. Harrison who left town about six months ago to visit relatives in England, returned to Franklin last week.

Ralph Dean of Watertown is the guest of his sister, Mrs. F. A. Bartholomew, at her residence on Cottage street.

Franklin Grange will have a basket picnic at Lake Pearl Thursday evening, going down on the 7 o'clock car.

The east-bound flyer from Boston to New York stopped here Saturday afternoon to allow Dr. I. D. Warner to get off.

Theodore P. Farr of Rockland, Mass., wife and mother, are in town at the old home on Cottage street for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Whiting are entertaining her brother, Edward Walsh, and family of Brooklyn, N. Y., a few days.

Station agent Judd has gone to Middletown, N. Y., his former home, for a week, accompanied by his daughter Pearl.

Mrs. Mary Shea and sister, Miss Nellie Tigue, of Danielson, Conn., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Feeley of West street.

Friday evening the selectmen approved bills and attended to routine work. Nothing of special importance came before the board.

The M., A. & W. street railway company expect to have the direct trolley line to Milford in operation before the first of August.

Some few years ago the grass on the common sold for $6 or $8. Last year it sold for $1, and this year it is offered for the cutting.

Nathan D. Prince of Danielson, Conn., spent the Sabbath with his sister-in-law, Mrs. C. H. Prince. He was on his way to Nova Scotia for an outing.

Men are at work concreting the walk through the common. They have finished a gutter and walk in the upper part of Beaver street, which was needed badly.

The handsome new barn and carriage house being erected by Mrs. W. F. Ray, on Union street, is nearing completion. When finished it will be the finest of its kind in town.

As the Bassett carriage was conveying Mrs. Bassett and Miss Eisenhardt to the station yesterday noon a wheel broke, but fortunately the occupants escaped injury.

There will be a special meeting of the Ladies' Circle of the Universalist church on Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock in the church parlor. All members are requested to be present.

The consolidated railroad has issued a special check to be used exclusively in the checking of bicyles and is for the purpose of readily distinguishing it from the common trunk checks.

E. P. Blackmar is now permanently stationed at Hoag lake for the summer season, having leased land at the entrance to the grounds, erected a building and opened a restaurant.

The Country club held a contest on its links on Saturday afternoon, about half a dozen contestants appearing. The extreme heat doubtless had its effect upon the attendance and participants.

The days of scant berry boxes are numbered. Next year, under the benign edict of the legislature of 1900, the boxes must hold a quart. Old boxes will be called in and their use prohibited.

Mrs. W. F. Ray and family took possession of their cottage at Lake Pearl last week, and are now comfortably domiciled in a brand new cottage near the one occupied by B. M. Rockwood.

Wallace R. Richardson of Matteawan, N. Y., is in town for a short time, renewing old acquaintances. He especially notes our new street railway facilities, and says that Franklin is unusually well favored in that respect.

The Franklin colony at Archer's pond is up to the usual number. The electrics make it much more convenient for those who like to enjoy the fresh water breeze and still attend to business here in the daytime to gratify their desires.

The Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket street railway held a meeting yesterday, a number of important matters coming up for settlement. Nothing definite has been given out as yet, but such as are of public interest will shortly be published.

William J. Whiting and family, of Brooklyn N. Y., who have been visiting his brother here for a few days, go the last of the week to Westport Harbor for a month or more. Their son William J. Jr., is at Camp Algonquin, N. H., with Master Robbie Thayer.

The Sisters of Charity at St. Mary's convent, Sisters Mary Agnes, Loretto, Euphemia, Joachim and Sabina left last Thursday evening for their annual retreat at the mother house, Emmittsburg, Md. Sister Angela left for the same place a week ago.

Active preparations are being made for the lawn party to be held by St. Mary's parish tomorrow evening. A goodly number of tickets has already been sold and the party bids fair to be most successful. It will be held on the church lawn and the American band will furnish music.

Large crowds are attracted nightly to Hoag Lake, as the entertainment this week is said to be unusually fine. It makes a very pleasant way to get fresh air and a pleasing diversion, and Frank Riley one of the Keith stars is calling forth shouts of merriment by his minstrel skit every night.

The Universalist church will be throughly renovated, the pews cleaned, the auditorium recarpeted during the summer vacation. The last service will be held there July 22, the church to remain closed during the absence of the pastor, who will spend his vacation in the Adirondacks, as last year.

Manager Enegren has arranged a pleasant concert at Lake Pearl for Wednesday evening, in addition to the regular evening vaudeville attraction. The concert will be given by the Attleboro band, continuing till about 8.30, when the entertainment commences. Large crowds are now going down nightly.

The will of Sarah O. Whiting, Ann O. Bennett, executrix, bond, $100 has been allowed in the probate court. Administration has been granted on the estate of Parker R. Farr, T. P. Farr of Rockland administrator, in the sum of $2,500, and of Edwin J. Pond, Providence, Metcalf E. Pond administrator, in a bond of $1,000.

Our Boys defeated the Ramblers of Hopedale at Indian Rock park Saturday afternoon, 12 to 7, in an interesting contest. Both teams played good ball, but Our Boys did the best work. Our Boys will play at North Bellingham next Saturday and will play a return game with the Ramblers at Hopedale on the Saturday following.

A picnic of the Medway Congregational, Baptist and Methodist societies was held Friday at Lake Pearl, conveyance being made by special car via Caryville, North Bellingham and Franklin. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by the 325 persons in attendance, and all united in saying that Lake Pearl was one of the pleasantest pleasure resorts, inland anywhere in this locality.

Last week Sunday evening at 7.30 o'clock in G. A. R. hall in Medfield, the first of a series of Episcopal services to be held was presided over by Rev. Guy Wilber Miner, rector of St. John's church here, and Christ's church in Medway. There were about thirty members of the denomination present. It is expected that this will be the preliminary steps toward an Episcopal mission in Medfield.

Many of our Universalist friends will be grieved to learn of the death of Mrs. Perrin, wife of Rev. Dr. George L. Perrin, pastor of the Every Day church in Boston. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2.30, at that church. She was an efficient helper to her husband. Mr. Perrin has been heard here many times with pleasure, and the sympathy of all his friends here is extended to him.

Division 8, A. O. H., elected the following officers for a term of one year at a special meeting held Sunday afternoon: President, Michael Kearns; vice president, Dennis Feeley; recording secretary, D. Frank Pendergast; treasurer, Matthew F. Conroy; sergeant-at-arms, William O'Connell; sentinel, John Healey; standing committee, John Murray, Patrick Grady, Bernard Callahan, John Keefe, J. Frank Cody.

"I think Dr. A. J. Gallison is having a genial sort of a time in Europe," says Uncle Silas, in the Woonsocket Reporter, and the pictorial correspondenz cartes of his friends around here seem to point that way. When a Down East Yankee who had been there was shown Uncle Silas' complementary from the doctor he remarked, "Beautiful city," and in an excited manner began to describe the size of the beer glasses there, truthfully, no doubt, as a temperance man should.

The King's Daughters and Sons of Norfolk county will hold a picnic July 19th at the "Pond House" in Pondville. This estate has lately been given them by Virgil S. Pond of Foxboro, to be used as a "Home for the Aged in Norfolk county." There will probably be ice cream, home-made candy, and other things for sale, the proceeds to be used for the benefit of the Home. Everybody is invited—men, women and children. Let all go and do everything possible to have a pleasant time, and to increase the funds in the treasury of the Pond Home.

George W. Heaton passed away at the home of his brother, Halsey Heaton, on Emmons street, late Saturday night. He had been in poor health for some time and his death was not unexpected. He was about 65 years of age and leaves two brothers, Charles and Halsey Heaton. Up to within a few years ago he had for some time been an inmate of the Odd Fellows' home, but lately had lived here with his brother Halsey. The funeral occurred yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at the home of his brother Halsey, Rev. F. B. Sleeper officiating. Members of King David lodge, I. O. O. F., attended in a body and at the grave performed the burial service of the order.

MEN OF THE HOUR.

ALBERT D. NASON.

In the series of biographical sketches of "Men of the Hour" being published in the Springfield Daily Union appears the name of Albert D. Nason, formerly of Franklin. We copy a portion of it, as the Nason family is well known in this section of Massachusetts:

Albert Davis Nason, president and treasurer and general manager of the Bay State Corset company, was born in Franklin, Mass., July 13, 1842. The generations of his family are represented successively by a series of enterprising citizens and soldiers, beginning with Willoughby Nason from England, who settled in Ipswich, Essex county, Mass., prior to 1712. Then followed his son, Thomas Nason, who removed to Walpole previous to the year 1740.

ALBERT D. NASON.

A second Willoughby Nason followed and responded to the first call in 1775; was one of the Minute Men of '76, serving three enlistments in 1775, 1776 and 1777. His son, Jesse Nason, born in Walpole Feb. 27, 1776, moved to Franklin in 1792 at the age of sixteen; after him followed his son, George Warren Nason, who was a highly respected citizen of that town. He was actively engaged in general mercantile pursuits and a pioneer in construction of the railroad through Franklin in 1846-9, devoting much of his time to the public service, being a town officer about thirty five years, two of which he represented his town in the state legislature. His wife, the mother of Albert D. Nason, was Peacy Borden Cook of Fall River, a descendent of the Cook-Borden-Durfee families in that part of the old Bay State. Her father was Capt. Benjamin Cook, who with his vessel was engaged in transporting powder and supplies for the American army during the revolution. She died in Franklin in 1886, having survived her husband eighteen years.

Albert Davis was her fifth son. After the completion of his studies in the Franklin schools he entered his father's business, in which he remained until the summer of 1862 then enlisting in C company, Forty-fifth (Independent Cadet corps) regiment, Massachusetts Volunteers. He was a non-commissioned officer, and served his term of enlistment with his regiment in North Carolina, being stationed a part of the time with his company on garrison duty at Moorehead City, N. C., where he acted as commissary of the post. He then served on detached commissary duty under his brother, Colonel George Warren Nason, Jr., at Newburn, N. C. At the expiration of his term of service in the army he returned to his home in Franklin, remaining till January 1864, when he returned to Newburn, expecting to enter the civil service of the United States government, but engaged in wholesale business there from February, 1864 to June, 1866.

One year after the close of the war, finding the habits and discomforts of Southern life at that time disagreeable in many ways, he returned to Massachusetts in the summer of 1866, and engaged in manufacturing in Walpole and Boston in 1867, and was burned out in the big Boston fire, November 9, 1872. He then located in New York city where he engaged in the manufacturing of corsets, organizing the Bay State Corset Co. November 1, 1885, with a partner, their factory being at West Brookfield, this state and their headquarters and sales-office in New York city. They established another factory in this city in February, 1886, and came here from New York to reside in the fall of that year. The Bay State Corset company was incorporated in July 1890, with a capital of $100,000 and Mr. Nason was elected its first treasurer. The company now employs from three to four hundred operatives, producing on an average about 400 dozen pairs of corsets daily.

Since July, 1894, Mr. Nason has been president, treasurer and general manager of the company, and for several years he personally attended to the details of the trade, the largest of the kind in the state. He is also connected with many other corporations, being a director in the Springfield Safe Deposit and Trust company. He was one of the founders of the board of trade, and one of its directors for the first three years of its existence. He is a charter member of Springfield lodge of Masons, having become a Mason in the Revere lodge, Boston, in 1872. He has taken the Rose Croix, which is the eighteenth degree. For four terms he has been the vice-president of the Second congressional district of the Republican club of Massachusetts, and is a member of the Union League club of New York, the Manufacturers' club of Philadelphia, and the Winthrop and Nayasset clubs of this city. The Nayasset club largely owes its existence to his efforts; he has been the second and the first vice president and president of this organization. His very attractive home is at 29 Dartmouth terrace, facing Terrace park, where stands a handsome fountain presented by him to the city.

His wife, whom he married in January, 1865, was Anna Frances Gay, daughter of Wilkes Gay of New York city. She is, however, a native of Franklin, this state, and granddaughter on her mother's side of the late Major Davis Thayer of Franklin. They have two children, Mabel Frances, born December 9, 1866, who is now the wife of George Nye, Jr., of this city, and Albert Warren Nason, who finished his education at Williams college, and now is associated with his father in business. The family attend the South Congregational church. Mr. Nason is a Republican, but his views are broad, and his sympathies are generous. He is a man worthy of his eminently successful career.

About thirty five went from here to North Attleboro on Saturday afternoon to see the first game of the series between that club and Attleboro, and were sadly disapointed at the game. Both nines had been strengthened, and had crack men at play, but North Attleboro had a decidedly "off" day, so that Attleboro won with ease, Lipp the North Attleboro pitcher being hit at will. Had North had another pitcher it would have infused new life into the team and the game might have resulted differently. Each side had secured some of the best players from Tufts and Holy Cross, Hazelton playing first finely for Attleboro, while Griffin of Holy Cross pitched for Attleboro. Fox, Holy Cross' crack short stop played with North. Lauder the ex Philadelphia player, was present and coached for the Attleboro team, but did not play. There are four more games to be played, the next one coming off at Attleboro a week from Saturday, when North will endeavor to redeem its badly shattered reputation.

See McKinnon's adv. on page 4 for bargains in groceries, fixtures, wagons, etc.

Sweet peas at Slade's greenhouse.

Flowers for the Alden Club.

One of the most wisely directed charities which the Alden club takes in hand is that of sending flowers to Boston, each year, and there is no question but that their efforts in this direction are fully appreciated. Special committees are selected each week, so that the burden falls equally upon the members, all of whom take a personal interest in the work. The club will begin its work this week, and flowers may be left with Miss Bowers and Miss Hodge on Wednesday evening.

South America.

When you come to think about it, how little one knows about South America. I have a book, just issued by George M. Smith & Co., of Boston, which covers the latest interesting facts in regard to that country, covering the Panama canal, the land of the Equator, the great South American desert, the irrigated valleys of Peru, its capital, down the Andes in a hand car, in the heart of the Andes, La-Paz, the Indians, gold and silver mines of the Andes, the city of Santiago, the Chilean frontier, Tierra Del Fuego, the Argentine republic, the trans Andean railway, the pretty girls of Paraguay, wilds of Brazil, the coffee plantations, the mighty Amazon, Venezuela, etc., etc., with scores of fine illustrations beautifully bound and at a moderate price. This book should be in every library. H. W. GAY, Solicitor.

Daughters of the Revolution.

The Fairbanks Chapter, daughters of the revolution, held their last meeting of the summer July 5th. Through the invitation of the Vice-Regent, Mrs. Everett of Lowell and the historian, Mrs. Allen of Walpole, the meeting took place at their camps on the picturesque shores of Whiting's pond, part of Lake Pearl.

Members were present from Lowell, Walpole, Braintree, Hyde Park and Franklin. An interesting paper on one of the chapter's revolutionary heroes was given by Mrs. Metcalf of Walpole. Business concerning the work of the chapter was transacted and then as if by magic a refreshment table decorated with ferns fresh from the woods and loaded with a dainty supper came gliding through a door and stopped in the centre of the rustic dining room before the astonished guests could exclaim at its appearance. It was fully appreciated however, and after the merry banquet was over, a vote of thanks was tendered the hostess and the meeting adjourned till October, subject to the call of the Regent, Mrs. Margaret L. Ray of Franklin, the good-byes were spoken and the party left the sylvan camp for their various homes declaring it one of the most delightful meetings of the year.

The 26th Camp Meeting.

The 26th annual meeting of the Old Douglas Union Camp Meeting association for the promotion of scriptural holiness will be held on its grounds from Friday, July 20, until July 30. No pains will be spared to render this meeting equal in interest to any of the previous gatherings. Prominent clergymen and evangelists from various parts of the country will be present and participate in the services. The singing, as usual, will be under the direction of Mrs. Abbie Lawrence, whose sweet voice in song has charmed multitudes. The singing books, "Good News in Song" and "Songs of redemption," are to be used. It will be highly gratifying to his host of friends to know that Rev. William M. Crawford, who so faithfully filled the position of secretary of the meeting for several years, will again act in that capacity after an absence of two years. Mr. L. E. Paine of Putnam will be caterer again, the satisfaction which he has given the people for the past two years rendering him almost indispensable to the association. This week Friday will be observed as a day of fasting and prayer for God's blessing upon the meeting. The N. Y., N. H. & H. Railroad Co. offers the usual excursion rates. People are already gathering to this delightful spot, which is continually being beautified, and with nature's lavish charms the grove with its hallowed association grows more lovely with each passing year.

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For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

Wanted.—A quantity of native strawberries for preserving. Mrs. W. A. Stockbridge, Dean avenue. 10*

For Sale—An open buggy and two second hand harnesses all in good condition. T. B. Allen.

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 18-tf

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Cut flowers, wedding bouquets, flowers for graduation, all kinds of funeral designs made up at Slade's green house at short notice. P. O. Box 179.

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Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. At Calkin's Studio, over SENTINEL office.

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Send your boys to Oohee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Eat fish as well as meat. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fishman.

Our mattings are made of finest stuff;
This is straight goods and no bluff.
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TUESDAY, JULY 10, 1900.

Dr. Collyer on Religious Tolerance.

Rev. Dr. Robert Collyer, large of heart and brain and ripe in years full of good works and wise counsel, recently preached a sermon which is very pertinent to the troublous disputes that are now raging around the devoted head of orthodoxy. It was on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of his entry into the ministry, and the theme of the venerable clergyman was, very fittingly, religious tolerance. His text was on "shibboleth" and "sibboleth" as typifying the difference in religious beliefs. He proved by illustrations from his own life how wonderful had been the change in the past 50 years from intolerance to tolerance among people of diverse creeds. Dr. Collyer said:

> In other churches than my own I have those who are of my fle[illegible] and bl[illegible] [illegible] my own [illegible] friends, and I cannot deny them my fellowship or let "shibboleth" and "sibboleth" be the dark line of division between us. I be[illegible] [illegible] in all sincerity as they do now and can understand their hearts by my own, and I say that men and women as good and true as you are can belong to any church.

An interesting part of Dr. Collyer's remarks was the suggestion they conveyed to the members of what are known as liberal churches that intolerance was not necessarily the attribute of orthodoxy alone. T[illegible] undoubtedly a certain ph[illegible] eralism, exe[illegible] sons who d[illegible] that they [illegible] a little ahead of others, that is not at all tolerant. It was against this spirit that the good doctor warned his hearers. As showing that respect for the convictions of others and earnestness in one's own faith are not incompatible Dr. Collyer said:

> Does my brother believe that only the elect shall be saved, and does he want me to fellowship with him on these terms? I will give him the right hand and try to enlarge and readjust all the terms of his faith, both in God and man.

Hold fast to your opinions if they are honest, but not to an arrogant pride of opinion or self consciousness that that opinion alone is right, is a lesson that which may well be taught to the whole church, liberal as well as conservative. Were it thoroughly learned it would not be necessary to wait for a readjustment of creeds to effect a practical unity of church work.

The charge is frequently made by those with a superficial knowledge of facts that systematic education encourages crime. In the current issue of The Educational Review is an article in which Professor Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia university takes the trouble to refute the assertion that public education in the United States has increased the number of criminals against property. In the first place, he says it should be remembered that communities which maintain schools have higher standards as to what is lawful than communities without such a civilizing influence, and therefore more acts are held criminal and more crimes are detected and punished. A greater number of arrests may signify better police administration rather than an increase of crime. When records are carefully kept, it appears that the illiterate population furnishes from six to eight times its proper proportion of criminals. This was established by an investigation of the bureau of education. The history of Massachusetts presents a conclusive answer to the contention that education begets crime. In 1850 the jails and prisons held 8,761 persons, while in 1885 the number increased three times, or to 26,651, an apparent increase in crime. But analysis shows that serious offenses have fallen off 40 per cent, while vigilance in prosecuting is responsible for the apparent increase.

Our four months' war with Spain wasn't much of a war as wars go, but it cost the people of the United States about $150,000,000. England's war in South Africa is carried on somewhat less expensively and in seven months has cost about $125,000,000. War costs more than anything else we have in civilization, and civilization would be very much better off without it.

PUT TO THE TEST.

Public Endorsement is what Counts.

Everybody has their hour of trouble,
But people having any itchiness of the skin
Have many hours of trouble.
Nothing so annoying. Nothing so irritating.
Scratch it, it becomes worse.
Leave it alone and you can hardly stand the misery.
Itchiness comes in many forms.
Eczema and horrid itching piles.
Relief and cure are here at last.
Thousands have put it to the test
Doan's Ointment cures every form of itchiness of the skin.
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Mrs. E. L. Robinson, of 20 Dillingham street, Bangor, Me., says: "Two very wonderful remedies are Doan's Kidney Pills and Doan's Ointment. Anyone troubled with any of the ailments for which Doan's Ointment is indicated are unwise if they fail to give it a trial. It performs wonders in allaying and curing itchiness of the skin, from whatever cause. Doan's Kidney Pills also proved to be all that is claimed for them. Both preparations are so valuable that we would not be without them in the house, to have in case of need."

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His Horrid Hallucination.

Attendant (in insane asylum)—That poor fellow over there is the most pitiable case in the institution. He weeps and bemoans his lot from morning till night, and nothing can be done to alleviate his distress of mind.

Visitor—What is the nature of his hallucination?

Attendant—He believes that he is the husband of seven wives who are all coming to visit him on the morrow.—Judge.

An Insinuation Resented.

"Did I understand you to say that there was a possibility of our using irregular methods in that county?" inquired Senator Sorghum.

"I may have said something of the kind," answered the voter.

"Well, it's downright libel. I'd have you to understand, sir, that we're so sure of that county that we don't have to use irregular methods."—Washington Star.

A Diplomat.

"Young man," said the lady with the beautiful diamonds, "do you sell alpherbets?"

"Yes, madam," replied the polite salesman of the book department.

"Well, I want one in words of one syllable so I can learn it to my child."

"Yes, madam. How were things in Boston when you left?" he asked, for he was, indeed, an inveterate flatterer—Philadelphia Record.

Too Weighty Compliments.

"What was this row about?" said the policeman.

"It all came about," the father-in-law explained, "by some of those cheeky boys throwing shoes at the bride."

"Well," said the policeman, "that's customary."

"Yes; but not horseshoes."—Odds and Ends.

The Wind-Up.

Mrs. Hayricks—What makes you so sure there won't be no more fightin' Joshua?

Mr. Hayricks—Hain't the board of strategy down to the grocery store disbanded? If that don't settle the hull business, gosh hang it, what will I'd like to know!—Chicago Daily News.

The Law of Approximation.

Blinks—Do you suppose it's ever possible to come anywhere near the size of a man's income?

Jinks—Yes; just take the figure he gives to the assessor, add it to the figure he tells his friends and then divide the result by two, and you'll have it near enough.—Town Topics.

Almost an Insinuation.

The Girl—I want a hat that will go well with my face.

The Milliner—I'm sorry, miss, but we haven't any painted ones.—Yonkers Statesman.

Letting Himself Down Easy.

"I think my old overcoat will do till Christmas."

"Yes; and after Christmas you won't get one because it will be so near spring."—Chicago Record.

Not Soothing.

He—Is this the first time you've ever been in love, darling?

She (thoughtlessly)—Yes; but it's so nice that I hope it won't be the last.

SCROFULA

thin blood, weak lungs and paleness. You have them in hot weather as well as in cold. SCOTT'S EMULSION cures them in summer as in winter. It is creamy looking and pleasant tasting.

50c. and $1.00; all druggists.

AT COZY CORNERS

"Speaking of the garden"— said Miranda.

"I didn't know we were speaking of the garden, my dear," said I.

"Speaking of the garden," repeated Miranda in a tone which I have learned admits of no trivial rejoinder, "how much space did you think we would allow for the flowers this year?"

"Really, my love, I hadn't thought. I suppose a couple of acres or so will be about all we can attend to." I had glanced away from her and forgotten the tone.

"Curtis, I presume you know I was speaking seriously?"

"Really, I beg your pardon," I said quickly. "As much as last year, not too much, possibly a little less—just about what you think necessary." My wife looked at me with a very searching deputy sheriff sort of a gaze. Her father was the head of a vigilance committee out west during the fifties, and sometimes I see the old man's soul in the girl's eyes.

"I don't believe you care anything about it," she said.

Here was a domestic tempest to be stilled, and I awoke to the occasion as a lazy man most always does when he thinks it worth while. I pulled a stool to her chair and for five minutes talked flowers and horticulture with enough zest, I am so conceited as to believe, in earlier days to have won me a position of some sort with a seed store.

"My dear wife and fairy adviser, I assure you with all my heart," said I, "that ever since the wind has had in it the slightest warmth of summer's love I have been thinking about the garden and trying to form couplets containing both the 'rose of Sharon' and the 'bowers of cozy corners.'"

"Umph!" said Miranda.

"True," I continued, undaunted. "You may not believe it, my countenance may not have shown it, even the milkman may not have suspected it"—

She gave me a push, and I sat on the floor instead of on the stool.

"The milkman!" she exclaimed, with a show of indignation.

"A mistake," I cried. "You know I sometimes make them. As I was going to say when you interrupted me"—

"Suppose I did?"

"It's all right; but, as I was going to say, the flower garden has largely occupied my mind since the inception of spring. I had thought I would spade up the east corner of the lot for the small stuff. There on the little slope they will get the early sun and the shade during the hot hours."

"Not so bad," said my wife.

"We can put the roses under the trees again. Down near the creek is some black soil that will make them prosper as never before."

"Go on," she said, and this time she smiled.

"We will have the beds all protected by wire this season. You can order all you want from the catalogue, and we will make an expedition or so ourselves and incidentally waste our money on a few bushels of seed potatoes and the like. Out in the woods I have marked two new specimens for the rockery. Our collection of ferns can be increased by a visit to Randall's creek."

"Lovely!" she cried.

"These in brief, your ladyship, are a few of the suggestions that have occurred to me in connection with the adornment of our landscape. The snowball shall be mulched and trimmed, for its meaning is 'thoughts of heaven;' the calla lily, the violet, the daffodil, the dahlia, which means 'forever thine.'"

"Why the daffodil?" she said. "It means 'deceitful hope.'"

"It will," I replied, "grandiloquently remind me of the elusive visions of my youth."

"It's too bad," she replied, but she laughed as she said so. "And what else, Sir Gardener, shall we behold on your soil?"

"The jonquil, gladiolus and the clematis are among my favorites. The first means 'can you return my love?'"

"I know it. Why didn't you propose by wearing it?"

"I didn't want to be kept in suspense," I replied. "We will have the azalea for temperance, the bittersweet for truth, the daisy for innocence, the nasturtium for patriotism, the violet for faithfulness and raise a bed of flax for domestic industry."

Her laugh now rang out so clear that I felt myself to be a very great diplomat indeed.

"You're a dear old confidence man after all," she said, "and I am only pulling your hair to make you wiser. You have fibbed very badly. You don't know most of those flowers when you see them. But the confiding wife loves the deceitful husband—it's the old story."

She ran to the piano and struck up "Marching Through Georgia." Our dog, the faithful Aggravator, arose and yawned. The cat suggested that it was time to eat.

I opened the west door presently, and a storm was to be seen gathering. Great, black clouds had assembled to pour their vials of replenishment upon the expectant earth.

"Oh, I'm so glad!" she cried joyously. "It's going to be a good old fashioned thunderstorm. We won't have any callers, and we'll make a map of the garden. So hustle, hustle, hustle, and get your work done!"—Chicago Dispatch.

Picking a Horse.

Different people have different ideas concerning horses. Fletcher Robinson tells in Cassell's Magazine of a chat he once had with a sergeant of the British Tenth hussars. The sergeant said:

"Give me a free hand, and I should pick a roan—that is, for good temper and quick learning. Dark grays and blacks are mostly strong and hardy, and so are dark chestnuts. As a general rule, light chestnuts and light bays are nervous and delicate. A rusty black's a sulky pig nine times out of ten. Then, again, there are 'white stockings,' as they call them. You know the old saying, 'One white leg's a bad un, two white legs you may sell to a friend, three white legs you may trust for a time, four white legs you may lay your life on.'"

This does not agree with an old Yankee saying:

One white foot, buy him
Two white feet, try him;
Three white feet, look well about him;
Four white feet, go on without him.

Now, however, the American idea is similar to that of the sergeant, and they say, "Four white feet you can stake your life on him."

"Hit the Nail

On the Head."

If you have eruptions, pains in the head or kidneys, stomach trouble and feelings of weariness, "Hit the nail on the head." Hood's Sarsaparilla is the hammer to use. It will purify your blood. The masses praise it for doing this and making the whole body healthy.

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Had a Reason.

Kind Old Man—Are you hurt, little boy?

Boy (crying)—Naw!

Kind Old Man—Lose a penny?

Boy—Naw! Didn't have any.

Kind Old Man—Get a whipping?

Boy—Naw!

Kind Old Man—Then what are you crying for?

Boy—Wanted ter see who'd be th' first chump ter come along 'n' ask thet question.—Brooklyn Life.

Living Up to His Principles.

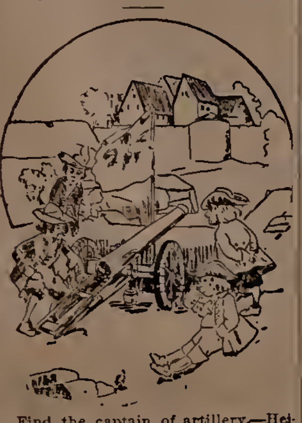
"Look here!" exclaimed the woman who had made a sandwich for a tramp and then thoughtlessly left him alone for a minute within reach of two whole pies, "what do you mean by eating all that pie?"

"Madam," replied the tramp politely, as he let his belt out another hole, "I am a believer in expansion."—Chicago Post.

The Happiest Man.

Who is the happiest man?
Is it he who is wealthy and great?
Is it he that is doing the best that he can,
Or he that governs the state?
Is it he that has won a fair maid for his own?
Or the warrior who makes his foes scatter?
No, no: it is he who is sitting alone
With a woman who knows how to flatter.
—Cleveland Leader.

CLEVER PUZZLE PICTURE.



Find the captain of artillery.—Heitere Welt.

Drowned Out.

Oh, the trump of fame is a megaphone,
Which wonderful might can employ;
But it's quite forgot when you hear the tone
Of a tin horn attached to a boy.
—Washington Star.

Wouldn't Take Chances.

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LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors	$564,357 27
Guarantee Fund	27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account	6,268 89
Interest Account	13,106 32
Real Estate Income Account	10 29
	$611,497 56

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,148 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		31,350 00
" " Mortgages		159,960 00
" " Personal Securities		164,745 86
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		1,500 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Tax account		874 09
Expense Account		1,178 27
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$14,733 01	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	2,954 46	
Mercantile Trust Co.	64 79	
		17,752 26
Cash on hand		2,652 29
		$611,497 56

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    —John Vance Cheney in Century.

KOTTENKAMP'S WIDOW.

BY JAMES PEMBERTON GRUND.

When the Franco-Prussian war broke out in 1870, my father was a major general in command of a cavalry brigade in Westphalia and I a student at Bonn. I was barely 17, but determined to take part in the campaign, and sent a telegram to him asking his permission to go, receiving in reply the words: "Of course. Blessing. Father." In 24 hours I had been accepted by the colonel of a hussar regiment as a gentleman cadet, or "avantageur," and after taking part in an action or two was commissioned a "sekondelieutenant" as a matter of course. The fortune of war took my squadron into a charming bit of country near Amiens. We were quartered in and around the Chateau de Magny, the property of one of the prettiest and most amiable of Frenchwomen, the Marquise de Magny, whose husband's family took their name from this estate. There was excellent stabling for our horses at the chateau and in the villages of Magny-le-Grand and Fleurus, one a quarter of a mile, the other a mile from it. Of the four "Zuge" that composed our squadron, one, with the "Rittmeister," old Breisewitz and myself, was at the chateau; two, with Lieutenants Prince Ehrenberg and Von Breitenstein, were in quarters at Magny-le-Grand, and the fourth, Lieutenant von Seckendorf in command, at Fleurus, where, as this village was but two miles from the French advanced posts, there was also a company of infantry. In addition to the highroad, a deep ravine connected Magny-le-Grand and Fleurus, extending beyond the latter village to within a mile of the enemy's advanced posts. The Somme divided the hostile armies, but we in the chateau and the village were on the French side of that river, held out, as old Breisewitz said, on a silver salver to tempt the French to cross the Somme. The chateau was but half a mile from the river, crossed at that point by a wooden bridge with the posts supporting it sawed through, while a powder mine below completed the arrangements for its instant destruction. We sent patrols every two hours day and night up to the French enemy's outposts, with whom they often exchanged shots.

The marquise was a delicate little creature, with fair hair and a pair of bright blue eyes that always seemed to be laughing even when she screwed up her lips tightly into the prettiest pout possible and tried to look stern. Her hair, that defied control, fell over her forehead and almost into her eyes in a way that suggested a highly idealized Skye terrier. Her figure was perfectly proportioned and her complexion of exquisite delicacy, a beauty rarely found in France. Married at 20, her husband died within a year. She had one child, a little girl, Marguerite ("La Princesse Margot" we had nicknamed her) was now 8 years of age and the apple of her eye—a small, graceful, winning, frolicsome creature, a pocket edition of her mother, whom she strongly resembled in appearance and character. The establishment consisted of a housekeeper, old Prosper, the butler; Julie, madame's maid; the cook and some men about the stables. The cuisine was excellent. Prosper put before us every day the best wines in the cellar, while madame, and at luncheon her little daughter, kept us company. The chatelaine treated us more as honored guests than as officers of the enemy's army quartered on her. We all enjoyed it very much, except poor Seckendorf, whose quarters were too far from the house for him to leave his men to join us at dinner. In another squadron of ours that occupied these excellent quarters some time before was a Lieutenant von Kottenkamp, a rather vain but extremely handsome, clever and distinguished looking young officer, who spoke French like a native and who in appearance, with his dark eyes and short, black mustache smartly turned up at the ends, greatly resembled a French marquis painted by Fragonard on a lady's fan. To Kottenkamp, a year or two younger than herself, the lady took a strong liking, and before he had been a week at the chateau he was head over heels in love with her. When he was ordered away and another lieutenant, by no means as good looking, took his place, it was supposed that the task of consoling the lady for Kottenkamp's absence would be a thankless one. This was not the case. She smiled as sweetly on the newcomer as she had on him who had gone, and when the new man was in turn succeeded by a third the same phenomenon was observed. When No. 3 yielded the "pas" to No. 4, the latter semed to inherit all the good fortune of his predecessors. Kottenkamp, however, outranked the others in her affections by seniority, as it were, and she was always known in the regiment as "Kottenkamp's widow." That young man seemed to take the situation quite calmly and never displayed the slightest signs of jealousy.

When I (No. 5) came under the spell, it was otherwise. I took the matter "au grand serieux," even to the extent of proposing marriage, and suffered untold pangs if any one paid court to her. At first she laughed at me, but in a few days seemed to think my offer not unworthy of consideration, and for my own part the fact that she was quite ten years older than I in nowise changed the color of my resolution. I had a fair field. The marked preference she showed for me sent the little prince and Breitenstein into the billiard room half an hour after dinner, whither old Breisewitz also betook himself to watch them play and swallow countless goblets of mulled claret.

The charm of our delightful tete-a-tete goes without saying, but it was too exquisite to last. One morning the marquise tripped up to Breisewitz and myself as we sat in the breakfast room sipping our "cafe au lait" and held out a letter. It was from her lawyer at Lille. Important business relating to her property there demanded her immediate presence. She drove that afternoon to Amiens to obtain from our general a pass through the lines and, returning at dusk, announced her departure for Lille the next morning. Never had she appeared more gracious and amiable as hostess than that day at dinner, which I thought would never end and was glad when old Prosper appeared with the coffee and Breisewitz and the others went up stairs to their everlasting billiards.

As soon as we were alone I drew a low stool close to her chair and, taking her slim white hand in mine, poured into her ear a succession of those well worn platitudes that seem so full of meaning to us at the time we utter them. I cannot recall—and there is unalloyed pleasure in the thought—a hundredth part of the nonsense I talked that night. My wife in the sight of heaven, she should be so after the war in the sight of men. My father could not refuse the prayer of a son who came back to him with the cross of iron and the credit attaching to honorable mention in general orders.

Letting her hands rest on my shoulders, she told me that she, too, saw but one path in life, the one she would travel at my side. My country should be her country, my people her people, and so on. She only made one stipulation, that she be allowed to come to France for a six weeks' visit every second year. Rising, she went to the piano and, after preluding a moment, broke off into a charming little valse of her own composition. I do not know its real name, nor am I sure it had one, but as she always played it when she and one of her adorers were about to part it was known in the regiment as "La Valse des Adieux." Kottenkamp had heard it, and so had the other fellow, and the one that came after him. But, pshaw! what was the use of going into that? It was being played for me, for me alone, and the sounds seemed to get into the marrow of my bones and mingle with it.

Not until the small hours did my charmer and I separate. Taking a tiny watch from her belt, she glanced at it. "Mon ami, it is sweet to listen to you, but the journey to Lille is long and I but a poor, weak little woman. Au revoir!" Her head rested on my shoulder an instant while our lips met, when, breaking from me before I realized what had happened, she was gone. I drew an armchair to the window and lighted a final cigar, watching the bivouac fires beyond Fleurus, where our "Feldwache" lay to their arms. I was happy.

The next morning I rode next her carriage on its way to the French lines, taking with me a trumpeter and a sergeant carrying a white handkerchief tied to the end of a lance as a flag of truce. A staff officer of the French met her at the outposts. He turned out to be an old acquaintance, as she told me, and I looked at him with envious eyes as he took my place beside the carriage and trotted along, chatting with her, on their way to the "quartier general."

We dined a little earlier that night at the chateau, but a game of cards, baccarat or macao, as the Germans and Italians call it, kept us up till past midnight. A long ride in cold weather and a couple of bottles of wine at the end of it are worth all the sleeping potions in the world, and my head hardly touched the pillow that night before I was asleep. I must have slept three or four hours when I found myself sitting upright in bed. One, two, three shots fired in rapid succession not a quarter of a mile from the house and then a volley! The sounds seemed to come from the direction of Magny-le-Grand. In an instant I had sprung out of bed to light candles and tumble into my clothes. Running to the door, I stumbled against my "Bursche," Max, only half dressed, carrying my sword in one hand and my boots in the other. His eyes were starting out of his head.

"Herr Lieutenant, sie kommen!" he gasped.

"Who's coming, idiot?" I asked.

"Die Franzosen, Herr Lieutenant: die Franzosen."

"Well, let them come," said I a little angrily to steady him. "Aren't we ready for them, you donkey?"

By this time the whole chateau was in an uproar. Lights flew from room to room, and there was a great rushing of feet on the stairways. Through the open door I caught a glimpse of old Breisewitz plunging down the stairs four at a time, while making frantic efforts to buckle his sword belt. I rushed after him, followed by Max with a lantern. We made straight for the stables and lost no time in getting out my horses. The courtyard was full of our men. Some of the troopers had saddled in such mad haste that they mounted without waiting to fasten the girths. Two troopers stood by the great gates, ready to swing them back when Breisewitz should give the signal. The old "Rittmeister" was soon in the saddle and, drawing his sword as soon as all was ready, gave the word. The gates swung back on their hinges, and we streamed out to gallop at headlong speed, with sabers drawn, toward the alarmplatz, the place always settled upon when Prussians in time of war go into quarters and where they are to assemble in case of any sudden emergency or surprise. I do not think more than three or four minutes elapsed after I heard the first shots before we were out of the chateau.

The alarmplatz was in our case a little meadow half way between Magny-le-Grand and Fleurus. The firing had steadily increased until now the roll of musketry was continuous. As we approached Magny-le-Grand a lurid glare and heavy volumes of smoke hanging above the place showed us that the village was on fire in a dozen places.

What had happened was that the major in command at Fleurus and our people at Magny-le-Grand had neglected to post sentries near the deep ravine that connected the two places and extended beyond Fleurus toward the French lines. A column of "chasseurs a pied" had taken advantage of this to creep through the ravine past Fleurus and into Magny-le-Grand, which they reached unobserved at 3 o'clock in the morning. The first intimation our men had of the presence of the enemy was to find themselves surrounded. The surprise was so complete that few of the hussars in the village were able to get out their horses. Of those that did the majority were shot down in the attempt to escape, among them Breitenstein, struck down by a bullet as he charged the big ditch that bordered the village on the side nearest the chateau. As Breisewitz and myself, with our men, skirted the village, although the night was dark, it was there as bright as day. Lights were in every window, and through the red smoke we saw shadowy figures of mounted men flying along the single street, while from the houses and both sides of the ravine a withering fire was kept up on the hussars as they ran the gauntlet. Now a horse, now a rider, sank beneath the volleys and fell, only to be struck again and again. Some of the bodies we afterward took up for burial had as many as a dozen bullet holes in them, and on a pile of dirty straw we found the body of the little prince pierced with 16 bayonet thrusts. Of the pattering bullets some fell into our ranks, but there were only one or two slight casualties as we dashed on to the meadow where Seckendorf's "Zug" was drawn up awaiting us, together with a few of the hussars who had escaped from Magny-le-Grand. The roll was hastily called. Of the two "Zuge" in Magny half the men were missing.

We were now a hundred sabers strong, and, as Seckendorf told us the infantry from Fleurus was on the march to join us, we formed in line and advanced at a walk in the direction of the ravine. Here we made some men dismount, who opened fire from their carbines on the French, but the latter were in force, and their cover was too good for us to do them much injury. It was for us a losing game, and we were glad to leave it. The infantry from Fleurus now came up, as well as another body of infantry from villages to our left. These deployed in the fields on both sides of Magny, and the attack began in earnest, while we waited until the French should be driven to the open in order to try a charge. A tremendous rumbling on our right caused us to glance in that direction, and we saw rapidly approaching across the fields a section of horse artillery, the animals at a tearing gallop, the guns leaping and bounding over the frozen mounds as if they were alive. In an instant the section halted, and the guns were unlimbered at about 800 yards from Magny; in another a red glare was followed by a deafening report, and we heard the whiz of a shell that buried itself in the wall of a house and, exploding, scattered the debris in every direction. After half a dozen shots the fire of the French slackened in the village and became more active lower down the ravine. They were in full retreat. We formed in column of "Zuge" and, circling around the village, swooped down on a small detachment separated from the rest, who made no resistance. Our prisoners numbered 3 officers and 57 men. We had trouble to keep the hussars from sabering them in revenge for the massacre of their comrades. We rode through the street at Magny, and a horrid sight it was, incumbered with the dead bodies of 60 or 70 men and horses. We hung on the rear of the French till they reached their lines, when cavalry and artillery came out to their support, and we had to give it up.

We did not return to the chateau, but crossed the Somme to find quarters in the villages beyond. That night we were "alarmed" and marched day and night for the next two days. Then came the battle of St. Quentin, which so crippled Faidherbe that the campaign of the French in the north was at an end. We returned to the Somme, and I crossed it to have a look at my old quarters. Of the chateau and the villages not a trace! The inhabitants had disappeared as if the earth had swallowed them up. "Les camarades," the peasants told me, had been there, and now all was ruin and desolation. Soon there came the armistice, the harbinger of peace. I wrote several letters to Lucienne, some to Lille, some to an address in Paris she had given me. I received no reply. After being passed in review by the Crown Prince Frederick we marched back to Germany to receive the warmest welcome from those whose homes we had helped to defend. Though at first I grieved for loss of my love, I was very young, and time did its work, so that in a couple of years the recollection of her was a pleasure and not a pain. I never mentioned the subject to my father. Why should I? My castles in Spain had crumbled and could never be rebuilt.

Ten years after the war I was in St. Petersburg, where I made the acquaintance of the French military attache, a M. de Bressonville, who had served in the campaign of 1870 as aid-de-camp to Faidherbe. We took a strong liking to each other, and one day it occurred to me to ask him if he knew Mme. de Magny.

"The marquise?" he inquired, with rather a queer look.

"Yes."

He walked to the piano, opened it and struck the opening chords of "La Valse des Adieux." Turning, he fixed me with a questioning eye.

"You know it, I see. So you were one of the happy ones?"

My face flushed, and the tears sprang to my eyes.

"How dare you?" I began.

To my surprise he burst out laughing.

"Mon ami, she was no more a marquise than I am. She was in the 'bureau des information' of our army—a spy, if you care to put it that way. Faidherbe had a high opinion of her cleverness. You fellows were a mine of information, and if she made some sacrifices to obtain it, well, you know, patriotism is like charity. It covers a multitude of sins."—Cornhill Magazine.

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Had Her Anyway.

"Sir!" exclaimed the irate parent "how do you explain your audacity in asking me for the hand of my daughter?

"Merely as a courtesy to you, sir," replied the young man. "I assure you I have seen no occasion to regard it as a necessity."—Chicago Post.

Pleasing His Wife.

Jinks—Why do you offer such a large reward for the return of that contemptible pug dog?

Winks—To please my wife.

Jinks—But such a reward will be sure to bring him back.

"No, it won't. He's dead."—N. Y Weekly.

The Domestic Riddle.

Cobwigger—It's a pity a woman hasn't a head for figures.

Mrs. Cobwigger—I quite agree with you. If she had she could tell her husband what she did with that dollar he gave her week before last.—Town Topics.

Complications.

Family Friend—What did Mr. Singlar die of?

Bridget—Indade, Oi don't roightly know which it was, mum. There were siven docthors av thim altogither.—Judge.

Medical Item.

The Doctor—It is easy to tell just what a man's worth as soon as he opens his mouth.

The Patient—I suppose that is why you always look at a man's tongue the first thing.—Yonkers Statesman.

Joys of a Bridegroom.

Mr. Troomer—Where on earth is my new silk hat? I've looked everywhere for it.

His Bride (sweetly)—You said you wanted it ironed, dear, so I sent it to the laundry.—N. Y. World.

'Twas Ever Thus.

Merritt—That dog of mine was very ungrateful.

Cobwigger—What did he do?

Merritt—Ran away the very day I paid the tax on him.—Town Topics.

Interest in the Baby.

Papa—Poor little fellow! It's his teeth that make him cry that way.

Friend—His teeth, eh? What do you do for that? Have 'em filled or extracted?—Puck.

Divorces Are Cheap.

"Are you unmarried?" asked her latest admirer.

"No," replied she candidly; "but in Chicago, you know, one can become so at short notice."—Judge.

Cupid's Witchcraft.

She turns her head and gives a smile
To me behind discerned;
And though I look at her the while,
Yet my head, too, is turned.
—N. Y. Journal.

He Enjoyed It.

Fred—That cigar you gave me did me lots of good.

Arthur—I'm glad of it. When did you smoke it?

"Oh, I didn't smoke it. I gave it to Howard; I hate him, you know.—Harlem Life.

Works the Other Way.

Dyer—Doesn't your spending so much time at the club get you in trouble at home?

Duell—No, it keeps me out of it.—Town Topics.

Changed, Indeed!

For ten long years we had not met,
Now by her side I sit;
My arm steals gently 'bout her waist—
She has not changed a bit.
She has not changed? I guess I'm wrong;
That can be plainly seen—
Just twenty-three her years were then.
But now she's seventeen.
—Yonkers Statesman

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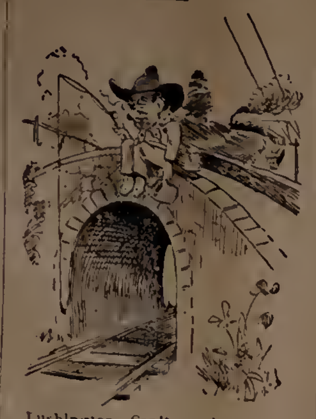

Lushington—Can't understand it. Been sitting here for hours and ain't had a bite. Guess there are too many steamboats on the river.—N. Y. World.

Give Him a Chance.

Tramp—Could yer give a poor man a pie or cake, ma'am?

Lady—Why, you have a big lunch there now, sir.

Tramp—I know, but de doctor sez I must spend an hour at my meals, ma'am.—N. Y. World.

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Fair Ethel wore red, white and blue
Until the war was o'er
She loved her country not so much,
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GEMS IN VERSE.

OLD FAVORITES.

From the Recesses of a Lowly Spirit.

From the recesses of a lowly spirit,
Our humble prayer ascends; O Father! hear it.
Upsoaring on the wings of awe and meekness,
Forgive its weakness!

We see thy hand—it leads us, it supports us:
We hear thy voice—it counsels and it courts us;
And then we turn away; and still thy kindness
Forgives our blindness.

O, how long-suffering, Lord! but thou delightest
To win with love the wandering: thou invitest,
By smiles of mercy, not by frowns or terrors,
Man from his errors

Father and Saviour! plant within each bosom
The seeds of holiness, and bid them blossom
In fragrance and in beauty bright and vernal,
And spring eternal.

—John Bowring.

The Bore.

Again I hear the creaking step!
He's rapping at the door!
Too well I know the boding sound
That ushers in a bore.
I do not tremble when I meet
The stoutest of my foes
But heaven defend me from the friend
Who comes, but never goes.

He drops into my easy chair
And asks about the news,
He peeps into my manuscript
And gives his candid views,
He tells me where he likes the line
And where he's forced to grieve.
He takes the strangest liberties,
But never takes his leave.

He talks about his fragile health
And tells me of his pains,
He suffers from a score of ills,
Of which he ne'er complains,
And how he struggled once with death
To keep the fiend at bay;
On themes like those away he goes,
But never goes away.

He tells me of the carping words
Some shallow critic wrote,
And every precious paragraph
Familiarly can quote;
He thinks the writer did me wrong,
He'd like to run him through!
He says a thousand pleasant things,
But never says "Adieu!"

—J. G. Saxe.

DON'TS FOR MISTRESSES.

Don't ignore the fact that she needs some time to herself to mend her clothes.

Don't think she will respect and obey you if you never show any consideration for her feelings.

Don't forget to give her occasional outings in addition to her regular afternoon and evening out.

Don't think she is neglecting her duty if she doesn't happen to be occupied every minute of the time.—Union Signal.

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His Reasoning.

"I am Sherlock Holmes," said the great detective. "I think you can inform"—

"Yes, sir," the man interrupted his caller. "If you'll wait until I've put the baby to sleep, I'll come down and talk to you."

"Ah; your second!" said Holmes, smiling.

"Heavens! How did you guess it?"

"Very simple. If it were your first, you'd wake it up to show it to me. If you had more than two, you'd be at your club about this time."—Philadelphia Press.

What Did She Mean?

Old Gotrox—That new black dress is very becoming to you, my dear.

Young Wife—Oh, yes! I knew black was becoming to me before we were married.—Chicago News.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of John L. Fairbanks, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Eliza Fairbanks of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the eighteenth day of July, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Mary A. Cooper, late of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

HENRY CARTER

West Medway, July 2, 1900. jly3,10,17

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Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
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West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 A. M.
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West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
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Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Clarence Carr and family removed to Woonsocket yesterday.

Miss Georgia Spronl of Waldoboro, Me., is visiting friends in town.

The Red Men installed their new officers last Monday evening.

Miss Florence Monroe of South Boston is visiting at J. J. Stewart's.

Mrs. John Murray and children are visiting friends in Providence.

Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., will hold a regular meeting this evening.

W. M. Fisher is improving his residence by the addition of a piazza.

Miss Caroline Atkins, a former teacher here, is visiting friends in town.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Lennon of West street Tuesday.

Mrs. Jacob Quilter is entertaining Miss Ethel Fulton of Worcester a few days.

Mrs. J. W. Clark and Mrs. O. L. Burley are enjoying an outing at Hyannisport.

Miss Mary Danahay of Providence is the guest of Miss Margaret McMahon of Cottage street.

Miss Annie Kelley of Union street has returned from a two week's vacation with friends in Maine.

Miss Grace Whiting returned to her home in Worcester for the summer vacation yesterday morning.

Leon Pond and E. Leslie Grant are enjoying the cool breezes from the Island house at Lake Pearl.

Frank Rogers of Boston is spending his vacation with his aunt, Mrs. A. C. Willard on Garfield street.

W. A. Pond, who has been ill for some time past, has recovered his health and is now able to attend to business.

Miss Barbara Brown and Miss Nettie Rice of Worcester are guests of Miss Brown's aunt, Mrs. Frank Moore.

Frank Wilkinson of Boston is spending a few days with his friend, Daniel Flaherty, of the Heliotype company.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Grant have been entertaining his father Mr. George Grant of Attleboro, for the past two weeks.

Manager Enegren has secured the Norwood band for a sacred concert at Lake Pearl on Sunday afternoon from 2 till 5 o'clock.

Rev. Frank Everett and daughter Helen have been visiting his father, A. F. Everett. The granddaughter remains here for a time.

Alfred Gove an old veteran, was fined $6 in the district court Milford, Thursday forenoon and taken to Worcester for nonpayment.

Mrs. E. M. Arnold and daughter, Miss Esther Arnold, of Pawtucket, R. I., are on a visit to Mrs. F. M. Richardson of Summer street.

A goodly number of Franklin people attended the picnic given by the Clerks' association of Woonsocket, at Lake Pearl yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Ray are entertaining the Misses Bertha and Beatrice Dutton of Worcester and Miss Maud Richardson of Boston.

Henry Pendergast of Webster, who has been stopping at the home of his uncle, William Pendergast, of McCarthy street, returned home yesterday.

The Our Boys ball team expect to have their hands full in defeating the crack North Bellingham nine next Saturday, yet they appear confident of coming home victorious.

The street railway company is equipping its long cars with double trolley arms, the extra one being placed on the cars as a safeguard in case the other one is disabled.

The hair of manufacturers' clerks is growing gray on account of trying to make out the manufacturers' schedule for the government census.

Mrs. J. W. Bachelor, who fell and broke her wrist last week, is improving and pleased to see her friends, who drop in to cheer her enforced rest.

Tickets are now on sale for the Douglas camp meeting, good going between July 19 and 28, and good returning till Aug. 1st, the round trip being 90 cents.

W. W. Haslam will preach at the Methodist church on Sunday morning, and in the evening the presiding elder, Rev. Dr. Willard T. Perrin, of Boston will conduct the service.

The first annual banquet of the Norfolk Western railway employes was held at 2 o'clock today at the Medfield inn. The banquet was held at 2 a. m., so that all employes might attend.

Floyd Hosie has just launched a new shell on Archer's Pond, measuring nineteen feet and weighing but seventy pounds. It is a very shapely boat, and will carry about a half dozen persons.

A delegation of Red men from Wonewok Tribe went to Norwood Tuesday evening where they assisted in installing the new chiefs of the Norwood Tribe. Fred Aherns, Edward F. Hartman and George A. Dauphinee were the local Red Men present.

Tuesday a man arrived in town via a freight train, and later in the day was taken to the lockup, suffering from the "jim jams." He is a stranger in the place and required the services of a physician at the lockup. He was sent to Dedham for thirty days.

Walter E. Richardson gave a "fish fry" at his summer home, Lake Pearl Thursday night to which his parents, uncle on his father's side and aunt on his mother's side and cousins sat down. A part of the guests were storm bound, returning to the village this morning.

The Grange and the Farmers' club have arranged a union picnic at Lake Pearl on Wednesday, July 25, and some of the best speakers of the grange and state board of agriculture are expected to be present, together with a number of other interesting features. Transportation will be by teams and electrics.

Mrs. Hugh Rogers, who lives on the Medway road, was gored by a bull in the field at her homestead last Tuesday. The bull knocked her down and gored her in the right thigh. Dr. G. A. Martin was called in and found Mrs. Rogers in a weak condition from the wound and shock incidental to the attack. Her condition is still serious.

The Baptist society held a picnic at Lake Pearl Tuesday. Societies from Walpole, Medfield and Bellingham united in the day of recreation. Deacon R. L. McPherson was a most efficient manager upon the occasion, and the day was marked by pleasure until the sunset warned the older people to take the younger people home to bed.

Hon. L. L. Burrington, the Franklin representative, was an advocate for the bill confirming the lease of the Boston & Albany Railroad. He had satisfied himself that the lease would be in the interest of those who depend upon the carrying facilities of railroads. Mr. Burrington's advocacy had weight with his fellow legislators, as usual.

It is hoped the school children will take as much interest in the Alden club flower mission this summer as last. If they will watch Tuesday's issues of the SENTINEL they will know where to carry their flowers every Wednesday evening. Pretty wild flowers are especially acceptable for the little ones of the city who see so few fields and flowers that grow in them.

About twenty of the friends of Roy Hartshorne from Mansfield paid him a surprise visit on Wednesday evening, bringing an orchestra with them. A most delightful evening was spent with music, refreshments, social chat, etc., the party not leaving for home till well toward morning, all voting their surprise lawn party a most emphatic success.

The dilapidated fence round the common has been removed, all but the stone posts which do not add any to the beauty of the place. If they can be taken away and the grass kept clipped, it will be a great improvement. A recent visitor in Franklin, a man of fine taste in all things, said "What a very pretty place your common can be made with a little care and attention."

Manager C. J. Leathers of the telephone exchange has been promoted to a more responsible position. His successor has not as yet been selected. Mr. Leathers has been given the superintendency of the company's exchanges at Beverly, Manchester-by-the-Sea and Pride's Crossing. This is a very responsible position and carries with it a good salary.

Representative Burrington still continues his trips to Boston, as the state legislature holds out late and the hot weather seems to have no terrors for the body celebrated as the Westminster chamber protectors. The amount of the state tax has not been established and the work of the assessors in casting the tax rate for the present year is delayed.

Judge Ruggles is holding court for two or three weeks, and as he has a habit of sending "habituals" up for an indeterminate period, it behooves that fraternity to keep out a watchful eye lest they appear before His Honor charged with intoxication. He considers they can do better work for the county than to lie around here a burden to their family and to the town. The Judge is right.

Tuesday evening while Patrick Casey, employed at St. Mary's rectory, in company with other men, was removing some of the ruins of the old church, recently burned, a rope, which was attached to some of the ruins, and on which the men were pulling, suddenly broke. Casey was the end man and the others were thrown heavily upon him. Dr. J. M. Crowley was called and found Casey's left ankle dislocated.

Liquor agent Fitzpatrick has instituted a new "hurry-up" wagon for the transportation of inebriates. The other day the Medway car dropped off a passenger near the sheriff's house, and the unfortunate laid there in a stupid doze. The officer decided to take him in tow, and accordingly procured a wheelbarrow and carted him off to the lockup, the befuddled passenger not realizing his method of locomotion or the interest he was exciting.

Every person in town who patronizes the trolley cars will be glad to know that in the interests of safety of the public the railroad commissioners have addressed an earnest letter to the leading officials of the electric roads in the state, urging more attention and carefulness on part of all employees, and the adoption of latest improvements in car traffic. The recent accidents have stirred up investigation, which proves the need of the warning.

George E. Bacon of Central street, while cutting poles in the woods the other day, came in contact with some dogwood, and the result was that he had both his hands and arms badly poisoned. He has suffered intensely from the trouble and the services of a physician became necessary, the parts affected having swollen to thrice their normal size. His condition is somewhat improved today and his many friends are hoping he will have an early and permanent relief from his sufferings.

The report has been current in Wrentham that the work of building the street railway line from the Centre to Foxboro would begin this week, or as soon as the Milford & Bellingham stretch was completed. There are about two and a half miles to build at the Wrentham end, and nearly all the iron has been distributed. A number of the rails were afterward taken to make the turnouts for the other line to Plainville. The part i Foxboro has been built some time, but never put in running order.

The readers who consult the advertising columns are home-and-fireside readers. The advertising columns do carry news to them and they read those columns to get that news. The fact that advertisements bring customers to the merchant's counters proves that the news is read and believed. These are the facts that make the country weekly and semi-weekly and daily papers comparatively more valuable as advertising mediums than the city dailies. The rural papers are almost entirely distributed to homes to be read. The advertisement that gets into a home is going to earn money there for the advertiser. The man who is earnest of reaching the family which is the fountain-head of the stream of custom he desires, is the man who advertises in the country newspapers.—Newspaperdom.

An Important Meeting.

At the meeting of the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket street railway company here on Tuesday, the directors were in session five hours. All the directors were present except Frederick Read of Leominster. President G. W. Wiggin, A. D. Thayer, James F. Ray, E. K. Ray, all of Franklin, George Shippee of Milford and W. H. Tylee were all present. It was voted to begin construction at once on the railway from Milford, through Hopkinton to Westboro. A gang of men will be taken off the crew that has completed the road from Woonsocket to Milford and put to work on Dilla street, Milford. The line will be pushed rapidly, and the plan is to have the road completed Sept. 1st. This will give a through line from Worcester through Westboro, Milford, Bellingham, Franklin and Woonsocket to Providence, with side trip to Lake Pearl, Attleboro and other places.

A Painful Accident.

Our people were not a little startled on Wednesday at the report that George E. Emerson had been quite seriously injured while on a trolley car bound for Providence. He left here about 11 o'clock and remembers paying his fare at North Attleboro, bound through Pawtucket.

Just after leaving North Attleboro, as he was changing his seat, he stepped upon the running board and was struck by a trolley pole, close to the track, inflicting a severe scalp wound. He was pitched off the car over a hydrant upon the grass. The car was immediately stopped and by good fortune a physician, Dr. Vance, was passing and Mr. Emerson was given immediate attention. A rubber-tired carriage was procured and he was brought to his home here. He was unconscious only about twenty minutes, but was dazed for quite a long time, and remembered the facts of the accident only indistinctly.

Dr. G. A. Martin was summoned and at first feared concussion of the brain, but this proved not to be the case. He rested fairly comfortable that night, and the doctor expects to have him out again in a few days. The chances are that had he been struck full in the forehead it must have broken his neck. He was very fortunate to get out of it as well as he did.

An examination was made of the scene of the accident by his son Clifford yesterday, and he found that the trolley pole was but three feet from the track and a passenger upon the running board would have to stand parallel with the board to avoid being struck. It is on a slight curve and decline and the car at the time was running without power.

A Successful Lawn Party.

A large attendance, fine illumination, tasteful decoration, excellent music, an abundance of good things to please the palate and varied attractions put forth for the pleasure of those who attended were prominent features of the lawn party held under the auspices of St. Mary's parish on the church grounds Wednesday evening. The evening was an ideal one for a lawn party, and this no doubt helped to swell the numbers who had gathered. Chinese lanterns illuminated the place and the booths, presided over by young ladies of the parish, were decorated with the national colors. A dancing platform had been built on the grounds and here many found enjoyment until the party was over, the American brass band orchestra furnishing the music for the dancers, while the American brass band gave an excellent musical programme. The booths were generously patronized and the affair was a complete surprise in every way. A goodly number were present from Woonsocket, Medway and the Attleboros.

The different committees who arranged the affair and had charge of the tables were: General manager, Miss Elizabeth Lamont; committee on decoration, Misses Margaret Sullivan, Rose Macdermott, Tillie Schafer, Annie Kelly, Elizabeth Pendergast, Annie McDonald, Messrs. Joseph Maroney and William Pendergast. Those in charge of the sandwich table were: Mrs. Thomas Neelon, Mrs Thomas Killillea, Mrs. Daniel Lamont and Mrs. John Coughlin; mineral waters, Thomas Doherty and John Geaney; lemonade table, Miss Sadie Sullivan; candy table, Misses Ella Geaney and Alice Neelou; ice cream and cake, Mrs. Couty, Misses Eliza and Sarah White and Miss Margaret Halloran; peanut table, Misses Margaret Walsh, Mary Savage, Annie Connolly and Elizabeth Murphy. At the fortune-telling booth Miss Margaret Sullivan presided, assisted by Misses Annie McCabe, Mamie Brogan and Jennie Cody. George Cody, aided by Stephen Maroney, Frank Lamont and John Doherty, had charge of the dancing.

Our Subscribers.

We have gone over our subscription books the past week and found many names who are in arrears. Now the subscription in itself is a small matter and one which is easily forgotten, but if the many who have forgotten would remember us this week it would not seem so small to us. We sent out notifications to those who were a little behind and many were very prompt in calling on us and paying up. If you received a notice, please to not think you are the only one we sent such a notice to, but, nevertheless, remember it please, long enough to call on us.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending July 11, 1900:

Ladies—Miss Maggie Flynn (3), Mrs. Isaac Hagerman, Mrs. M. F. Jackson, Mrs. Minnie Johnson, Cozzella Ginseppe.

Gentlemen—Amende Aubi, Wm. Grimshaw, Wm. Hanlon, Ned Johnson, R. J. Reod, Edwin P. Smith, S. Eustacchio Rubeo, Giuseppe Nazia, Nicola Fabiana.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Send your boys to Ocbee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

THE HAPLESS FRANKLINITE.

O sad is the lot of the Franklin man, to toil and dig and delve;
He's up before the sunrise, retires at stroke of twelve;
Shut in the shop or store or mill—Dame Fortune's most unkind,
And life is just what Dickens says: "One long, demnition grind."

And when the summer comes each year the heat is such a bore
His wife's off to the mountains, the country or the shore.
He stays at home to "run the ranch," a watch to keep o'er all,
But there isn't much of revelry in quiet bachelors' hall.

But when the glad millennium comes and every one has wealth
And brains and wit, good temper and all enjoy good health,
Then all this rustication of wife and hopefuls gay
Will be shared by pater familias. God speed the happy day.

Try the Trolley.

W. R. Richardson and F. M. Richardson took a swing round the circle Wednesday, boarding the electric car at the head of Depot street and reaching Woonsocket on time. From that point they went to Blackstone and called upon their aunt, Mrs. William Miller, and several cousins, where they had a most delightful reception. From Blackstone the brothers proceeded by electric cars to Providence and then by boat to Field's Point. It is only taking up space to relate what occurred at that well-known shore resort. The weight of the earth has lessened at that point and increased at this. Returning to the city with many a golden sand embedded in their apparel and scanty locks, the trip home was made by electric cars by way of Attleboro, Plainville and Wrentham. The circuit covered 80 miles. A score of places of different names were passed through and the brothers agreed on one point if no other, and that was that the village of Franklin eclipsed them all in cleanliness, order, beauty of situation, architecture and home adornment of structure and grounds.

Franklin fair, beyond compare;
Franklin with its perfumed air;
Franklin, where the sun doth shine
On tree and fern and glade and vine.
May thought and action ever wait
Flame-sworded Franklin at thy gate.

REUBEN.

This Is All True.

The following is all true, as every newspaper publisher knows, no matter how careful and conscientious he may be in admission of matter to his columns: "To run a paper without occasionally publishing an item that is detrimental to some person, is like running a railroad without having accidents or mishaps. To do either is a physical impossibility. No man on earth is to so great an extent constantly at the mercy of both friends and enemies as the editor of a newspaper. He must get much of the information concerning transpiring events second or third handed, or not at all. Frequently statements are received from supposedly trustworthy sources which are subsequently found to be without foundation. Not one editor in a thousand wilfully injures either friend or foe by misrepresentation. Go to him and ask for a correction, and nine cases out of ten, if your case is just, you will be received politely, and proper correction will be made with pleasure."

South America.

When you come to think about it, how little one knows about South America. I have a book, just issued by George M. Smith & Co., of Boston, which covers the latest interesting facts in regard to that country, covering the Panama canal, the land of the Equator, the great South American desert, the irrigated valleys of Peru, its capital, down the Andes in a hand car, in the heart of the Andes, La-Paz, the Indians, gold and silver mines of the Andes, the city of Santiago, the Chilean frontier, Tierra Del Fuego, the Argentine republic, the trans Andean railway, the pretty girls of Paraguay, wilds of Brazil, the coffee plantations, the mighty Amazon, Venezuela, etc., etc., with scores of fine illustrations beautifully bound and at a moderate price. This book should be in every library.

H W. GAY, Solicitor.

Canning is Coming.

If you want nice fruit next winter prepare to can very soon, as fruit is coming on, but don't use your old jars. Our new ones are cheaper, better, and improve the flavor of the fruit. We have the square "Royal" fruit jar, best quality selected glass, with "Lightning" top at 90 cents, $1.00 and $1.25 per dozen. There are none cheaper in the end. Window screens at reduced prices.

HOSIE BROS.

If you want the best milk in this town, put up in glass jars at the farm, and delivered by 6 o'clock in the morning, address J. C. McInnis. He also has all kinds of fruit in the season.

If you want bargains don't fail to be present at the auction of household goods at Mrs. A. P. Woodward's at 1.30 on Saturday afternoon.

Our mattings are made of finest stuff;
This is straight goods and no bluff.
Sanford Bros., Medway.

Sweet peas at Slade's greenhouse.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

A Letter to Boys.

DEAR BOYS: Believing that I will reach the ears of a larger number of you through the columns of the SENTINEL than through my preaching on the Lord's day, I take this method of addressing you. I am glad to know that you are having a good, long vacation from study, to ramble through the woods. May I ask you to be kind to the birds? It is so much more pleasant to have them with us. Life is more cheerful because of their presence. Do not throw stones at them nor kill them. Do not rob their nests of eggs or the young birds. It is cruel and unkind. They are so beautiful in appearance and they sing so sweetly that no one should think of doing them harm. Even if the English sparrow should be killed, as some people say, you and I should not kill them. The town authorities should do it by the proper methods. Let me also remind you that there is a law against robbing birds' nests and killing birds. You can be arrested and compelled to pay a fine. It is never wise to violate the laws of the commonwealth. I have heard lately of a number of boys who, thoughtlessly, I trust, have been guilty of such violation.

Mr. Angell, editor of the Dumb Animals, says that "if there were no birds man could not live on the earth," and "every kind word you say to a dumb animal or bird will make you happier." And so I ask you to be kind to the birds. Let me suggest to you to spend some parts of your vacation in studying about the birds. Ask your parents to buy you a book on birds or go to the library and read about them; then go into the woods and meadows and find out all you can about them. Thus you will learn to love them and will never think of doing them harm. As a lover of birds and boys, I am

Very truly yours,

ISAIAH W. SNEATH.

The Tickets Thus Far.

Democratic—William J. Bryan of Nebraska, for president, and Adlai E. Stevenson of Illinois, for vice president.

Fusion Populist—William Jennings Bryan of Nebraska, for president, and Charles A. Towne of Minnesota for vice-president.

Republican—William McKinley of Ohio, for president, and Theodore Roosevelt of New York, for vice president.

Socialist—Joseph F. Malouey of Massachusetts for president, and Valentine Remmill of Pennsylvania, for vice president.

Prohibition—John G. Wolley of Illinois, for president, and Henry B. Metcalf of Rhode Island, for vice president.

Socialist-Labor party—Job Harriman of California, for president, and Max S. Hayes of Ohio, for vice president.

Social Democrats—Eugene V. Debs of Indiana, for president, and Job Harriman, for vice-president.

United Christian party—Rev. S. C. Swallow of Pennsylvania, for president, and Rev. E. H. Sheldon of Illinois, for vice-president.

Middle-of-the-Road Populists — Wharton Baker of Pennsylvania, for president, and Ignatus Donnelly of Minnesota, for vice-president.

Emerson's Market.

New peas, string beans, tomatoes, lettuce, cucumbers, onions, cabbages, new beets and turnips, new potatoes. Try our Imperial cheese. Fresh killed fowls, lamb, veal, pork. Fresh cream.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Store girl wanted. Address, at once, Box 342, Franklin.

Wanted—A girl to do housework. Inquire at the SENTINEL office.

Dr. J. C. Gallison will sell a light driving horse or exchange for a heavier one. 11tf

Wanted.—A competent girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Dr. King, High street. 6

For Sale—An open buggy and two second hand harnesses all in good condition. T. B. Allen.

To Let —Tenement of seven rooms to small American family. Apply to F. B. Croesley, 8 Cottage street. 13*

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 13-tf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Hay, at Maple Farm, all good; 95 cts. to $1.10 per hundred delivered to any part of town. Orders at Chilson's market. O. S. Stetson. 15-tf

Lawn Mowers—Don't try to mow your lawn with a dull mower. Bring it to Rose's machine shop, and he will put it in perfect order. It will cut better, quicker and with far less exertion.

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. At Calkin's Studio, over SENTINEL office.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

Read the Business Announcements.

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TEDDY is the apostle of hustle, while Stevenson is the apostle of dignity. Hustle usually wins.

GEN. HUMIDITY will be the charge d'affairs for the next two months. Everything wilts before him.

WILLIAM WALDORF ASTOR is living grandly up to the first part of his last name. What else could be expected of a man who forsakes his country?

THE man that's down always gets the kicks. Vide Quay just left off the Republican National Executive committee by his friend Hanna. Wait for Quay's revenge.

IT will now be fair weather and clear sailing for the nineteen colleges which are to receive the $2,195,000 which Fayeweather, the leather man left them. The courts have decided that the will must stand.

OPPOSITION to the re-election of Speaker Myers for next year is already developing, and is likely to assume dangerous proportions. It required a good man to follow Bates, and the difference is marked.

BETTING on the election has already begun. This is a little early, and many things may arise to turn the tide before November. Those who bet say a man may do wrong to bet, but he who does not bet is no bettor.

THE story of the plot to assassinate President McKinley was too diaphanous to attract much attention this hot weather, but it served to create a little talk, and if it succeeds in compelling all needed caution on the President's part no harm will result.

THE situation in China grows more alarming every day, and the lack of news creates the impression that things may be worse than they are surmised. Subduing China has not the holiday appearance it had a short time ago, and whatever the outcome, it will cost much men and money to bring the Celestials to terms.

THE higher courts have just decided that a manufacturer can employ any person in his mill ten hours per day, notwithstanding that person may have worked a portion of that same day elsewhere. That seemed like wise judgment, as the ten-hour law was never meant to deprive a laborer of obtaining all the employment per day he was able to perform, notwithstanding some officious labor agitators attempted to dictate just how long a person might work. The lower court that decided that a person's labor must be limited to ten hours must feel "like thirty cents" just about now.

THE ice magnates of Boston, however good men they may be in private life, deserve the execration of all honest people for robbing the poor and then attempting to prevent needed legislation in favor of sweltering thousands whose life depends upon the preservation of their food. But the legislature was not to be scared from doing its duty, and the five cent bill went through, compelling the magnates to sell ice to whomsoever should ask for it. Heretofore they have refused to sell five cent ice, and also would not sell any to those who had been buying of the independent ice men. Justice, though sometimes slow, is bound to come.

WHILE Senator Hoar does not agree with Pres. McKinley on the colonial question, yet he feels that this country is to be guided aright, and prefers to trust the republicans than the Democrats, and consequently is to be found in the party ranks this fall earnestly supporting the republican ticket. No one who knew Massachusetts' senior senator ever thought he would do otherwise. All these years of partisanship do not go for nothing, and at this late day it was not to be expected that the leopard could change his spots. Senator Hoar is right in his last attitude, even if he is thought by many of his friends to have been wrong before. Hoar training with the enemies of his party? Never.

WHILE it is admitted that Bryan is stronger than he was four years ago, yet that proves nothing as compared with the fact that McKinley has won many adherents by his course during the time he has held office. No one imputes to him anything but a desire to do right as he sees it. The campaign promises to open early, as each side will be loath to allow the other an advantage. Manufacturing interests everywhere would greatly dislike a change of administration at this juncture, when so many important questions are under consideration. The democrats are hoping to make large gains in Congress, and thus be able to block legislation in case they lose the presidency. Take it altogether, this promises to be the most exciting and closely contested campaign in years.

STUNTED HAIR

Does your hair split at the end? Can you pull out a handful by running your fingers through it? Does it seem dry and lifeless?

Give your hair a chance. Feed it. The roots are not dead; they are weak because they are starved—that's all.

The best hair food is—

Ayer's Hair Vigor

If you don't want your hair to die use Ayer's Hair Vigor once a day. It makes the hair grow, stops falling, and cures dandruff.

It always restores color to gray or faded hair; it never fails.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

"One bottle of Ayer's Hair Vigor stopped my hair from falling out, and started it to grow again nicely."
JULIUS WITT,
March 28, 1899. Canova, S. Dak.

"Ayer's Hair Vigor completely cured me from dandruff, with which I was greatly afflicted. The growth of my hair since its use has been something wonderful."
LENA G. GREENE,
April 13, 1899. New York, N.Y.

If you do not obtain all the benefit you expected from the use of the Hair Vigor, write the Doctor about it.
DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

What She Would Want.

"And when we are married," said the beautiful young girl to whom the aged millionaire had just proposed, "will you give me everything I want?"

"Everything, my charmer," replied the old man in an ecstasy of delight at this intimation that she would surrender; "everything that you can ask."

"If I could believe you," she said, doubtfully, "I would not hesitate a minute."

"Why should you doubt me?" he asked.

"Oh, because of the character of the request I would make," she answered. "You mean well, but I'm afraid you might back out. You see, the first thing I should ask after marriage would be for a divorce and alimony."—Chicago Post.

Two Babies.

Mrs. Newma—Oh, I wish you could see Mrs. Wickler's baby. It's perfectly lovely! Such a delicate, sweet little creature as it is! It's a perfect little cherub, with the loveliest eyes, the sweetest little mouth, the cunningest little nose, and eyes of heavenly blue. It looks as if it just dropped from Heaven and every tiny feature had been fashioned by the angels.

Mr. Newma—Is it as nice as our baby?

Mrs. Newma—Mercy! no, not half.—N. Y. Weekly.

No Gentleman.

"Did I understand you to say that dress you admired so much to-day was a dream?" inquired Mr. Smokehart.

"Yes," answered his wife, hopefully.

"Well," he proceeded very kindly, "you keep your mind on it when you go to sleep to-night, and maybe you will dream one of your own."—Washington Star.

Two of a Kind.

Husband (at the breakfast table)—Oh, for some of the biscuits my mother used to make!

Wife (sweetly) — I'm sorry you haven't got them, dear. They would be just about stale enough by this time to go well with that remark.—Chicago Daily News.

An Expert Diagnosis.

Customer—I think there's a hair tangled in the wheels.

Woman Watchmaker (examining portrait in the case)—Yes; I'm sure it should be blond.—Jewelers' Weekly.

Truthfully Speaking.

Miss Young—What did you say when Charley Jagson threatened to kiss every girl in the room?

Miss Olds—I said I would just like to see him try it!—N. Y. Journal.

Brave Men Fall

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, run down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Idaville, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is all run down, and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store. Every bottle guaranteed.

If you don't feel quite well, try a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla. It is a wonderful tonic and invigorator. It will help you.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

The Sea Restitution.

The third day out from Havre a fog came up and made the world opaque. For two days it did not lift nor thin, and it was difficult to believe, in spite of the log, that the ship was making any headway at all. It seemed almost as if the world had ceased to be, or as if it existed but in a state of flux, and as if we, enchanted ones, accursed with an immunity from the common destruction, were left to contemplate the nothingness.

Then, to add to our sense of doom, a young baby was said to have died on shipboard. At first every one took it for granted that its mother must have been a steerage, or, at the least, a second cabin passenger. It seemed unlikely that death would be so impertinent as to enter the first cabin. But it was learned that the destroyer had been even more insolent than that—it had taken a child much favored of fortune, the heir to great wealth.

I went to visit Mrs. Morell, the child's mother. She was tall and white, with wide eyes, which must have been beautiful when she was happy. Now a sort of blankness, like that of the air and the sea, had come into them.

I could not see her soul for her sorrow. She offered no confidence; indeed my sympathy could not reach to her dulled sense. Her grief was between us, impenetrable as the fog through which the ship crept cautiously.

"The captain asked me if I would be willing to have my baby buried at sea," she said to me in a voice which reminded me of a mournful bell, "and I told him I had no objection whatever."

"No!" I ejaculated in amazed surprise.

"Nothing is more peaceful than the deeps of the sea," she responded, and it, being night she asked me to walk upon the deck with her under cover of the darkness.

More in sympathy than from curiosity I inquired:

"Your husband is awaiting you in America?"

"Yes," she replied, her voice strangely colorless. "He will be at the wharf. He will expect to see the baby in my arms. He has never seen the baby, you know. I have been with my mother, who lives in Paris, and the day that baby was 3 months old I started for home."

We paused by the bulwark, and she looked down into the shadowy trough of the wave.

"It will make a soft cradle," she said. Her courage wrung my heart.

"Where do you find the strength to endure such a grief?" I cried.

"Indeed," she responded, with the mournful shadow of a smile, "that I cannot tell. It does not seem as if it were really I who has met with this great misfortune. If it were I whose plans have been so altered and whose hopes have been so dashed, surely I would not be tearless like this. It is Adele, my nurse, who weeps."

The next morning the captain read the burial service with solemn accent, and into the colorless sea, through the white vacancy of the fog, the little one was lowered reverently. I stood beside the mother, and I would have sustained her with my arm but that she gently repulsed me. She swayed a little from side to side, but there were no tears on the face that looked out of the quaint pointed hood of her sea cloak. She stared ahead of her at the stupid fog—she looked baffled, into obscurity.

Suddenly, an hour after the funeral, the mist lifted. It rolled up as a curtain rolls up, and it was a saffron color, gleaming and splendid. When it had lifted, a sparkling sea was revealed and a cloudless sky. The world became radiant. It seemed to exult in its beauty. Mrs. Morell cast a look of reproach at this vaunting of nature's youth and joy and went to her cabin.

Through the day messages were sent her and delicate evidences of sympathy, but her maid alone returned thanks. The next morning found her still in seclusion. More than one of us thought of invading that sacred solitude, but at the last forbore.

It was the afternoon of that day that the man on the bridge espied an object upon the horizon at the south. It was a black speck, visible in a short time to all of us.

"It's a ship's longboat," was the verdict at last. "It is manned and flying a flag of distress."

The course of our ship was changed. We went racing through the green water, rejoicing in the zest of the hour, in the action, the event.

Presently we were standing off cautiously from a longboat manned with haggard men.

"Who are you?" shouted the captain as the companion ladder was being lowered.

"All that are left of the crew and the passengers of the Nina Celeste, sir."

"How lost?"

"By fire, sir, two nights ago. The first boat lowered capsized. The women—there were two—were lowered into it. But the men were frightened, the flames made such headway, so they jumped. We are all who remain. Three of us were picked up from the overturned boat, but the others were dragged down in the swirl of the boat; it got to going round and round."

"Was the Nina Celeste a freighter?"

"A freighter, sir, bound from Bermuda to New York, carrying a cargo of lilies and hemp. It was out of its course owing to a fog."

The boat's load came on board—15 pale men—and one of them carried something in his arms.

"What do you carry?" asked the captain. "Is it a child?"

"Yes sir. It is the babe of one of the women who were lost. I was just about to hand it down to her"—

There was a sharp cry from among the crowd of passengers. Mrs. Morell was coming forward, her arms outstretched. She was entirely unconscious of the crowd apparently. Some one whispered to the man who held the babe:

"Her little one was buried yesterday at sea."

The man shuffled his burden awkwardly in his arms and took his hat from his head. Mrs. Morell reached him, and her hands seemed to hover above the coverings of the child's face as an avid bee hovers above a flower.

"It is alive!" she half whispered, after she had bent above it, all trembling. "It is breathing!" It seemed as if she thought that fact a sort of miracle.

She lifted the babe eagerly from the man's arms and, straining it close to her, walked with rapid, uncertain steps toward her cabin, and as she went she, who had hitherto shed no tear, sobbed aloud.—Chicago Tribune.

Prudence.

"Why don't you take steps to have this man who has traduced your character punished? He has unquestionably accused you falsely."

"I know it," said Senator Sorghum, thoughtfully. "But I'm afraid that by making a fuss about things that ain't so I may stir up a lot that are."—Washington Star.

No Need of Any Addition.

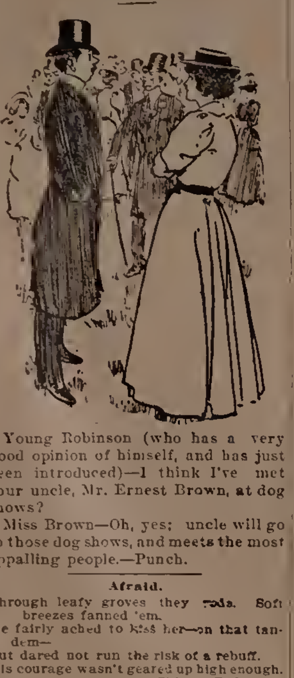
Teacher (to new girl)—Now, Dolly, I'll give you a sum. Supposing that your father owed the butcher £15, 11s. and twopence-half-penny; £7, 3s. to the bootmaker; £14 and 9d. to the milkman, and £31, 19s. and 3d., 3 farthings to the coal merchant—

Dolly (confidently) — We should move!—Stray Stories.

Evened Up.

He worked and schemed with all his might,
Year after year he toiled away.
But nature stopped him and he left
A fair young widow one fine day.
Yet weep not for the man who died!
He ground and hoarded to the end,
But the man who stepped into his shoes
Says money was but made to spend.
—Cleveland Leader.

SORRY SHE SPOKE.



Young Robinson (who has a very good opinion of himself, and has just been introduced)—I think I've met your uncle, Mr. Ernest Brown, at dog shows?

Miss Brown—Oh, yes; uncle will go to those dog shows, and meets the most appalling people.—Punch.

Afraid.

Through leafy groves they rode. Soft breezes fanned 'em.
He fairly ached to kiss her—on that tandem—
But dared not run the risk of a rebuff.
His courage wasn't geared up high enough.
—Chicago Tribune.

Gave Himself Away.

Mrs. Sharpeye (at a hotel)—That couple try to act as if they had been married for years, but I know they are on their wedding tour.

Mr. Sharpeye—Guess not.

Mrs. S.—Yes, they are. He gave her the tenderloin of the steak.—N. Y. Weekly.

A Reminder.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—How on earth, John, did you remember to deliver my message, to-day?

Mr. Crimsonbeak—Oh, I found a handkerchief on the street, this morning, with a knot tied in it.—Yonkers Statesman.

Strategy.

Jimmy—But what do you do when you git real sleepy? You don't own up to it, do you?

Tommy—Naw—I go to askin' paw fool questions and he makes me go to bed.—Indianapolis Journal.

A Sane View.

"Josephine is so queer! She isn't going to wear mourning."

"Does she give any reason?"

"Yes; she says she doesn't intend to act as if she thought her husband had gone to the bad place."—Puck.

Justifiably Indignant.

The Policeman—A plain drunk, yer honor.

The Prisoner—Plain! Plain! Sure, yer anner, has a chimpanzee like that the right to insult a lady?—N. Y. Journal.

Would Not Satisfy Him.

She—Would you be satisfied if I let you have just one kiss?

He (courageously)—No.

She—Then you may have one.—N. Y. World.

Serious.

Arthur—Are you sure she loves you?

Jack—Yes. When I told her I had no money to marry on she asked me if I couldn't borrow some. — Illustrated American.

Placing the Blame.

"I saw you kissing my daughter, sir."

"Well, it was your own fault; you shouldn't have looked."—Chicago Daily Record.

Her Opinion.

His Fiancee—I don't consider Santiago the most important engagement of the war.

The Soldier—No? Which one?

His Fiancee—Ours!—Puck.

Sure to Do It.

"Are you sure she will marry you?"

"Why, of course. Hasn't her father absolutely forbidden it?" — Chicago Post.

From a Woman's Standpoint.

Mr. Briggs—Does tobacco chewing shorten life, I wonder?

Mrs. Briggs—Don't know. I'm sure, but I hope so.—Town Topics.

Simply Frenzied.

She—My husband is just crazy over music.

He—Where is it? In the flat under you?—Yonkers Statesman.

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She Laid Him Out.

Williamson—I hear that Jagman was so drunk last night that several of you fellows had to take him home on a shutter. Did his wife think he was dead?

Henderson—She must have. She was certainly laying him out when we left.—Harlem Life.

Lessons of Experience.

Mr. Spriggins (gently) — My dear, a Washington man was shot at by a burglar, and his life was saved by a button which the bullet struck.

Mrs. Spriggins—Well, what of it?

Mr. Spriggins (meekly) — Nothing, only the button must have been on.—N. Y. Weekly.

A Painful Oversight.

"Weren't you thrilled, Clementine, when Lady Macbeth came out with that horrible spot of blood on her hand?"

"Yes! wasn't it awful? I couldn't help wishing she had worn rubber gloves."—Chicago Record.

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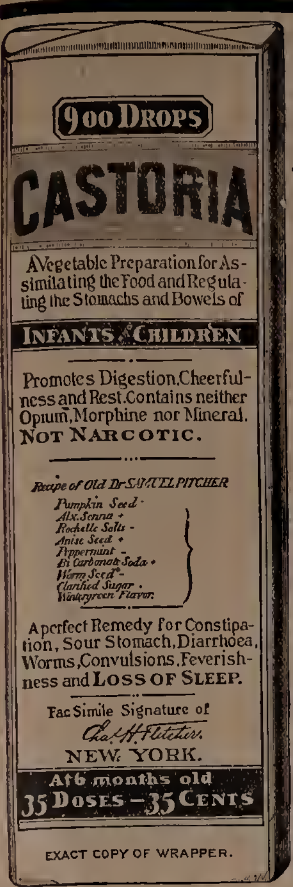

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Ere I can make of my love 'twixt tonight and tomorrow
The song I should.

When the time of the swallow's new such a bird might bring it,
Chirping low and soft at your window sill,
But I could not trust wild swallow or lark to sing it
As your heart will.

Scent of the lad's love, blush of the rose shall tell it
Into your dreaming ears till the sweet dream go,
Lost amid waking truths that shall help to swell it,
With sweetness deeper than even red roses know.

—Nora Hopper in Black and White.

The Benefactress Of the Wyandots

She Cured Their Sunburns and Secured Their Gratitude.

They were not really the Wyandots, but for the purposes of this story they may be called such, and they did not take themselves seriously as a boat crew. They liked better than anything else in the world to get out on the broad sweep of the Mississippi and at the word of their leader to bend to the oars with a slow, rhythmical movement of the body. It seemed like something apart from the rest of the world—the dull rest of it. When they asked the crews of three western universities to row against them, it was done more in the spirit of hospitality than anything else and because the town was desperately dull and every one wanted a little excitement. It was really the girls who thought of inviting the university crews, and no one really supposed they would accept. It was an experiment merely, made because a number of young persons did not quite know what to do with themselves. But all three universities accepted the invitation of Wyandot college.

Then the town was in a pleasant ferment. The girls all ordered new gowns, houses were cleaned by enterprising homekeepers with the expectation of many guests, for all the visiting fellows were to be entertained. Quite incidentally the Wyandots trained daily on the river and lived at the clubhouse on the campus and ate things which did not taste good. The girls sometimes remembered the crew to say:

"Don't you get left too far behind. You mustn't disgrace us, you know." The girls had known the members of the Wyandot crew all their lives, and it is difficult to appreciate a person who has been known forever.

Only little Hattie Meredith really believed in the Wyandots. Hattie was a pale girl who did not dance because she was not strong enough and who read too much and was too much alone. But nature, who amuses herself with incongruities, placed in this frail body a mind of most adventurous cast. When other girls were dreaming about party gowns or moonlight walks—with the right companion—Hattie was wondering how it would seem to be sailing to the north, past pineclad islands and through lonely, icebound seas to find the utmost solitude at the crown of the world, or she was imagining a tiger hunt from the back of an elephant or how it would seem to stand on a pass of the Rockies and watch the sun follow the wind from the under part of the earth and swing with glorious nonchalance up to its highest place.

Hattie, who could hardly bring herself to speak to strangers at all and who had really never discovered her curious mind to anybody, who was indeed as shy as a dove, had for her secret motto, "Bravado, bravado, and always more bravado." But she told no one. This joke of nature's was unapplauded because unknown.

It had been her greatest diversion for two years past to go across the common, walk over the railroad tracks and watch bid her go home and rest. When she shot along through the pale water and the momentum of those bodies became intense, then something went "Biz, biz, biz!" in Hattie's brain, and she knew a moment of intoxication. She was elate. She liked life unutterably. Then, wearied with her excitement, her body would bid her go home and rest. When she heard that the university crews were coming, she said to herself, "Our boys must be the victors." But she never thought of saying it to any one else. Besides, no one would have cared much about what Hattie Meredith said or thought. No one took much notice of her at any time.

As the days went on she observed the growing power of the Wyandots, but she noticed, too, that they showed signs of the strain. Her cousin, who knew everything, said they were suffering from sunburn.

"They can't sleep nights," said he. "They're going almost crazy. They keep putting on salve, but it doesn't seem to do any good. Actually, some of them are bleeding. If the weather doesn't cloud up, they'll break down before the race comes off, and, though they're not expecting too much, they don't want to make a flunk of it."

"Not sleeping!" cried Hattie with anxiety. "Not sleeping! My sakes, they can't win that way! What do you mean by using salve? It keeps the pores all open and soft, and of course their skin blisters. What they need is cornstarch."

"Never heard of cornstarch being used for burns, Hattie. Guess that's a girl's recipe."

"Yes," confessed Hattie, "it is. Haven't you ever noticed how quickly the girls' noses get well after we have been on a boating picnic? The boys' noses get worse and worse and peel off."

"That's so," confessed the cousin. "Well, cornstarch or no cornstarch, the boys are as near crazy as you can make 'em. They don't know what you say to 'em. I'd as soon go to a lunatic asylum as up to the campus."

That night 11 bags of cornstarch, each one containing a quart, was sent to the clubhouse with a modest note of explanation, and the next day Hattie Meredith, walking along the banks of the river, had the satisfaction of seeing the Wyandots stop in their practice every now and then to whip their arms and necks with the long, white bags.

"What have you heard from the campus?" she asked her cousin a day or two later.

"The fellows are sleeping like tops. They can actually understand a question put to them in plain English now. Some one sent them something that cured the burns."

Hattie blushed deep scarlet.

"Was it you, Hat? Well, of all things. What's come over you, girl?" But he smiled approvingly, and to have your cousin approve of you when he is 18 and you are 17 is rare indeed.

The day came. The town had never been more alive. The visiting crews had been shown every possible honour, and every one was longing for the race to be over that the festivities might begin, for it must be insisted upon that the people had not the usual interest in the race. They had too poor an opinion of their own men, and, while they did not expect the defeat to be one which would cause any of them to blush with shame, yet they apprehended that it would be sufficiently conclusive to forbid anything like a town celebration.

Long trains of flat cars, built up with tiers of seats and drawn by locomotives, had been put upon the tracks, the intention being to run these along beside the boats and at the same pace. On the river, too, there was all available craft, and the shore was lined. Hattie Meredith had secured a place on one of the flat cars and sat there amid a great company of her kinfolk and her friends.

The boats made a clean start, and in 30 seconds the Wyandots dropped behind an appreciable degree.

"There go our boys—backward!" called somebody. Hattie felt as if a hand had clutched her heart. The other boats forged ahead with slight vicissitudes for a few seconds more; then the Wyandots began gaining on them, got bow to bow, nosed ahead cunningly, and then swept on with a full stroke and led the race.

A thrill went through the people. That form of patriotism which stirs the breast of the patron of home sports was awakened in them. Their minds underwent a complete transformation. In a moment they ceased to be disinterested spectators and became fanatical advocates.

"They're ahead! They're ahead!" they screeched. They fell on each other's necks; they shouted to the blue heaven; they waved handkerchiefs, coats, hats, and the locomotives, unwilling to be voiceless amid the popular clamor, whistled their shrillest.

Now at last Hattie, the hero worshiper, felt the thrill for which she had always longed. Now she had the glorious satisfaction of beholding the triumph of her chosen. The ecstasy of enthusiasm which she felt became almost overwhelming, and it is doubtless if she had consciousness enough left to really see the boat when it shot past the stake and the plaudits of the astonished multitude announced the victory of the Wyandots.

There were tremendous jollifications that night. Hattie had been bidden to them, but she was disinclined to go. No young man had asked for her company, and her cousin had, cousinlike, gone off with another girl. She sat in the quiet living room, where her mother rocked and fanned herself peacefully and her father nodded over his paper, and wondered how it would seem to be a popular girl. She concluded it must be pleasant. It must also be exceedingly fine to have a pretty frock. She looked down at her plain lawn with feelings of mixed satisfaction. It was not the sort of frock she would have liked. But then it did not matter. No one would see her in it. She might go out on the front porch and watch the skyrockets, but all things considered perhaps it would be as well to go to bed and forget how lonesome she was.

What was that remarkable noise? A murmur of many voices, a confusion of laughter and the tramp of many feet! It was a most unaccustomed turmoil for that quiet street. Father Meredith sat bolt upright to listen. Mother Meredith stared, with fan suspended and mouth open. Hattie, pale and still as usual, indulged herself in these exciting sounds, but did not let her face show her delight. The sounds ceased apparently just beyond the porch, and on the warm summer air broke a chorus of male voices:

Stars of the summer night,
Far in yon azure deeps
Hide, hide your golden light.
She sleeps,
My lady sleeps,
Sleeps.

Now of all agreeable things there is none more agreeable than the sound of a serenade when young men sing in the bland darkness, and of all serenades none can be so beautiful as the one that is sung to you if you be a girl. Hattie was a girl who had not known many pleasures of the lighter sort—the sort which come from having the world in general and the opposite sex in particular regard you in a complimentary manner. Therefore her delight was all the greater.

Of course it seemed like a dream. It was still more like a vision of that starlit night when she ventured coyly upon the porch and heard the shouts that rent the air at her appearance.

"Cornstarch bags! Cornstarch bags! How can you tell a Wy-an-dot? By his cornstarch bags!" Three times they yelped it—young and old, girls and boys, men and women—for there was a great concourse of merrymakers out among the Meredith maples, and after the last repetition there came the concluding shout, "Hattie Meredith!"

By every course of reasoning Hattie, who had never been in a conspicuous place before in her life, ought to have been overwhelmed with confusion. But she was nothing of the sort. She bowed and smiled and fairly danced, standing on tiptoe to wave her acknowledgments to the farthest member of the crowd, and when the rout turned for the village, running, leaping, laughing, shouting and singing, she of all knew the uttermost emotion of youth and carelessness.

But none took note of this latter victory—the triumph of a soul over its fate' reticence.—Chicago Tribune.

A Blind Man's Memory.

Henry Fawcett, says Sir Edward Russell, had an extraordinary memory for persons. One night Sir Edward was in the house of commons, to hear a debate, under the gallery.

A friend introduced him to Mr. Fawcett, who, learning why he was there, said:

"Oh, then you can look after my old father and tell him who the people are. He is going under the gallery too."

Three or four years later Sir Edward was presented to Mr. Fawcett, who was then chief guest at a political dinner, and said to him in "the usual conventional mumble:"

"I once had the pleasure of being introduced to you, Mr. Fawcett, but it's a long time ago."

"I remember," said he; "you very kindly looked after my father under the gallery at the house."

And this was the memory of a man totally blind.

LAUGHING GAS.

The Snake Season.

Snakes that many months had waited,
While in holes they hibernated,
Have been summoned by the thunder to appear;
From the nooks where they've been hiding
They will through the grass come gliding,
And a lot of startling tales we soon shall hear.

Every twig that now is breaking
Will set timid people quaking
When they saunter through the woods on pleasure bent;
They will run in consternation
And make earnest declaration
That they saw a rattler six feet in extent.

When a man in byways lagging
Feels a thistle's sudden jagging,
O'er his face a sickly pallor soon will spread;
He'll imagine fearful paining
And to helpers be explaining
He was bitten by a monstrous copperhead.

From the strictly rural regions,
Where the serpents swarm in legions—
That's according to the men who till the loam—
There will often come a story
Of a young man's hair turned hoary
By the fright when some great black snake chased him home.

Even out upon the ocean
There will often be commotion,
And the mariners will wildly break for shore,
And then later they'll be saying
That a sea snake they saw playing
Was a half a mile in length, and maybe more.

But while others' yarns are spinning,
Thinking laurels they are winning,
There is one who later on will scoop the stakes;
He's the West Virginia fakir,
Famous as a record breaker,
And he always makes a specialty of snakes.
—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

Russell Sage says he finds one of his greatest pleasures in attending missionary meetings. Doubtless he has found some missionary society which limits itself to praying for the heathen.

Careful Maria.

"Maria is the most particular buyer I ever knew."

"Yes."

"She saw that a lot of slightly soiled thermometers were to be sold at Remnant's between 7:15 and 7:45 a. m. on Tuesday only, and so she hurried down there without her breakfast."

"Yes."

"She looked at the thermometers and shook her head."

"What was the trouble?"

"The store was too hot, and the thermometers all registered 80. Maria said she had seen just as good at Sample's at 72."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Girl In the Khaki Dress.

There she goes in the shopping square!
The men look back, the women stare,
The critic's remarks are passing aloud
As she wends her way through the gaping crowd,
But she hears them not, and she cares much less;
She's one of the first in a khaki dress.

She passes the cop on the shopping beat;
He smiles and points out into the street.
"The color's the same," he says, with a grin—
"The same as the mud she's walking in,"
But she hears them not, and she cares much less;
She's one of the first in a khaki dress.

The newsboy grins: "Get on to her nibs!
Now, wudn't dat tickle yer under de ribs.
'Tis awning stuff, wid a mustard smear.
Take it away! It don't go here!"
But she hears them not, and she cares much less;
She's one of the first in a khaki dress.

'Tis a gantlet run for a thousand eyes,
But she braves the "Whews!" and the rude, "Oh, mys!"
And the girls who gape and love to say,
"She looks like a road on a rainy day!"
But she hears them not, and she cares much less;
She's one of the first in a khaki dress.
—Chicago News.

A Cast In His Vision.

"Mamma, is Mrs. Thompson's husband cross eyed?"

"Why, no, my dear. Why do you ask?"

"'Cause when I was out walking with nurse this morning Mr. Thompson stopped us to shake hands with me, and he said, 'What lovely eyes.'"

"Well, you have lovely eyes, my dear."

"Yes, but it seemed funny that every time he said it to me he looked at nurse."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Chestnuts Supplied.

If in this world you wish to star
And be esteemed at highest par,
Don't take the path that Webster took
Or read a page in Browning's book;
Don't try your hand at something new;
A few old musty jokes will do!

If you'd be popular in a crowd
Of girls and have them say aloud,
"He is the brightest chap I know!"
Don't win them with a language flow
Or take Britannia as a cue;
A few old musty jokes will do!

If you attend a banquet grand
And have no ready speech on hand—
No speech to grind out as you eat,
With words both long and obsolete—
Don't let the error worry you;
A few old musty jokes will do!

If you would to the senate go
And have no natural eloquent flow,
Don't let this thwart your worthy aim
To make the laws and carve your name;
A memory good will see you through;
A few old musty jokes will do!
—Chicago News.

Decidedly Unreal.

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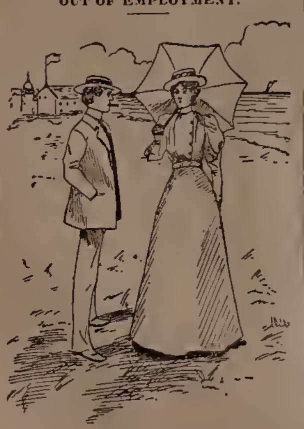

Ben—I hear De Sponge isn't working now.

Jen—What made him give up?

Ben—The man he was working died.
—Philadelphia Press.

An Infallible Method.

Professor (lecturing on precious metals)—What is the easiest way of determining whether an object consists of gold or silver?

Student—Try to pawn it!—Fliegende Blaetter.

Flattering.

Mr. Elwell—Isn't it strange, but true, nevertheless, that the biggest fools always marry the prettiest girls?

Mrs. Elwell—Oh, now, go on, you flatterer.—London Judy.

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Mr. Crimsonbeak—I don't suppose it was a very steady string coming out.—Yonkers Statesman.

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Mrs. Hughes and Miss Hughes, the former the wife of L. Hughes, the manager of the Atkins sugar plantation at Solidad, Cuba, are guests of C. E. Brown previous to their departure for England, where they formerly resided.——Mr. Hubbard of the Boston firm of Lawson & Hubbard was in town Tuesday as the guest of Daniel Brown. With them was Mr. Cabrer of Ponce, Puerto Rico, a manufacturer of hats in that island, who was accompanied by his interpreter. The former is making a tour of the country.——It is hoped that any of the Franklin cottagers who have amateur pictures of the lakes or views in the village will communicate with the Wrentham correspondent in regard to same.——D. D. G. M. S. W. Cook and suite of North Attleboro will pay an official visit to Wampum lodge next Tuesday night for the purpose of installing the officers of the lodge. D. D. G. M. E. J. Whitaker and suite performed a similar service at Walpole on Thursday.

Old Paths Are the Only Safe Ones.

The old paths only are safe. How shifting the so called new ways have been! One after another they have arisen and had their day and given place to new devices. Materialism, pantheism, deism, spiritualism, universalism and many other isms have had their day. One after another they have stood out on the camera of unbelief and then for the most part have gone out in the darkness of the light. The shifting of the positions of skepticism is like the shiftings of the sand shoals in the Missouri river when the currents are rapid and the tides impetuous. Meanwhile the word of the Lord has remained unmoved.—Rev. Dr. Stephen A. Northrop, Baptist, Kansas City.

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Church Services.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "The Blessing of Rest." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 4. Sunday school at 3. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 by W. W. Haslam; at 7.30 by Rev. Dr. Willard T. Perrin, presiding elder of Boston district. Sunday school at 12. Epworth league at 6.30.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. F. B. Sleeper, pastor; subject, "Christ, the Faithful High Priest." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Preaching by the pastor at 7.30. Theme, "A Christless Bible." A short after service in the vestry.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D.; theme, "Our Ownership of Things." Sunday school at 12. Y.P.S.C.E. at 6.30, closing with a short address by the pastor. No evening service. All are invited to the meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. The pastor will speak upon "How are Sinners Saved? Do you know?"

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"Tom, you have been borrowing money from me for 25 years, and you have never paid me back a cent. How long do you propose to keep it up?"

"Until you get me something to do," replied the borrower frankly.

"That is impossible," replied the senator. "You ought to understand that a man of your record cannot [illegible] office and should go to some place where people don't know you and seek employment."

"I don't understand it," replied the borrower bitterly. "Everybody seems to be down on me and to stand in my way. When I first knew you, senator, I was way up at the top of the heap, and you were a friendless and unknown man at the bottom. Now you are at the top, and I'm at the bottom, and I can't understand how it has happened. It certainly isn't my fault."

"No, Tom," said the senator kindly. "It isn't your fault; it's your misfortune. An inscrutable Providence gave you a mind which is unable to tell right from wrong, and you have been a blank poor guesser."—Chicago Record.

Sarcastic Cabby.

The London cabby is quick witted, glib tongued and clever at sarcasm, and when he begins to use bad language the very Landseer lions in Trafalgar square turn tail and quake. When a certain sort of man, the horsy rake who loves London and lights, "goes broke," he takes to cab driving as naturally as a duck to water, and the streets swarm with cabbies who have received university educations and have been in their day well to do and of good social positions.

The Londoner knows that he cannot score off cabby under any circumstances and so leaves him to fight his never ending battles with brother cabbies, bus drivers and policemen. One morning Mr. Bradley Martin was crossing Pall Mall near the Carlton club, and a cab coming down the street at a good pace came within an ace of spiking the wealthy American with one of its shafts. The cabby pulled up only in time to save the situation.

Mr. Bradley Martin leaped to the pavement and, turning in anger to the cabby, shouted angrily, "Who the deuce are you trying to run down?"

Cabby gazed in contempt and sorrow upon the flushed pedestrian and replied: "Blest if I know, gov'nor. You're a new species to me."—Saturday Evening Post.

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A Mean Thing.

"Do you call this angel-cake, Katharine?"

"Yes; isn't it good?"

"Of course, dear; but I didn't know there were any iron-jawed angels."—Detroit Free Press.

Might Have Been Worse.

Poor Nebuchadnezzar! He had to eat grass,
But his case might have been even sadder alas!
For if he hadn't eaten the grass, like as not
They'd have made him push lawn mowers over the lot.
—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Nothing Wonderful.

Yeast—There's a lady pianist at the museum who plays with her toes.

Crimsonbeak—Umph! That's nothing; my baby does that!—Yonkers Statesman.

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23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Mrs. T. A. Clark is improving.

The condition of H. M. Bullock is considered very serious.

Wm. Williams of Providence spent Sunday in town with friends.

Rev. Wm. J. Reardon of Amesbury is the guest at St. Mary's rectory.

W. A. Young has charge of the refreshment booth at Hoag Lake park.

St. Mary's Alumni will meet in the new building tomorrow evening.

Division 8, A. O. H., will hold a special meeting on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cody and children have been visiting his father at Dedham.

Miss Ida Wood of Pawtucket was the guest of Miss Maud Stott over the Sabbath.

A great many people in the village took to the electrics last night to escape the heat.

Station Agent Judd and daughter have returned from their vacation in New York state.

There will be a small huckleberry crop attributed to a late frost and the prevailing drought.

Mrs. A. L. Pierce and two children of Wallingford, Conn., have been visiting at G. I. Peck's.

Mrs. Tracey is enjoying a vacation from "hello" duties and Mrs. J. E. Duprez is taking her place.

Miss Mary Sheehan of Washington street has fully recovered from her recent severe illness.

Mrs. John Murray and children returned yesterday from a visit with friends in Providence.

After next Sunday the Universalist church will be closed during the remainder of July and August.

Miss Sadie Reed of Valley Falls is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Williams of Fisher street.

Miss Elizabeth Maher returned to Providence Sunday after a week's visit with the Misses Callahan.

The Misses Mary and Norah Kelley of Union street left Saturday for a weeks' visit with relatives in Fitchburg.

The employees and friends of Mrs. Lena Holbrook have presented her with an elegant full length mirror, a birth day gift.

Mrs. M. A. Pond, and her daughter, Mrs. L. Barker, with her two children are here from Providence for the summer.

Mrs. F. H. Bartholomew and son Freddie are at Ocean Spray, Winthrop, for an outing, being joined by Mr. Bartholomew over the Sabbath.

At a meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., Friday evening two candidates were initiated and four applications for membership received.

Flowers for the Alden club baskets may be left this week with Mrs. LaVaucha Morse, Mrs. Carl B. Johnson or Mrs. Sneath on Wednesday evening.

Capt. J. B. Crocker left town for Philadelphia Thursday evening. He will sail in a few days from that city for Bangor, Me., with a cargo of coal.

Miss Annie Thompson of Woonsocket, who has been a guest of Mrs. Cornelius Curran of McCarthy street, for the last few weeks, returned home Saturday.

The Congregationalists will picnic at Lake Pearl tomorrow going down on the electrics. A fine programme of sports has been arranged.

Mrs Michael J Burke, who has been on a visit with her parents on Fisher street, returned to her home in Rockland last Friday. Her sister accompanied her.

A. L. Bacon has recovered from his recent indisposition due to poisoning from dogwood and is once more able to busy himself about his fertile truck farm.

A former resident of Franklin, who is sojourning in town, says he once had aspirations to play "Rip Van Winkle." He has not now. To quote him, "I am Van Winkle."

Golf still seems to create enthusiasm yet among Franklin players. Perhaps when the atmosphere gets a little more uncomfortable it may cause a drop in the golf temperature.

Our Boys and the North Bellingham ball team did not play Saturday owing to the indisposition of the N. B. twirler. Our Boys will play at Hopedale next Saturday afternoon.

The condition of George E. Emerson improves daily, though he is not as yet able to leave his bed, the severe blow he received upon the head somewhat interfering with restful nights also.

Saturday morning a break in the water pipe on Garfield street sent a flood of water across the street and down the line until the gate was closed. Workmen were engaged all day repairing damage.

An improvement is contemplated on the Medway line, that of having the cars connect directly with the Milford, Holliston line instead of making passengers walk about three hundred feet in Medway.

The fine large trees and the stone curbing at James F. Ray's is proving a godsend for those who have to wait for the Medway cars, the cooling shade and place to sit down being thoroughly appreciated.

The prospects are that an unusually large number will attend the picnic of the Farmers' club and Grange at Lake Pearl next week Wednesday, the trolley affording such ready access to the delightful place.

R. C. Crafts was stricken with diphtheria at his rooms in Fletcher block on Saturday, and on Sunday Dr. Martin removed the patient to his brother's house, fumigating the rooms, and quarantining the Crafts' house.

The business prospects of Franklin are better than they have been for some time, now that the several electric railways under way and projected are in operation, and it gives the town a greatly increased business look.

When your grocer charges you more for your sugar, just remember that he is not to blame, but the sugar trust having lost about $3,000,000 by fire recently have got to get it out of some one, and you are one to pay your share. Nice, isn't it?

Drs. Martin, Hussey, Abbott and Crowley performed an operation for appendicitis on Albert Mann of City Mills on Monday morning; the patient is doing as well as could be expected, as he was found to be in quite a serious condition.

Saturday noon a big tree near the residence formerly occupied by L. F. Metcalf on Eagle hill, toppled over and carried down two wires, the trolley and feed wires of the company and for three hours the passengers had to change cars at that point.

Fred. P. Chapman, chairman of the Republican town committee, attended the meeting held in Boston last week in the interests of Samuel L. Powers of Newton, as candidate to succeed Congressman Sprague at Washington. Mr. Powers will probably go.

There was a large crowd at Lake Pearl on Sunday to enjoy the cooling breeze and listen to the Norwood band. This gave such excellent satisfaction that Mr. Enegren has secured the band for next Sunday afternoon, also giving a concert from 2 o'clock till 6.

A number from here are planning to attend the 21st annual session of the New England Chautauqua at Montwait, South Framingham, July 15, and continue until the 28th inclusive. The prospectus sent out shows the advantages of a day or week at the assembly.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sherman entertained about thirty-five of their friends at the Chilson farm near Hoag Lake on Friday evening, and what with the clam chowder, and other refreshments, games, social chat and hilarity, it seems impossible to improve upon the general good time.

A carryall containing William White and family and Mrs. Edward Burke of Peck street was upset at the corner of Cottage street and Central square Sunday morning and the occupants thrown out, but all fortunately escaped unhurt. The accident was due to the breaking of a rear wheel.

Passengers going to New York will be interested to know that the New Haven road has put on a "dollar line" boat to New York, to meet the rate made by the Joy steamship company, sailing Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays from Lonsdale wharf, Providence. The New York boats, with the $3 rate are still running as usual.

Just get aboard the electrics for a bit of fresh air and a breeze and note if you ever saw the country at this season of the year look finer than at the present time. The frequent rains have kept the foliage and the grass in an unusally luxurant condition, the frequent washings of the face of nature giving it a continuous spring like appearance.

A golf contest was held on the Franklin club links on Saturday, eleven contestants appearing. The first prize was carried off by Charles A. R. Ray, the second by L. W. Arnold, and Joseph P. Bassett and A. D. Thayer were tied for the third place. A qualifying contest will be held shortly for entrance into the coming contest at North Attleboro.

Sunday was a big day at Hoag Lake. From the middle of the day until late at night thousands were carried to and fro. The Cornet band concerts at intervals during the day were delightful, and the selections were remarkably good. The concerts are as much of an attraction to the park as any one thing and no doubt will continue to please during the summer.

The petition before the Bellingham board of selectmen from the citizens in the vicinity of Crooks' corner asking that the council require the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket street railway to grant five cent fares from Crooks' corner to the center of Woonsocket has not yet been acted upon. The selectmen, however, expect to take some action in the matter before long.

The trustees and interested friends of Dean academy held a business meeting at 50 Bromfield street, Boston, last Thursday to select four new trustees. Two gentlemen were selected from Franklin, Edward H. Rathbun, and Adelbert D. Thayer. Bernard F. Merriam of South Framingham was also elected trustee and treasurer; one vacancy still remaining to be filled later.

The Universalist Sunday school will go to Lake Pearl Friday morning for its annual picnic. A special car will leave at 8.45. All members of the school wishing free transportation and admission to the grounds must take this car. Friends of the school can take this car by paying regular fare. At 2 p. m. there will be a free excursion, to all taking the special car in the morning, to Hoag Lake. This is to be a basket picnic.

The New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad company is unwilling to establish gates and maintain a flagman at the Franklin street crossing in West Medway, as petitioned for since the fatal St. George accident two months ago. The company, however, has arranged with property owners, and will replace the high wall, which prevents a view of an approaching train, with a wire fence.

Wallace R. Richardson is at work upon a memorial of "The Franklin Dead." Mr. Richardson, from his extensive acquaintance and contact with the people of the town in former years and his well-known literary ability, is better qualified for a work of this character than any one who could be chosen. The memorial will be issued at the SENTINEL office and will be canvassed by the author. Copies can also be obtained at the SENTINEL office the issue of which will be duly announced in the SENTINEL.

The district court expected to have seven alleged poker players upon whom to pass judgment this morning, but the victims failed to appear, by advice of counsel. They were caught redhanded on Sunday morning about 2 o'clock in a room in a building in the rear of Dana's block, officers Fitzpatrick, Connors, Jewett and Davis making the raid. It is understood that warrants have already been issued for their arrest, though on Sunday morning they were allowed to go on their own recognizance, with the understanding that they would appear this morning. Judge Doe was on the bench.

Thieves entered the grocery store of McCabe & Cody, on Union street, some time last night, and made off with $10 worth of cigars, 15 pounds of tobacco and about $4 in change which was in one of the tills. An entrance was effected through a rear window. The safe was forced open in a bungling manner and consideraly damaged, but there was no money in it. A box containing about $10 which was near the candy counter was overlooked. The theft was discovered when Mr. Cody opened the store this morning and Deputy Sheriff Fitzpatrick was called in and is now endeavoring to locate the thieves.

The local lodge of Red Men will be interested to know that on Wednesday afternoon last the great chiefs of the great council of Massachusetts, Improved Order of Red Men met and declared the following officers elected: Great prophet, William A. Jordan of Wollaston; great sachem, Frank M, Collester of Winchendon, great senior sagamore, Preston Friend of Gloucester; great junior sagamore, Charles E Bigelow of Leominster; great chief of records, Alexander Gilmore of Swampscott; great keeper of wampum, Charles G Warren of Malden; great representatives, William A. Jordan of Wollaston, Nelson Sherburne of Springfield, Herbert M Hatfield of Lynn and Alvin G. Weeks of Fall River.

The census of the town has been completed, but nothing is yet definitely known as to the number of population. The enumerators are not allowed to impart information, if they have any, and all that is surmised may be right or may be wrong. Some people look for a substantial increase over the number in 1895, but when it is remembered that since that time the town undoubtedly decreased several hundred during the two or three years when all business here was dull, such a result can hardly be expected.

Mrs. Almira Sargent Hubbard, widow of the late Sabin Hubbard, died at the residence of her son, Adin S. Hubbard, in Providence, on Friday last, aged 74 years. She was a native of Franklin and was married to Mr. Hubbard March 24, 1847. She leaves two sons, Ernest E. of Boston and Adin S. of Providence. She was a sister of H. S. Sargent, a former well-known resident of South Franklin. Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard resided here until Mr. Hubbard's death. The funeral was held in Providence Monday morning, Rev. Dr. Sneath officiating, and the body was brought here for interment, brief services being held at the grave. The bearers were William Austin of Brockton, Edwin Sargent of Foxboro, Stephen Sargent of Worcester and Lavader Sarfient of Brookfield, being four nephews of the deceased.

The New Plan.

It is now probable that the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket railway company will not build the road from Milford through Hopkinton to Westboro. The plan is to have the Milford, Holliston & Framingham road construct and operate a single trolley line from Milford to Hopkinton at the corner of Main and Cedar streets in that town. There the Milford line will connect directly with the Westboro and Marlboro line, whose officials have agreed to extend their line from Westboro to Hopkinton through Woodville, thus getting the continuous line between Franklin and Westboro.

Owing to few grade crossings, it is estimated that thus the M., H. & F., road can build the Hopkinton road at least $10,000 in cash cheaper than the Attleboro company. This route when completed will make an almost continuous route from Fitchburg to Providence by way of Clinton, Berlin, Westboro, Hopkinton, Milford, Franklin and Attleboro—the only link to be built being 3 1-2 miles from Berlin to Northboro, and it is expected that this will be built.

To furnish the adequate power for the Hopkinton line and also its Uxbridge line, the M., H. & F. directors will add a new 600 or 700 horse power engine with adequate dynamo, etc., to its Milford power house which will practically double the power of the local station. It is expected that work in Milford will be commenced as soon as possible on or after Aug. 1st, and be pushed to completion rapidly, so that the road can be in operation before December.

There are a variety of rumors afloat as to the continuance of the Ray interest in the new road, the death of one of them recently, and the ill health of another being given as causes for their withdrawal from further undertakings. Those who are authority for the above report aver that the line will still go through, the Ray interests being taken either by parties representing the Ferguson syndicate, operating the South Middlesex road from Hopkinton to Natick, or the Kelsey interests, now operating the Milford, Holliston & Framingham road.

In Milford it is considered probable that Frank Mars, a former superintendent of the Milford, Holliston & Framingham company, will be the superintendent of the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket company when it commences operations between Franklin and Milford, now expected to be not later than Aug. 1st. Mr. Mars has been one of the men in charge of construction, and has shown himself thoroughly competent.

Mr. Young, who in any event is expected to remain as superintendent of the Woonsocket street railway, will probably, however, be superintendent as long as E. K. Ray performs the general manager's duties.

After a conference lasting three hours between C. W. Shippee of Milford, representing the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket Street Railway company, and the Hopkinton selectmen Saturday night the latter refused to make any further concessions to the company. The franchise expired at midnight, and no company now has any right of way over the proposed route from Milford to Westboro in Hopkinton. How this will affect the other companies to the recent deal is not stated.

ADVERTISING.

[Contributed.]

Two brothers started out in life;
Each had a store, each had a wife.
John says: "Every man shall know
The kind of goods I have to show.
If bargains, I shall deem it wise
In every case to adv[illegible]ise."
He advert[illegible]
In most [illegible]
He owes h[illegible]
To a timely use of p[illegible]

The other brother, James [illegible] say:
"Advertising does not [illegible]
The editor must have his bread,
But from my store he shan't be fed."
Day after day, year after year,
What trade he had did disappear,
Until, appalling to relate,
His waning stock, both small and great,
Did have to go to satisfy
His creditors, forever nigh.

And John, who did a fortune carve,
Sees that his brother does not starve.

Faces the Future.

William Harrison, aged about 55, who had been at one time employed in the finishing department at the Singleton mill, committed suicide in his room at the Franklin House shortly after 9 o'clock Friday night by shooting himself through the forehead. A 38 calibre revolver was used and death was instantaneous.

At the time mentioned Proprietor Alfred Briggs and a number of the male guests of the house were seated in the office, which is directly beneath the room that had been occupied by Harrison, when the report of a revolver was heard, followed by a noise indicating the fall of a body in the room above. Mr. Briggs and the guests at once hastened to Harrison's room and there found him lying on the floor, face downward, with a revolver beside him. Medical Examiner J. C. Gallison was immediately summoned and after viewing the body gave a permit for burial. Special Officer Cody was at the hotel soon after the occurrence and remained all night.

The suicide was deliberate, as Harrison left a letter addressed to John Lawson, a friend, in which he requested that his body have decent burial, and telling Lawson that he would find $30 in his trunk to defray a part of this expense and that the remainder could be obtained by communicating with his relatives in England. In a portion of the letter Harrison referred to being in ill health, and wrote that as he knew there was no hope for recovery the end might better come now.

Harrison was a native of England and unmarried. On July 9 he returned from a trip to his former home and had been in ill health for some time past. The funeral was held at 4 p. m. on Saturday, W. W. Haslam reading the Methodist commital service at the grave.

Killed by a Pair of Scissors.

Percy C. Redpath, aged 14 years, a son of Andrew Redpath, a former resident here, died at Olneyville on Friday from a wound inflicted with a pair of scissors by a shopmate named Michael Drungoole the day previous while both were at work in the Bannigan rubber works at Olneyville. The medical examiner found that death was due to a puncture of the intestines. Drungoole, who is 18 years old, was arrested and locked up. The remains were brought here yesterday afternoon and interred in the Union street cemetery. The boy was a nephew of Night Officer William Redpath and his father had been employed in the Hood rubber works when located here.

One story of the occurrence is that while young Redpath was sprinkling the floor, using a wet sponge, some of the water was accidently thrown upon Drungoole, who in a fit of anger picked up a pair of scissors near at hand and threw them at the boy, one of the points penetrating his side. Drungoole, however, says that both were "fooling" at the time, that the scissors slipped from hand and that he had no intention of throwing them.

The vacation season is now at hand, and strangers come to town for a season, and our people go away for a season of rest, if they are fortunate enough to have opportunity to do so. The SENTINEL columns are always open for the announcements of new arrivals as well as departures. We should be glad to have a column of personals every week. Some people are modest about making such announcements, but it is perfectly proper and in many cases desirable, for some one may come to town whom some old acquaintance here may desire to meet, and of whose presence they would have no knowledge but for the annoucement in the local paper. Friends may desire to call on some resident in town who may be away for a season, and they are saved time and trouble if it is announced that they are away. So bring in the announcements and throw away false modesty.

If you want the best milk in this town, put up in glass jars at the farm, and delivered by 5 o'clock in the morning address J. C. McInnis. He also has all kinds of fruit in the season.

Do You Want to Go to West Point?

The Secretary of the Massachusetts State Board of education has been requested by Hon. George F. Hoar and Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge to arrange for a competitive examination of young men desiring to be nominated as candidates for cadetships at large from Massachusetts in the U. S. Military Academy at West Point.

[illegible] ator is entitled under a recent [illegible] to recom- [illegible] the Secre[illegible] With the approval of Sena[illegible] Hoar and Lodge the following gentlemen have been appointed to conduct the examination, and they have consented to serve: William C. Bates, superintendent of schools, Fall River; Col. Charles K. Darling, U. S. Marshal for the district of Massachusetts, Fitchburg; Rev. Dr. Rush R. Shippen, Brockton; Dr. Julian A. Mead, of the state board of health and Surgeon at the Watertown Arsenal, will serve as medical examiner. The examination will be held at the state house, in Boston, on Thursday, July 19, at 9 a. m., in the examination room of the Civil Service Commission, No. 15.

Candidates are requested to furnish statements or references, or both, as to their educational record and their character.

Circulars of information, giving the character of the examinations in detail, with specimens of questions, may be obtained upon application to the Superintendent of the Academy at West Point.

The young men selected for nomination at this examination must pass an examination by the authorities at West Point on Wednesday, July 25, 1900, before their final appointment as cadets.

The following qualifications are demanded: "No candidate will be admitted who is under 17 or over 22 years of age, or who is deformed or afflicted with any disease or infirmity which would render him unfit for the military service, or who has, at the time of presenting himself, any disorder of an infectious or immoral character. Accepted candidates, if between 17 and 18 years of age, should not fall below 5 feet 3 inches in height and 100 pounds in weight; if between 18 and 19 years, 5 feet 3 1-2 inches in height and 105 pounds in weight; if over 19, 5 feet 4 inches in height and 110 pounds in weight. Candidates must be unmarried and well versed in reading, in writing, including orthography, and in arithmetic, and must have a knowledge of the elements of English grammar, of descriptive geography (particularly of our own country) and of the history of the United States

A certain family for good and sufficient reasons had changed from the Methodist to the Congregationalist denomination. The youngest member of the family had made the change with the others without understanding the hidden reasons. It so chanced that at the table one day he made an unkind remark about a playmate. His father asked, "Is that showing a Christian spirit?" "Why, we are not Christians now, answered the small boy, "we are Congregationalists!"—Exchange.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Lost.—A cane with curved handle, between here and Caryville. Address C. W. Stewart. 17

For Sale—An open buggy and two second hand harnesses all in good condition. T. B. Allen.

For Sale.—A fine family residence, corner of Crescent and Alpine streets. Inquire of W. A. Wyckoff. 18-tf

Wanted.—A horse, weight 1100, must be a good worker and driver, safe and kind. Call at 61 Central street. 17*

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

To Let—A tenement of five rooms on Alpine street. Inquire on the premises or at Mrs. Burnham's, cor. Peck and North Park streets. 17 tf

Hay, at Maple Farm, all good; 95 cts. to $1.10 per hundred delivered to any part of town. Orders at Chilson's market. O. S. Stetson. 15-tf

Lawn Mowers—Don't try to mow your lawn with a dull mower. Bring it to Rose's machine shop, and he will put it in perfect order. It will cut better, quicker and with far less exertion.

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. At Calkin's Studio, over SENTINEL office.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

Clears His Name.

A watch having disappeared from my house a few weeks ago at the same time a boarder, Jacob Schaefer, left, suspicion fell upon him. Later the watch was found, and I take this method to clear Mr. Schaefer of all knowledge of its disappearance and leave his good name untarnished. T. A. GRANGE.

Send your boys to Ochee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Our mattings are made of finest stuff;
This is straight goods and no bluff.
Sanford Bros., Medway.

Sweet peas at Slade's greenhouse.

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TUESDAY, JULY 17, 1900

An interesting side light is thrown on the question of providing arms and armor plate for national defenses by an article recently published in the Frankfurter Zeitung, which contains a statement made by a competitor of Krupp with reference to the profits made by the latter in his contracts with the German government. He says that some time ago Krupp furnished field guns at $1,145 each. Competitors afterward received an order for the same kind for $464.30 each. Thereupon Krupp reduced his price from $1,145 to $452.38. For shrapnels Krupp received $2.03. His competitors furnished them at $1.19. It is an error to say that Krupp alone can furnish nickel plates for the navy. The process of manufacture is no secret, but is known by every intelligent manufacturer. If there were competition, the nickel plates could be obtained at half the price paid to Krupp. The German navy department, however, prescribes conditions which make competition impossible. Testing grounds are required of the same dimensions as those of Krupp, which belong to the government and have been rented to him. The necessary provisions for testing 24 centimeter guns would cost between $500,000 and $750,000; for 15 centimeter guns, $75,000. Without previous assurances on the part of the government nobody would risk such an investment.

Ten or 12 years ago Wayne county, N. Y., supplied the mint market of the world, doing an extensive business in the peppermint oil industry. The production of this oil is said to have added more to the wealth of the county than did even the apple crop, for which that section is famed. The Rochester Chronicle reports that very little mint is now being raised there and that the mint stills are rapidly becoming extinct. The business has moved westward. The reason for the decay of this once flourishing industry is attributed to the sugar beet. Farmers are finding it more profitable to raise beets and are converting their acres to their cultivation. If the Wayne county farmers were able to make money producing mint and are now able to make still more in raising sugar beets, they certainly have no cause for complaint, though, upon the theory of the wisdom of diversifying crops, it would be well for them to keep up their mint beds and stills, while devoting the larger acreage to the sugar beets.

The movement in behalf of free lectures in the public schools in various sections of the country should be encouraged by what has already accomplished in this line. The New York city board of education began a course of free lectures a few years ago, and during the first season 186 lectures were given, which were attended by 22,149 people. So rapidly has the movement grown that the board has now 500 lecturers on its list, and nearly 500,000 persons attend the lectures every season. The number of lectures has increased to 1,066 in a season. Thousands of young people are compelled to leave school before they have graduated. The free lectures are an inestimable boon to them. It is found that the great working classes almost exclusively make up the audiences at the free lectures.

Lord Roberts is proceeding toward Pretoria in an ice wagon, which he calls a cable cart—not an imposing chariot of war, surely, though it doubtless answers the purposes. Modern warfare seems to be losing much of the glamour and picturesqueness which characterized the battles of the earlier stages of the world's history.

President Hadley's idea of socially ostracizing the trust magnates appears not to have led any of the summer resort hotels to bar them from eligibility as guests.

PUT TO THE TEST.

Public Endorsement is what Counts.

Everybody has their hour of trouble,
But people having any itchiness of the skin
Have many hours of trouble.
Nothing so annoying. Nothing so irritating.
Scratch it, it becomes worse.
Leave it alone and you can hardly stand the misery.
Itchiness comes in many forms.
Eczema and horrid itching piles.
Relief and cure are here at last.
Thousands have put it to the test
Doan's Ointment cures every form of itchiness of the skin.

Read the f[illegible] M[illegible] gham [illegible] says: "Two very [illegible] remedies are Doan's Kidney Pills and Doan's Ointment. Anyone troubled with any of the ailments for which Doan's Ointment is indicated are unwise if they fail to give it a trial. It performs wonders in allaying and curing itchiness of the skin, from whatever cause. Doan's Kidney Pills also proved to be all that is claimed for them. Both preparations are so valuable that we would not be without them in the house, to have in case of need."

Doan's Ointment and Doan's Kidney Pills are sold by all dealers; price 50 cents a box. Mailed on receipt of price by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N.Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name, Doan's, and take no substitute.

Its Drawback.

Thrice lucky he, on Christmas gay,
Whose bank account's extensive
We'd be less pensive were the day
Itself not so expensive.
—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Carefully Considered.

"What," inquired the psychological student, "do you regard as the chief end of man?"

"Well," answered Mr. Blykins, "it depends on what you want the man for. If you want him to do brain work it's his head, and if you want him to run errands it's his feet."—Washington Star.

Premonitory Symptoms.

Gertie—Papa, will our new mamma go mad after awhile?

Father—What a question! Why do you think such a thing?

Gertie—Well, I heard her tell the cook yesterday that she got badly bitten when she married you!—Tit-Bits.

Far Worse.

Sniggleton—I'm in trouble. My landlady told me I'd have to settle up or leave.

Giggleton—Why, you're in luck, old fellow. I'm in a worse fix than that. My landlady told me I'd have to settle up before I could leave.—Harlem Life.

Lesser Evil.

Billy—I understand you've bought a dog to keep burglars away.

Freddy—Yes.

Billy—You are not troubled any more at night then, I suppose?

Freddy—Only by the dog—Boston Traveler.

Surely.

Johnnie—Pa, where does a man get a theory?

Pa—In his head, my son.

Johnnie—Well, doesn't it hurt his head when a theory is exploded?—N. Y. World.

Help for the Unemployed.

Miss Million—I have thought of a lovely way to help the poor striking tailors.

Mrs. Billion—What is it, dear?

Miss Million—I am going to make all my own gowns.—Town Topics.

A Model Lover.

Ethel—Are you sure that all his thoughts are of you?

Edith—Oh, yes! Why, he has just lost his position on account of inattention to business!—Puck.

Feminine Irony.

Gerald—What would you say if I were to kiss you?

Geraldine—I don't know; but I can prepare a speech if you think it worth while to wait.—Town Topics.

Their Identity.

Jack—I saw a couple very close together last night and kissed them both

Tom—What! Did you know them?

Jack—Well—er—yes, slightly. They were Molly's lips.—N. Y. World.

Among Old Chums.

Mrs. Newed—Was I nervous, dear, during the ceremony?

Her Friend—Well, a trifle at first, darling, but not after William had said "yes."—Tit-Bits.

Eating and Sleeping.

Food supplies the substance for repairing the wastes of the body, and gives strength. Sleep affords the opportunity for these repairs to be made. Both are necessary to health. If you can't eat or sleep, take Hood's Sarsaparilla. It creates a good appetite and tones the digestive organs, and gives it the sweet restful sleep of childhood. Be sure to get Hood's.

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GRANDMOTHER'S ROMANCE.

We all came to the old chateau for grandmother's funeral—children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She was buried in the corner of the cemetery which she had chosen long ago, and after the sad ceremony we returned to the old house. Here were memories for all of us. For three generations she had held children in her arms, soothed their sorrows, listened to their joys, and now they were all met to mourn her absence from the old place so dear from its associations with her.

I mounted the great staircase and entered the room from which they had just taken her. Here were my earliest recollections of her. I recalled how, as a little girl, I would come in in the morning as soon as I was dressed saying "Good morning, grandmother." I always found her dressed, for she was an early riser. She would leave her chair by the window and go to the big, old fashioned wardrobe, which looked so immense to me, and take from it the expected dainty.

With what awe and respect had this wardrobe filled my childish heart! It seemed to me a perfect treasure house for all that a child holds dear. On my birthdays my presents came from this storehouse, and I imagined it always full of delightful things and regarded grandmother as almost a fairy.

With these remembrances in my mind I opened it now. It was full of fragrant linen scented with lavender, except for a little shelf at one side, where lay several papers. I picked up a roll of yellow writing paper tied with a pink ribbon and carried it to the light. Had I any right to read the pages? They were discolored by age, but I knew the writing. Could grandmother have any secrets which she would wish to keep after death? Even as I debated I had untied the ribbon and discovered that I held a diary in my hands, and the first words in it were of love, sweet, pure and tender; the first love of a young girl. I could not resist, and I read the pages as I stood there in the fading light, which laid before me the romance of my grandmother.

It was in the month of June, 1812, on a beautiful evening, when even the flowers exhale more strongly their subtle perfumes and the human heart has a desire to open. Here in the twilight of the old garden grandmother heard the first words of love.

Beneath the deeper shadow of the trees, wrapped in the sweet odor of the flowers, two figures, a young girl and a young man, walked side by side with slow steps.

"Yes, Clarisse, I am going," said the young man. "And what difference does it make? Suppose I never return from the war? Who would care? I am alone in the world."

"You have friends, Horace."

"None."

"And I?" said she very low.

"You!" cried he. "You would care least of any."

There was a long silence. The gravel sounded beneath their slow tread. The night fell little by little. Horace heard a stifled sound and turned.

"You are crying, Clarisse?"

"You hurt me so!"

"Do you love me?"

She faltered, and his arms caught her and held her against his beating heart. Unresisting, she raised her face to his, and their lips met in a long kiss—the first.

Horace left the next morning.

She waited long for him. The remains of the grand army returned without him. Still she hoped on. Years passed, and the war ended. Many who had been imprisoned returned, but still he delayed. She pictured him buried beneath the snow with numberless others who had dropped exhausted along the line of the terrible march.

Her parents urged upon her the duty of selecting a husband from the suitors who surrounded her. She resisted as long as possible, then yielded, vanquished by their insistance and by the certainty of his death. She gave her hand to Count d'Estrarville.

It was ten years since the kiss given beneath the trees. She was sitting on a bench in the garden when a stranger approached her along the path. As he neared her she recognized him. It was Horace.

He came toward her with outstretched arms, then stopped, as though surprised at the coldness of her greeting.

"It is too late," she said; "I am already married.

He explained the reason of his long absence. Captivity, Siberia, the mines, all the frightful sufferings he had gone through, sustained always by a belief in her love and her loyalty to the unspoken vow made in the twilight of the garden. Never had he lost the hope that he would some day return to find her waiting for him—that their lives, so long divided, would be at last united forever.

"You lied to me that night when you said you loved me!" he cried, the bitterness of his disappointment making him cruel.

"No," she said. "I loved you, and I shall always love you. It is just for that reason that you must continue dead to me. I cannot trust myself with you."

And he left her.

This was the story of grandmother's life as I read it from the old diary. I remembered an old man who lived in the neighborhood and whom we children called "The Chevalier." I identified him with Horace. When grandmother became a widow and when she was an old lady to us, he came to live near her, and they spent many long hours together in the sweetest and purest companionship. I understood that the two old friends were dear to one another because their affection had been founded upon something more than friendship. They were too old to have aught to fear from gossiping tongues, and they had so much time to make up that they could not deny themselves the saddened pleasure of daily intercourse.

I put the little diary safely back in the old wardrobe and left the dear old room. —From the French—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Looked Up the Case.

"I see," said the chief of detectives, "that a watch has been stolen over in North Denver. I want you to look up the case."

A day or two afterward the detective sent out returned.

"How about that watch?" asked the chief.

"Here it is," said the sleuth as he handed it over.

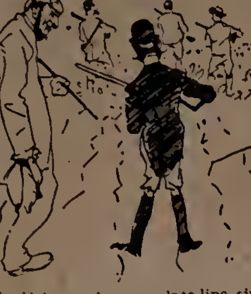
"But the works are gone."

"Yes. I let the pawnbroker keep them. You said you wanted me to look up the case."—Denver Republican.

Unfathomable Mystery.

"Nothing so hard, but search will find it out,"
The poet writes—untrue, beyond a doubt;
When she the truth would hide, no bard nor sage
Can learn the figures of a woman's age.
—Chicago Record.

AMONG THE PARTRIDGES.



"You'd better 'urry up into line, sir, or you'll bag some big game."—St. Paul's.

A Frequent Epitaph.

No more he'll ever greet us,
He now is with the blest;
He got appendicitis,
And the doctors did the rest.
—Judge.

Pointing Out His Fiancee.

Askem—Where's the rich heiress you're engaged to?

Tellum—You see that lovely girl in pink at the other side of the room?

Askem—Yes; I say, old man, what a superb—

Tellum—Well, it isn't she. It's that grand old ruin in yellow sitting next her.—Tit-Bits.

Implacable.

Attorney—You can sue him for breach of promise, madam, but it seems to me preposterous to claim $250,000 damages.

Fair Client—I want to get so heavy a judgment against him that he'll just have to marry me—the scoundrel!—Chicago Tribune.

Lucky She Mentioned It.

Lady (engaging cook)—And I suppose you will want me to find you in drink?

Irish Applicant (misunderstanding) —Faith, I hope you won't, mum; I usually goes straight to bed and sleeps it off when I've taken a drop too much.—Ally Sloper.

He Kept His Job.

Boss—See here, William, this is the twentieth time you've been late, and unless you've got a good excuse you're going to be fired.

William (the porter)—I stopped into church on my way downtown and prayed for the improvement of your business.—N. Y. World.

Indicating Calmness.

Wife—Look here, Emil, if your colleague's wife gets a new hat I must have one too.

Husband—Keep calm about it. We have come to an agreement that neither of you is to have one.—Fliegende Blaetter.

There Are Many Others.

"I saw an item in a paper, the other day, to the effect that Mark Twain frequently goes without eating for a whole day."

"Well, what of it? That's a common habit with people who produce literature for a living."—Cleveland Leader.

Didn't Want Him to Begin.

Brown—Don't be afraid of him! That dog never bit anybody in his life.

Jones—That's good; but I'd hate to see him get into bad habits just now. —Puck.

Very Low Indeed.

"Is the new rector high church?"

"Hardly. I saw him the other day wearing tan shoes with a silk hat."—Town Topics.

Never Comes to Some.

Friend—What is Inspiration?

Author—A sudden desire to work hard.—N. Y. Journal.

Foiled.

Restaurant Guest—Everything you have brought me is stone cold.

Polite Waiter—Here is the mustard and pepper, sir.—Illustrated America.

The Effects of War.

Johnny (underneath)—I've got enuff! Let me up, will yer?

Eddie (on top)—If yer'll gimme yer jackknife an' ten marbles fer an indemnity, I'll declare peace.—Puck.

Recriminations.

Mrs. Weddcash—You know I made you what you are.

Weddcash — That's right, woman; gloat over your work!—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Getting Even.

Doctor—You're a long time paying my account, sir.

Hardup—Well, you were a long time curing me.—Tit-Bits.

Looking Backward.

"What are the most striking things you saw while you were in Europe?"

"The people who were always striking me for tips."—Chicago Daily News.

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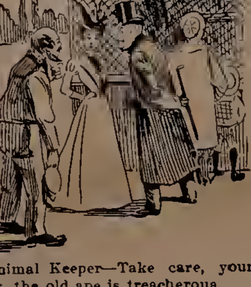


Animal Keeper—Take care, young lady, the old ape is treacherous.

Elderly Gentleman—Your insolence shall be reported. How dare you insult me?—Meggendorfer's Blaetter.

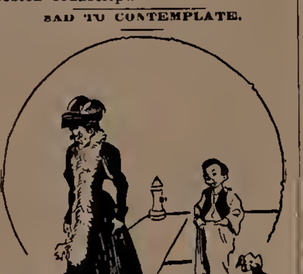
Evidence of the Truth.

Hicks—Bowers has been telling me some of his war experiences.

Wicks—And I suppose you believe all his yarns.

Hicks—Oh, yes; they were so uninteresting I'm sure they must be true.— Boston Transcript.

SAD TO CONTEMPLATE.



The Boy—Ter tink o' her havin' er cold million an' me too young ter marry!—N. Y. Truth.

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And Then He Blushed.

Merritt—What makes you think I believe that first impressions are lasting?

Cora—Because you have kissed me only once this evening.—Town Topics.

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STATEMENT JUNE 30, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$564,357 27
Guarantee Fund		27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account		6,268 89
Interest Account		13,108 32
Real Estate Income Account		10 29
		$611,497 56

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		31,350 00
" " Mortgages		159,968 00
" " Personal Securities		164,745 86
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		1,500 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Tax account		874 09
Expense Account		1,178 27
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$14,733 01	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	2,954 46	
Mercantile Trust Co	64 79	
		17,752 26
Cash on hand		2,652 29
		$611,497 56

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

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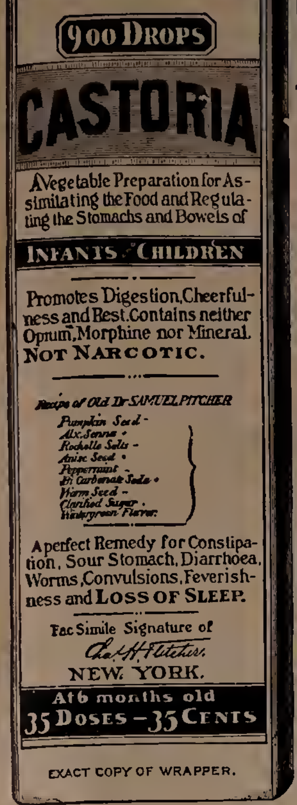

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GEMS IN VERSE.

Why Cats Wash After Eating.

You may have noticed, little friends,
That cats don't wash their faces
Before they eat, as children do
In all good Christian places.

Well, years ago a famous cat,
The pangs of hunger feeling,
Had chanced to catch a fine young mouse,
Who said, as he ceased squealing:

"All genteel folks their faces wash
Before they think of eating!"
And, wishing to be thought well bred,
Puss heeded his entreating.

But when she raised her paw to wash,
Chance for escape affording,
The sly young mouse said his goodby
Without respect to wording.

A feline council met that day
And passed in solemn meeting
A law forbidding any cat
To wash till after eating. —Outlook.

Tommy Atkins and Pieter.

Tom—
"Our queen wears a glorious crown and gorgeous robes of state."

Piet—
"Oom Paul wears a shocking bad hat and garments of ancient date."

Tom—
"Our queen has a golden scepter. On her empire the sun never sets."

Piet—
"Oom Paul has a pipe for a symbol. He rules whatever be gets."

Tom—
"Our queen has hosts of foot and horses in khaki and red and blue."

Piet—
"Oom Paul has an army of farming men in miscellaneous hue."

When Tom sticks Piet with his bay'net or Piet plugs Tom with a ball,
Tommy hurrahs for his queen, and Pieter cheers loud for Oom Paul.
Piet helps Tom when he's wounded, prays o'er his grave when he's dead.
When Piet is down, Tom lends a hand and joins when his service is read.
No rage or hate 'twixt Piet and Tom the moment the battle is done,
But sorrowing kin on either side mourn father and brother and son.
Fighting for empire or fatherland, neither guilty of wrong,
Poor Tom and Piet for slaughter meet. "How long, O Lord, how long?"

Tom—
"Our queen cannot be blamed for this. She always hated war."

Piet—
"Oom Paul kept peace as long as he could. He never thirsted for gore."

Tom and Piet—
"Who brought us here in battle array?
Who forced us to mangle and slay?
We wonder and fight. Let historians tell
Who should get billets on judgment day
For quarters in deepest hell."
—George Crouch.

The Weed's Complaint.

"It's rough,
I tell you whut, an tough. Five times
I've taken root this spring an tried to grow,
But ev'ry time I git a start, along
That smarty comes a-brandishin his hoe—
An chop! An there I am again. They might,
I think, at least jest let a feller be,
Who wasn't doin nothin, but they seem
To have a spite agin me, I can see,
An I don't git no chance," said the weed.

"Of course,
If I was both'rin anybody—but I ain't;
Ain't bonin favors an ain't makin any blow.
I'm peaceable an quiet an jest try
To git along the best I know;
I wasn't even planted, but jest growed
All by my lonely—wasn't helped a speck,
As others are; but the less I ask,
It seems, the more I git it in the neck,
An I don't git no chance," said the weed.

"An then,
Jest see that dude, the cornstalk. Coddled till
It makes one tired to see. Why, do know,
He'd die if he's not babied so! Gee whiz!
If I but had that show, or half the show,
That he has! Wouldn't I grow? I guess yes.
I'd top the fence in no time. Spread? Oh, my!
An smile? I'd pay for care, I would, an be
The pride of this whole garden 'fore I die.
But I don't git no chance," said the weed.
—L. F. Fogg in Cleveland Leader.

On the new railway built from Sfax to Gafsa, Tunis, by the French company to its phosphate mines, passengers will not be hauled beyond Mezuna unless they sign an agreement not to hold the company for any damages that they may sustain.

Judge Not.

Oh, men, who are good, who are honored and great,
Be kind to your brothers of lowly estate!
If masters, then be not in tasking severe;
If rulers, then rule men in love and not fear;
And if ye be fathers, wise, learned and strong,
Lead the little ones tenderly, slowly along.
Ere you sneer at the humble or punish the base
Pause and think for awhile. "Put yourself in their place!"

Fair lady, so haughty, so chaste and so cold,
Kept safe from harm in love's sheltering fold,
Ere you turn from your frail, erring sister with scorn
Think how she was tempted and how she was born.
Her ruin may date from a smile or kind word,
The first that her poor, hungry heart ever heard.
Then pause ere you taunt her with sin and disgrace;
How if you had been tried? "Put yourself in her place!"

Proud man, whom the white robes of ermine enfold,
As you weigh others' sins in the balance you hold.
Ere you crush the last spark in a heart doomed to bleed
Let mercy come in for a moment and plead,
Ere you sentence "for life" a poor brother to dwell
With the ghosts of the sins that shall people his cell,
Think why you are honored and he in disgrace.
What is hid in your heart? "Put yourself in his place!"

"Put yourself in their place!" Yea, have mercy on all
Who through love or through hate, good or evil, shall fall.
Who knows in the light of a judgment divine
Which soul shall be whitest, the sinner's or thine?
Fear to judge lest you stand at the heavenly door
To see harlots and publicans go in before,
While you cover with guilty confusion your face
And cry when too late to be put in their place!
—Phœbe Cary.

The Touchstone.

A man there came, whence none could tell,
Bearing a touchstone in his hand;
And tested all things in the land
By its unerring spell.

Quick birth of transmutation smote
The fair to foul, the foul to fair;
Purple nor ermine did he spare,
Nor scorn the dusty coat.

Of heirloom jewels, prized so much,
Were many changed to chips and clods,
And even statues of the gods
Crumbled beneath its touch.

Then angrily the people cried,
"The loss outweighs the profit far;
Our goods suffice us as they are;
We will not have them tried."

And since they could not so avail
To check this unrelenting guest,
They seized him, saying, "Let him test
How real is our jail!"

But, though they slew him with the sword,
And in a fire his touchstone burned,
Its doings could not be o'erturned,
Its undoings restored.

And when, to stop all future harm,
They strewed its ashes on the breeze;
They little guessed each grain of these
Conveyed the perfect charm.
—William Allingham.

Mother and Child.

The wind blew wide the casement, and within—
It was the loveliest picture—a sweet child
Lay in its mother's arms, and drew its life,
In pauses, from the fountain—the white round
Part shaded by loose tresses, soft and dark,
Concealing, but still showing, the fair realm
Of so much rapture, as green shadowing trees
With beauty shroud the brooklet. The red lips
Were parted, and the cheek upon the breast
Lay close, and, like the young leaf of the flower,
Wore the same color, rich and warm and fresh—
And such alone are beautiful. Its eye,
A full blue gem, most exquisitely set,
Looked archly on its world—the little imp,
As if it knew even then that such a wreath
Were not for all; and with its playful hands
It drew aside the robe that hid its realm,
And peeped and laughed aloud, and so it laid
Its head upon the shrine of such pure joys,
And, laughing, slept. And while it slept, the tears
Of the sweet mother fell upon its cheek—
Tears such as fall from April skies, and bring
The sunlight after. They were tears of joy;
And the true heart of that young mother then
Grew lighter, and she sang unconsciously
The silliest ballad-song that ever yet
Subdued the nursery's voices, and brought sleep
To fold her sabbath wings above its couch.
—William Gilmore Simms.

Great honors are great burdens, but on whom
They are cast with envy he doth bear two loads.
His cares must still be double to his joys
In any dignity, where, if he err,
He finds no pardon, and for doing well
A most small praise, and that wrung out by force.
—Ben Jonson.

THE FOSTER MOTHER.

[After the French.]

Sleep, little one! Again I feel the thrill
A babe's soft hand can in my breast awaken.
Hide in my bosom, thou art not forsaken;
Sleep, little one! Thou hast a mother still.

My lips I press to thy sweet brow anew;
Sleep, little one, I am thy mother too!

Mine to protect, to cherish and to rear;
Why should the baby hand, the flaxen hair,
Set me a-dreaming of a bygone care
And make a faroff sorrow seem so near?

Wake, little one! Too much am I beguiled,
Too near, too close, the little hands are wrestling,
Too soft, too warm, the little head is nestling,
For I am not thy mother, O my child!

Wake, little one! Thy mouth too sweetly smiled,
For I am not thy mother, O my child!

Yet do not wake; sleep on; full well I know
God, in my heart maternal love renewing,
Intended not for my poor heart's undoing
Nor builds again a joy to lay it low.

Sleep, little one! 'Tis sweet to feel the thrill
A babe's soft hand can in my breast awaken.
Hide in my bosom, thou art not forsaken;
Sleep, little one! I am thy mother still.
—Edwin H. Keen in Outlook.

A Son's Self Sacrifice

There died recently in France a man whose life formed part of a strange history. Jean Goujon was the son of a laborer employed in the conservatory of Pere Lachaise, Paris. At the age of 15 Jean was sent to prison for purloining the pocketbook of a mourner at a funeral. Two years later he was helping his father in decorating graves, when M. Diaz, a wealthy man, visited his daughter's tomb. While M. Diaz was arranging for decorations Jean saw the well filled pocketbook which he carried. Jean followed him to a convenient spot, stabbed him and tore the pocketbook from the dying man's pocket. Three days later Jean was spending money freely in Mother Tarratan's den in the Rue Serpente.

"What man did you plunder?" asked Jacques Reverin, one of his companions. "Was it you who carved the man in Pere Lachaise the other day?"

Jean laughed and when it was dark asked Jacques to go out with him on the Pont Neuf. Just before reaching the Quai du Louvre Jean stabbed his friend in the back and ran. Jacques was indebted to the thick leathern braces which he wore for his life. They turned the blade, and he was wounded only slightly. Some time later Jean was captured, convicted of the crime and sent for six years to the galleys.

In 1844 Jean was at liberty. He went to Pere Lachaise, where his father still worked and, removing some bricks from the rear of a furnace, hauled out a pocketbook containing several thousand francs, the chief part of the proceeds of the robbery of M. Diaz. He put the money in his pockets and returned the book to its hiding place.

"There's no place like a cemetery either for quickly acquiring wealth or safely depositing it," he said to his father, with a grin.

Jean was now 23. He was tall, well built, with dark complexion and curling black hair. The first joint of the third finger of the right hand was missing, and there was a long, white scar on his forehead just under the hair, which could be easily made to conceal the mark. On the day mentioned he was about to quit the place where his father was at work when a form darkened the door. Jean started, for he recognized Jacques Riverin, whom he had stabbed over six years before.

Jean turned aside and said to his father in a low tone as he handed him something:

"Here, take this money and hide it for me!"

The old man put the money in his pocket. Then, walking to one side, he dropped it into a box nailed to the wall, in the lid of which was a slit for the reception of orders. He knew how to recover it when safe to do so.

Riverin, followed by three officers, advanced toward Jean, and as he drew near Riverin said:

"Seize him! This is the murderer of M. Diaz!"

Addressing Jean, who was speedily secured by the officers, Riverin said:

"That charming old lady, Mme. Tarratan, has revealed all she knows, and right here, back of the furnace, must be the proofs of your crime."

The hiding place in the chimney was readily found and the empty pocketbook produced. It bore part of M. Diaz's name on the flap, from which a piece was missing.

"Your dear friend, Mme. Tarratan, has the missing piece," said Riverin.

Jean was tried for the murder of Diaz. Mother Tarratan testified that Jean gave her the pocketbook to keep for him and that later he snatched it away, leaving part of the flap (which she produced) in her hand. Afterward they made up, and Jean told the old woman where he had hidden the book with most of the money. When Jean came out of prison, he went to a rival den, and this aroused Mme. Tarratan's anger, and she betrayed him to his enemy, Riverin.

"It is clear," said the judge, "that your father knew of your crimes. Your father's suspicions must have been aroused when he saw you take his pruning knife."

"It was not his knife!" Jean answered in anger. "I picked it from the grass"—

This was a fatal blunder, and his conviction speedily followed. He was sentenced for life. On parting with his father he said:

"Take care of the money. When you receive a message from me, get the money and come at once to the place named."

"How long first?" the old man asked.

"That depends; certainly within a year," Jean replied.

Old Goujon lived in the rear of a sausage shop in the Rue St. Maur. He owned a big black dog, which sat at the window all day and showed his teeth at the children. His master when he left of a morning flung an old coat on the floor and told the dog to watch it. In the lining of the coat was his son Jean's money. So long as there was life in the dog no one but his master could touch that coat with impunity.

In March, 1845, when old Goujon reached home at dusk he found a slip of paper which had been thrust under the door. It contained these words: "An old friend wishes to see you this evening at 9 at Tignetonne's, Rue de Charron, near Rue Ste. Marguerite."

Just before 9 o'clock Goujon was at the appointed place and found an old woman, eating blood pudding and drinking sour wine. Presently a priest entered and ordered a small bottle of red wine. After sipping his wine the priest said, apparently to the world at large:

"Nine o'clock, and no news from Pere Lachaise." The landlord stopped in the act of drawing a cork and scowled. Old Goujon drew a roll of bills out of his pocket and looked at them.

"Poor Jean, poor Jean!" muttered the priest. "His own father has forgotten him."

Goujon patted the roll of bills and made a sign to the priest. He took no notice, drank his wine, paid his score and left. Goujon followed him outside, and the next moment he found himself in the hug of the priest, who said:

"Come along, father. I escaped only yesterday week and have had a hard time. You remember old Father Berneval, who used to bury the faithful at the cemetery until he scandalized the place and his profession by getting drunk? I found him out, and, remembering how I used to smuggle the brandy in for him, he put the note under your door and fixed me up in ecclesiastical style, as you see. Come with me to his abode in Mount Simon St. Franc, and we will talk."

Thither they went and had a long conversation. When they separated, Jean said, "And now for a new life!"

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In 1845 Theophile Theroud went to reside in Strassburg. He went into business and married and brought his old father to live with him. Seven children were born, all of whom died except the oldest, Henri. M. Theroud became a great railroad man. He was chosen president of a scientific society, and his portrait was published in many periodicals. He lived in fine style, and his son gave promise of becoming a celebrated engineer.

It came to pass that one Riverin, already mentioned in this history, had mended his ways and was selling newspapers and other reading material on the Rue St. Lazaire, Paris, near to the station of the Railroad of the West. It was his custom to pass his leisure moments in looking over the pictorial periodicals, and one day his attention was attracted by the likeness of Theophile Theroud, railroad magnate, and so forth.

"I could swear that was Jean Goujon," he said to himself.

Then he read the words accompanying the portrait and commented as he read, thus: "'He first settled in Strassburg in 1845'— The very year Jean escaped from prison—'For many years his father lived with him— Old man Goujon disappeared at the same time—'and up to the close of his life, three years ago, it was the great delight of the old gentleman to cultivate flowers'— That was old Goujon's business in a fashion at Pere Lachaise. If this is Jean, my future is made. If I go and identify him, he will pay handsomely for the keeping of the secret, for he is only an escaped convict and can be sent to prison any time to serve out his sentence."

Riverin went to Strassburg. After he had taken a good look at M. Theroud he said: "He's my man. The top of the third finger of the right hand is gone. I will change my name. My identity also ceases, and now I am—who am I? Paul Desmoulins? Ah, that is a grand name! He will pay me handsomely—at least 200,000 francs. I will never return to Paris. I will retire to a quiet place and marry. Why not? I am only 48. M. Desmoulins, you must get your cards engraved and prepare for a career."

M. Desmoulins called on M. Theroud. The same evening M. Theroud left the house and did not return until late. His son saw that he was excited and wandering and heard him walking his room nearly all night. He went to business next day as usual. In the evening he again left the house, and his son followed him. He saw his father meet a man in an adjacent wood. The two talked excitedly. The son heard an outcry and saw his father strike three or four blows with some weapon at the other man, who fell. M. Theroud stood over the prostrate form and struck three or four more blows. Then he turned away, rushed toward the park in which his home stood and entered it.

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"I know not who this man is," said M. Theroud when examined before the authorities. "He had private business with my son, and several nights in succession my son left the house, evidently to meet him. Early in the morning my son came to my room and said:

"'I have killed a man. He is my enemy and pursued me. You will find his body in the wood adjoining the park.' He then quitted my house and went I know not whither. I have never heard of him since."

A hunting knife owned by the son was found near the body, and the doctor testified that such a weapon had inflicted the wound which caused the death of the man.

M. Theroud lived on honored and respected, having the sympathy of all his fellow citizens. Before his death he confessed his crime, the guilt of which his son had assumed. All his former evils were enumerated. As to Paul Desmoulins, or Jacques Riverin, he said:

"I promised him 250,000 francs for silence and absence from France forever. He demanded more. Finally it must be half my fortune, the right of perpetual residence in my home. His demands and threats drove me mad. On my first meeting with him he seized me by the throat and threatened my life. On the next meeting I armed myself with a knife. I had no intention of killing him unless he assailed me, but when he threatened me with exposure on the morrow unless I agreed at once to his rapacious demands I lost my reason and slew him."

The son, who had never been farther than Switzerland and had repeatedly been visited by his father, returned soon after his father's death. He cleared up all his father's business and retired to a small town in Champagne, where he died only recently, leaving all his fortune to charitable institutions. — Brooklyn Citizen.

Cooking Morality.

"Poor rations are demoralizing," says a prominent army officer. And it is true that when a man does not get in his food the stimulating nourishment which his nature craves he becomes demoralized and seeks in other stimulants the satisfaction of the craving of his stomach for well cooked, nourishing food. A man disappointed in his meal can console his hunger with something to drink. This gives him spasmodic activity and fictitious strength for a brief time, but when the reaction comes leaves him worse off than ever. Is it not correct to argue that a breakfast unfailingly good, composed of elements that stimulate and nourish the body, has a moral as well as a physical benefit?—Sallie Joy White in Woman's Home Companion.

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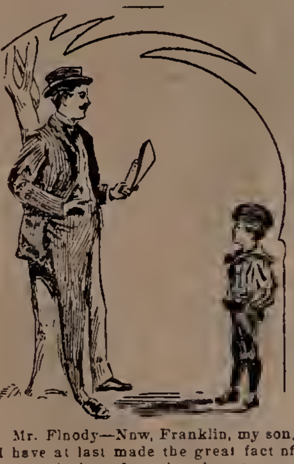

Mr. Floody—Now, Franklin, my son, I have at last made the great fact of the evolution of species clear to you, have I not?

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"The difference between us," vengefully retorted young Ardup, with his hand on the doorknob, "is that I'm a man of moderate means, and you're a man of immoderate meanness!"

Then he fled.—Chicago Tribune.

Advice.

Old Doctor—Now, my boy, let me give you a word of advice before you cut loose and hang out your shingle.

Young Doctor—I shall be glad to receive it, I assure you.

Old Doctor.—Whenever you are called upon to prescribe for a woman make her hold out her tongue, so that you may study it thoroughly. This will seldom help you to determine what her trouble is, but a woman can't talk while she has her tongue out.—Chicago Daily News.

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A Screw Loose Somewhere.

Husband—Why don't you wear your new dress?

Wife—It is unbecoming, or else it is out of style, or possibly it is a horrible misfit, I'm not sure which; but I must look like a fright or a simpleton in it.

Husband—Why so?

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Something Unusual.

Mrs. Giles—I wonder what is wrong with Mrs. Spooner's husband?

Mrs. Miles—I don't know, I'm sure. I never noticed anything wrong.

Mrs. Giles—You didn't! Why, he treats her with so much respect that you would think they were total strangers.—Chicago Daily News.

Wise.

"Don't you think that fellow who broke his engagement because the girl went to the jeweler and inquired the price of the ring a little sensitive?"

"I think he was wise. A woman like that would be wanting her husband to keep an account of his private expenses."—Indianapolis Journal.

A Misunderstanding.

"How soon will father be home?" asked the boy who had a large book on his knees.

"Very soon," answered Mrs. Cumrox. "Do you wish to ask him something?"

"Yes. I want to ask him if he ever saw what this man calls an ornithorhynchus. It has a body like an otter, web feet and a face like a duck's."

"Freddie! I am sorry it should be necessary to assure you that your father never drinks."—Washington Star.

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"I learn," she said reproachfully, "that you were devoted to no fewer than five girls before you finally proposed to me. How do I know that you didn't make desperate love to all of them?"

"I did," he replied promptly.

"You did!" she exclaimed.

"Certainly," he returned. "You don't suppose for a minute I would be foolhardy enough to try for such a prize as you are without practicing a little first, do you?"—Chicago Post.

Candor.

"What is your opinion of the popular songs of the present time?" asked the young woman.

"O," replied Willie Wishington, "I guess I'm like most people on that point. I enjoy 'em, but I don't like to own up to the fact in the presence of my musical friends."—Cleveland Leader.

No Formalities.

"Come and dine with us to-morrow," said the illiterate old fellow, who had made his money and wanted to push his way in society.

"Sorry," replied the elegant man, "I can't. I'm going to see 'Hamlet.'"

"That's all right," said the hospitable old gentleman, "bring him with you."—Illustrated American.

Embarrassing.

"You know in our country," said the eminent Chinaman, "it is considered the height of courtesy to present a man with a burial casket."

"Yes," answered the young emperor, "but these relations of mine are becoming altogether too polite."—Washington Star.

Jogging His Memory.

Slopay (telling story)—As I went down for the third time every event of my life passed before me like a flash.

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No. 1207.

REPORT of the condition of the FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK, at Franklin, in the state of Massachusetts, at the close of business, June 29, 1900.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$[illegible] 99
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		12 92
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		48,000 00
Due from National banks not reserve agents		32,021 69
Due from approved reserve agents		7,012 85
Checks and other cash items		2,3[illegible] 62
Notes of other National banks		3,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		48 73
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz		
Specie	$[illegible] 00	
Legal tender notes	[illegible] 00	[illegible] 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer 5 per cent of circulation		4,995 00
Total		$[illegible],141 80

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$[illegible] 00
Surplus fund	20,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	[illegible] 09
National bank notes outstanding	[illegible],250 00
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	[illegible] 81
Dividends unpaid	[illegible] 00
Individual deposits subject to check	[illegible],844 70
Certified checks	85 00
Exchange accrued	97 20
Total	$[illegible],141 80

State of Massachusetts, County of Norfolk, ss.

I, F. H. Bartholomew, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. H. BARTHOLOMEW, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, 1900.

HENRY E. [illegible], Notary Public.

Correct. Attest:

EDGAR K. RAY,
EDWARD H. RATHBUN,
HARRY T. HAYWARD,
Directors.

He Obeyed the Rule.

Arthur, who is forbidden to speak at the table, had his revenge the other day. As dinner began he was very uneasy, and finally said: "Ma, can't I speak just one word?"

"You know the rule, Arthur."

"Not one word?"

"No, Arthur, not until your father finishes the paper."

Arthur subsided until the paper was finished, when he was asked what he had to say.

"Oh, nothing! Only Nora put the custards outside the window to cool, and the cat has been eating them up!"—Tit-Bits.

Correct Diagnosis.

Doctor—Good morning, Mr. Lover! What can I do for you?

Mr. Lover—I—I called, sir, to—to ask for the hand of—of your daughter.

"Humph! Appetite good?"

"Not very."

"How is your pulse?"

"Very rapid when—when I am with her. Very feeble when away."

"Troubled with palpitation?"

"Awfully, when I think of her."

"Take my daughter. You'll soon be cured. Ten dollars, please."—N. Y. Weekly.

"I never saw a man carry economy to such an extreme," said a Dreyfus partisan. "He is positively parsimonious."

"You mean that member of the French army?"

"Yes. He is continually talking about saving his honor."—Washington Star.

The Helping Hand.

The hand that rocks the cradle rules the
world, the poets cry:
But the hand of fate, I take it, is the hand
that makes good pie.
—Detroit Free Press.

A Good Reason.

"Why don't you come in?" said the wife mockingly from the second-story window, as he fumbled in his pocket for his latch-key.

"I haven't got openers," he replied, sadly.—Harlem Life.

Wanted to Be Sure.

Jones—Why are you praying for rain?

Brown—I had my roof fixed to-day, and I want to see if it's all right before I pay for it.—N. Y. Truth.

Short-Lived.

"When we were married," sobbed the young wife, "he said he loved me with a love more enduring than the everlasting granite!"

"And it didn't last?" queried the sympathizing friend.

"Last!" echoed the young wife, drying her tears. "It didn't last as long as a cedar block pavement!"—Chicago Tribune.

At the Club.

"Those two fellows over in the corner seem to have a very interesting subject. They've been talking at each other as hard as possible for an hour and a half."

"Yes; one of them has a little boy who has just learned to walk and the other's baby cut its first tooth day before yesterday."—Chicago Daily News.

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Thick Flanks	6c	Spinach, peck	10c
Spring Broilers	28c	String Beans, qt	5c
Fresh Killed Fowls	18c	Lettuce, head	5c
Smoked Bacon, strip	10c		

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HENRY CARTER.

West Medway, July 2, 1900. jly3,10,17

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MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
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West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 A. M.
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West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

J. P. Farmer of Sioux Falls is at Dr. King's.

Miss Myrtle Cook is visiting friends in Webster.

The big chimney at Dean academy is being repaired.

Judge Doe will resume his outing in Maine tomorrow.

Cars to Medway and Dedham now run hourly and half-hourly.

Our Boys play the Ramblers at Hopedale tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Waite left today for their home in Boulder, Col.

H. W. Hosie and family are enjoying ocean breezes at Winthrop, Me.

E. C. Dean took a day off yesterday, Boston being his objective point.

The Universalists are at Lake Pearl and Hoag for their annual picnic today.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stewart are entertaining Rev. E. P. Marvin of Lockport, N. Y.

The ice men say those two hot days took the profits off the business for two weeks.

Miss Margaret Kane of Providence is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lemier, Peck street.

John Dunning has returned from Washington, where he has been caring for his brother.

W. A. Pond has sold for B. B. Blaisdell a farm of 105 acres to William A. South of Salem.

Joseph Curran of Hopedale is visiting his father, Cornelius Curran, of McCarthy street.

W. H. Miller and wife of Hopkinton are guests of Mrs. J. W. Heaton, Emmons street.

Prepare to attend the Farmers' club and grange picnic at Lake Pearl next Wednesday.

T. B. Allen has just bought 225 cords of trash wood of Pond & Tingley near Spring Pond.

"Is it hot enough for you?" How many times have you heard this remark of late?

North Attleboro and Norwich will cross bats on Monday for the finest game of the season.

Miss Gertrude Newell of Sheldonville has been on a visit to Mrs. Arthur Miller of Dean avenue.

William A. Stanley went to Providence Thursday to attend a club dinner and celebration.

The cars for Providence daily take on people of the town who delight in the succulent bivalve.

Mrs. William Miller of Blackstone is on a visit to her niece, Miss Olive Miller, of South Franklin.

W. B. Sommers of New Haven is visiting his parents here, Capt. and Mrs. Rudolph Sommers.

Miss Margaret Reardon of Medway is visiting at the home of William Savage on Washington street.

The ladies in the finishing room of Hayward's mill are arranging for an outing at Lake Pearl tomorrow.

A large number of the employes of the Stewart hat works now find employment in the hat factory in Medway.

Florence, the three-year-old daughter of Mrs. Maria Rollinson of Ray street, died Wednesday of cholera infantum.

John Q. Hennigan, the new inspector of steam and electric roads for the rail road commission, was in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Broeunlman of New York city have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Ray, at Elm farm.

A number from here are going to Attleboro tomorrow to witness the second game of the series between that team and the Norths. A hot game is expected.

Dr. J. C. Gallison has cut down one of the fine shade trees in front near his house, so as to erect an ornamental stone gatepost. The trees are very thick, anyway.

When the meetings of the Masonic bodies are resumed after the summer vacation it is expected the members will find a new carpet and other improvements.

According to the reports on the street it seems very doubtful whether Charles Stewart resumes business at the Thayer shop at the corner of Union and Central streets.

Hon. L. L. Burrington has received and accepted an appointment as superintendent of public schools in Peabody, Mass. He will begin his new duties in September.

James O. Chilson has sold his farm on Chestnut street, through Pond's farm agency, to William Everett from Leominster, Mass. The sale included stock and tools.

A. Cressey Morrison and wife, Miss Julie Bachelder of Lowell and Mr. C. Kirker of Paterson, N. J., are guests of Mrs. Cora Linn Daniels at Sardia Lodge, Wrentham.

The Douglas campmeeting opened today, and with the ease of access, cheap fare and excellent accommodations there it is expected a good many from Franklin will attend.

There is a great deal of interest evinced in the forthcoming production of Mr. Richardson, which transcends in its scope any effort of like character ever published in this town.

Seth Blake is seriously ill at his home. For the past week he has had many severe head hemorrhages. A man attendant is acting in the capacity of a nurse as Mrs. Blake is an invalid.

N. A. Ferrer and Anthony Connor were installed noble grand and vice-grand respectfully of King David lodge Wednesday evening. E. J. Whittaker of Wrentham was the installing officer.

Some prostrations from the heat are reported in town, although no serious consequences have followed, but several people will probably expose themselves to the sun's rays in summer less in future.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rathbun are rejoicing over the advent of a son and heir into their household on Wednesday morning, and the congratulations they have received are numerous, sincere and welcome.

Mr. Davis Thayer, Mrs. Dr. A. J. Gallison and son Thayer left yesterday for Cottage City, where they will occupy their cottage for a few weeks, Mr. Thayer running home occasionally to attend to matters here.

G. H. Grant and his men have worked overtime the past few evenings at Hoag lake so as to finish the dance hall at which they have been at work, in time for the Woonsocket clerks' outing yesterday afternoon.

The Misses Mary, Lucy and Rose Rabitor and Miss Nancy Lefleur left Tuesday for a visit with friends in Montreal, Can. Miss Lefleur will remain until next December and the Misses Rabitor will return in September.

The Medway-Medfield electric railway company has built a platform under the trees at the end of their route here for the convenience of passengers alighting from the cars, made necessary by the very long step to the ground.

H. M. Bullock still remains in a very precarious condition, with the chances against him. If he should recover somewhat there is little likelihood that he would ever be a well man again. The difficulty appears to have been a succession of slight shocks.

The entire floor of the Ray stable is being laid in cement and the carriage room in asphalt, making it at once clean, smooth and free from dust, etc. The stalls are iron and laid in cement, so as to insure solidity. It will be a model building both outside and in.

The third day of 90's in the shade raised the record, the mercury ranging from 95 to an even 100 at 1 p. m. Wednesday. There was considerable of a breeze to make conditions more tolerable than it would otherwise be, but outdoor labor was suspended on many jobs.

William Corbett, at the corner of Oak and Pond streets, reports the loss of 28 hens killed by a dog early Tuesday morning, and others of the flock maimed and damaged. It seems as though a dose of hot lead could be prepared while a canine was disposing of that number of fowls.

The American Flax and Fibre Co. is rushing the repairs on the old steel edge factory in Millis. Looms and cards have been moved there from Franklin and several carloads of flax have arrived from Dakota. Mr. Hathaway of Franklin is the superintendent of the factory.

The Lake Pearl management is offering special inducements to the public in the line of excellent theatre attractions and park pleasures. Saturday evening dancing will be an attraction, and on Sunday afternoon from 2 till 6 o'clock the celebrated Norwood brass band will give a grand sacred concert.

Miss Angelina Cataldo, daughter of Joseph Cataldo, 18 years of age, was hit in the ribs with a shuttle Wednesday morning while at her work at her loom in Singleton's mill. Miss Cataldo fell to the floor in a faint. She was removed to her home and a doctor was called and found the accident not serious.

The Bellingham selectmen went to Hoag Lake last Sunday and requested that the flying horses be stopped. The request was not acceded to and the selectmen said that it was a desecration which could not be permitted, and they felt it their duty to see that it did not occur again. Just what their action will be has not developed yet.

Five of the persons charged with playing cards Sunday appeared before Judge Doe yesterday morning and plead guilty. Attorney Ruggles explained the matter to the court on behalf of the offenders, and they were let off with a fine of $10, which they paid. The person charged with running the place has skipped out, but will be arrested should he return to town.

The orchard of Elm Farm was gay with a merry party of ladies on Wednesday afternoon last. Forty members of the Murray Universalist ladies circle of Attleboro came with their baskets for a luncheon at the Elm Farm. Mrs. Ray invited the ladies of the Franklin society to meet them and a few responded. In spite of the heat there was a royal good time and the ride home in the electrics was bracing and cool.

Much to the regret of the people of the West Medway Methodist church, Rev. J. P. Chadbourne has been obliged to resign the pastorate on account of ill health. During the year and a half that Mr. Chadbourne has been here, he has done much for the upbuilding of the society, the Sunday school being flourishing. He is a young man of exceptional ability and one whom this village can ill afford to lose. Rev. Arthur Wright of Milford will take his place.—Milford Journal.

Our assessors announced that the tax rate this year will be somewhat larger than last owing to the larger appropriation at the March meeting. Last year the rate was $15 per $1,000, and this year it is $16. They would have been glad to have made the same rate, but insist that that matter is entirely out of their hands so long as they do not make the appropriations. $16 is not bad compared with many of the towns about us, and taken into consideration what we get for our money expended.

Lake Hoag and "Pleasure Island" are steadily gaining in popularity under the able management of Joseph G. Ray. The hobby horses are the best this side of Narragansett Pier. The dancing pavilion although not yet completed is ready for use, and the white cottage by the lake furnishes anything ordered from a sandwich to a chowder. Everything is quiet and orderly making a delightful place for an outing. Next week's Casino entertainment will be "The Minstrels" an excellent company of twenty in the circle.

Each year H. H. Gates puts in some improvement at Sunnyside, so as to do his work more quickly and profitably. He has just put in a hay carrier which enables him to dispose of a large load of hay in any portion of his barn with ease and dispatch. He certainly is a progressive farmer, and he realizes that it is not wise to try to raise everything that will grow simply because he calls himself a farmer. He has tried the various crops and knows just what his land is adapted to raising, and that is the secret of all crop success.

Representative L. L. Burrington can now enjoy a well-earned rest, as the legislature adjourned Tuesday after the second longest session in the history of the state, surpassed only by that of 1883, the Gov. Butler's year, when the great and general court remained in session until July 27. It is learned by way of the secretary of the state that the governor has signed 479 acts and 108 resolves and sent in nine vetoes, all of them sustained by the legislature. Many wise measures passed, though there were some unaccountable "somersaults" executed. On the whole there is little to criticise.

Edward M. Stewart passed away on Thursday at the residence of his son, William G. Stewart, on Main street. Mr. Stewart had been in delicate health for some time past, but had only been confined to his bed for the past few weeks. Deceased was born in Nova Scotia in 1813 and came to Boston in 1844. He was actively engaged with Rev. Alex. Blakie in church work and was one of the founders of the First United Presbyterian church of Boston and was a ruling elder of that church for upwards of twenty years. He leaves a widow and family to mourn their loss The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 30 from the residence of his son. Relatives and intimate friends are invited.

Since the M. A. & W. Co. is not to build from Milford to Westboro it looks now as if a new company, in which W. B. Ferguson of Malden, formerly president of the Milford, Holliston and Framingham street railway company would do it. But the Kelsey interests, which control the M. H. & F. road, have already applied for franchises to build the road, and a clash seems inevitable. The M. H. & F. company would seem to have the advantage, inasmuch as it was in the field first and has had dates for hearings appointed. It would be an interesting state of affairs if the Kelsey company should secure a location from the selectmen of Milford and the Ferguson crowd should get franchise rights in Hopkinton This is really the first street railway war that Milford has experienced and the outcome of it will be watched with interest.

If the contemplated improvements at the Opera House materialize this season there is no question but that Franklin can attract a better class of entertainments and they will be well patronized. The fact that a fine company comes here and is not able to put on some of its best scenery destroys much of the pleasure of the audience, and companies do not like to play where they cannot do themselves justice. Another feature is to be taken into consideration, and that is the out of town custom which can be attracted here if properly catered to. Otherwise our people will be drawn to Milford or Woonsocket, and it is certain the electrics will be arranged so that all could get back after the entertainment in either place. Therefore, it behooves the management to do all in its power to keep the people here by good attractions, well staged, and at the same time attract patrons from Wrentham, the Medways, Bellingham, etc. The thing can be done, and we trust it will be.

The Congregational Sunday school, in charge of Superintendent Richardson, picnicked at Lake Pearl on Wednesday, going down on the electrics in large numbers. There the day was most delightfully spent with sports, refreshments, riding the flying horses, bathing, bowling, etc. The stage entertainment also attracted a good many, there being nothing objectionable about it whatever. The whole affair was a signal success. The following was the result of the athletic sports: One hundred yard dash, won by Edwin Russell, George Sneath second; three-legged race, won by William Winters and Frank Ledbury, Arthur Stewart and George Sneath second; running broad jump, won by Howard Winters, Alden Abbott second; high jump, won by James Hood, Alden Abbott second; ladies' walking race, won by Miss Linna Ferrer, Miss Campbell second; girls' driving contest, won by Miss Elizabeth Marshall, Miss Edna M. Winters second; canoe race, won by Floyd Hosie and William Stewart; potato race, won by Arthur Mason, Ernest Abbott second; ladies' driving contest, won by Mrs. C. L. Stewart.

High School Boy Suicides.

Richard H. Sumner, a former pupil of our High school two or three years ago, and son of Fred. H. Sumner, now of Jamaica Plain, shot himself at his grandfather's in Foxboro on Wednesday morning.

Recently it has been noticed that he was despondent, but there was no fear of his taking any action which would tend to suddenly end his life. He had taken a shotgun that had not been used for sometime and shot himself through the heart, death being instantaneous.

The suicide was about 18 years of age, and was undoubtedly a severe sufferer from illness. He left a note saying that God only knew what he had suffered during the past six months; he had decided he could not bear the suffering any longer, and thought it best to end it all at once.

Canning Is Coming.

If you want nice fruit next winter prepare to can very soon, as fruit is coming on, but don't use your old jars. Our new ones are cheaper, better, and improve the flavor of the fruit. We have the square "Royal" fruit jar, best quality selected glass, with "Lightning" top at 90 cents, $1.00 and $1.25 per dozen. There are none cheaper in the end. Window screens at reduced prices.

Hosie Bros.

Richardson's Market.

Everything that the market affords can be found at this establishment this week. New vegetables coming in daily, fruit, etc. 'Nuff said.

If you want the best milk in this town, put up in glass jars at the farm, and delivered by 5 o'clock in the morning, address J. C. McInnis. He also has all kinds of fruit in the season.

Sweet peas at Slade's greenhouse.

American Hearts Beat High.

Paris, July 4, 1900—Midnight

To the Editor of the Sentinel:—

I have spent several of the recent years of my life in Europe and up to now have been so well able to control myself that I have never inflicted upon my old Franklin friends "a letter from abroad" through the columns of the press, and for which self-sacrifice on my part I trust they are truly grateful. I must, however, at the close of this Fourth of July day, tell a little tale about what Dr. Gallison and I have both declared to be the most glorious and enthusiastic Fourth of July we have ever known, and all in the gay city of Paris. We arose this morning to find many public and private buildings bedecked with the "Stars and Stripes," little steamers dashing to and fro on the river Seine with the same fair emblem floating at their sterns, and to meet thousands of Americans on the streets with the "red white and blue" attached to their person, while the weather was all that could be asked for. We began the celebration by attending the unveiling of the Lafayette statue, presented by the school children of United States, to the Republic of France, in the garden of the Tuileries. The presentation speech was delivered by our commissioner, General Peck, at the close of which the great American flag which enshrouded the statue was drawn away, and Sousa's band rendered for the first time, "Hail to the Spirit of Liberty." which Mr. Sousa composed for this occasion. President of France, Loubet, then made a very fine speech accepting the gift in the name of the French people. Thousands of Americans were on the spot, and when the band struck up "The Star Spangled Banner" all rose to their feet with one accord and remained standing, the men hatless, till the last notes had died away. After this ceremony was over Sousa formed his band into line of march and, followed by mounted French police, marched through the Place de l'Opera and the boulevards to the exposition grounds. The procession was followed by thousands of people, among them hundreds of Americans, young and old, the doctor and I in the midst of the vast throng, right in the middle of the streets. As a small boy I have "followed the band" many times through the streets of old Franklin, but never in all my life did I enjoy this boyhood pleasure as I did today hustling along through the streets of Paris, thousands of miles from home, surrounded by gay young men and pretty American girls, the "stars and stripes" all above, around and about us, and all cheering and keeping time to the tunes of the "Washington Post" "The Stars and Stripes Forever," "Liberty Bell," etc.

Try and imagine. Try and feel the enthusiasm that was in us during this tramp through the streets of Paris. I don't believe you can do it. We left Sousa at the exposition entrance and went to the United States building, which is located on the "street of nations." This building is headquarters for Americans while visiting the exposition, and multitudes of them were to be seen there today. It contains a United States post office, information bureaus, a fine American restaurant and several lounging and reading rooms, furnished by different states and presided over by real genuine Americans, male and female. We crowded through a dense throng of Americans and made our way up to the Massachusetts rooms, where we found the walls adorned with such familiar pictures as those of our grand old state house, Benjamin Franklin, etc., and the reading tables were piled with Boston newspapers. After loitering here awhile we went over into the New York rooms and shook the hand of Miss Hamlin of Dean academy, who was very glad to meet people from home, and the pleasure was not all on her side, either. We then went into the restaurant, which, like all other parts of the building, was crowded with Americans. We were given seats right near a table occupied by United States Commissioner General Peck, his family and suite; also no less a personage than that worthy Christian gentleman, Archbishop Ireland, whose hand we had the pleasure of shaking and hearing him say he was glad to meet us because we came from near Bunker Hill. Hurrah for Bunker Hill!

We were all entertained throughout dinner by two men from Kentucky, who played on banjo and mandolin and sang many of our old familiar favorites, including "Swanee River," "Hot Time," etc. Just try and screw your imagination up to the point where American enthusiasm and good fellowship ran rife in that restaurant today. After doing our whole duty here—I wish all of our duties were as easy—we went out into one of the grand squares in the exposition grounds to once more enjoy a concert by Sousa's band. An immense crowd of people from all corners of the globe were at the concert and Sousa was obliged to give encore after encore. The people went wild over the "Washington Post" march, "Georgia Campmeeting" and other rag-time music, and when Soloist Pryor played "Because I Love You" on the trombone the applause was simply tremendous. I must not forget to mention something that occurred at this concert. We were standing near a group of American fellows, and when Sousa ended one of the favorite airs, one of the chaps showed his appreciation by whistling very loudly through his fingers, a very common thing in America; but in France it is a sign of derision, and means here what hissing does at home. He was immediately surrounded by indignant Frenchmen, who denounced him in the most decided manner; in fact, they almost came to blows, and it was some time before they seemed to understand that our American friend was applauding and not deriding Sousa.

But two grand concerts and a street parade were not enough of Sousa's band and American music, for the 4th of July in Paris, so the day's celebration was brought to a close by another grand concert given on the Place de l'Opera, directly in front of the Grand Opera House, and bordering the Boulevard. The concert began at 10 p. m. and just closed at at midnight. It was here that we got into the biggest crowd we have yet seen in Paris, all there to hear our American band of which we Americans are so proud. We are making quite a stay in Paris and "doing" the city and exposition thoroughly, but of these I'll say nothing, as you can read all about them in the guide books. But such feelings of patriotism and pride in flag and country, you cannot find those in guide books, but must look into the hearts of the Americans who have spent their 4th of July in Paris, of whom I have the pleasure of being one.

Yours very truly,

Walter A. Hawkins.

Interesting Find.

Tuesday, as some of the workmen were engaged in removing some of the debris left from the burning of St. Mary's church, Rev. William Reardon of Amesbury, who is a guest at St. Mary's rectory, found some medals under one of the granite stones. The medals, four in all, were found in the right hand corner, and must have been placed there when the corner stone was laid. Some iron and wood which was discovered in the same place led to the opinion that the medals were in a box, probably iron, lined with wood, and that it decayed with age. The dates on the medals were 1833, so they were likely in their resting place 67 years. The inscription on two of them could be plainly read. One of these stated that the medal was awarded to the "Robinson and Jones" family for their skill in making brushes, and on the opposite side appeared the picture of a pig. The other was awarded to the Adam's family of Boston for skill in manufacturing trunks. On the opposite side of this was the picture of a donkey, over which was written the word "firmness" and on its side the letters "Lt'd." Whether this was the box originally placed by Dr. Dean under the corner stone when the church occupied the old Congregational site and again placed under the church in its Catholic location is not known. Rev. Fr. Lee now has them in his possession and prizes them highly as interesting relics.

Emerson's Market.

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The Story of a Poem.

The man who used to write in a garret and burn the midnight taper, though he received but little for his toil, still had the respect of publishers, who held his genius in high esteem. How different the fate of the writer today! One of them sent an Easter poem, on which he prided himself, to a great editor. The great editor replied:

"We regret that your Easter poem, which is a good one, arrived after we had made up the forms for our Easter number. Can't you work it over to fit the Fourth of July next—introduce a few American flags and a box of firecrackers? Or you might switch it around into a Christmas poem, throwing in a country dance or something lively. If you'll do either, just send it on, and check will be forwarded."

When the author got that letter, he lost his temper and his religion.—Atlanta Constitution.

A Good Natured Reformer.

If I was foreteller of the weather, you bet
I'd behave in a way the most curious yet.
I'd tear up my maps, and I'd turn in and break
All the instruments used when them weather sharps make
Observations. I'd just predict sunshine and showers
And winds with caresses for languorous flowers.
Of course there'd be storms which our patience would test,
But I'd simply be cheerful and hope for the best

If I was the almanac man, I would try
To change the amount of the years as they fly,
Increasin the sum of our holiday joys
And reduce the hours which stern duty employs.
I'd celebrate Christmas 'bout four times a year,
And two Sundays a week on the books would appear;
I s'pose that there'd soo[illegible]
But I'd change things a[illegible]
my way;

—Exchange.

A Matter of Regret.

"It's a great pity," said the man who has taken a deep interest in the plans to suppress dogs.

"What's a pity?"

"That we can't go farther than the mere prevention of hydrophobia. Just think how much cheerier this life would be if nature had only made the grip germ big enough to muzzle."—Washington Star.

End of Century Epitaph.

Here lies a poor woman who always was busy;
She lived under pressure that rendered her dizzy.
She belonged to ten clubs and read Browning by night,
Shone at luncheons and teas and would vote if she might.
She served on a school board with courage and zeal;
She golfed, and she kodaked and rode on a wheel.
She read Tolstoi and Ibsen, knew microbes by name,
Approved of Delsarte and loved to shoot game.
Her children went in for the top education;
Her husband went seaward for nervous prostration.
One day on her tablets she found an hour free;
The shock was so great that she died instantly.

—Pick Me Up.

His First Season Out of Town.

"As I reached home last night I saw our cow running off down the road."

"Well?"

"I chased her a mile and a half in a pouring rain."

"Catch her?"

"Yes. But when I got the old thing back to our yard I found out she wasn't our cow."—Indianapolis Journal.

The Spider's Invitation.

"Will you walk into my parlor?"
Said the spider to the fly.
"'Tis the prettiest little parlor
That ever you did spy.
The carpet has been taken up
And shaken in the sun,
The curtains have been taken down
And laundered, every one.
The paper on the walls is new,
The rugs from dust are free,
For now, at last, I am quite through
With cleaning house, you see."

—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Not Even Once.

Mabel (approval of new evening dress, which has just arrived from the dressmaker)—Oh, mother, how lovely! Do wear it tonight!

Mother—No, dear, not tonight. This is for when ladies and gentlemen come to dinner.

Mabel—Mother, dear, do let's pretend, just for once, that father's a gentleman!—Punch.

The Average Man's Failing.

The trouble with the average man
Is not so hard to find.
It isn't that his heart is wrong,
He's just a little blind.
He wants to do the best he can,
But doesn't think, and so
A lot of aches and sorrows fall
To people here below.

—Chicago Times-Herald.

The Family Standby.

Nodd—This servant question is a great nuisance, isn't it?

Todd—Awful! But I'm out of it. My cook has been with us so long that she is just like one of the family.

"How long?"

"Two weeks."—Detroit Free Press.

FALLING HAIR

Does this illustrate your experience? And are you worried for fear you are soon to be bald?

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A Self-Interested Prescription.

Uncle Erastus—Want to know how to cure that wart, sonny? Take a dime an' throw it over your shoulder an' walk away. You mustn't look after it, an' you mustn't know where it went.

Charlie—Well, I guess I'll try it some other time, uncle. If I threw it over my shoulder while you were around I'm afraid I would know where it had gone.—Harlem Life.

Hard to Find.

[illegible] hard to find. There's a good deal of heroism in this world."

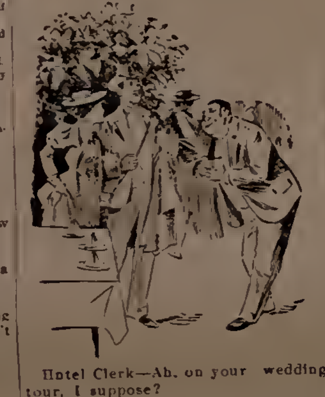
"Yes; but she wants a hero with money."

"Oh, that's different. Two ideals in one."—Chicago Post.

Before and After.

Like a candidate for office is the man who loves a maid.
He is free to promise everything before;
And, likewise, after taking, he forgets the part he played,
Nor is under obligations any more.
—Chicago Daily News.

A SCHEME THAT FAILED.



Hotel Clerk—Ah, on your wedding tour, I suppose?

Guest—Quite right; but we must nevertheless insist upon having a first-class dinner.—Fliegende Blatter.

Crowded Out.

He never told his love because
Her lively tongue made such a din
That, though he much desired a pause,
He found no chance the girl to win.
—Chicago Tribune.

Practical Remedy.

Caller (with manuscript)—Then you can't use the poem? May I ask what ails it?

Editor—Well, it lacks what might be called the true poetic fire.

Caller—Couldn't that be—ah—imported it in some way?

Editor—Well, you might try sticking it in the stove.—Chicago Tribune.

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Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 4. Sunday school at 3. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. S. Halfyard on "The Christian Race." No evening service. Sunday school at 12. Epworth league at 6.30.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "The Difference Between a Man and an Angel." Last service before vacation. Y. P. C. U. at 6.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D. Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30, closing with a short address by the pastor. No evening service.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. F. B. Sleeper, pastor; subject, "The Law of Forgiveness." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Preaching at 7.30; subject, "Strength and Weakness." A short after service in the vestry.

SHELDONVILLE.

Mrs. Thayer of Ashland is visiting Mrs. Mary Sheldon.

Mrs. I. M. Patten is visiting at Rev. E. Harris' of Still River.

Mrs. G. Sheldon is entertaining a friend from Dorchester.

Miss Laura Arnold of Waltham was at her house here last week.

Miss Lena Newell is spending a week with friends in Providence.

C. E. Thomas wheeled to Plymouth Saturday, returning Monday.

Lyman Parmenter has returned from a two weeks visit in Fall River.

Mrs. D. C. Cudworth is enjoying a visit from her mother of Chicago.

Fred Brown of Beverly is visiting at C. E. Pitman's of West Wrentham.

There are a number of boarders at Pine Hedge summer boarding house.

Fred Laporte has moved into the tenement recently vacated by Chas. Nash.

Oscar Mowry of Providence is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Roxy Farnsworth.

Miss L. B. Bittinger is visiting relatives in Cambridge and West Roxbury.

Esther Thomas has returned from a visit with Florence Crane of Rumney, N. H.

A cottage prayer meeting was held Tuesday evening at the home of S. D. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Moceason and children of Boston are at J. W. McEwen's for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Oliver have gone on a driving trip to South Framingham and vicinity.

Rev. Charles J. White of Woonsocket will occupy the pulpit at West Wrentham Universalist church next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Esley of Boston, Misses Nellie and Lucy Borden of Fall River are visiting at Mrs. E. F. Parmenter's.

Some of the young people from here attended the picnic given by Miss Grace Brown at Red Spring cottage, Lake Pearl, W[illegible]

[illegible]d Effect.

[illegible]dn't you come to school yesterday?

Tommy Traddles—Please, I was sick.

Teacher—What was the matter with you?

Tommy Traddles—I was sick of school.—Harlem Life.

Unsophisticated.

First Tramp—When you wuz a boy did you ever expect to be in dis business?

Second Tramp—No;—in me childish innocence I t'ought it wuz necessary to work fer a livin'.—Puck.

Further Explained.

"Did you say that gentleman made his fortune by some important discoveries in medical lore?"

"Yes," answered Miss Cayenne. "He discovered a new way to advertise a reliable recipe."—Washington Star.

Its Equivalent.

Physician—I don't believe you are carrying out my directions at all. I limited you to one ten-cent cigar a day.

Patient—That's all right, doctor. I smoke ten one-cent stogies. It's the same thing.—Chicago Tribune.

Strong and Swift.

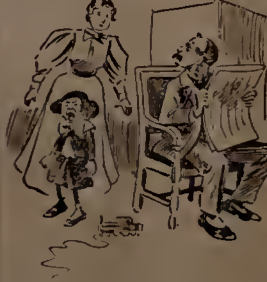
Farmer Lott—I see Neighbor Skinner's cheese took a prize at the fair.

Farmer Shott—Well, all Skinner has to do is to unchain his cheese and it's apt to get there.—Yonkers Statesman.

Yes, Indeed.

The growth of the cannon cracker tends
Encouragement emphatic
To the thought that fool killing eventually
Will be quite automatic.
—Detroit Journal.

KNOCKING, GENTLY KNOCKING.



Mrs. Peck—I have a mind of my own.

Henry Peck—Not all of it.

Mrs. Peck—Why not?

Henry Peck—You just gave me a piece of it.—Chicago Daily News.

His Mark.

He started out to make his mark,
And in the wheat pit tried his luck:
With warning words men still point out
Then dented spot whereon he struck.
—Chicago Daily News.

Perfect Impunity.

Thirsty Thornton—Dese blind men have got er snap.

Soiled Sammy—Dat's so. Dey don't run no risk when dey looks fer work.
—N. Y. Journal.

A New Arrangement.

Dorothy had been taken to the henhouse and had seen the hens on their nests, which were arranged one above the other. On reentering the house she exclaimed, delightedly: "Oh, mamma! grandpa's got a whole book case full of hens."—Judge.

No Mistake About It.

Guest (angrily) — Say, landlord, you've made a mistake somewhere. This bill is about double what it ought to be.

Landlord (suavely)—Oh, no, there is no mistake, sir. I counted every item twice to make sure.—Town Topics.

A Champion.

Mrs. Ipsley—They say your husband is one of the best golf players in this town.

Mrs. Wanston—Oh, yes, he is a thorough master of it. Why, he can actually talk the language in his sleep.—Chicago Daily News.

Those Dear Girls.

"How do you like this engagement ring Mr. Poppers gave me?" asked the summer girl.

"I always admired it," said her dear friend, "and hated to part with it when I broke with Mr. Poppers early in the season."—Philadelphia Record.

Hit It the First Time.

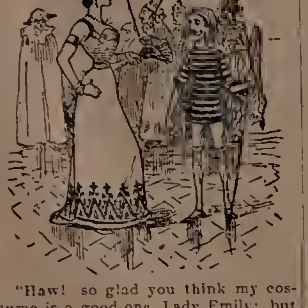
Mrs. Matchman—Look how earnestly Rose and Mr. Beach are bidding each other good night at the gate. I am sure there's something between them.

Mr. Matchman—So am I; it's the gate.—Judge.

Conceit.

Just what conceit is often puzzles me
Or vice or virtue I can't tell, although
Whene'er I mention it my friends but smile
And say, of all men, that I ought to know
—Harlem Life.

WORTH SEEING.



"Haw! so glad you think my costume is a good one, Lady Emily; but I should like you to see me as Hercules."

"Yes; I would not miss that for worlds."—Ally Sloper.

A Distinction.

They say he's right who cards eschews,
That gambling is a sin;
It's gambling only when you lose,
Amusement when you win.
—Judge.

In Deadly Earnest.

"He says he intends the world shall hear from him some day."

"Indeed!"

"Oh, yes. He's learning to play the trombone."—Chicago Post.

Of Course They Do.

Greene—Do they play golf in Germany?

Redd—Oh, yes; haven't you ever heard of the Frankfurter links?—Yonkers Statesman.

Reason Enough.

Graham—Going to move? What for?

White—They've got a baby next door to my house, and it makes so much noise my dog can hardly get a wink of sleep at night.—Boston Transcript.

Couldn't Keep Them.

"Yes," said the first theatrical manager, "I'm changing my bills weekly."

"You're in luck," said the other manager. "I have to change my bills the minute I get them."—N. Y. Journal.

At the Shrine of Taste.

"Do tell me, Etta! Is it true? They say your engagement with Mr. Smith is off!"

"It is true. It was broken off at my request. His name would not hyphenate well with mine. Think how Etta Black-Smith would sound."—Chicago Tribune.

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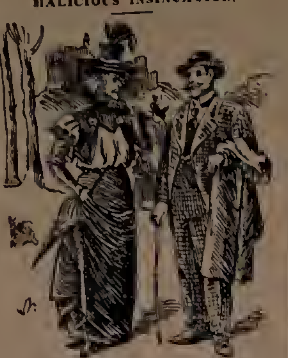
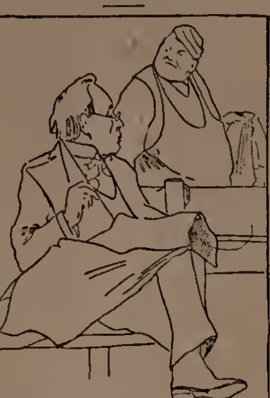


Miss Elderly—Do you remember the time when we went to dancing school together?

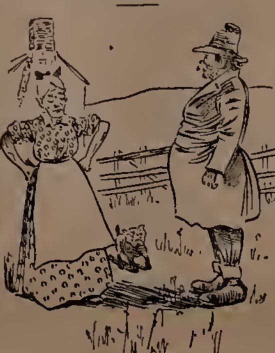
Oldboy—Quite well. Why that was scarcely 40 years ago.—Fliegende Blaetter.

WHY HE WISHED IT LARGE.



Professor—Walter, bring me a sirloin steak, and have it a large one. I'm so nervous to-day that every little thing annoys me.—German Comic Paper.

ANOTHER ONE OF THEM.



Old Mrs. Hankypank—Why, ain't you the same tramp I gave one of my darter's cooking school pies to last year?

Lionel Montmorency—Yes'm, but, Lord bless you! it didn't hurt me—I'm an immune.—N. Y. Evening Journal.

Bad Form.

"What a painful, shocking way to take one's self out of the world it must be to drink carbolic acid," remarked the young woman in the fur jacket.

"Shocking?" replied the young woman in the yellow buskins. "It's worse than that. It's disgraceful. It's the way the servant girls commit suicide!"—Chicago Tribune.

A Life and Death Fight.

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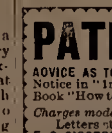

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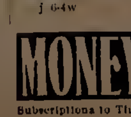

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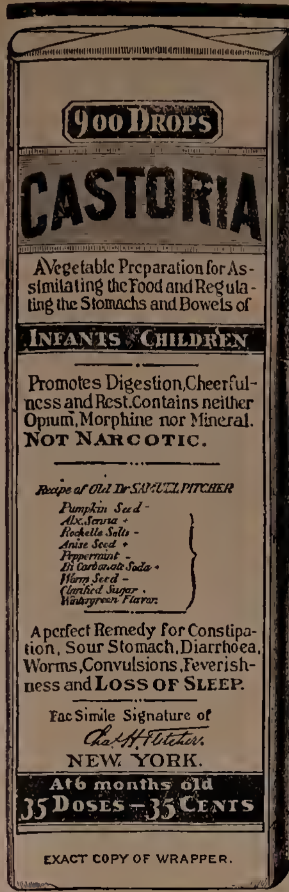
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"Only a Private Killed."

A face upturned to the copper sky,
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A red, red splotch on a blouse of blue—
Only a private—nothing new—
"Only a private killed."

A sunbrowned cheek that is glassy pale,
A choking gasp and a half sobbed wail;
"Tell mother"—his heart to hers must call.
Only a private lost—that's all—
"Only a private killed."

Dead—with a smile in his clear brown eyes,
Grim and motionless there he lies.
Dead—for his country's flag's fair fame—
Only a private. What's his name?
"Only a private killed."

Only a mother's heart somewhere
Torn with grief for her boy so fair—
The boy whose smile she will never see.
It was a cheap bought victory—
"Only a private killed."
—Baltimore American.

Tit For Tat.

He'd popped the vital question, her answer had been prompt,
And on his breast was glued her little head,
While through their love thrilled bosoms the god of rapture romped
As swiftly on the happy moments sped.
Then, turning up her glances to mingle with his own,
This query at her darling one she shoved,
Her accent half a dove coo and half a doubtful moan,
"Am I the only girl you ever loved?"

He swallowed a lump that arose in his neck,
His face wore a secondhand blush;
His voice seemed a sad, unavailable wreck,
Refusing to banish the hush,
And into her eyes came a flicker of pain,
Her lips pursed in questioning pout,
And quickly she fired the same query again,
Her bosom all riddled with doubt.

Then came an inspiration like lightning from the skies;
His heart retreated to its usual place.
He sent his counter glances deep down into her eyes;
The hot, rose tinted blushes quit his face.
Like retributive music the painful sentence ran
And struck her pinky ears with cruel spat
As quietly he asked her, "Am I the only man
You ever fired that old conundrum at?"

She snuggled again awful close to his breast;
The beat of her blushes he felt
Clear through his shirt front and reversible vest
Till he thought they would blister his pelt,
And he grinned like a fiend from adown the dark stairs,
Where the red fire unquenchingly burns,
And they handled their subsequent sparking affairs
Without going behind the returns.
—Denver Post.

The Law of Being.

So long as the earth on its axis shall turn
And circling its orbit shall go,
So long as the sun on its summers shall burn,
So long as its rivers shall flow;
So long as the tide of its oceans shall rise
And ebb and its mountains endure,
So long as the stars shall begem the night skies,
We shall bear the sad wail of the poor.

And they who today are the poor shall be rich,
And they who are rich shall be poor,
And this is the wisdom of heaven by which
The safeguard of being is sure;
And if there were neither apparent extreme
Of station and wealth to compare
Our lives' very sameness to mortals would seem
A penance too grievous to bear.

But through the mutations of being there flows
This law of infinite degree,
And herein creative intelligence shows
What mankind has e'er failed to see,
That were it not for this arrangement, all wise,
Our consciousness never would gain
The thrill of sensation, and even our eyes
In darkness would ever remain.

Consider a moment just what it would mean
(If such a thing ever could be)
If there were no contrast in life to be seen,
In man or in flower or tree;
No varying shade in the red of the rose,
No change in the violet's blue,
No sickness or trials, no grievance or woes,
No false to compare with the true.

Or think if, for instance, fair Sympathy had
No object on which she might spend
Her bountiful treasures, no suffering, sad,
No penury where she might lend;
Ah, soon would her beautiful face among men
Be seen nevermore, for 'tis said
That she can live only by giving, and then
Sweet Sympathy soon would be dead.

So, were there no hatred there could be no love,
No false, there could never be truth;
Were there no below there could be no above,
No oldness, there could be no youth;
No joy could we know had we never a pain,
No sweet could we taste without sour,
And were there no losing there could be no gain,
No weakness, there could be no power.

And thus in this law of duality rest
The very foundations of life
And those who are ever cast down and distressed
Because there are sorrow and strife
Should learn to discern, if they're not all too dull,
That naught can the matter amend,
For if some great power this law should annul
Our very existence would end.
—Emile Pickhardt in Boston Globe.

An Angel Unawares.

Suppose for every act of love and duty
An angel in the path of life should lay
A lovely rose of sweet perfume and beauty;
Ah, even then, how bare would be the way?

Suppose for every kindly word unspoken,
For every fault which careless hands had done,
For every resolution made and broken,
A thorn beneath our erring feet had grown—

Ah, then the way would be one stretch of anguish,
With only here and there a flower to cheer;
Our feet would falter and our spirits languish,
And life would be a burden hard to bear.

But seldom are we outwardly rewarded
According to the deeds which we have done;
"The pure in heart" are by the world discarded,
The wicked harvest where the good have sown.

And yet to every heart in darkness hidden
There comes an angel, whom we cannot see,
Who strives to keep us from the paths forbidden
And in the narrow way where faith may be.

His name is Conscience, and he brings us roses—
Sweet roses, borrowed from the brow of Peace—
Or thorns on which remorseful thought reposes,
Regrets whose sharp tormentings never cease.

Then let us strive temptation's storm to weather;
Let every thought and every deed improve
Till Conscience finds no cruel thorns to gather,
But crowns the soul with joy and peace and love.
—T. R. Shelton in Richmond Religious Herald.

Death.

Death is a name. Death is the portal
Unto a higher way.
Life is eternal. Man is immortal.
Rising victorious,
Radiant, glorious,
Out of the clay;
Out of the bounds of time,
Into the realms sublime,
Into a golden clime,
Into the day.
—Denver News.

The Watermelon Way.

I up en gone at de breakin er de day,
En I plowin up de grass so dat he'll never come ter hay,
En I wish de furrow lead me ter de watermelon way,
Kaze I hongry fer de melon in de mawnin!

I up en gone at de breakin er de day;
Dar's fishin in de river, but I ain't got time ter stay,
En I pray de road'll lead me ter de watermelon way,
Kaze I hongry fer de melon in de mawnin!

Oh, I wish dat I wuz livin whar de watermelon stay
'Stid er follerin de furrow at de breakin er de day,
Kaze de road I knows de bes', suh, go de watermelon way,
En I hongry fer de melon in de mawnin!
—Atlanta Constitution.

Knocked Silly.

"My dear," said Growells, "you are simply talking nonsense."

"I know it," replied his better half, "but it's because I want you to understand what I say."—Chicago News.

Bored.

I say that life's a hollow show,
That nothing's worth while here below
Or any other place;
But when I have on all my rings
And some sweet gown of filmy things
And lots of lace,

And go to dine with Mrs. Rich
And half the men are trying which
Shall be the one
To make me talk the most and laugh,
Why, life's not a bad thing by half;
It's rather fun.
—Town Topics.

How They Did It.

"Mamie wouldn't sing for us because she wanted to be teased."

"And did you tease her?"

"Oh, terribly! We didn't ask her again."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Her Peculiar Advantage.

When, in a case of strife, the politician's wife
Desired, in her sweet, witch way, to flout him,
No common things she said, but held him while she read
What opposition papers said about him.
—Chicago Record.

Lowliness is young ambition's ladder,
Whereto the climber upward turns his face.
But when he once attains the upmost round
He then unto the ladder turns his back,
Looks in the clouds, scorning the base degrees
By which he did ascend.
—Shakespeare.

IN THE CATHEDRAL.

The city's burning heart beats far outside
This dim cathedral, where the mystic air
Vibrates with voices of impassioned prayer
From generations that have lived and died.
Calm saints, despairing sinners, here have cried
To heaven for mercy; myriad lives laid bare
Their secret places, yielding to Christ's care
The burden, where his sacraments abide.
Soft from the jeweled windows falls the light,
Touching the incense laden atmosphere
To glory, while a deep antiphony
Rolls from the organ to the arches' height.
To soul and sense a Presence liveth here
Instinct with power of immortality.
—Katharine Coolidge in Atlantic Monthly.

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A Touching Sketch of a Young Man Going to the War.

Mother rose softly, slipped on her dressing gown and slippers and stole along the corridor to Bob's room.

Bob lay, six feet of British manhood, yellow haired, straight limbed, deep chested, sound asleep.

Bob smiled and awoke and saw mother looking down upon him.

"My baby! My boy!" mother murmured. "Oh, my darling!"

Bob bore it with admirable grace, but he did not like it—not a little bit—and as soon as he could be wriggled himself free and asked the time.

There was time and to spare, and mother said if he did not mind she would like to read one of the morning psalms to him; it would comfort her, she said. And Bob consented, like the gentleman he was, and lay still while she read, thinking what pretty hair she had—it fell in a long plait right below her waist. Then she kissed him again and went. And when he was quite sure he could count on isolation Bob got up and wandered among the litter of uniform cases and portmanteaus that lay about the floor. Then he took up his Glengarry and, putting it on, regarded his reflection in the mirror with complacency. And his pride must be excused, for he was a newly fledged subaltern of 20 years, recalled from leave to rejoin his battalion, which sailed on the morrow for the seat of war.

A knock came at the door, and his sister, his junior by three years, entered the room. It was easy to see she had been weeping, but Bob expected as much and in his heart did not resent it. He put his arm round her waist and kissed her.

"Nearly time to be off!" he cried with almost brutal cheerfulness and turned to strap his portmanteau, whistling a martial ditty.

Nell sat down on the edge of the bed and surveyed the array of baggage with mixed feelings. She was very proud of Bob. He was a dear hero. But if only the war were over and he back again, crowned with glory! Other girls' brothers had gone, and—well, she would not let herself think. She wished she had been kinder to Bob in the days gone by. Now the little unthought of omissions would be ghosts to haunt her conscience till he was back again. She would like to have told Bob she was sorry, but she knew he would laugh at her for a little goose, and, besides, it would look as if she felt this was indeed goodby. So she choked back the lump in her throat and sat with brave eyes stoically watching Bob, who stood in the window examining his revolver.

But strive as she would she could not check the thoughts that the sight brought to her mind. Bob with a revolver in his hand—yes, but far away in the midst of the din and smoke of battle, surrounded by the foe; dauntless, wounded, bloody—dying, dying! With a little cry, she rose to her feet.

Bob, who had been taking careful aim at the gas globe, turned at the sound. "Hello!" he exclaimed. "What's up, Nell? You look as if you had seen a ghost." Then his eyes followed her gaze. "Little coward!" he cried teasingly. "I believe you got funky at the sight of this revolver."

Nell stopped short on her way to the door; then she gave a queer little laugh. "Well, perhaps I did," she said and went quickly from the room.

Bob went back and finished his packing. Then he caught up his portmanteau and helmet case and went down stairs.

In the hall Perkins, the manservant, met him and hurried forward, with a scared face. "Oh, sir," he cried reproachfully, "you shouldn't, really, sir. I wouldn't have had it happen for worlds, sir," he said pathetically as he took the case and portmanteau from Bob's hands.

"Oh, it is all right, Perkins," Bob answered, with splendid condescension; whereupon one of the housemaids, who was a witness of the scene, hurried off to the kitchen below.

"He's down," she exclaimed breathlessly, "a-carrying of his own portmanteau and looking as handsome and cheerful for all the world as if he was a-going to be married instead of off to the war!"

"Poor dear!" said cook as she turned the chops. "Poor innocent dear!"

Perkins hurried down at this moment. "To think," he cried tragically, "as he's strapped his own traps and carried down his own portmanteau, and he off to the war! I'd have lost a whole month's wage sooner than this here should have happened. Supposing he's killed, and I've got to remember that he waited on hisself the last morning!"

"Ain't he cheerful?" said Mary, the housemaid. "He don't look as if he meant to be killed."

"Oh, they none of 'em means to be killed. But that don't make bullets blank cartridges," Perkins answered grimly.

In the meantime mother had dressed. She had borne up bravely throughout. Once, though, her lips had trembled. That was when the sound of Bob's gay whistling had reached her ears. But even then loving pride had flashed into her eyes and choked down sorrow. Her boy was brave—brave and true—and duty, she knew full well, would find him a hero.

She wondered if father, who was in the dressing room, could hear the sound. She would like to have called to him, only she was just a little hurt at his apparent unconcern at his son's departure. But, after all, she thought, he was only a man; he could not know a mother's heart; his breast had not pillowed the little sunny head in the years gone by; he had not cried with joy when the little feet had taken their first unsteady steps across the floor. How well she remembered that day, and how proud she had felt of her son! He was such a fine, big baby. She had placed him against a chair, and he had looked up at her with round eyes of wonder. Then, when her meaning came to him, he had not hesitated a moment; he had thrown back his little head and, with a scream of delight, walked bravely forward right into her loving, waiting arms. And now—now—She brushed aside her tears, for she heard father coming.

Father entered the room quickly, but paused on the threshold. To tell the truth, he had thought mother down stairs. He had been trying to remember that day when Bob had ridden the new pony for the first time so pluckily whether the lad had been breeched or not. He knew the picture was on mother's dressing table, and he had come in to look at it, and there stood mother with the photograph in her hand.

"Humph!" exclaimed father. "So you have not gone down?" And his voice was not conciliatory, for he felt that every one that morning, himself included, was wearing his heart on his sleeve, and a sense of lost dignity was irritating him.

Mother's heart swelled at the tone. She put down the photograph and looked up at father with a look in which reproach and sorrow mingled, and then suddenly she turned aside, and her hands busied themselves among the brushes and trays on the dressing table, for her quick eye had detected that father was wearing odd boots—a buttoned and a laced up one. To think of it! He, the soul of precision, to thus betray himself! But there his abstraction stood confessed. And, oh, how mother loved him for it! He had been such a stoic too! Well, there was no accounting for man's ways; but, thank God, he had put on odd boots that morning! She no longer felt lonely in her grief. He cared, too; his heart was aching also for their son's departure. Oh, those blessed odd boots!

But she knew his nature and stood for a moment wondering how best to tell him of his mistake without annoying him. And presently mother, on her way down stairs, tapped at the dressing room outer door. "One of your lace boots," she said. "I stumbled over it. I have put it down outside." Then she waited until she heard father swearing softly to himself. Then she knew matters would right themselves and went down stairs.

At breakfast somehow nobody had much to say. Bob wanted to talk, but felt that his one topic—his luck at being sent to the front—would not be exactly congenial to his listeners. So he refrained and ate a hearty breakfast.

He would carry the memory of his last meal away with him to the faroff land. The tender face of mother, smiling bravely from behind the bubbling, steaming urn; the dainty spread table, the pleasant, luxurious room, with its handsome pictures; the broad bow window, from which he could see the dear old garden where he had played as a child; the loving eyes of Nell beaming upon his across the table. Yes, home was home, although he was the luckiest subaltern in the service.

By and by the trap was at the door, and the servants gathered in the hall to wish him good luck and godspeed. Bob shook hands with them all and thanked them, and then he stood with mother in the porch—alone. He could not see her face distinctly for the mist across his eyes, and the next moment he and father were walking quickly down the drive, along which the dogcart was going slowly forward to await them at the gates beyond. Father remarked that the new gamekeeper was giving satisfaction and that there was every prospect of the covers yielding better sport the next autumn.

"We shall have you home again before then, my boy," he said.

"Rather, sir," answered Bob. "We shall not take long to settle this little affair."

At the lodge the gamekeeper's four boys were standing in a row. They had three cornered paper hats on their heads and wooden swords in their hands, and they greeted Bob with sundry salutes and hurrahs. And Bob laughed and gave them a penny each. "You must keep up your drilling," he said. "We shall be wanting new recruits in the regiment by and by."

And then the gate was opened, and Bob climbed to the back seat of the cart. Far away, at the house, something fluttered white from a window, and Bob took out his handkerchief and signaled back again. Then the boys cheered afresh, and the trap turned into the lane, and home was already a thing of the past.

As they drove through the village there was not a doorway that had not some one standing on the threshold to bid him godspeed.

"'Tis the young squire off to the war!" they cried one to the other, and the men's eyes flashed and their voices rose, but the women's eyes filled with tears as they saw him drive past. "God keep him," they said, "and comfort his mother's heart!" For they knew that the men gave willingly their lives for their country, but that the gift of the women was something dearer than life.

And all the while Bob's heart was singing to him. He did not know that the song had come down to him from the long ago time when the sea kings had gone forth with their battle songs to be the terror and conquerors of distant lands. He did not know. But so it was, and 'twas a goodly heritage, of which Bob in his joy and impatience recked little.

So the station was reached and the last goodby spoken, and father grasped Bob's hands. "You will—do your duty," father said. "I am sure of it."

And Bob's face flushed. "Thank you, sir," he answered in a husky voice. "And—my love—to mother."—Pall Mall Magazine.

The Voyder.

The voyder was a large dish in which were collected the broken victuals, which were removed from the table with a large knife with a broad, flat blade, called the voyder knife, from vider, to empty, clear or make void.

"The Boke of Nurture," by Hugh Rhodes, the date of which is 1577, one of the curious set of handbooks of manners and etiquette reproduced by the Early English Text society, speaks of these vessels as follows: "See ye have voyders ready for to void the morsels, that they doe leave on their trenchers. Then with your trencher knyfe take off such fragments and put them in your voyder, and then sette them downe cleane agayne."

Few silver ones remain, but some large brass voyder or dishes which have probably been so used may still be seen, of the history of which nothing is known by their present owners.—"Old English Plate," by W. J. Cripps.

To the Strict Letter.

"Mary," said the lady of the house, "you didn't put any salt in this bread."

"But," replied the new girl, "didn't the master say yesterday he wouldn't have nothing but fresh bread on his table, mum?"—Philadelphia North American.

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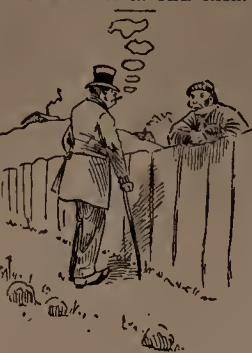

"Did he leave his wife much?"
"Every night."—Boston Herald.

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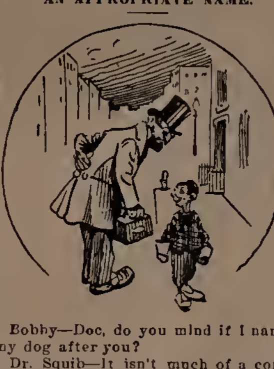
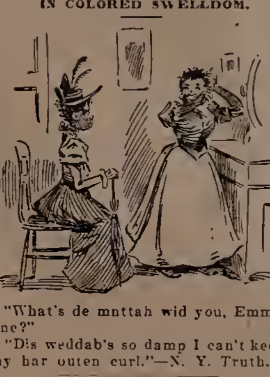


Bobby—Doc, do you mind if I name my dog after you?

Dr. Squib—It isn't much of a compliment, Bobby. Is he a good dog?

Bobby—No. But he's a lalapoloosa for killin'.—Philadelphia Press.

IN COLORED SWELLDOM.



"What's de muttah wid you, Emmeline?"

"Dis weddah's so damp I can't keep my har outen curl."—N. Y. Truth.

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Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile of Washita, I. T. He writes "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved—that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co., druggists. Guaranteed.

His Accompanist.

Robbins—Who is that fellow who always accompanies Old Soque?

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All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from rectal fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest pile cure on earth and the best salve in the world. 25 cents a box. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co., druggists.

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WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 48, 4 13, 5 15, 6 01, 7 13 7 30, 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.58 p m.

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NEW YORK, all rail—9 15 a m; 4 25 p m. Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

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Mr. Binks—That's so, every word of it.

"My goodness! When will it be, do you think?"

"When he dies."—N. Y. Weekly.

Declared His Intentions.

Fond Mother—Has Sig. Arturo, with whom you have been dancing all the evening, at last declared his intentions?

"Yes, mamma."

"Thank goodness! And what did he say?"

"He declared he would never get married."—Roxbury Gazette.

Argument.

"Leonidas," exclaimed Mrs. Meekton, suddenly interrupting herself, "do you remember how this argument started?"

"Yes, Henrietta. You said that I always insisted on arguing a point and I said that you did, and then the conversation gradually developed."—Washington Star.

Spiteful Thing.

Maud—Young Mr. Swift called to see me last night.

Irene—Swift? I'm not sure I know him. He has a long, dark, curling mustache, hasn't he?

Maud—No, but he has the next thing to a mustache.

Irene—What's that?

Maud—A nose.—Chicago Tribune.

Read the Business Announcements

NORFOLK.

Electric lights are looked for in Norfolk soon.

Sarah F. Holbrook is at the summer normal school, Hyannis.

The grange will hold their field day at C. O. Green's on Aug. 14.

The hook and ladder company have bought the old North school house.

The Pomona grange will hold a field day at Norumbega park next Wednesday.

The same teachers who taught in the public schools last year have been re-engaged. Miss Holbrook will have an increase of salary.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending July 18, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. W. W. Bailey, Parthenia, L. Chadwick, Mary A. Egan.

Gentlemen—John Hubbard, Joe Regeli, M. F. Sullivan, Fred W. Smith, C. H. Sturtevant, N. Yacter, Harry Sutherland, Willard H. Young, Guiseppe Nanni, Domenico Visenone.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

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SUNDAYS—First car one hour later in morning; last car one hour earlier in evening, each way.

Cars connect at Medway with cars for Milford and So. Framingham. Cars connect at Dedham for Norwood, Walpole, Forest Hills, Hyde Park and Boston.

Time table subject to change without notice.

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Special and Important.

All our Trimmed Hats at half price. All our Straw Hats in fancy shapes, Flowers and Fancy Trimmings of all kinds marked to about half price. Children's 25c. Straw Hats 12½c.

Our Milliner will remain till the 21st Inclusive. This will give all who wish late Millinery a chance to obtain a stylish hat very cheap.

Marston Sanborn,

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BUTTONS MADE FROM YOUR OWN CLOTH.

Had Seen One.

"Did you ever see a horse race that you could say was absolutely honest?"

"I think I did, wunst," said Rubberneck Bill. "The feller what was ahead had stoled the hoss."—Indianapolis Journal.

Can You Tell Why

You have constant headaches, are nervous and sleepless at night and feel tired in the morning? Your blood isn't carrying the right materials to your nerves and other organs. Begin taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood enricher, and you will soon realize a change. You will feel better and stronger, will relish your food and enjoy refreshing sleep.

Nausea, indigestion are cured by Hood's Pills.

Before and After.

Singleton—Before she married you your wife was always very pensive.

Benedick (sadly)—Yes; but she's expensive now.—Brooklyn Life.

The Appetite of a Goat

Is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose stomach and liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, the wonderful stomach and liver remedy, gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25c at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store.

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Couldn't Translate It.

"Is that your baby?" asked the interested party. "What a cute little child! What is he saying now?"

"I don't know," replied the perplexed father. "You see, his mother carries the code book."—Philadelphia North American.

Suggests Itself.

Amateur Scientist—Can you explain to me the reason why so many people become insane?

Guyer—The answer ought to suggest itself—they have no reason.—

Revised to Suit.

"My motto," said the new boarder, "is to pay as you go."

The landlady shook her head.

"It wouldn't do in my business," she said. "A man might hang around a month and then forget his motto. My motto is pay Saturday night or go."—N. Y. Journal.

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Sirloin Steak	25c	3 lb. pails lard	33c
Rump "	25c	5 lb. pails lard	50c
Round "	18c	Bacon, strip	12c
Thick Ribs, C. Beef,	10 to 12c	Smoked Shoulder	11c
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If you have one you are glad of it; if you haven't one you'll be glad to have one. It is not profitable to pay board,

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per month will pay for furniture and carpets enough to furnish a modern home with all the necessities and comforts enough to make the ordinary mortal supremely happy. We charge no interest. We only ask your promise to pay a little at a time as you earn it and you have the goods set into your house at once.

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Boating, Bowling, Shooting, Swings, Natural Amphitheatre, Bicycle Track, Flying Horses, Donkey Cart, etc. Pettee, the popular photographer, will be open for business for the season and Prof. Stevens of Boston has been engaged for the season to amuse young and old with a Punch and Judy entertainment.

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Hattie M Fisher 1Jan0

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Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
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Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 00 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Farmers' picnic tomorrow.

Garden products are scarce and consequently high.

The electric line to Milford may be opened this week.

Mrs. Leonard Cutler of Worcester has been visiting Mrs. A. H. Morse.

F. E. Smith and family of Somerville have been visiting relatives here.

Edgar A. Williams of West Somerville has been visiting at C. M. Allen's.

All forms of vegetation are suffering for want of rain, pasturage especially so.

Native harvest apples are in the markets and will be plentiful in a few weeks.

Miss Margaret Leahy of Uxbridge is visiting the Misses Curran of McCarthy street.

There is every indication of a big chestnut crop, as the trees are laden with blossoms.

Miss Margaret Lahey of Cambridge is the guest of the Misses Curran on McCarthy street.

The will of John Fairbanks, Eliza Fairbanks, executrix, in a bond of $7,000, has been allowed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Turner of Dorchester are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sherman.

Miss Margaret Maroney of Union street is enjoying a two weeks' vacation in Boston and Quincy.

Miss Eva L. Spence is spending a vacation with relatives and friends in Boston and Winthrop.

Mrs. Sadie Raymond of East street returned Saturday after a week's visit with friends in Worcester.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fairfield entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred. D. Fellows of Worcester over the Sabbath.

Mrs. John Clewley and son Chester of Providence are on a visit to kinspeople in Franklin and Wadsworth.

George Worth, after spending a week's vacation with relatives here, has returned to his home in Boston.

Our Boys went to Plainville Saturday and defeated the team there in a ten inning contest. Score, 19 to 16.

Mrs. Oliver Ingalls and family of New London, Conn., are the guests of Mrs. Nelson Corbin of Central street.

M. F. Conroy is assisting at the freight station during the absence of George Guptill, who is on a vacation in Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Thayer and Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Whiting have been spending a few days at Narragansett Pier.

G. Warren Choate of Boston, Dean '90, is now a member of the brokerage firm of Norman, Cameron & Co., 27 State street.

George Bradley and Miss Emma Bradley of Somerville were guests of their sister, Mrs. P. Lennon, of West street on Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret Doherty, saleslady in Sanborn's store, left last week for a two week's vacation with relatives in South Boston.

The American band orchestra (five pieces) will furnish music for the dancing at Lake Pearl on Thursday and Saturday evenings.

Flowers for the Alden club will be left at Mrs. Fred Chapman, Miss Lovering, Mrs. Dinsmore, Mrs Winchenbach, Wednesday, July 15,

Walter Florani has purchased the confectionery store formerly owned by Otis Corbin, in Central square. He took possession yesterday.

A large crowd enjoyed the Norwood band concert at Lake Pearl last Sunday, appreciative of the enterprising management of the place.

Mrs. J. E. Razee's brother, Carroll Sargent, with three friends from Salem, James Robinson, Arthur Lord and Arthur Miles, are camping at Lake Pearl.

The funeral of little Florence Rollinson took place Friday morning at 9 o'clock from the home of her mother on Ray street. The interment was in St. Mary's cemetery.

Ernest Daniels, son of the late Amos Daniels, died at the home of William Lowell on King street, Sunday after a lingering illness with consumption. He was 28 years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hecht and young son of Willimantic, Conn., who have been guests of Mrs. Arthur Nelson of Arlington street, the past two weeks, have returned to their home.

A number of dog owners, after a reminder, have remembered that there is a license tax upon the animals, and a number still neglect their annual contribution to the sheep fund.

A number from here went to North Attleboro yesterday to see that team trim the Norwich, Conn., team, the champions of the state league, 8 to 6. "Bobby" Sherman umpired.

We are getting quite a little business in our stores here from Medway, made possible by the five cent rate from that town. The rate from Medway to Milford is 10 cents and to Woonsocket 15.

Shouldn't wonder if there would be surprise pictured on the countenances of some mothers if they knew the state of affairs surrounding their daughters these summer evenings in certain localities.

Geo. S. Cook entertained the following guests from Providence on Sunday: Charles S. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Taylor.

The assessors find that the valuation list this year exceeds somewhat that of last year, the figures being $3,346,545, as against $3,223,045. That is encouraging, even though that the tax rate be a trifle higher.

Word has been received here of the safe arrival of Rev. Mr. Cook and C. H. Prince in Liverpool. After a visit about the city they went to London to be present at the big Christian Endeavor convention in session there.

Wrentham people had the pleasure last Friday morning of seeing W. K. Vanderbilt whizz through their town on his $12,000 automobile, making the run from Newport to Boston, 75 miles, in two hours and forty seven minutes.

The Unionville Sunday school enjoy an outing today, taking a trolley trip to Franklin, and then to Hoag Lake for refreshments, games, etc. The promoters of the affair have arranged that it shall be an ideal time for the school.

The Heliotype and the Trowbridge teams came together at Indian Rock park Saturday afternoon and a battle royal was the result. It took eleven innings to decide the contest, the Helios coming out ahead finally by a score of 11 to 10.

The Haywards went to North Bellingham on Saturday, where they beat that team 10 to 5 in a hotly-contested game. The Haywards were out to win and didn't propose to come home defeated. The team is developing some good players

Patrick Casey, employed at St. Mary rectory, and who dislocated his ankle while removing some of the debris of the old church a while ago, is slowly improving, but it will be eight or 10 days yet before he will be able to place his foot under him.

Richard H. Sumner, the young man who shot himself Tuesday in Foxboro, was a resident of Franklin about two years ago and was well liked by all who knew him. He was employed during his stay here in the bicycle shop owned by Lapoint on Main street.

Our young lads are taking advantage of this torrid weather to go swimming, but the danger appears to be that they will stay in too long or go in too frequently. Some of them boast of having been in as many as four or five times a day. Better be careful, boys.

The Sisters of Charity finished their retreat at Emmetsburg, Md., on Thursday, the feast of St. Vincent de Paul. From now on they they will attend the summer boarding school at Emmettsburg, which all the Sisters of the order attend during the summer months.

After several months' post graduate work Dr. Solon Abbott has been selected to conduct the woman's clinic in the Homeopathic Dispensary, Boston, on Wednesdays, in place of Dr. Currier, who is to be away for several weeks. This is a special distinction and one that the doctor fully appreciates.

Our Boys played at Plainville instead of Hopedale on Saturday, the game with the Ramblers of the latter place having been cancelled at the eleventh hour. The game at Plainville was lively and interesting, and it took 10 innings to decide it, Our Boys finally winning, 19 to 16

Sunday night a portion of the sidewalk on Main street in front of Hosford's store caved in to a depth of about two feet. An excavation was made at this spot last week for a sewer pipe and it is supposed that the hole was not properly filled in after the pipe had been laid. The walk was repaired yesterday morning.

If you want a day of genuine enjoyment and practical profit as well take in the Farmers' club and Grange picnic at Lake Pearl tomorrow. Last year there were 1,200 people there and this year promises to bring out even larger numbers. The entertainment in the afternoon in the amphitheatre is one of the attractions, in addition to the speaking.

That refreshment booth at the brow of Eagle hill, remarks Uncle Silas, is near where, in the old times, the weary traveler could obtain Plantation bitters, if he knew the ropes. Think of it; a comfortable ride to Lake Pearl for five cents, and in the old times a four-mile jolt for from 15 to 25 cts., and ache in every bone in your body. Truly, "the world do do move."

Lake Pearl presents some fine attractions this week in the way of amusement, as the management has secured a famous lot of entertainers in Al and Mamie Anderson, the black mascots; Frank Cushing and Millie Castino, acrobats; Howard and Sheafe, with Edison's biograph; Frank Clayton, America's greatest funmaker. These are worth a trip to the lake to see.

The poles on the M., A. & W, street railway are now up to the end of the road on South Main street, Milford. The arms on which the trolley wire is hung over the tracks are also all up, and as soon as four poles are set up between the Cadman farm and Howard street, the wires will be put up rapidly. It looks now as if the road would surely be running by Aug. 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whiting and daughters, the Misses Frank, Eva and Maisie Whiting of Central street leave Wednesday morning for Long Island, Portland Harbor, Me., to be gone a month. William McLean and daughter, Mrs. Annie Burnham, Miss Nannie Burnham and Master Earl Briggs will accompany them. The trip to Boston will be by the electric cars and from Boston to Portland by boat.

Rev. Mabel MacCoy Irwin, who will be remembered here as having delivered an address in the Opera House, is making preparations to sail for the Klondike. She goes into the northwest, as an assistant to an authoress who has spent three years in Africa. The ladies will visit Cape Nome and the Klondike region to gather material for an interesting book pertaining to the gold hunters and their environments.

The Medway & Medfield electric railway has put a signboard where the line terminates on Main street announcing the different towns through which the cars pass. Two electric lights have also been placed beside it, and in the evening the names can be easily read. A number of seats also accommodate the passengers while waiting for cars. The painters also have their work of painting the poles along the line and also the bridge on the way to Medway finished.

Friday afternoon about 5 o'clock, as a young son of the late Jason Tower was driving down Central street in a buggy, the horse became unmanageable upon the approach of an electric, when opposite the house occupied by James Reardon. The horse, which is a spirited one, succeeded in freeing himself from the buggy, but not before it was badly damaged. Fortunately the boy, with the exception of a slight scratch on one of his legs, escaped without injury.

John Anderson filled up with liquor, abused his horse, endangered the lives of persons in the street and ended up by smashing his wagon last Saturday morning. Officer Jewett pulled him in and Judge Ruggles tried him at Walpole Monday on three charges—fast driving, cruelty to animals and drunkenness. He was fined $25, in default of which he went to Dedham for three months. He worked in Hardyville, but had been employed here by Robert Stewart upon his milk route at one time.

Judge Ruggles had to smile in court in Walpole last week. A man arrested in a neighboring town for drunkenness when asked to state his residence, insisted that he was from "No-where." The [illegible] recorded the place of residence [illegible] given. The [illegible] "No-[illegible] was arraigned [illegible] Judge's q[illegible]oped that the home of the defendant appeared upon the map as Franklin, a fact which aroused considerable amusement in the court room. That's where he hit us.

J. Q. Hennigan, who was here last week, inspector of steam and electric roads, has been in the plumbing business of late, and for eight years has been a selectman of North Attleboro, an office that he resigned last week. He was formerly and for many years in the railroad service, having been an engineer, conductor, operator and agent at different times. He has been assigned to the counties of Bristol, Norfolk, Barnstable Dukes and Plymouth, and to the districts of South Boston, Roxbury, West Roxbury and Dorchester.

The Universalist Sunday school held its annual outing Friday in the shape of a basket picnic at Lake Pearl and Hoag Lake. In the morning a special car, which was well patronized, left Main street at 8 45. Every member of the school on this car was allowed free transportation and admission to the grounds; others paid the regular fare. All enjoyed themselves with the different amusements to be had at the lake during the morning. At 2 p. m. those that availed themselves of the special car in the morning took a free excursion to Hoag Lake, where a most enjoyable time was spent.

The fifth edition of Derrah's official street railway guide has come to the SENTINEL desk. The book is larger and more complete than ever, many new or extended lines having been added. This official guide is all but indispensible to those who would attempt any extended trip by trolley. The completed roads are clearly traceable on the Guide map, and the most complete, comprehensive and reliable instructions for "getting there" are found in its pages. It can be bought for only twenty cents here and it will be as useful to the average family as would be an intepreter in a foreign land.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Congregational parsonage by Rev. Dr. Sneath Sunday morning, uniting Mrs. LaVancha Morton Morse of this place to Robert Nimo Russell, Esq., of San Francisco. Mr. Russell is a Kentuckian by birth but has been a resident of California a number of years. He is a lawyer by profession, a gentleman of culture, a rare conversationalist and of striking personality. They will remain east for some time, but will spend the winter in California, where he is interested in mining and oil. Mrs. Russell will be greatly missed here, where she has actively interested herself in looking after aged and sick people. Her friends here and elsewhere trust that the future may have for her much of happiness and good fortune.

An Unfortunate Affair.

Much sympathy is expressed for Mrs. Harry Corson and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Corson because of the circumstances whereby Harry S. Corson finds himself in Cranston jail as a result of a housebreaking raid in company with W. S. Nickerson of this place last Thursday night at the residence of Walter Fiske of Cumberland Hill. Mr. Fisk was going home at dusk, when he saw two men drive from his yard. He thought it peculiar, and when he saw that somebody had gained admittance to his home he concluded the men in the team knew something about it, and harnessing his horse started after them toward Valley Falls. Getting officers and arriving at Valley Falls they saw the much-wanted men in the team a short distance ahead of them, and in Central Falls they caught up to the team and took them into custody. They were taken back to Valley Falls and placed in the bridewell. A bag in their wagon contained silverware belonging to Mr. Fisk valued at $25.

The hearing is being held today and especial efforts are being made in Mr. Corson's behalf, this being his first offense. Nickerson was arrested early Thursday morning in Woonsocket for drunkenness and was discharged Thursday afternoon.

Norfolk County Home for the Aged.

A delightful picnic was held at Pondville, July 19th on the grounds of the "Pond Home," the place which has been donated to the Norfolk county King's Daughters for the purpose of establishing a "Home for the aged." Over 150 were present from all parts of the county. The trustees announced that Mr. James McIntosh of Needham had contributed $1,000 toward the "Home." If a few other citizens of Norfolk county show a like spirit, the needed repairs would soon be made and some of the aged, worthy ones of the county would find a restful, permanent "Home." The treasurer's address is Mrs. Clara J. Marsh, Needham, Mass.

Eat fish as well as meat. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fishman.

Send your boys to Ochee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Sweet peas at Slade's greenhouse.

THE MINISTER.

When the minister comes the house is neat;
All the arrangements are complete.
There is everything good in the home to eat
And dispositions all are sweet.

When the minister goes there's a different scene.
Father and mother both are mean,
The children are cross and full of spleen,
And then things are just what they seem.

Oh! that the minister might stay.
Life then were one grand holiday;
No evil thing would we ever say,
And nothing to do but feast and pray!

REUBIN.

A Worthy Object.

Last Sunday morning Rev. C. P. Osborne, field secretary of the Boston Seaman's Friend society, spoke in the Congregational church concerning the unique and interesting work of that society among the men of the sea. His text was from 1 Kings xviii., 43: "Go up now, look toward the sea," and he spoke in substantially as follows:

"The sea is well worth looking at. It has a strange fascination and enchantment, especially for the young. From places far inland young men, won by its charms, come down to the coast and give themselves to the joys and sorrows of a sailor's life. They are separated from the counsels of parents, the teachings of church and Sunday school and the restraining influence of home, and are exposed to the gravest moral perils. They need some one to take the place of pace of parent, counsellor and friend. This is the mission of this society. It aims to have every ship in port visited by its missionaries, and every sailor, fireman and stoker invited to the social and religious privileges of its chapels. Indeed, at Vineyard Haven its missionary visits ships at anchor in his naphtha launch to bring men to the chapel. The society works for all the varied needs of the sailor. For his bodily needs the relief work is carried on at all seasons, and especially after the storms of winter. Shipwrecked men are fed, clothed, sheltered and cared for, often in large numbers.

"For the sailor's intellectual needs there are tables loaded with papers, magazines and writing materials, and a package of good reading is given every man when he sails. For the sailor's social needs there are Monday afternoon receptions, where a committee meet the men with music, song, games, etc., and there are Tuesday evening concerts and entertainments, with now and then a rousing sailors' supper, where two hundred and fifty men are served and music and entertainment follows. It is often the case that the sailor's social salvation is a long step towards his spiritual and eternal salvation. For the sailor's religious needs there is ample ministry. Every day, when men enough are present, a little prayer meeting in the morning and an hour of Bible study in the afternoon. Every evening, except Saturday, some kind of a meeting and Sunday the usual meetings, and almost always an after meeting in the bos'n's locker, in which almost always some of the men ask for prayers and determine to begin the new life. It is found that the sailor is above all men receptive and responsive and when converted has the courage of his convictions."

The speaker illustrated his points by incidents taken from sea life, and in closing expressed the conviction that nowhere is there any evangelistic work so full of hope and promise and yielding such returns as this interesting work among the men of the sea.

Minstrels at Hoag Lake.

The attraction at Hoag Lake this week will be Boom's New York minstrels, including interlocuter Cris Green; bones, J. C. Matthews, Frank O'Day; tambo, Ed Swan, F. E. Thompson; Columbia quartette, first tenor, Walter Stockwell; second tenor, Ed Stockwell; baritone, James J. Cardiff; bass, Joseph Kaufman. Specialties, Olin, Swan and O'Day, comedians, vocalist and dancers, in "All Alone," Matthews and Thompson in burlesque trapez act; Columbia quartette; Chris Green, the "Rough Rider musical Coon," in repertoire of funny songs, funny stories, etc.

In Memoriam.

Mr. Richardson's production is now ready. It is an attractive booklet and contains eight pages of reading matter. It will be valuable for preservation or to send to former residents of the town who are in touch with fine sentiment and the perpetuation of the delightful memories of those who have passed to the spiritual world. Sent postpaid to any address on receipt of 10c. a copy. Orders may be sent to the SENTINEL or W. R. Richardson, Franklin, Mass.

A carload of brewery grain received every Tuesday at Metcalf's station, where any quantity can be purchased. Good for milch cows, hens or hogs. Great saving on grain. Inquire at the station.

Read the Business Announcements.

Beautify the School Grounds.

We clip the following from the Youth's Companion:

"Rural schoolhouses frequently stand small and weather-beaten, beside the country road. Many of them look about as they did twenty-five or fifty years ago, although they have a flag above them now, which was not there when the men of today were children.

"How familiar the grounds about the building are! They consist of a half or quarter of an acre of land, selected possibly because it was good for little else—not a tree to offer a hand's breadth of shade, or a shade or vine to break the monotony or to hide the unsightly outbuilding. Does it seem, then, a poor insignificant thing, this plain little building in its patch of barren ground?

"It is the most tremendously significant thing in the whole history of the United States. It is the cradle of American education, the nursery which has always fostered, and still fosters, the national doctrine of equal rights for all.

"Under its roof the judge's son and the cobbler's boy fare alike, and grow up to know and respect each other. Men whose only educational advantages were a few years on the rude benches have won success in every department of human activity. At a gathering of about three hundred successful business and professional men of a prominent city, it was ascertained that about nine-tenths came from the country.

"Is it, then, unreasonable to urge that the rural school grounds be made more attractive by the planting of trees and shrubs? With little expense the bare ground about the building can be converted into a place of beauty. The pupils themselves, with the aid of teachers and friends, can do it. Is it not a work well worth undertaking? Moreover, it believes that the growth of the imagination and the artistic nature will result; that the finer sense will be developed and the character of those who do the work will be strengthened; that a love of the beautiful will be imparted which will last through life, and manifest itself in the homes which these pupils shall build in future years.

"From almost every rural school have gone forth into the world men and women who have won success in life. We are very sure that many of these, if they were acquainted with your plans, would be glad to share with the pupils of today in the honor and pleasure of embellishing the grounds of the old schoolhouse.

"It is not generally known, but it is an interesting fact that it has been very largely through the earnest desire and efforts of the pupils themselves that our national flag now floats over so many of our public schoolhouses. If the pupils of our rural schools will now take up the work of beautifying the school grounds with trees and shrubs, the movement can be made as popular and far-reaching in its influence for good.

"Some one, however, in each school must lead in the movement. Who will win this honor in your school? The pupils must insist that the school grounds shall be beautified. If the pupils show any earnest desire to carry out this work, they are sure to find willing helpers among the farmers and friends of the school. Women's clubs will always be glad to aid you. If there is an organization of the Grangers in your town, it will feel honored by a request for advice or assistance.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Good wages for a girl to do housework. Inquire at SENTINEL office. 24 tf

100 cords trash hard and pine limbs, at Allen's wood yard, School street.

New milk, skimmed milk and cream for sale at Dr. T. L. Martin's. 24

To Let—Small tenement, corner Dana block, $1.25 per week, A. C. Dunn druggist 24-tf

Wanted—A girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. W. C. Sherman, High street. 24-tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

To Let—A tenement of five rooms on Alpine street. Inquire on the premises or at Mrs. Burnham's, cor. Peck and North Park streets. 17 tf

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. At Calkin's Studio, over SENTINEL office.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

The Plant Line will run a cheap excursion to St. Johns, good going by La Grande Duchesse, Saturday, July 28, and returning by any steamer within thirty days. Tickets and all information at 290 Washington street or 20 Atlantic avenue, Boston.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

If you want the best milk in this town, put up in glass jars at the farm, and delivered by 5 o'clock in the morning, address J. C. McInnis. He also has all kinds of fruit in the season.

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Business and Professional Cards, to occupy one-half inch space, once a week, $5.00 per year, twice a week, $7.50 per year.

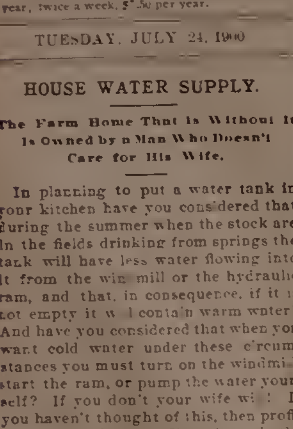
TUESDAY, JULY 24, 1900

HOUSE WATER SUPPLY.

The Farm Home That Is Without It Is Owned by a Man Who Doesn't Care for His Wife.

In planning to put a water tank in your kitchen have you considered that during the summer when the stock are in the fields drinking from springs the tank will have less water flowing into it from the windmill or the hydraulic ram, and that, in consequence, if it is not empty it will contain warm water? And have you considered that when you want cold water under these circumstances you must turn on the windmill, start the ram, or pump the water yourself? If you don't your wife will! If you haven't thought of this, then profit by my experience. "Experience is the name a man gives to his mistakes."

The tank in the kitchen had survived its usefulness, was worn out, and a new one had been decided upon. The mistake was made when the old one was put in; it should never have been put in the kitchen.



TANK FOR WATER SUPPLY.

I bought a large galvanized steel tank with a capacity of about 150 gallons, and set it up outside the kitchen in the woodshed, the bottom being 18 inches above the faucet at the sink. A box was built around it large enough to allow a packing of six inches of sawdust above, below and at the sides. This material was applied after the pipe connections had all been well tested to see that they did not leak. It was put around the tank to keep the water cool during the summer by preventing access of the warm air to the sides, and to prevent freezing in the winter.

The tank is one of the kind used for heating water in connection with a range, and as it stood when I purchased it it had four openings—two at the top, one at the side and one at the bottom. One of the holes at the top opens into the tank direct, and was to be used for the outflow of warm water. The other is attached to a pipe on the inside of the tank which was to carry the cold water nearly to the bottom. The hole in the side was for the inflow of water as it came heated from the fire. At the bottom was to be attached the pipe that led to the firebox where the water was to be heated.

But I didn't want the water hot, and therefore had no need of this arrangement of the pipes. My ends, I thought, would be best gained by turning the tank upside down and plugging the side opening. This I did. The pipe that comes from the hydraulic ram I then attached to the supply pipe (A), so that the fresh water enters the opening that was originally at the bottom, but is now at the top of the tank. The outflow pipe (B) was then screwed to the cold water pipe which runs inside the tank, and the pipe (C) which runs to the sink was fastened to the original hot water pipe.

Whenever the hydraulic ram is working the water flows in and there is a constant supply of fresh, cool water all summer. By turning a tap in the supply pipe I can shut off the water from the tank and force the water to the large cistern in the garret when the supply in it from the roof becomes exhausted.

The outflow pipe empties into the sewer, and, like the tank and the other pipes, is well inclosed in sawdust.—M. G. Kains, in Farm and Fireside.

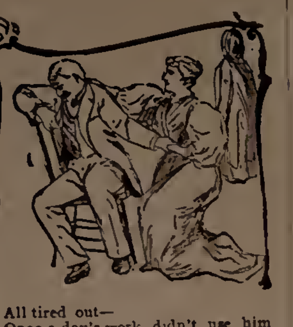
Free from Temptation.

"Dead men tell no tales."

"That's because they are not invited out to dinner."—Chicago Daily Record.

Lunatics as Inventors.

Some important inventions have been discovered by lunatics.



All tired out—

Once a day's work didn't use him up so—

Now he comes home with an aching back, aching head, aching limbs, feeling tired, miserable, discouraged.

It's the kidneys.

The backache is kidney ache, tired kidneys—

They are not filtering the blood as they should—are leaving the uric acid and other poisons in the system—

The kidneys must be strengthened—

Well kidneys make a well man.

Doan's Kidney Pills

Make well kidneys—they are not a new medicine—not an experiment—they've been tested and thousands endorse their merit. Here's a case of it:

Mr. J. W. Parker, carpenter in the wood turning department of the Fitchburg Car Shops, Fitchburg, Mass., says: "In the month of February, 1896, I was asked by a gentleman who called on me to publicly give my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills. What I gave him for publication has appeared in our Fitchburg papers. I was interviewed a second time over two years afterwards when I told my interviewer the following: Ever since my original statement appeared in the Fitchburg papers I have been repeatedly asked by people in the shops where I work, on the street, and by callers at my house if the said statement were true. I often wished it were in Halifax, and in allowing my name to appear as an endorser of Doan's Kidney Pills during the coming year, I want it thoroughly understood that they proved of great benefit and from my experience I can conscientiously say they are one patent medicine upon which people can depend to do as represented."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers; price 50 cents a box. Mailed on receipt of price by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

GOOD CROP OF WHEAT.

Some Things That Cannot Be Neglected if Profitable Results Are Expected.

One essential in growing a good crop of wheat is to have the soil prepared in good tilth. One advantage in plowing early is that a better opportunity is offered of getting the soil into a proper condition for the seed. The under soil should be fairly well packed, and the surface, to the depth of four or five inches, prepared in fine tilth.

The disc and smoothing harrows are good implements to use in preparing the seed-bed.

When conditions will admit, reasonably early seeding is best. But there is no advantage in sowing the seed until the soil is in a good tilth, and unless there is sufficient moisture in the soil to induce a good germination of the seed. Of course, wheat as well as many other kinds of grain will lie in the ground when the soil is dry without germinating, and yet when rains come to moisten up the ground the seed will germinate. But there is risk of loss, and lying in the ground weakens to some extent the vitality of the seed.

It is best, therefore, to defer the seeding until there is sufficient moisture. Another item that may make it desirable to defer the seeding is the risk of injury from Hessian fly. Many good farmers consider that if the seeding can be put off until there is one good frost the risk of injury from fly is greatly lessened.

Another item in making a good crop is to use good seed. For nearly all crops seed should not only possess sufficient vitality to germinate readily under seasonably favorable conditions, but to send forth a vigorous, thrifty plant.

Seed should be carefully selected, and only the best be used. In sowing care should be taken to distribute the seed as evenly as possible over the surface. One advantage in using a drill is that the seed is not only distributed more evenly, but is covered at a more uniform depth.

Because wheat is low in price is the strongest reason why all reasonable care should be taken to secure a good yield. A good yield may return a small profit, even at a low price, while a light yield and low prices mean a positive loss.

The quantity of seed depends somewhat upon the time of sowing, the quality of the seed and the condition of the soil at the time of seeding. If sown in good season with the soil prepared in good tilth, five pecks to the acre will be plenty. This quantity should be increased as the quality of the seed covers with late sowing and poor conditions of the soil. So with late sowing and unfavorable conditions seven pecks to the acre will not be too much. —St. Louis Republic.

Barred.

"He would be a factor in politics, with his brilliant mind, but for one thing: he has no balance."

"In the bank?" — Cincinnati Enquirer.

Room for Doubt.

Dewtell—"The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away."

Downtrod (recently widowed)—Oh, I don't know about the "giveth."

You never read of such cures elsewhere as those accomplished by Hood's Sarsaparilla, did you? It is America's greatest medicine.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

THE HARPOONER.

The ship moved on in silence through the tranquil waves of the north Pacific—the old Arctic, the lucky ship of the whaling fleet. A man was standing near the forecastle, shading his eyes with his hand and peering out ahead. He was tall and strongly built, his face marked by the tattooing instruments in use in the north seas. Yet he was an American and had the air of a model sailor, as indeed he was—Nat Myers, harpooner in the captain's boat and king of the forecastle. No man of all the crew had more influence, but it was not the influence of fear, for the men loved him. With the strength of an ox, he had the calm, even temper so often seen in men of giant build, as if, knowing his strength, he would not use it against his weaker brethren.

Standing upon the forecastle by his side was a boy about 12 years of age—a beautiful lad, with brown, curling hair, sunny blue eyes and delicate face. "How do you feel since you have been in the Pacific?" said Nat.

"I get stronger every day."

"You've been coddled too much and swallered too much candy and sech truck. Once let me git you so you can eat salt horse like a man, and you are all right."

Georgie Betts was the captain's nephew, and the doctors had said that the only thing which would save his life was a sea voyage, and they gave him in charge of Captain Jacobs. That worthy passed him over to Nat Myers.

"Take care of him, Nat," he said.

At first Georgie fairly hated the old salt, who forced him to eat salt pork and bolt tough corned beef dignified by the names of "salt horse" and "mahogany," when it was almost impossible for him to eat. He complained to his uncle, who grimly said that he had nothing to do with the matter.

"But he'll kill me, uncle!"

"No, he won't, my boy. He'll make a man of you."

As the days went on, and Georgie grew more accustomed to life on board ship, he really began to like his tormentor. He had gained so much strength that he could run up the rigging like a cat, and the smartest men on the ship could not catch him when he was once upon the ratlines. And by the time they had passed the Sandwich Islands, although a delicate looking boy, he was stronger than he had ever been in his life.

"Lookee here—we are going to have the biggest storm you ever see."

"Pshaw! There never was a fairer day."

"Lookee, my son," said Nat in a threatening manner. "'Member what I told ye about conterdicting me?"

Three hours later, when the first mate had the deck, and Nat was standing on the topgallant forecastle, with Georgie by his side, the squall burst upon them with sudden fury. The first wave which came aboard crushed in the rail and swept the decks, and Georgie Betts was carried out into the boiling ocean.

It was broad daylight, and Nat, with a cry like that of a wild beast robbed of her young, hurled himself over the rail, holding in his hand a light plank, the only thing which he could seize. They saw him rising upon the top of a great wave, and then Georgie Betts came into view beyond him, struggling for his life.

"Bear up, my lad!" they heard him cry through the roar of the tempest. "Old Nat is coming!"

The boy, who, slight as he was, was a strong swimmer, tossed his hand in the air as a signal that he heard.

The crew of the Arctic could do nothing, for it required all their strength and skill to save the ship. A dozen voices together volunteered to man a boat.

"No, lads," said the captain sadly. "No man can love his nephew better than I do mine. I will not risk half a dozen lives for two. Besides, the ship would run a boat out of sight in half an hour, even if we could lower one. Bear a hand on the braces—meet her, meet her, you at the wheel; don't let her fall off!"

And the Arctic sped on before the awful gale, leaving Nat Myers and Georgie Betts at the mercy of the angry sea. The old sailor struggled on, and at last, with a cry of joy, he saw the boy clutch the end of the board.

"That's right, my son," he said. "Cheerily, cheerily, lad!"

"The ship is away," said Georgie sadly as he saw the Arctic rush on before the wind.

"Never you mind, sonny." And he passed his arm about the lad, and, stripping off his belt, raised the boy so that he lay upon the board and then bound him to it, face down, but in such a position that he could raise his head a foot or more from the board. He was swimming beside the board, pushing it before him.

"Why don't you get on the board, Nat?" said Georgie uneasily.

"Never mind me," replied Nat. "I'm all right, you see."

But, although he spoke so bravely, he felt in his heart that he had made his last voyage. The weight of his heavy sea clothing was dragging him down, and he knew that the board would not bear them both.

"I'll die for him," he thought. "It may not save him, but I can do that."

He shifted his hold on the board and moved up until his face was close to that of Georgie Betts.

"Kiss me, lad," he said, "and, if you escape, don't forget old Nat Myers."

The boy raised his head and pressed his lips to those of the old sailor.

"I love you, Nat," he said.

Then Nat Myers, with a smile upon his face, fell back to his old position. Once Georgie spoke to him, and he answered. The storm had ceased, but the waves were running high, and an hour passed on. Then, a league distant, Georgie Betts saw the white sails of the Arctic returning in search of those she had lost. With a glad cry the boy turned his head to look back at Nat, but the sea was a blank. The brave man had died in silence sooner than bear down the frail support of the boy he loved. And the children of Georgie Betts love the memory of that brave old sailor who died for their father's sake.—Exchange.

Uncle Allen.

"The reason why truth is so often found at the bottom of a well," averred Uncle Allen Sparks, "may be that truth has failed to speak up."—Chicago Tribune.

Usually Entertaining.

"She's such a gossip."

"Hears everything, does she?"

"Oh, no; just the inventive kind, you know."—Chicago Post.

Poverty and Pride.

Mr. Minks—Have you called on the new neighbors next door?

Mrs. Minks—Indeed I haven't, nor I won't, neither. They're the trashiest kind of people—poor as church mice, I'll warrant. They sends their washin' out.

"What of that?"

"I s'pose they is ashamed to show the rags in their own yard."—N. Y. Weekly.

So Unkind of Mrs. Jenkinson.

Wife—Dear me, it's a rainy Saturday, and I'll have the children racing about the house all day and breaking things.

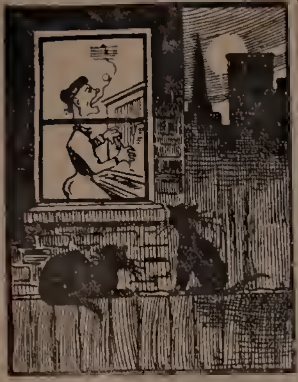
Husband—What have you usually done on rainy Saturdays?

Wife—I have usually sent them in to play with Mrs. Jenkinson's children, but she has moved away.—Stray Stories.

A Work of Art.

She's a charming little witch,
And she does a fancy stitch
On a crazy patchwork cushion that is the
envy of her mother;
But it would make you smile,
To behold the wondrous style
In which she stitched a patch upon the
trousers of her brother.
—Chicago Daily News.

OTHER VICTIMS.



Thomas—My dear, it's a shame the way that creature howls! If I had a bootjack I'd throw it at her, and then perhaps we'd get some sleep.—N. Y. World.

A Cynical View.

This life is a delusive cheat:
When we have solved the question
Of what is safe for us to eat
We die of indigestion.
—N Y World.

Easily Remedied.

"What is the matter?" asked the prima donna's friend. "You don't seem nearly as clever and original as you used to be."

"I'm so glad you mentioned it, dear. I haven't been reading the papers lately; but I'll change my press agent at once."—Washington Star.

Business Transaction.

"I see by the papers that old Bullion's heiress was married yesterday to that French count."

"That so? Who gave the bride away?"

"Nobody. She was sold. It was discovered this morning that he is not a count."—Omaha World-Herald.

Not Realism.

"I thought you said this was a realistic novel."

"Isn't it?"

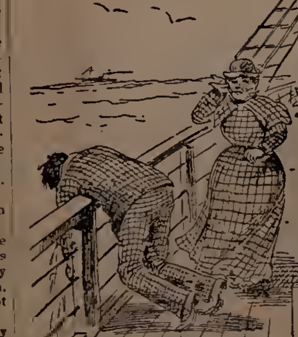
"Judge for yourself. It contains the statement that they were married and lived happily ever afterward."—Chicago Post.

Under the Influence.

Mr. Bender—Marcha, I shaw something th-that made m-m-my hair sthand up straight.

Mrs. Bender—Well, that shows your hair is better off than you are. It can stand up straight.—Chicago Daily News.

ON THE OCEAN BLUE.



Mr. Pitcher—Oh, let me die!

Mrs. Pitcher (in disgust)—Yes, that is just like you; you never could hold your own.—Harlem Life.

Too True.

"The world owes me a living," said the
energetic man
With a twinkle in his eye, you'd scarce
detect it.
"But it comes to me in payments on the
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And it takes a lot of hustling to collect it."
—Brooklyn Life

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Daisy—Is 'oo gweedy?

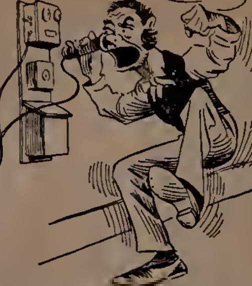
Jack—No, I'se not gweedy.

Daisy—Then 'oo choose.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Just a Way They Have.

The girl who keeps her birthday,
When a merry little elf,
Keeps it still when she grows up,
But keeps it to herself.
—Chicago Daily News.

A TELEPHONIC PARADOX.



"Don't you hear me? I say this thing must be on the dead quiet. On The Dead Quiet!!"—N. Y. World.

Discontent.

A man may jes' as well work on,
It makes no difference how small
De task may be. Befo' it's done
He'll wish he hadn't none at all.
—Washington Star.

She Would and She Wouldn't.

"Ah, if I were only a man!" sighed Mrs. Porkby.

"What would you do?" asked Porkby, gruffly.

"What—er—well, I wouldn't chew nasty tobacco, any way."—Judge.

Pessimistic.

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Profit and Loss Account		6,268 89
Interest Account		13,108 32
Real Estate Income Account		10 29
		$611,497 56

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		31,350 00
" " Mortgages		159,960 00
" " Personal Securities		164,745 86
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		1,500 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Tax account		874 09
Expense Account		1,178 27
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$14,733 01	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	2,954 46	
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With waves sparkling and bright,
And the breeze blowing light,
And our dear native land on the lee.
How sweet is the song of the sea!
With friends looking out on the quay,
Their 'kerchiefs and hands waving free
And bright smiles and welcome for thee.
How sweet, how sweet,
How sweet is the song of the sea!

I'll sing you a song of the sea,
When the sky lowers dark
O'er the stricken bark
As she drifts o'er the desolate sea.
How sad is the song of the sea,
When overhead hangs the dim cloud
Like a pall o'er the dead sailor's shroud
As he sinks in the vast wand'ring sea.
How sad, how sad,
How sad is the song of the sea!

I'll sing you a song of the sea,
When the fierce lightnings flash
And the stormy winds dash,
And the rock shore looms on the lee;
How dread is the song of the sea!
When the hearts of the bravest will quail
As they shrink from the furious gale
And the wrath of the menacing sea,
How dread, how dread,
How dread is the song of the sea!

"REST AND CHANGE."

A Couple Tired of Housekeeping Seek Comfort In a Boarding House.

BY KYLE HARRINGTON.

"Suppose we rent the house and board for the winter. I am heartily sick of this eternal round of work, with poor help and often none at all."

Mrs. Barker stooped and blew the dust off the mantel mechanically. "If I get a good girl, her mother is sure to send for her because the children are sick, or perhaps some one offers her higher wages. Besides, we live too far out to suit most of the help."

"None too far to suit me, Mrs. B. I only wish we were two miles farther," and the man adressed arose and gave his chest a resounding thump. "After being down town in that confounded smoke all day it is a relief to draw a full breath out here."

Mrs. Barker transferred her field of operations from the mantel to the lapel of her husband's coat and flicked away an imaginary grain of dust. "Yesterday I had an opportunity to rent the house furnished, and for my sake, Arthur, I do wish you would consider it favorably. The Browns will give us $50 a month, and just think how far that would go toward paying our board."

"But I hate boarding—positively despise it. I had enough of it before I found you."

She girdled his neck by clasping her thumbs and fingers around it, remarking by the way that she had a good notion to choke him. The man distended his eyes and went through all the violent symptoms of strangulation.

"Oh, yes, we'll board and eat hash," he gurgled, "if you say so; but, then, I will not stir even one step to find a boarding place. That is settled once for all." He unclasped her fingers and drew her hands within his own.

"Then I will. I would like nothing better than going out this very morning. Shall I? Please say yes; there's a dear."

"Of course. Put on your rainy day skirt and trot all over the city, but mind one thing. My salary will not warrant an expensive place."

Mrs. Barker hurried through her duties and was on her quest soon after her husband left. She was armed with sundry addresses which she had clipped from the morning paper, all of which places she visited, comparing accommodations and prices with businesslike dispatch.

For a week she kept up an assiduous hunt and at last found what she considered a most desirable place. However, before announcing the fact to her liege she summoned to her aid all the tact she could command. The old and undisputed way to a man's heart she never questioned, so a most excellent dinner of his favorite dishes was set before him. She believed also in the potency of a cheerful grate fire and the easy chair and slippers as adjuncts, not forgetting the choice Havanas that leaned temptingly toward him from the quaint smoking jar at his elbows.

"And so you think, Helen, you have found an A No. 1 home for us, do you? Where is it?"

"Down town, at the Outlook."

"Down town! Didn't I say that I wouldn't go down town under any circumstances?"

"Yes, to be sure; but you must remember how convenient it will be and how much car fare you will save. It will be such a decided change," lowering her voice to its most alluring tone, "and I shall have time to go to the library and do so much reading I have so longed to do, and, dear Arthur, we will read together and go out together"—

"Have a devil of a time of it."

She dropped into a low seat at his feet and looked reproachfully up into his face, which, it must be confessed, was in harmony with the sentiment expressed. Her lip trembled and her eyelids quivered.

"There, there, poor tired dear! Yes, yes; we'll have just the coziest, happiest times in the world. Of course we will. I am an old bear and you are a blessed angel!" And by way of demonstration he gave her a regular bear's hug. Then he pushed her back on the low seat and began all over again.

"Are there many boarders? You know I hate boarders and boarding and the whole business. It gives me a sty on the edge of the eyelid just to read the advertisements, 'Wanted, boarders.' Did you say the house was chock full?"

"I am sure there are not very many, and they are nice ones, too, I should judge from those I met in the hall. You know the house has a good reputation. We can be as exclusive as we please. We are not obliged to mix with any of them."

"I should say not. I am not a good mixer. How many rooms have you secured?"

"Now, my dear, you must remember I had economy in view, so I engaged only one room, but there is a beautiful folding bed with a handsome plate glass mirror, so I can see just how my dresses hang, and when the bed is swung back we shall have the pleasantest, most delightful sitting room imaginable. You see, it is a front room, and the outlook is fine."

"One room with an outlook! Good heavens! You don't mean to say we are to be cooped up in one room after all this? And he waved his hand majestically, as though indicating an expansive castle instead of the little ten room house which it actually was. Perhaps it was more to his mental vision, since "every man's house is his castle," and Arthur Barker's title to this one was good.

"Have you forgotten, dear, that you told me at the last moment that your salary would not support anything luxurious? I had that in view when I took only one room."

"You would much better have had an alcove in view at least, to let us out a little. But it is too late now. It looks as though we were in for it."

About a week after this conversation the "careful mover" deposited within the little room at the Outlook three trunks, a shirt waist box, a writing desk, a dressing table, a vigorous rubber plant and various odd pieces of bric-a-brac.

When Mr. and Mrs. Barker finally arrived, they looked at each other in amazement. Mr. Barker at last made a break. "Don't be at all backward, Mrs. B. Walk right in, or fly in, or crawl, or wriggle—any way to get in." The poor woman sidled in at the invitation, and together they began to unpack, while Steve, the man who went at everybody's beck and call, edged and zigzagged the trunks off to a storeroom, while their contents strewed the couch, chairs, dresser, mantel and floor.

"What in the name of common sense do you expect to do with all this plunder? I supposed you rented our house furnished, and here you've brought along enough to stock up a boarding house."

Mrs. B. knew better than to argue the point. She began instead to fill the drawers of the dresser, which were fortunately broad and deep.

"I suppose the wardrobe closet is a good large, square one, with a window and shelves."

"Really, Arthur, I forgot about the closet. I never even peeped into it."

"Let us see what it is like." And Mr. Barker opened the door, to be confronted by a wall only two feet away. Then he made a plunge into it lengthwise, while the hooks on either side caught him in the sleeves and collar and impaled him by thrusting themselves maliciously into every loose fold of his clothing, smiting his ears and pulling his hair until smothered imprecations issued from the darkness.

"I swear!" he gurgled as he elbowed and fisted his way out. "How are we ever to get our clothes out of there if we ever manage to get them in? The only way to do is to tack up some lat[illegible] by some electrical contrivance m[illegible] transparent, then put a hook [illegible] foot pole and pitch in for them. [illegible] these gray trousers, tailor [illegible] dress suit, silk petticoat, lam[illegible] Good gracious, Helen, squeez[illegible] you hand up a single dud! The [illegible] on Devil's island wasn't a cir[illegible] to it. Oh, ye gods and little fishes [illegible] were you thinking of when you [illegible] quarters as these?"

Mrs. Barker sank helplessly into a seat, the picture of mute despair.

"I don't know, Arthur. I could not have been thinking at all. Whatever shall we do? Let us go back home."

"Home, Helen! We haven't any. Our house is rented, and we are without a roof to shield our heads."

When the folding bed was let down that night, Mr. Barker barked his shins against a rocker, and in trying to move it out of the way upset the lamp on the center table, which spilled its contents over an embroidered table cover and finally bumped on to the floor. His wife caught up the first thing at hand to absorb the oil, and it proved to be her best shirt waist.

During the night a hilarious boarder sang snatches of a song with the refrain:

Oh, I love her, I love her! I will build my house
where the robins nest.

Through the long "witching hours", these sounds were wafted through the thin partition at intervals until Mrs. Barker heaved a sigh and, throwing up her arms, wailed, "Oh, dear, what shall I do?"

"Get up and go out to the front window and revel in the outlook! Get up anyhow and fold up the bed and see how your skirts hang."

She was pretty mad inside by this time, and she kept so very still Mr. Barker soon fell asleep, to awaken again at a fresher dulcet strain.

"Mrs. B., is he loving her still and building his house? I only hope his wife will rent it after he gets it built. Good Lord, I should like to kick him into South Africa!"

The next morning as Mr. Barker kissed his wife goodby he tried hard to smile, but since he could not he frowned.

"Doesn't it seem kind of good not to pay out any car fare this morning?" she asked as she tried to press out the wrinkle on his forehead.

"Oh, yes; almost as good as being carried off in a patrol wagon free of charge. Helen, forgive me, but what in thunder are we here for?"

"For rest and change," she murmured. But the same morning she followed up an address two miles farther out than their home and secured two good sized rooms and a private bath. It is but fair to add that these conveniences also included a square closet of considerable size, furnished with drawers and shelves.

Mrs. Barker wisely concluded it was not the highest economy to save car fare, and by way of reminder her husband presented her with a receipt for a month's board in advance at the Outlook.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Unappreciated Genius.

The lives of three great painters, Rousseau, Millet and Troyon, like that of Corot, says W. J. Stillman in The Atlantic, show how completely the French public, so proud of its intelligence of art, ignored the best qualities of it till outsiders pointed to them. Troyon told me that for the first ten years of his career he never sold a picture, but lived by painting for Sevres. The prosperity of Millet came from the patronage of American collectors, led by the appreciation of a Boston painter, William Hunt. I well remember his famous "Sower" on the highest line in the salon, so completely skied that only one who looked for a Millet was likely to see it, while Rousseau, at the time I speak of, was glad to accept the smallest commission and sold mostly to American collectors. Nor is it otherwise with the Rousseaus, Millets and Troyons of today. The public taste and the banal criticism of a journalism, at best the late echo of the opinions of the rare wise man, discover genius only when it has ceased to have the quality of the new and unforeseen.

Proved Genuine.

Tess—Do you really believe her complexion is genuine?

Jess—There's no doubt of it. I saw the box. The label on it said, "None genuine without our signature," and there was the signature right enough.—Philadelphia Press.

According to the Evidence.

"Well, that's what I call an appropriate verdict," remarked Jilson the [illegible] evening, as he threw down his [illegible]

"What is it?" asked his wife.

"Why," he replied, "you know the defaulting cashier of the Steenth national bank committed suicide when the shortage was discovered?"

"Yes, I remember," said Mrs. J——, "but what of the verdict?"

"This morning," answered Jilson, "the coroner's jury brought in a verdict of death from exposure."

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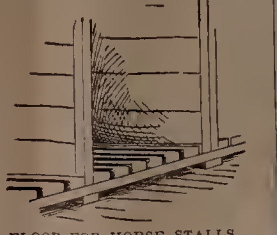
Sensible Method of Construction Which Prevents Animals from Staining Their Coats.

Where mares are kept a tight floor in the stall is not especially inconvenient, but with horses the case is otherwise. For them such a floor as is shown in the accompanying illustration is best suited for keeping their coats from becoming stained. The stable floor beneath the flooring of the stall should slope a little so that the liquids that run through the openings in the stall flooring will be conveyed down behind the stall, where they may be absorbed in the litter. The pieces of which the stall floor is made may be five inches wide, laid one-half inch apart. They are shown farther apart than this in the cut in order to make the matter plain. There should be four cross bearings under the stall floor if two-inch stuff is to be used.—American Agriculturist.



FLOOR FOR HORSE STALLS.

MILLET FOR SOILING.

A Crop Furnishing Valuable Feed for Dairy Cattle, Young Stock, Sheep and Poultry.

Millet, says a bulletin of the agricultural department just published, is fed principally as a hay and soiling crop. The forage ranks well with that of other grasses in the nutritive content, and its palatability is about that of the average for the coarser sorts. For digestibility, millet forage compares favorably with that from other coarse grasses.

Already widely grown as a hay crop, millets deserve more general use for soiling. They are particularly valuable for feeding to dairy cattle, young stock and sheep. There are many sections of the country where this crop can be made to supplement the pastures in such a way as to allow a material increase in the number of stock that can be kept on the farm.

On account of the heavy yield of forage and the good quality of the product, millets are excellent grasses for use in the silo. Frequently a good crop of millet can be raised under conditions which would not admit of growing corn for ensilage, and in such instances it becomes of especial value. One of the best methods of preserving this crop is by the use of the silo. Those who have tried this method have obtained excellent results. A fine quality of ensilage may be made by using barnyard millet and a leguminous crop like soy beans or clover. The seed of the foxtail millets is widely used as food for fowls and birds, but is seldom fed to stock. It has, however, been used in feeding young stock, such as calves, with a fair degree of success. The seed is excellent food for laying hens.—Farmers' Voice.

SORE MOUTH IN PIGS.

A Dangerous Disease Unless Radical Steps Are Taken When It Makes Its Appearance.

Canker, or nursing sore mouth, is a troublesome disease, and if not promptly attended to proves fatal, says the Swine Journal. It may, and we think it usually does, arise from impurity in the milk of the sow or from poison on her teats and udder obtained by running in tall, wet grass or poison vines. The first symptoms are lumps on the sow's udder, and sometimes sores; next will be noticed blisters on the lip, tongue and mouth of the pig; the tongue and lips become swollen, and the roof and sides of the mouth inflamed and covered with deep red or white blisters. Treatment: Catch the pig and swab its mouth out thoroughly with a solution of carbolic acid and water sufficiently strong to make the flesh upon the arm tingle. Apply it with a rag, or a small piece of sponge tied on a stick. A strong sage tea applied in the same way is good, and in addition take powderd sulphur, put it into a large straw, hold the pig's mouth open and blow the dry sulphur in. Apply these remedies frequently and bathe the sow's teats and udder with a weak solution of carbolic acid. Keep litters that have it away from other pigs. Care, close attention and the frequent application of the above remedies will rarely fail to cure if taken in time. The sow should be fed sulphur in her slops.

Paring Hoofs of Sheep.

Many farmers are keeping sheep this year for the first time in many years. To all such it may be wise to suggest paring the hoofs early in the spring, or before they are turned out to pasture. In the barnyard, always treading on soft, fermenting manure, the sheep's hoofs grow too long and develop foot rot if it is pastured on low, wet land. On rocky, high and dry land, the sheep wears off its hoofs on the sharp edges of the rocks. It is probably instinct that teaches the sheep at night to seek a high and dry place to sleep upon.—Farmers' Review.

Hens three years old are not profitable to keep except they are of the small laying varieties.

GOD'S BURIED WORKMEN.

God buries His workmen, but carries on His work.—Wesley.

As dips the sun below the placid sea,
His day's work done; as the retreating wave
Lays down his load, and hastens to his grave
Sighing, yet well content some use to be;
As the magnanimous rain, impartial, free,
Expires on field and forest but to save;
So are the lives of God's true toilers brave
Closed, yet continued through eternity.

In the high deeds they set themselves to do,
Though uncompleted here, their spirits live;
Their patience checks our fancies fugitive.
Their voices call us to a loftier view
Of God's great purpose, which alone can give
Strength to endure and courage to pursue.
—George J. H. Northcroft, in American Methodist Magazine.

PUT HIS FOOT IN IT.

Mr. Footinit—You are the first woman I ever loved.

Miss Ripe (reproachfully)—How can you say that when you have had a wife before?

Mr. Footinit—Pshaw! She was a mere girl when I married her.—N. Y. World.

AN EFFECTIVE THREAT.

Tommy (to his mother, who is chatting with a friend)—Say, mamma, if you ain't going to start pretty soon I'm going to tell the lady what you said about her this morning.—Fliegende Blaetter.

As to Prices.

"Do you believe in the doctrine that every man has his price?"

"No. Many an egotist has put his price so high that he wouldn't be able to get it if he lived a thousand years."—Cleveland Leader.

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You have constant headaches, are nervous and sleepless at night and feel tired in the morning? Your blood isn't carrying the right materials to your nerves and other organs. Begin taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood enricher, and you will soon realize a change. You will feel better and stronger, will relish your food and enjoy refreshing sleep.

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BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

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NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 6 05, 9 38 p m; S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 25, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

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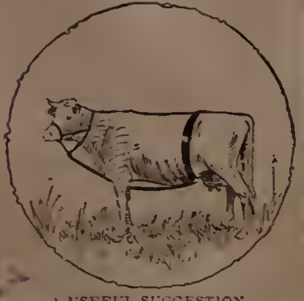
WRENTHAM.

Mrs. Sarah Tilson, widow of the late Frank Tilson, died Monday morning after an illness extending over a period of ten years, the immediate cause of death being from a cancer. She was in her 81st year.——D. D. G. M. S. W. Cook and suite of North Attleboro installed the officers of Wampum lodge Tuesday evening. A light lunch was served.——An entertainment will be given in Hawes chapel Wednesday night for the benefit of the bazar for the Congregational society.——Rev. J. W. Alexander preached at the Congregational church Sunday.——I. W. Pond and family are spending their vacation with relatives in Maine.——Mrs Margaret K. Bates entertained the members of the Holly club at her summer residence Friday afternoon from 4 until [illegible] o'clock.——The members of the Holly club are to be the guests of Mrs. Bates at Elmshade Friday afternoon from 4 to 9.——The ladies of Trinity Guild cleared over $1[illegible] at the recent fair.

TWO USEFUL HINTS.

How to Keep Cows from Sucking Themselves and Fouling Platforms Where Gutter Is Used.

To Prevent a Cow from Sucking Herself.—I had a fine Jersey heifer that got into the habit of sucking herself. I put a web halter on her and strap around her in front of the udder, then took a jockey stick such as used when a team is driven with a single line, just long enough to reach from halter to strap, in front of and just near enough to udder not to touch, passing between front legs. I kept it on her for about two months, then took it off, and in about three months she resumed the habit.



A USEFUL SUGGESTION.

To Keep Cows from Fouling Platform Where Gutter Is Used.—Place a scantling or pole across just above the point of shoulder just high enough so as not to touch when standing at the manger. Cows will soon learn to step back and make their deposits in gutter. Since using above do not find it necessary to wash udder as formerly, as they keep clean.—D. M. Neikirk, in Ohio Farmer.

The Combination Too Strong.

"Your mother agrees with me exactly, Johnny," said his father, proceeding to trim the twigs from a tough switch. "She thinks, with me, that you need a good trouncing, and you are going to get it, my son."

"Yes," bitterly exclaimed Johnny. "You and maw always agrees when it comes to lickin' me. You and maw's the whole thing. I don't never have no show. This family's run by a trust!"—Chicago Tribune.

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A Foregone Conclusion.

"What a tall girl Brigham's daughter has grown to be! She must be six feet at least."

"Yes, but she's a mighty nice girl and the little fellow that's going to marry her will be a lucky chap."

"Who is he?"

"I don't know."

"But you just spoke of him as a little fellow."

"Well, being a tall girl, she wouldn't marry any but a little fellow, would she?"—Chicago Daily News.

An Acquired Talent.

"Ma, Mr. Boxer was speakin' about pa's gettin' a medal for the way he fought at Santiago, an' he said pa wasn't a natural born fighter."

"What else did he say?"

"He said pa acquired it all since he was married."

"Well, you just run right over to Mr. Boxer's and tell him I want to see him as quick as he can get here."—Cleveland Leader.

A Seasonable Suggestion.

Now as the prudent family man
For winter makes his preparation,
He sees 'twould be a first-rate plan
For folks to have a coaling station.
—L. A. W. Bulletin.

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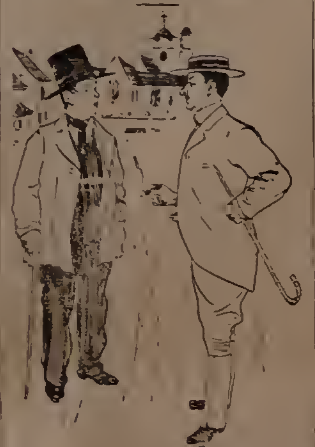

"That's a good-sized hat of yours, John."

"Ah! Master George. I bought that hat 12 years ago to bury the missus in!"—St. Paul's.

Capable of Anything.

Bacon—Do you think he will take the initiative?

Egbert—Why, that fellow would take anything!—Yonkers Statesman.

Still Worse.

"It's just as folks said it would be. He deserted her last week."

"Left her without a pang, I suppose."

"Worse than that. He left her without a penny."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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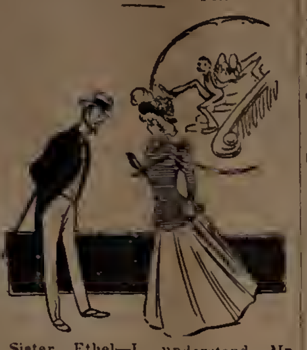

Sister Ethel—I understand Mr. Noodle sprung from a fine old house.

Brother Jack—Yes. I'm told his father kicked him into the street.—N. Y. World.

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NOTICE.

Estate of Sarah P. M. Wiley, late of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, represented insolvent. The subscribers having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county commissioners to receive and examine all claims of creditors against the estate of said Sarah P. M. Wiley hereby give notice that six months from the twenty-seventh day of June, A. D. 1900, are allowed to creditors to present and prove their claims against said estate, and that they will meet to examine the claims of creditors at the store of A. Malder, Central street, Holliston, on the thirty-first day of August next, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

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Commissioners.

Holliston, July 21, 1900. jly24,31,au7

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Edwin J. Pond, late of Providence, in the state of Rhode Island, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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So Sarcastic.

Willie—I once knew a girl who nearly died from ice cream poisoning.

Nellie—The very idea! I would never have dreamed of such a thing happening to a girl of your acquaintance.—Indianapolis Journal.

Very Green.

She—Did your grandfather live to a green old age?

He—Well, I should say so! He was buncoed three times after he was 70.—Harlem Life.

A Musical Family.

Patience—Did you say that she came from a musical family?

Patrice—Yes; she has a brother who is a drummer and her father is a tutor.—Yonkers Statesman.

In the South Pacific Isles.

Umbopo—The king has ordered his chief cook to seize his majesty's mother-in-law, and after boiling her to pass her through a strainer.

Umslopogas—Evidently another case of strained relations.—N. Y. Journal.

He May Be Deceived.

"How sober he seems to-night," said Gaswell to Dukane, alluding to Spiffin.

"But appearances are deceitful," replied Dukane.—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

A Good Match.

"Aren't you sorry for that man Miss Kabbitt is going to marry? She's such a talker."

"Sorry for him? Land, no! He's a barber."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Not Untimely.

The Friend—And did no physician attend your husband during his last illness?

The Widow—No; poor John died a natural death.—N. Y. Journal.

A Pleasant Reminder.

"I'm afraid that if you marry my daughter she'll learn to forget me."

"If you feel that way you might let her see your name on a check about once a month."—Town Topics.

Something Awful.

Quizzer—Are times so very hard?

Guyer—Yes, indeed! Why, a man told me to-day that he couldn't even collect his own thoughts.

Many thousands have been restored to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. If afflicted with any throat or lung trouble, give it a trial for it is certain to prove beneficial. Coughs that have resisted all other treatment for years, have yielded to this remedy and perfect health restored. Cases that seemed helpless, that the climate of famous health resorts failed to benefit, have been permanently cured by its use. Bear in mind that every bottle is warranted and if it does not prove beneficial the money will be refunded to you. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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Chilson's Market

Sirloin Steak	25c	3 lb. pails lard	33c
Rump "	25c	5 lb. pails lard	50c
Round "	18c	Bacon, strip	12c
Thick Ribs, C. Beef, 10 to	12c	Smoked Shoulder	11c
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North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
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Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
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Providence	8.40 "
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Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
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Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
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HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

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Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 00 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Charles A. Briggs left today for an outing at Portland, Me.

Miss Edith Hodge is spending a few weeks at East Machias, Me.

Miss Bessie McBain of Dorchester is visiting Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Martin.

James E. Ryan and Miss Maud E. Pierson were married in Millis on Wednesday.

Mrs. A. C. Mason is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. D. P. A. Jacoby at Newport, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stowers of North Andover Depot are visiting friends in town.

Miss Hattie Bly of Union street has accepted a position as clerk in Fairfield's bakery.

The condition of A. H. Mann, who was operated upon for appendicitis, is improving

Miss Nellie and Henry Byrnes left Tuesday for a month's stay at Dartmouth, N H.

Mrs D. M. Hodge left yesterday for a few weeks' visit to her old home at Jeffersonville, N. Y.

E. A. Bryan, clerk in Mason's drug store, is spending a couple of weeks at Summerside, Nova Scotia.

Mr. Micheline of Reading, Penn., has been the guest of his father-in-law, R. Fiorani the past few days.

Miss Mary Murphy and Miss Annie Connors of Watertown are visiting at the homes of their parents here.

Our Boys will play the North Bellingham team tomorrow. The battery for the Franklin team will be Feeley and McKenzie.

Mrs. E. E. Waite, in company with her neice, Miss Cora Waite of Providence, are spending a two weeks' vacation at Nantucket.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Judd have been entertaining his sister, Mrs. Charles H. Wheat, her husband and child, from Windsor, N. Y.

Sophie M. Edderly passed away at her home in Norfolk, Tuesday, at the advanced age of 80 years. The funeral was held yesterday.

Ten of the members of the Franklin Country club qualified last Saturday to play in the golf tournament at North Attleboro tomorrow.

Jacob Schafer, of City Mills, brother of Romy and Valentine Schafer, left Wednesday evening for Germany, on a visit to his relatives there.

Miss Annie Cody and Miss Theresa Darling of Dedham have been the guests of Mrs. Wm. G. Cody, corner of Union and Central streets.

The recently elected officers of Divison 8, A. O. H., will be installed next Monday evening. Refreshments will be served after the ceremonies.

The celebrated Norwood Brass band will give a sacred concert next Sunday and every Sunday for the rest of the summer at Lake Pearl from 2 to 5 p. m.

Miss Ella Daniels, accompanied by her brother Oscar of Lincoln street, left town Wednesday for New York, where they will spend a vacation of a few weeks.

Miss Emma Estelle, wife of Thomas died at Norfolk, Monday, aged 29 years. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Moore officiating.

The funeral of Ernest Daniels was held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock Rev. I. W. Sneath conducting services at the home of Wm. Lowell, on King street.

Harry Bates, a former Franklinite, employed by Parker, Holmes and Co., has left that place to accept a position in the office of Samuel Ward Co's. stationery store.

Hayward's mill shut down Wednesday in order to make necessary repairs. It is expected operations will be resumed in about ten days, during which time a new dryer will be put in.

Ames Lodge, No. 3, A. O. U. W., of Woonsocket has arranged for an electric car to accommodate Franklin people who desire to join them in their anniversary excursion around Beaver Tail Light next Saturday.

The many friends of Mrs. Clark P. Harding of Medway, formerly Miss Mame Turner of this town, will be pleased to learn that both Mr. and Mrs. Harding are rejoicing over the birth of a baby boy, born Sunday.

The librarian of the public library desires that all of the books be returned to the library on or before Tuesday, July 31, for the annual examination. The library will be open only on Saturday evenings during August, as usual.

A Newfoundland dog owned by Mrs. Naylor, who lives on the Wrentham road, got in the way of an electric car Wednesday night and met his death. This is the tenth canine killed in Franklin and vicinity since the line has been opened.

An individual appropriated Charles Badger's horse and A. D. Thayer's wagon late last evening to carry four persons to Wrentham. He smashed a wheel near the high school and the entire party "lit out" and have not been caught.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper will preach next Sunday forenoon on "The Glory and Power of the Gospel." In the evening he will give a short discourse on "Success in Christian Work." This will be the pastor's last Sunday in his pulpit before his vacation in August.

Walter M. Mack, who has been in the employ of W. S. Dinsmore, for a number of weeks, has resigned his position and secured a place at Hoag Lake as stage manager. Mr. Mack has been before the "boards" a number of years in this capacity and he will no doubt prove a successful manager.

Mrs. Annie Gallison Hawkins has arranged a picnic for a number of the young people in town and her little son Brunelle will be the young host. It will be held at "Villa Gallison," on the City Mills road, from 2 till 5 tomorrow afternoon, an ideal place for the young lads and misses to enjoy themselves.

The state tax this year amounts to $1,500,000. The apportionment to vicinity towns is: Franklin, $1725; Grafton, $1395; Hopedale, $1965; Hopkinton, $1050; Holliston, $915; Medway, $795; Mendon, $315; Millis, $390; Upton, $600; Uxbridge, $1275; Westboro, $1665; Ashland, $645; Bellingham, $420; Blackstone, $1485; Milford, $3150.

A large force of men is engaged in building a reservoir in the rear of Ray's mill, which is to be used in connection with the mill for fire purposes. This acquisition is something that was badly needed, as the water service for fighting fire could have been better. A number of George H. Grant's men are also at work building a new coal bin for the concern that will hold when finished 1,000 tons.

Charles Bly, while in company with some others on an outing at Kingsbury's pond Monday, was kicked badly, but fortunately not seriously, in the face by his horse. The horse had been standing for some time and became nettlesome on account of the flies bothering him. In attempting to rid himself of some of these he kicked around considerably, and Bly, who happened to be close at hand, received one in the head.

The state railroad commissioners have authorized the following bond issues, the petitioners being the Medfield & Medway and the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket street railway companies. The sum desired in each case was $100,000, the bond to be guaranteed by a first mortgage, to run 20 years and pay 5 per cent. interest. The former company will soon ask for a franchise up Holliston street, up vine, Lane and Evergreen streets to Winthrop street in Medway, thence to Holliston.

A number from here are planning to attend the Elks Carnival and Fair to be held at Combination Park, Medford, from July 30 to August 4 inclusive. One of the finest programmes ever arranged has been prepared by the various committees, with horse, bicycle and automobile racing, continuous vandeville of the world's greatest stars in the various lines, combining a feast of amusement, instruction and pleasure Thousands of dollars have been spent to make this a success, and all of New England will be drawn upon as patrons. One day is as good as another and all are good.

The coming of the electric cars to town has made sad havoc among the livery stables. A visit to the different liveries of a Sunday afternoon nowadays will betray the fact that scarcely a horse is out, whereas in the past, before the advent of the cars, to insure a rig for a Sunday afternoon one would have to make himself known at the stables a week in advance. Even then the case was doubtful, and likely, when Sunday came, it would be a rig that had done service for a number of years Now it is different—at the eleventh hour the best in the stable is brought forth.

Supt. Walter F. Patridge displayed the national colors Monday in honor of his mother and father, who came to visit him Sunday night. Geo. I. Partridge was 78 years old Monday, and his wife is 74. Mr. Partridge was born in Franklin and has lived there most of his life. The old couple still enjoy good health and are the parents of nine children, six boys and three girls. Walter F. Partridge, who has for a number of years been superintendent of the Knowlton straw shop, will prove a delightful entertainer for his aged parents during their stay here.—Upton cor., Milford Journal.

As an illustration of the care which the M. A. & W. railway is taking in the interest of safety we note that Conductor Griffin had been relieved from duty and Motorman Tyler has been placed on waiting orders as the result of a Sunday evening episode. The car on which these men came from Plainville reached the Hoag's pond switch at about 7 o'clock. There they should have waited for the regular Franklin car. Noticing a Hoag lake special car on the track and mistaking it for the regular Franklin, the car from Plainville proceeded to the Rand's crossing switch, where two cars were found waiting for the Hoag lake special.

While the farmers were at their picnic at Lake Pearl Wednesday it was "nuts" for the boy who links arms with the berry pail. There was the freedom of the pasture for him, with no foreboding thought of the man with the blue overalls, tucked in the high old boots, the white head surmounted by the white straw hat, and the half dozen lathes torn hurriedly from the hencoop clutched vigorously in his hand. Wednesday the boy could, to his heart's content, thin the bushes, knock any number of stones off the wall, let the bars down and the cows out to graze by the road, and last of all, but not the least, get a cool, refreshing drink at the old well and then enjoy the fun of winding up the pail again, only to let it afterward down and listen as it bounded noisily from one stone to another until it reached the bottom.

The Farmers' club and grange picnic was held Wednesday at Lake Pearl. The electrics were well patronized throughout the day with members and friends of the club and many went by teams. In the morning every one present satisfied themselves by meeting and greeting old acquaintances, contemplating the natural beauties of the park, enjoying the flying horses, merry-go-rounds, boating and dancing. At noon a spread in the form of a good old-fashioned basket lunch was partaken of. A little disappointment was felt by a few on account of the non-appearance of out of town speakers, who were expected, but failed to arrive. This was forgotten in the theatre where a very clever show was rendered for an hour in the afternoon and thoroughly appreciated by all. The rain sent some home, while many stayed to enjoy the dancing. The picnic was a success.

One of our brightest housewives says she makes it a rule of her domestic economy to pay cash for everything, or settle all bills at the end of the week or month; to examine the supplies as they come in to see if they are in good condition, and of the quality ordered. Then put them away in their special receptacles and in the atmosphere best adapted for their preservation; be as careful in the use of groceries which have been bought in large quantities as though they had been bought in small parcels; to buy fruit, vegetables, game, poultry, meat and fish when they are in season, instead of paying high prices for unseasonable delicacies which are not at their best; to use all "left-overs." Tiny scraps of meat and vegetables, and even a spoonful of gravy, will all contribute to material for croquettes and soups; and a teaspoon of jam or jelly will serve to flavor a pudding or sauce.

A number from here have been "working" the railway company for a ride to Woonsocket for ten cents, the fare being but five to Hoag and five thence to Woonsocket, stopping over one car at Hoag to do the job. A Woonsocketer tried it on Tuesday evening to his sorrow. His name was T. F. Sweeney. He rode from here to Hoag lake and jumped off, but took the same car for Woonsocket. He was asked by the conductor for his fare, and he in turn asked for a transfer, as they change crews at Bellingham switch, and if a passenger is not provided with a transfer another fare is collected. The transfer was refused by the conductor, and Mr. Sweeney refused to pay his fare unless he received a transfer. An argument of short duration followed, and when the railroad bridge, which the car passes under, between Bellingham and Hoag lake was reached he was put off the car. He threatens legal procedure.

The farmers in that part of the township where Frank H. Randall watches the rising sun consider that one man benefits his neighbors as well as himself by keeping a dog. The dog is an intelligent canine, and although he speaks only the dog language, it has a mission, to which it steadily devotes itself. Its motto is death to skunks and woodchucks, and it has shown its ability in its particular line by bringing in during the past year 162 of these animal pests, occasionally two at a time. As a result the vicinity, a year ago overrun with these destroyers of the farmers' produce, is becoming a place where the tiller of the soil has to fight only boys, worms and the weather to get some return for his labor.

Summer street has an old landmark in the Haywood house. It is one of the oldest buildings in town, and tradition gives it the credit of once serving as a hotel, with the story that while devoted to the service of the public one traveler tarried there and was never seen afterwards. This is a tradition so bound up in the uncertainty of old times that no particulars of name or nation of the individual have come down to us of the present generation. Since former times the house has been enlarged, but it retains much of the appearance and many of the characteristics of the ancient days when Taunton and Worcester stages used to pass the door. It has been in the hands of the Haywood family for many years.

One thing that deserves immediate attention of some persons who have the right to look after it, is the free use of indecent language that can be heard from the boys wherever two or three are together. The boys seem not to know that there is any law in regard to to it and care not who bears their swearing and vile talk. It would be a good plan to put up in public places copies of the law in regard to the use of improper language and the punishment for using bad language in the hearing of any one, especially when passing along the streets of the town. No boy can use indecent talk in any way if those who hear him report him to the officers Several half-grown boys need to stop at once for their use of bad language has been so public it will no longer be passed over.

One Released, One Held.

Harry Corson returned home Tuesday noon a free man, friends having arranged matters so that at the trial his release was assured. The case was tried in the district court at Central Falls Tuesday morning, where he and William S. Nickerson were charged with breaking and entering in the daytime and the larceny of silverware valued at $25 at the home of Walter E. Fiske of Cumberland Hill.

Harry was called before the court, but his case was discontinued on payment of costs, for it was stated by the police, who have worked up the case, that Nickerson was the one that raised the window and entered the house, while Corson remained outside. The charge against Corson was the same as that against Nickerson

The latter was identified by Deputy Frank Viall at the state prison as having previously served a term at that institution. The charge against him was read, having pleaded not guilty and demanded a hearing when arraigned last Friday morning in the court. To the charge he again pleaded not guilty, and waived examination. He was adjudged probably guilty and was held in the sum of $500 for appearance before the grand jury, at the September term.

A woman, Mrs. Jennie M. Blanchard, also from Franklin sat beside Nickerson in the court room during the hearing. When officer Samuel Wild was about to lead Nickerson away to return him to jail the woman threw herself upon Nickerson and created a scene by begging the officers not to take him away. She kissed Nickerson and cried at the thought of his being imprisoned. The officers gave her all the opportunity for leave taking that was possible and when the officer was about to leave the court room he had to separate Nickerson and the woman by force.

Legal Newspaper Decisions.

1. Any person who takes a newspaper regularly from the post office, whether directed to himself or another, or whether he has subscribed or not, is responsible for the pay.

2. If a person orders his paper discontinued he must pay all arrearages or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made and collect the whole amount, whether it is taken from the office or not.

Sweet peas at Slade's greenhouse.

The Walking is Good.

The opening of the trolley line to Foxboro has been anxiously awaited, but has not as yet materialized. The grass still grows around the rails lying along the highway gutter, and a director of the M., A. & W. said the other day that there was no knowing when construction would begin.

Matters are a trifle complicated in regard to putting in the line. Last year, when the Foxboro company had built to the Wrentham town line, and thought the M., A. & W., was slow in building to meet them, a local company was formed in Wrentham, back of which was the Foxboro company, and application made for a franchise to Lake Pearl.

As a result of this move and the opposition to it by the M., A. & W. a compromise was made and it was understood that the latter company would build to the Foxboro line by the present month. Then the Foxboro company went into the hands of a receiver, so that there was no one to enforce the agreement, if so inclined. The present status of the matter seems about like this: The contractor for the M., A. & W. has been looking the ground over, but the highway in many places is narrow and the Wrentham town fathers say the railway company must widen it at its own expense. The company says: We will move no walls and pay for no land, but will build if we can have these concessions. The owners of the land say: When we give you land and pay for moving our own walls so to fence the land which we give you, please send us a postal. So the land owners are serene, the selectmen are serener and the M., A. W. is serenest.

Antiques in Franklin.

There is material enough in town to fill a large antiquarian hall, and if the specimens could be collected together and placed on exhibition they would afford instruction and no end of amusement to the rising generation. There are spelling books and readers, bibles and newspapers which bear the imprint of more than a hundred years ago. Tomahawks and Indian arrows, bear traps, skates, snow shoes, bonnet blocks, foot stones, warming pans, brass candlesticks, cranes for fire-places, spinning wheels, pictures and household and farming implements are in great variety, many of which are grotesque and cumbersome; articles of wearing apparel, head gear and gold and silver ornaments, swords and rifles, to say nothing of china ware and plate. Many of these articles were in use before the declaration of American Independence. In several of the old farmhouses in town are chairs and tables, closets of drawers and clocks now in daily use more than a hundred years old.

In some future issue of the SENTINEL its many readers may have more clearly defined some of the antiques now stored away in dusty attics. The Alfred Metcalf house on King street and Henry Peck's house on Prospect street, South Franklin, are rich in these adjuncts of a former time and are too valuable to be longer hidden under a bushel. By the kind permission of these gentlemen the SENTINEL may expect a treat ere long.

W. R. R.

The Christian Endeavor societies of Norfolk county are agitating the question of a county convention. One of the arguments for such a gathering is stated to be that "many Endeavorers who cannot afford to attend the International conventions in this way could more closely come in touch with the work at large, and would also have an opportunity to imbibe the inspiration which is enjoyed at such large gatherings." A number of societies have already voted to support a convention taking in this field of labor by sending delegates and assisting financially.

Emerson's Market.

Watermelons on ice, raspberrries, summer squash, lettuce, cucumbers, onions, cabbages, new beets and turnips, green corn. Try our Imperial cheese. Fresh killed Chicks and fowls, lamb, veal, pork.

Canning is Coming.

If you want nice fruit next winter prepare to can very soon, as fruit is coming on, but don't use your old jars. Our new ones are cheaper, better, and improve the flavor of the fruit. We have the square "Royal" fruit jar, best quality selected glass, with "Lightning" top at 90 cents, $1.00 and $1.25 per dozen. There are none cheaper in the end. Window screens at reduced prices.

HOSIE BROS.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

If you want the best milk in this town, put up in glass jars at the farm, and delivered by 5 o'clock in the morning address J. C. McInnis. He also has all kinds of fruit in the season.

Send your boys to Ocbee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Cut flowers, all kinds of funeral designs well made up at Slade's greenhouse. Roses in small or large quantities.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[*The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far a possible, trivial and controversial matter.*]

MR. EDITOR:—It is about thirty years ago that the Franklin Register first made its appearance. It was the first weekly paper published in the town and it met with great success. There was hardly a business man in town but what advertised in its columns; there were few copies sold in the streets, as most every one was a subscriber. For a time the Register was very ably conducted, but the management sought other avenues for money-getting to the neglect of the patrons, and consequently the paper fell to a non-paying basis. The Franklin SENTINEL, inaugurated by two young men of moral force and mental energy, next appeared and the Register soon closed its doors to its young and stronger rival. There have been other newspapers with Franklin headlines started, but one after another they collapsed. Through all the changes of management the SENTINEL has ever been in close touch with the people, and there are many names on its subscription list today of many people who have never missed an issue since Vol. I, No. I. There are very few country papers that have the local matter that the SENTINEL does. There are about seven hundred and fifty lines of local matter, as any one can see by counting on the first page. To have some adequate conception of the work in gathering this amount of matter, to say nothing of setting and distributing the type, just set about going from point to point and putting into concise shape fifty eight hundred words, for this is what it amounts to. And this has to be gone over with for every issue.

If your readers wish to know what they are getting for three cents let them examine any publication of like character in the state. That the people of the town appreciate the SENTINEL is evidenced on the day of publication by the large numbers who may be seen on the streets and in doorways eagerly devouring its contents.

OBSERVER.

The Congressional Contest.

In our last issue we gave some reasons for our belief that Brookline would not, the present year, press the nomination of one of its citizens for congressional honors. The old 9th Congressional District, to which Brookline and Newton belonged, was made up of portions of Middlesex, Worcester and Norfolk counties. The present district is made up of the same counties, to which has been added a part of Suffolk county. During the last twenty years there have been ten republican congressional nominations. Of these ten, eight have been given to the county of Norfolk, two to the county of Worcester, and none to the county of Middlesex. Of the eight given to the county of Norfolk, six have been given to the town of Brookline.

Now to say that the nomination the present year shall not only be given to the county of Norfolk, but also to the town of Brookline, to the exclusion of Middlesex county, would be certainly appear very unjust and unfair. It must be borne in mind that Middlesex county has always been loyal to the republican ticket, and that more than once it has saved the defeat of the party during the period referred to. If our republican friends in Brookline will carefully and candidly consider the situation, we feel confident that they will acquiesce in the nomination this year being awarded to the county of Middlesex.—Newton Graphic.

Richardson's Market.

Everything that the market affords can be found at this establishment this week. New vegetables coming in daily, fruit, etc. 'Nuff said.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Good wages for a girl to do housework. Inquire at SENTINEL office. 24 tf

100 cords trash hard and pine limbs, at Allen's wood yard, School street.

To Let—Small tenement, rear Dana block, $1.25 per week, A. C. Dana druggist 24-tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

To Let—A tenement of five rooms on Alpine street. Inquire on the premises or at Mrs. Burnham's, cor. Peck and North Park streets. 17 tf

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. At Calkin's Studio, over SENTINEL office.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

The Plant Line will run a cheap excursion to St. Johns, good going by La Grande Duchesse, Saturday, July 28, and returning by any steamer within thirty days. Tickets and all information at 290 Washington street or 20 Atlantic avenue, Boston.

A carload of brewery grain received every Tuesday at Metcalf's station, where any quantity can be purchased. Good for milch cows, hens or hogs. Great saving on grain. Inquire at the station.

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Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

ADVERTISING RATES.

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Business and Professional Cards, to occupy one-half inch space, once a week, $5.00 per year; twice a week, $7.50 per year.

FRIDAY, JULY 27, 1900

It has been proposed in New York to prohibit by law the publication of scandalous matter found on the persons or in the possession of suicides or of those who have attempted suicide.

Posthumous Scandals.

This, says Youth's Companion, would be a good thing to do. Persons who take their own lives are often insane. If not actually deranged, their minds are in so morbid a condition as to unfit them for calm and accurate statement. It often happens that, with the intention of explaining their act, they leave a letter or scrap of paper which reflects cruelly upon the character of one or more living persons. The sensational newspapers print the letter under glaring headlines, and the injured person has no redress. A mere denial counts for little, and there is no defense against the calumnies of the dead. It would be well if newspapers would voluntarily go farther than the proposed law would compel them to do and would refuse to print the details of suicides. It does not concern the public to know precisely why or in what way some unhappy person has taken his own life. To have the horrors of such deaths enlarged upon and embellished, and perhaps illustrated with shocking pictures, is demoralizing to the public taste. It intensifies the sufferings of the family and friends, whose grief is already heavy; and it does no good to any human soul. Sometimes it unsettles weak minds with a craving for similar notoriety, and so occasions new suicides. It may not always be possible to suppress reports of suicides altogether, but newspapers which have a proper regard for their influence in the community will minimize them as far as may be.

A full-sized grain of corn bearing on it a sprout half an inch long was a few days ago removed from the ear of 12-year-old Kenneth Stubbins, of Chrisville, O., after having remained in the lad's ear seven years. On the day mentioned the boy was seized with a violent earache, and it became so painful that a physician was called. Upon examination, the doctor discovered some foreign substance in the ear, which when removed, proved to be a sprouting grain of corn. On Halloween seven years ago, when young Stubbins was a mere baby, it is said, he was standing in the door of his home, and some merrymakers, in passing, threw at him a handful of corn. One of the grains was thought to have gone into his ear at the time, but after an ineffectual effort to remove it, it was believed it had come out of its own accord.

The war department has lately published a list of the officers and men of the United States army who have received medals or been especially commended for gallantly during the last two and a half years. Two of the 5[illegible] officers whose names are mentioned, and 33 of the enlisted men, are colored. In view of the relatively small number of negro troops in the army, this is a record of which our dark-skinned brother may well be proud. Evidently the color-line is not drawn at the firing-line.

The famous Bonaparte trees on Washington Heights, New York, are dying. There are only about 3[illegible] remaining out of the original 4[illegible]. The trees, which are known as African cypress, supposed to be identical with the gopher trees of Scripture, were intended for the garden of the Tuileries, but when Napoleon was sent to St. Helena the trees were brought to New York by Stephen Jumel, a merchant prince of that city.

A young woman lately had the color of the pupil of her eye restored by tattooing with India ink at the Miami (O.) medical college. Years ago an ulcer involving the cornea, and encroaching upon the pupil, left an unsightly white scar. The patient suffered a three days' ordeal during the process of tattooing.

STARVED HAIR

Slow growth of hair comes from lack of hair food. The hair has no life. It is starved. It keeps coming out, gets thinner and thinner, bald spots appear, then actual baldness.

The only good hair food you can buy is—

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR

It feeds the roots, stops starvation, and the hair grows thick and long. It cures dandruff also. Keep a bottle of it on your dressing table.

It always restores color to faded or gray hair. Mind, we say "always."

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

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NANCY J. MOUNTCASTLE,
July 28, 1898. Yonkers, N. Y.

Write the Doctor.

He will send you his book on The Hair and Scalp. Ask him any question you wish about your hair. You will receive a prompt answer free.
Address, DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

TWO-WHEELED CART.

Material for the Construction of One Can Be Found Lying Around on Every Farm.

The wheelbarrow is one of the things no farmer who has much feeding or other heavy carrying to do can be without unless, of course, he has something better. For nearly everything, a two-wheeled cart is handier and easier to handle than the barrow. There may be such a thing on the market but I have never seen it. At any rate, there is the material for the construction of one on nearly every farm, and the farmer himself can construct it on some rainy day or idle spell. For running gears, a broken-down, or disused cultivator—most farmyards have two or three—furnishes the best of wheels. A handy width is from three to four feet, varying, of course, with the use the cart is to be put to. If to be used by the boys of the farm it should not be large. The handles are bolted to the axle, and a frame made of 2 by 4's bolted to the axle and handles. This frame should set so that about a third of its length will reach in front of the axle. This will give the proper balance when pushing a load. A platform of inch boards is nailed to the frame, and an end put up by means of straps of iron, to insure strength. Removable sideboards are made of wide boards. Holes are bored three along each side of the platform. Pins are driven into the bottom of the sideboards to correspond and fit into the holes in the bottom of the platform. At the upper side, on the front end of the board, is a staple into which a hook, fastened to the front end of the box, slips when in place and holds it firm. There are many places about a farm where this cart will be found convenient. Fig. 1 shows the cart complete and Fig. 2, one of the sideboards.—Ohio Farmer.

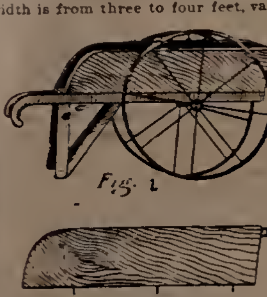
Fig. 1

Fig. 2

TWO-WHEELED GARDEN CART.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Pimples on the face are not only annoying, but they indicate bad blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures them by purifying the blood.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 4. Sunday school at 3. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. S. Halfyard on "Winning Souls." No evening service. Sunday school at 12. Epworth league at 6.30.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev I. W. Sneath, Ph.D. Sunday school at 12. Y.P.S.C.E. at 6 30, closing with a short address by the pastor. No evening service.

Baptist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. F. B. Sleeper, pastor; subject, "The Glory and Power of the Gospel." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Preaching at 7.30; subject, "Success in Christian Work." A short after service in the vestry.

SHELDONVILLE.

Miss Alice Walsh of Clinton is visiting at B. H. Guild's.

Vera Cook of South Franklin is visiting at B. M. Follett's.

Chas. Barnaby of Dorchester is visiting his cousin Arthur H. Thomas.

Miss Bertha Reed and mother of Boston spent Sunday with C. E. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Nash of Charlestown spent Sunday among friends here.

Miss L. B. Hittenger has been enjoying a visit from her cousin of Des Moines, Iowa.

Rev. Wm. Sheafe Chase of Woonsocket will occupy the pulpit at West Wrentham next Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Flint fell last week breaking one of the small bones in her ankle. Dr. Martin is reducing the fracture.

Mrs. Lydie Williams formerly of this place, was brought here last week for interment, from Wrentham where she died.

Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2 65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit. The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save. If your druggist can't supply you, it will be fowarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

Travel When the Rates are Low.

Never before have the steamer passenger rates to Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, been as low as $3 for the round trip. Since that rate went into effect hundreds of people who heretofore believed that they could not afford to visit Nova Scotia have engaged passage via the Yarmouth Steamship Company's line, which has four sailings each week between Boston and Yarmouth. Those who have not secured passage should do so at once as the $3 rate is not guaranteed for any length of time. The ocean sail, the cool night on water, the attractions of the Acadian province and the change of surroundings are all beneficial to those seeking a rest. For particulars regarding Yarmouth line excursions inquire at the tourist agencies 201, 298 and 322 Washington street, or of H. F. Hammond, agent of the Yarmouth Steamship Company, 49 Lewis wharf, Boston.

No Danger Whatever.

"Don't on any account sleep on an empty stomach'" was the advice of a physician to a patient.

"No danger o' that," was the reply; "I always sleep on my back!"—Tit-Bits.

One Woman's Wisdom.

Mrs. Diggs—How is it you are so successful in managing your husband?

Mrs. Briggs—Oh, I simply feed him well and trust to luck.—Chicago Daily News.

Dire Vengeance.

She—I heard about the elopement. Has her mother forgiven them?

He—I think not. I understand she has gone to live with them.—Collier's Weekly.

Are All Alike.

De Caverly—Prodigal sons all appear to have one trait in common.

Van Clove—What's that?

De Caverly—They like fatted calves.—Town Topics.

Prompted by Experience.

Wife—I wish I could get something to keep the rats from coming into the house.

Husband—Why don't you do your own cooking?—Harlem Life.

Never Say Die.

Man's head goes into mourning
In quite a different way
In token of departed years
It dons a robe of gray.
—Chicago Tribune.

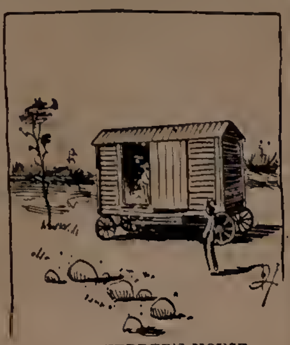
To the Deaf.

A rich lady, cured of her deafness in the head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear drums, gave $10,000 to his institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the ear drums may have them free. Address No. 5666, The Nicholson Institute, 780 Eighth avenue, New York, U S A. j'27

GOAT HERDER'S HOUSE.

Just the Thing for Southwestern Farmers Who Are Engaged in the Angora Business.

Angora goats are great browsers, eating off the leaves of bushes and trees as high from the ground as they can reach when standing on their hind legs with their front feet up in the trees. Such browsing gives a park-like appearance to any area on which they are feeding to any extent, and that is especially true of the vicinity of their bedding ground. It is therefore of great advantage to change the bedding ground frequently to an entirely new "camp," and this is most conveniently done by sheltering their herder in a movable house, as shown in the illustration.


GOAT HERDER'S HOUSE.

I used to have a tent for the purpose, but this has many objectionable features, mainly because it necessitated building a fence around it to keep cattle from tearing it. It is also impossible to keep out tramps, who sometimes help themselves to the herder's provisions or blankets during his absence. The size of the house is six by ten feet and six feet from floor to eaves, and all that is necessary is to load the "camp tricks," hitch on two horses, and pull it to the fresh camping ground. The herder locks it when taking the flock out to graze in the morning, and I have never yet had it tampered with. It has been in constant use for 15 years.—American Agriculturist.

AWFULLY SAUCY!

"And where is it to be for the holidays this year, Miss Leftonshelf?"

"Oh, I've decided to go to the Isle of Man."

"Really! A case of Mahomet going to the mountain, eh?"—Ally Sloper.

IN SOBER EARNEST.

Mother—Has Lord Noazoo exhibited as yet any signs of affection?

Daughter—Yes, he has tried to find out how much papa is worth.—Illustrated American.

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Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

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Headache, yet Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

HEAD

Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

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Is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.

Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents; five for $1. Sold by druggists everywhere, or sent by mail.

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THE VALUE OF COWS.

It Depends on Their Capacity to Consume Feed and Convert It Into Butter Fat.

The value of a cow should never be assed on her size, as this is a poor criterion to judge by. The value of a dairy cow depends on her capacity to consume feed and turn it into butter fat. The cow that cannot assimilate a large quantity of feed can never be a good butter cow, as we cannot get from the cow more than we can get into her in the way of those feeds which produce butter.

Last winter at an institute H. B. Gurler said the cow that makes 250 pounds of butter can be credited with a profit equal to the amount received from 50 pounds. The cow that makes 300 pounds of butter should be credited with 100 pounds and is worth twice as much as the 250-pound cow. The cow that makes 350 pounds is worth three times as much as the one that makes 250 pounds and six times as much as the 225-pound cow. These figures are not exact, however, for they imply that the 350-pound cow would not eat more than the 225-pound cow, which is not the case. The cow that weighs 1,000 pounds must have a certain quantity of feed to maintain the vital forces before she can turn any of her feed into milk and butter fat. After this is supplied the surplus she consumes goes either to storing up fat in her own body or to the production of butter fat.

Herein lies the difference in cows. One will not eat enough beyond the needs of her body to make much butter. Such a cow is of no value. Another will eat enough, but it is stored up in the shape of increased weight. This kind of a cow should be sent to the butcher. Another will eat a large quantity of feed and all she consumes beyond her own needs becomes butter fat. Such a cow is the one everyone who makes butter is glad to get. Such cows dairymen should try to breed. No matter what their breeding may be they are valuable.

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Dolly's System.

When Dolly played her lively airs
In days of old, when we were courting,
I simply couldn't sit them through;
They always set my feet cavorting;
But when we married Dolly found
Her system needed more perfection;
Now Dolly looks, and, lo, I dance,
Poor fool, too weak to raise objection!
—Philadelphia North American.

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Will often cause a horrible Burn, Scald Cut or Bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures Old Sores, Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Felons, Corns, all skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. On 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co. Druggists.

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This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! No baking! Simply add a little boiling water and set to cool. Flavors: Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cts.

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Gentlemen:—My mamma has been a great coffee drinker and has found it very injurious. Having used several packages of your Grain-O, the drink that takes the place of coffee, she finds it much better for herself and for us children to drink. She has given up coffee drinking entirely. We use a package of Grain O every week. I am ten years old.

Yours respectfully,
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ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

Benj. Franklin Savings Bank.

At the annual meeting of the Benjamin Franklin Savings Bank, held Monday, July 2, the report of the Treasurer was read and accepted.

Eugene N. Thain and Marston Sanborn were elected members of the corporation and the following officers elected:

President—Davis Thayer, Jr.

Vice Presidents—George W. Wiggin, Lester L. Burrington, Walter M. Fisher, Dr. George King.

Trustees—Davis Thayer, Jr., Lester L. Burrington, Henry R. Jenks, William Rockwood, Bradley M. Rockwood, Charles Stewart, George W. Wiggin, Dr. George King, Adelbert D. Thayer, Edward H. Sherman, Dr. J. Cushing Gallison, Elisha P. Chapman, Joseph P. Bassett, Charles W. Stewart, James O. Chilson, Orestes T. Doe, Eugene N. Thain, Harry T. Hayward, Horace W. Hosie, Walter M. Fisher.

At a meeting of the Trustees, held the same day, it was voted to declare a dividend of 1 3-4 per cent. on all deposits having remained in the bank during the six months next preceding, and 7-8 of 1 per cent. on all deposits having remained in the bank during the three months next preceding, after which the following officers were elected:

Clerk and Treasurer—Charles W. Stewart.

Assistant Clerk and Treasurer—Charles L. Stewart.

Board of Investment—Davis Thayer, Jr., George W. Wiggin, Elisha P. Chapman, Edward H. Sherman, Charles Stewart, Adelbert D. Thayer, Bradley M. Rockwood.

CHAS. W. STEWART, Clerk.

July 25, 1900. 1t

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BATTLES.

Nay, not for fame, but for the right
To make this fair world fairer still,
Or lordly lily of a night,
Or sun topped tower of a hill,
Or high or low, or near or far,
Or dull or keen, or bright or dim,
Or blade of grass, or brightest star,
All, all are but the same to him.

Oh, pity of the strife for place!
Oh, pity of the strife for power!
How scarred, how marred, a mountain's face,
How fair the fair face of a flower!
The blades of grass beneath your feet,
The bravest sword—aye, braver far
To do and die in mute defeat,
Thou bravest conqueror of war!

When I am dead say this, but this:
He grasped at no man's blade or shield
Or banner bore; but, helmetless,
Alone, unknown, he held the field.
He held the field with saber drawn,
Where God had sent him in the fight,
He held the field, fought on and on
And so fell fighting for the right.
—Joaquin Miller.

An Amusing Woman

She Was Amusing Because She Laughed at Love.

Lucy Armitage had been born in a queer little town in Ohio, and no one who ever lived there had appreciated its queerness so thoroughly as she. Indeed she was so diverted even by her dearest friends that she made herself rather unpopular. People wanted to like her, but it was difficult when she was laughing at them. They always forgave her, however, when she laughed at some one else. And without reservation they admitted that she was the brightest girl in town. So they made a great lamenting when she left there with her family—her family was more or less of an incident—and came to Chicago. Lucy was sorry to leave the little town, too, when she found that she would be lamented. She began to attach some importance to herself, a thing she had previously failed to do because of all the absurd creatures in a world of absurdity she had seemed the most ridiculous. If she had entertained an ambition, she laughed herself out of it. Her attitude toward herself, as well as toward the world, was that of a mocker. And if a ray of sentiment dared to find its way into her mental compound she gave chase to it with derisive mirth.

She did whatever she attempted well. In the village there had been only the home duties to offer vent to her activity, and she excelled in these. When other girls blundered in breadmaking, Lucy turned out white and feathery loaves. When experienced housewives fretted about the monotony of fare, Lucy invented new dishes. She could make dresses and embroider, and mow the lawn, and curry the horse and drive a nail. Oddly enough, none of these things had satisfied her—not even the drawing of nails. They had not seemed worth while, and she had not been interested in her own achievements, but when she got to Chicago and found what an awful hurry everybody was in she got in a hurry, too, though she laughed all the time at the senseless fret and rush and made caricatures of Chicago street scenes on the edges of her schoolbooks. She, who had been an indifferent student, took a fancy to hustle herself through high school, and, that over, she cast about her for some further fields of work. She had decided to become a part of the breathless and preposterous procession.

She went around and looked at the city and made up her mind about men and women and business and politics and religion with the splendid ease and dogmatism of the young. She sent away a number of ardent lovers.

"Love?" said Lucy. "It's an illusion Any one over 40 will tell you that."

"But you are under 20," said one of the protesting ones.

"An accident!" cried Lucy. "A mere blunder on my part. It will take me 20 years of my life to rectify it, and I shall be so busy doing it that I really shall be able to think of nothing else."

To herself she said:

"When I marry, it shall be for—for reasons of state, so to speak. I shall marry a capable, brilliant, physically perfect man. I believe in the survival of the fittest. I believe in the selection of species. This girlish sentiment that entraps other girls shall not waylay me."

And for once she did not know that she was amusing.

One morning she awoke with an idea.

"I am going to be a nurse," she said. The more she thought of the idea the better she was pleased. For what other purpose had that magnificently strong body been given her? She felt as if she could radiate strength and courage. She was taken for probation on the merits of her general bearing and intelligence.

"But I'm afraid you are too fond of excitement," the head nurse said kindly. "You seem to have high spirits. I fear you will not be able to stand the discipline and the confinement."

But it seemed to Lucy the place for high spirits. It appeared to be, moreover, the most exciting of places—as stirring and vital as a battlefield. Here were real tragedies, not mimic ones. Here was the actual heroism. She was interested to absorption. There was, moreover, plenty to laugh at—the pomposity of the doctors, the solemn reverence with which they regarded themselves even in the face of outrageous blunders and erroneous diagnoses and futile experiments, the hypochondriacal whims of the patients, the dry sloughing off of all moral responsibility on the part of the nurses, who came to regard themselves as automata set in motion by the physicians. This phase of the comedy humane was deliciously funny to Lucy. She made herself both friends and enemies by her ill advised merriment.

"Doctors are absurd," she commented frequently. "I have never seen anything so owlish and so ineffective as doctors. The way they set up theories before which we all fall prostrate and the manner in which they knock the same theories over presently while we servilely applaud is truly entertaining. I am glad I came."

"You won't stay if you don't exercise more control of your tongue," one of the truly obedient nurses once said to her.

"Oh, well," said Lucy, "the cars still run by the hospital. I can get away."

But for all her nonsense she was soon counted one of the best probationers the hospital had ever known. Her steadiness of nerve was remarkable. Her pulse remained when she witnessed or assisted at an operation. It seemed as if she could divest herself of her own personality entirely for the purpose of serving the inert creature on the operating table. The majesty of life seemed a poem to her at such moments. To preserve at any cost the fragile, divine, mystic, elusive thing which all the science in the world could never synthesize seemed to her half godlike. The physicians gave her extravagant praise.

"But still I do not like doctors," she said.

Sometimes she did not like patients either. There was one old lady, for example, who never could divest herself of the idea that Lucy was a common servant and that whatever else she did she must never sit down. One day the girl had been on her feet for hours waiting upon the patient, rubbing her, feeding her and caring for her in fifty ways, and at length even her firm young body ached in every bone. She dropped into a chair for a few moments of needed rest.

"Miss Armitage," said the querulous voice of the old lady, "the room appears to me to be untidy. I wish you would pick it up."

Lucy looked over at the discontented old creature and smiled tolerantly.

"Miss Coudry," she said, "never before have I been asked to do so difficult a thing," and sat still.

Miss Coudry had no suspicion that her phraseology was at fault, and she reported the nurse. The head physician interviewed her on the subject. Lucy refrained from commenting upon the tyranny of the poor old hypochondriac. She turned the matter with a jest.

"I was asked to pick up the room," she said. "I am not the magnetic strong girl, so I said I couldn't do it."

The physician tempered his reproof.

The months of probation over Lucy was accepted, and the first severe case committed entirely to her charge was that of a young doctor who had been severely injured in a railroad accident and one of whose legs had undergone amputation. The case was a bothersome one. The young man did not gather strength as he should have done, considering his youth. He sank into a low fever and drowsed along through life week in and week out. Lucy stood by him loyally. She endeavored in every way to inspire him to make a fight for life. But for a long time she could arouse no interest in him. At last she had an idea.

"I will make him fall in love with me," she thought to herself. "It will do no harm, and it will help him to get well, and as soon as he is strong he will f[illegible] all about it. The others always hav[illegible]"

It was a silly comedy to play [illegible]; it was rather a coarse farce—but L[illegible] entered upon her role with [illegible] She was really a beautiful girl, but [illegible] seldom took time to remember it [illegible] she stuck a rose in her dark h[illegible] ings, and she was careful to have a [illegible] perfume of violets floating from he[illegible] quisite gray gown. Her cap and [illegible] assumed an indefinable coquetry. S[illegible] took pensive attitudes and talked [illegible] sentimental subjects.

"What a precious guy I am making of myself!" she often chuckled in the recesses of her naughty soul. "Of all the idiotic parts I ever assumed I have most cause to be ashamed of this!" But it proved to be the prescription of which the young doctor stood in need. He watched for her coming in the morning as frightened children watch for their mothers. He hung upon her words, exulted in her springing, firm step, was soothed into exquisite peace by the touch of her cool white hand upon his brow, and when he felt the grasp of her two strong hands upon his in hours of pain it seemed to him that with her by he would find strength to endure anything.

"It will soon be over," Lucy said to comfort her conscience, "and if I am clever perhaps I can get him away before he says anything to me. I hate horribly to face the consequences of my sin. If I had been making sin, I should have made it without consequences."

But clever as she was she did not succeed in her desire. One day Dr. Halson, convalescent, turned from the contemplation of the passersby on the street and said imperatively:

"Miss Armitage, come here."

"Aren't your pillows right?" asked Lucy with feigned solicitude. She knew in her soul that the fatal hour had come.

"My pillows are well. But I wish to say to you a thing you have been preventing me from saying for days. You are a beautiful tyrant, but I will not suffer tyranny even from the beautiful. I find upon consulting with my—with my physician that I shall require your services indefinitely. I want them as long as life lasts. I must take you away with me. I must have you for my wife."

Lucy had many times prepared in her mind the rebukes that she would utter in answer to these remarks. She would bring him to an understanding of the absurdity of the thing, for, of course, this was a piece with the rest of the absurdity of the world.

But this is what she heard herself saying:

"My dear, dear, I knew you could not do without me. Of course I couldn't think of leaving you." And this time when their hands clasped it was hers that were trembling.

Then she laughed. She fairly shouted with laughter till the patients in the other rooms hear and smiled responsively. What mad absurdity! What a perversely amusing world! She would marry only a man of great physical superiority—she hated physicians!

And she had just kissed a one legged physician and promised to be his wife!

"I was never so amused!" cried Lucy.

"You were never so amusing, my dear heart," said her lover.—Chicago Tribune.

Things Russians Won't Eat.

Great quantities of crabs and lobsters are annually canned in Russia, yet oysters are in little favor, and frogs' legs are regarded with horror. A woman who sold large quantities of crabs upon being asked for some frogs' legs replied that she "would not touch one of the horrid things for a ruble."

Wherever there is water in Russia the frogs abound in such quantities that one is reminded of the noblemen of other days who used to send their slaves out to beat the marshes so that they could sleep.

Russians never eat rabbits, as they say they nest with rats, nor will they touch snails or turtles, which are found in great quantities all over the country. Only the aristocrats eat kidneys and then only those of the sheep or lamb. Goose flesh is little esteemed, though the fat is used for culinary purposes.

But the World Went On.

In 1186 astrologers said the world would be destroyed by the conjunction of the planets. A few years later another alarm was raised, and in 1532 Simon Goulart claimed a mountain had opened in Assyria and a scroll had been shown him on which was written the prediction that the world was coming to an end. He frightened everybody.

Meekness In Men.

A calm, peaceful contemplation of God and his works and a clear conception of our duty to him and to men, unobtrusive, consecrated and blessed, will mark the meek man everywhere.—Rev. R. T. Eakes, Atlanta.

Divine Requirements.

There must be concessions on the part of all. The pastor cannot always have his way nor the people theirs. The one man church or the one woman church does not fulfill divine requirements.—Rev. S. W. Dana, Presbyterian, Philadelphia.

Times Change.

She—You used to say I was pretty. Have I changed?

He—Oh, no; but I have.—N. Y. Truth.

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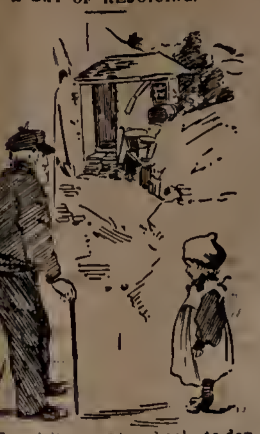
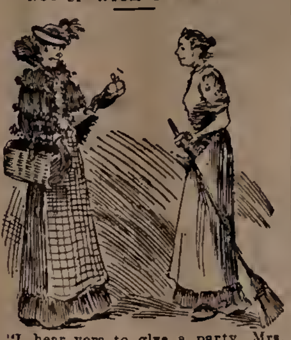


"Why ain't you at school to-day, Aggy?"

"Teacher give us holiday, 'cos she was goin' to a funeral!"—St. Paul's.

NOT UP WITH THE TIMES.



"I hear yers to give a party, Mrs. Hoolligan."

"Yez, Mrs. Mulligan, I am, and I've been everywheres tryin' ter get some of that 'pink tea' ye reads so much about, and the aignorant, unstylish tings kape nothin' but the old-fashioned green."—N. Y. Truth.

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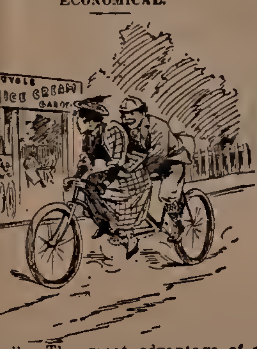
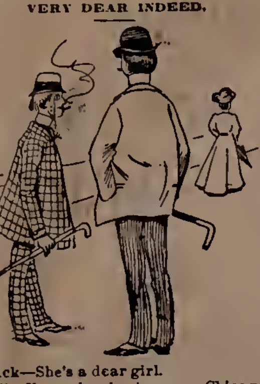


Cholly—The great advantage of a tandem over single wheels when one takes his girl for a spin is that the girl cannot stop when she pleases.—Leslie's Weekly.

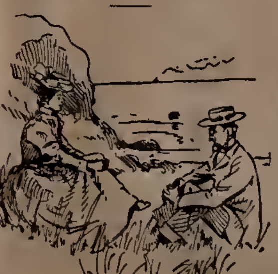
VERY DEAR INDEED.



Jack—She's a dear girl.

Jill—Yes; she broke me.—Chicago Journal.

HE INVITED IT.



"Yes, and kept me sitting here looking like a fool."

"My dear George, we none of us can help what we look like!"—Ally Sloper.

A SCHEME THAT FAILED.

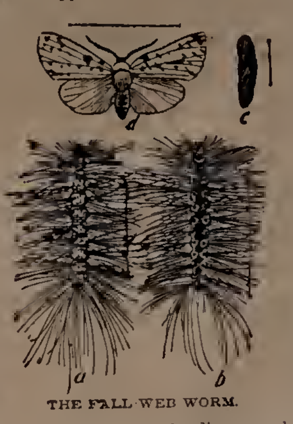
Hotel Clerk—Ah, on your wedding tour, I suppose?

Guest—Quite right; but we must nevertheless insist upon having a first-class dinner.—Fliegende Blatter.

THE FALL WEB WORM.

Fire and Paris Green Combined Usually Are Effective In Annihilating This Pest.

The Latin name of this worm is Hyphantria cunea. The Colorado Experiment station gives the following description of this insect: This is a yellowish or brownish caterpillar with a black head that forms a large, loose web or tent in a great variety of trees, beginning to appear about the 1st of July and continuing through the summer. The larvae are rather sparsely covered with long hairs that are whitish or yellowish in color, with occasional black ones for variety. This insect is readily distinguished from the Tent caterpillar in habits, as the larvae of the fall web worm form a very loose tent with which they inclose the leaves upon which they feed, and they do not appear until the Tent caterpillars have nearly or quite disappeared. In the illustration "a" and "b" are full-grown larvae showing light and dark forms—"c" is the chrysalis; "d" is the moth, showing dark spots. All are some enlarged. The lines show the actual length. Usually the moths are entirely white.



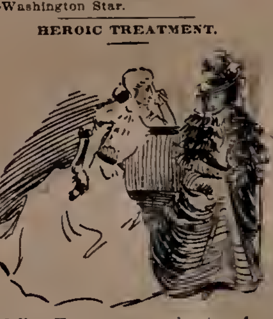
THE FALL WEB WORM.

Remedies.—If the webs are noticed when small they should be cut out and the larvae destroyed. If the web has become large, inclosing many branches of the tree, it may be better to burn out the web with a torch. Where there is no danger of poisoning fruit, paris green may be sprayed or dusted upon the foliage immediately surrounding the web. These leaves will soon be inclosed for food and the worms eating them will die.—Farmers' Review.

The Campaign Statistician.

He figured hard. No rest was nigh,
His task he dared not shirk
He figured on to show men why
His figures didn't work.
—Washington Star.

HEROIC TREATMENT.



Molly—How are you going to reform him?

Dolly—Marry him.

Molly—Goodness! Does he need such heroic treatment as that?—N. Y. Truth.

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All She Needed Was Time.

"I just saw Miss Croesus go into the conservatory with that foreign nobleman. Are they engaged?"

"Oh, I hardly think so, as yet. Give her 15 minutes more."—Chicago Post.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition; my skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately a friend advised trying Electric Bitters, and to my great joy and surprise the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks and am now a well man. I know they saved my life and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them; only 50c. per bottle at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store.

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Divided Pleasure.

Briggs—Allow me to have the pleasure of returning the sovereign that I borrowed the other day.

Sniggs—Thanks; the pleasure is mine.—Tit-Bits.

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A man never realizes what an awful liar he is until his wife begins to remind him of the promises he made during courtship. — Chicago Daily News.

She'd Find It.

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Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending July 25, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. W. B. Briggs, Mrs Bleak, Mrs. Edgar Cook (2)

Gentlemen — Edgar Colburn, Ed. J. Flynn (2), E. L. Grant, Narcisse Paquin (fl), Sepmelep Pond, Frangesco Codecchi.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Her Unlucky Day.

Mr. Styles—Did you call on Mrs. Borenm, Friday?

Mrs. Styles—Yes; unlucky day, you know.

"Why, was she out?"

"No; she was in."—Yonkers Statesman.

Her Criticism.

"What would you do if you could play the piano as good as I can?" asked a young lady of the housemaid.

"Shure an' Oi wouldn't get discouraged at all, at all. Oi'd kape roight on larnin' till Oi could play it dacently," was the reply.—Chicago Daily News.

It Cleared the House.

"The house is afire!" cried the tenor. "The audience must be dismissed as quickly as possible."

"All right," replied the manager. "Say nothing about the fire. Go out and sing."—Philadelphia North American.

A Delightful Effect.

Artist — Those evergreens on the north side of your house have a delightful effect!

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Salvin Hubbard, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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Address 113 Devonshire street, Boston, Mass.
July 1, 1900. jly20,27,3

NOTICE.

Estate of Sarah P. M. Wiley, late of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, represented insolvent. The subscribers having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county commissioners to receive and examine all claims of creditors against the estate of said Sarah P. M. Wiley hereby give notice that six months from the twenty-seventh day of June, A. D. 1900, are allowed to creditors to present and prove their claims against said estate, and that they will meet to examine the claims of creditors at the store of A. Maeder, Central street, Holliston, on the thirty-first day of August next, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

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Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
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Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
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Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 00 till 10 15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15 During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Hay fever is now due.

This is fine weather for dog days.

Miss Minnie Cody is visiting friends in Brighton.

A tongue may inflict a deeper wound than a sword.

Miss May Fales is visiting friends in Milford, N. H.

Ralph Dean of Watertown is visiting relatives and friends here.

Dancing will be indulged in at Hoag lake this evening "with lights."

Mrs. Alfred Farrington is at York Beach, Me., for the month of August.

Judge and Mrs. O. T. Doe returned from their outing in Maine on Saturday.

Mrs. E E. Baker, who has been confined to the house by illness, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Pike of Roslindale are visiting their niece, Mrs. Sanford Wales.

Roy Hartshorne of Peck street left Wednesday for a month's outing in Maine.

The political pot has not commenced to boil to any great extent as yet in this locality.

Town Treasurer Nelson E. Newell returned on Saturday from a week's outing in Maine.

Mrs. Caroline Fletcher has gone to Newark, N. J., to see her son, Clarence Fletcher.

It is stated that the Milford electric line will be opened either next Friday or Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Thayer and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Whiting spent the Sabbath at Magnolia.

Miss Margaret Doherty of cottage street returned on Saturday from a vacation at South Boston.

Miss Ella Ford of Attleboro is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Keefe, on Cottage street.

Miss Elizabeth Murphy of Fisher street, left today. for a week's visit with friends in Watertown.

Miss Maria Burke of Dalton has returned home after a week's visit with friends in town.

Frank Walsh of Thayer street left, Monday morning, for a week's stay with friends at Webster.

Miss Elizabeth Robinson of St. Mary's rectory returned on Saturday after a visit at Buffalo., N. Y.

Have you heard the latest? "Good morning, glory! Good evening, star! Good night, lunch!"

Miss Kate Walsh of South Boston is visiting at the home of Mrs. Mary Dugan, Cottage street.

Miss Catherine Sheahan of Union street is spending a vacation with friends in Attleboro and Quincy.

George W. Wiggin goes to Maine this week on his annual outing in the woods of the Pine Tree state.

Hayward's mill closed Monday night to make some necessary repairs. It will resume work tomorrow.

Frank and Miss Elizabeth Pendergast departed yesterday for a week's stay with relatives at Lawrence.

Reuben can't catch fish. It would not be safe to say he could not pick huckleberries or wield a lead pencil.

Frank Pendergast and sister, Miss Elizabeth, are spending a week's vacation with friends in Lawrence.

The family of A. Lawrence Ball of Cambridge are spending several weeks at the Congregational parsonage.

Mrs. Charles Corbin of Central street, who has been visiting relatives in Hyde Park the past week, has returned home.

Miss Mary Ottenheimer and Miss Anna Gromley of Willimantic, Conn., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Riordan.

Heavy dews from now on until frost may be expected. People taking nocturnal outings should be supplied with wraps.

Mrs. John Pedan and daughter, Miss Fannie, of Arlington street, enjoyed an outing down the Providence river Wednesday.

Bernard Ward of Jamaica Plain was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Pendergast, McCarthy street, yesterday.

Mrs. D. Kennedy and daughter of New London, Conn., are visiting Mrs. Kennedy's mother, Mrs. Mary Keefe, of Cottage street.

Ed. Richardson did really catch some large bass, pickerel and other fish in Lake Pearl last week. E. S. Messenger did not.—Contributed.

Rev. Frank Byron Adams, pastor of the M. E. church in East Blackstone, was a guest at W. W. Haslam's last Friday.

North Attleboro played Pawtucket on Saturday for a purse, winning, 3 to 2, in a hot game. Radford and Ganzell played with Pawtucket.

Mrs. William M. Thayer has placed a very appropriate picture upon the walls of the primary room of the Congregational Sunday school.

Why is it that men of unimpeached veracity in all other matters are such inflaters of the truth as regards their accounts of fishing trips?

Mr. and Mrs. Antonia Gay of Stoneham, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Morse, of Union street, returned home Saturday.

Flowers for the Alden Club mission may be left this week with Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Mrs. E. C. Abbott, Mrs. Frank Shiner and Mrs Charles Walker.

Native sweet corn is in the market and of unusual excellence, as is the case when the seasons are not too prolific of rain, which is not the case this year.

The Franklin telephone exchange is now in charge of a new manager, C. J. Leathers having gone to Beverly, D. B. Small of Salem taking his place in Milford.

Mrs. M. M. Daniels and her niece, Mrs. Jason Tower, have gone to Maine and the provinces to visit kinspeople, renew acquaintances and review the scenes of their youth.

A number from here went to Webster lake after bass last week, and J. A. Geh, the painter, caught the largest one that has been taken from the lake this season, about five pounds.

The Heliotype and Hayward ball teams played a sharp fielding game at Indian Rock park Saturday afternoon, the Helios being to the fore at the end of the ninth inning; score, 11 to 7.

Mrs. A. M. Waite, who has been enjoying a vcation at Nantucket, arrived home this week on aicount of the serious illness of her little nephew, Newman Waite, of Summer street.

Rev. T. M Miles, D D, of Bristol, Conn., will preach in the Congregational church next Sunday. He is pastor of one of the large churches of Connecticut and is an excellent preacher.

The body Ernest Daniels, whose funeral rites were read at the home of William Lowell, King street, by Rev. Mr. Sleeper, Wednesday afternoon, was taken to Plainville for burial.

The house formerly owned and occupied by Mrs. Parker Farr, of Cottage street, and which was recently bought by Mrs. M. J. Feeley of the same street, is undergoing repairs for occupancy.

Here is a couplet taken from an old reader more than a hundred years old and could be applied to some people of this age:

> "Keep your probabilities strong in view,
> Lest men suspect your tale not true."

Dennis Long was before Associate Judge Ruggles in the district court on Saturday charged with drunkenness. Pleading guilty, he was sent to Bridgewater state farm for an indeterminate term.

Our Boys went to North Bellingham on Saturday and defeated the N. B.'s, 19 to 15, in a hard-hitting contest. Kane and Boucher were the battery for Our Boys and Highlands and Nugent for North Bellingham.

The M. E. church will hold its annual picnic at Lake Pearl, Saturday, Aug. 4, leaving the postoffice on the quarter of eleven car. It is hoped that all members of the church and Sunday school will attend.

Rev. Dr. Sneath left last evening for his father's home at Columbia, Pa., for a week, and will then spend a week at the Moody school in Northfield. After that he and his family will rusticate at the seashore for a couple of weeks.

Prof. O. C. Skeele is spending a few weeks with old friends in town. He will return to teaching in the public schools of New York city this fall. His mother, Mrs. Lucy A. Skeele, of North Adams is also here for a short visit.

Next month there will be a union of the Adams family on the estate of Jas. F. Adams of North Franklin. Mrs. E. Robinson of Washington, D. C., an aunt of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Adams, nearly 90 years of age, has signified her intention of being present.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Couthill removed last week to Millis where they have owned a farm for a number of years. Mr. Couthill has been employed at the Stewart straw shop for a number of years, and has occupied a cottage close by for the past thirteen years.

H. H. Gallison, the artist, has just been notified by the French government that he has been awarded honorable mention for his painting at the Paris exposition. This is the highest honor awarded a foreigner, and is especially appreciated by him and his friends.

George Westland, who has superintended the work of improving and beautifying the Union street cemetery grounds for the past two years, has resigned his position to accept a place at Newport, R. I. His resignation will take effect next Saturday and he will remove with his family to Newport next week.

Thursday as George Hubert, a boy of 7, was bathing in company with others at Stony brook, he got beyond his depth. The boy was in danger and he could not swim; Joseph Cataldo, a boy of his own age and a good swimmer, saw the danger, went to his comrade's assistance and amid the cheers of the others brought him safely to the bank.

In his report, filed with the supreme court, Coroner Lincoln of Providence, in relation to the death of Percy Clifford Redpath, formerly of Franklin, he says: "I certify and report that upon the testimony of the witnesses filed herewith that said wound, producing said death, was caused by the entering of one blade of a pair of shears thrown with great force by the act or neglect of Michael Drumgoole and by no other person or persons."

The body of Mrs. Katherine Donovan, who was formerly Miss Maguire of Lincoln street, of this town, was brought to Franklin Thursday noon and taken direct to St. Mary's cemetery for burial. The services were said at All Saint's church in Roxbury, to which the deceased belonged. A great many friends and relatives in town attended the body to the grave Mrs. Donovan leaves a husband and six children. The cause of death was pneumonia.

The following gifts have recently been added to the historical library of the Congregational church: Two rare sermons of Drs. Ide and Southworth, given by Mrs. E E. Baker; an old volume which originally belonged to the North Wrentham library, given by Mrs. Emily Ware Shaw; a copy of the New England Primer and a copy of the Evangelical Primer, both of which were taught in the early years of this century to the Franklin children, given by Mrs. Harriet N. Gowen.

The New York Vaudeville Stars will appear at Hoag Lake theatre this week. Among those who will appear are the cosmopolitan Trio, the greatest singing trio in vaudeville; Hart and Bessie in a comedy sketch, "A Lesson to a chappie," concluding with "Great Men, Past and Present;" Fisher and Clark in their original acrobatic comedy introducing their sensational comedy act, The Phantom Staircase;" Prof. Hart and Mlle. Bessie introducing the "Mystery of Cawnpore." Miss Adela Reno will be the accompanist

The large engine at the Medfield power house which furnishes power for the Medway and Medfield and Medway and Franklin street railroads broke down Friday morning. All the cars on the line were tied up at different points for the day. To accommodate the patrons Supt. Edward C. Spring hired a barge to go between Medway and Franklin and another to go back and forth to Medfield. The same fare was charged as when the electrics were running, each team being in charge of a conductor. This was an exceedingly gratifying move on the part of the superintendent to accommodate his patrons, though not compelled to do so by competition, or even by the "rules of the road."

J. Wheaton Daniels died at his home in W. Palmyra, N.J., on Tuesday, July 17, at the age of 67. He had been sick for two or three years, his death being the result of successive shocks, the first one being probably induced by a severe blow on the head by a door at a railroad station three years ago. He was married here Dec. 31, 1856, to Harriet E King, who alone survives him, a son having died a year or more ago. He was at one time interested in the straw business in Philadelphia and has been away from here about twenty five years. The funeral occurred the following Friday after his death, the interment being made at that place.

The large stained glass window which was presented to Rev. M. J. Lee of St. Mary's church by the school children early in the spring to be set as a memorial for them in the new building then being erected, was placed in position Thursday. It occupies a space directly over the main entrance and is oblong in shape. The coloring is beautiful and rich and the pictures represented on it are expressive of the child's school life. On one-half of the window the entrance of the child to the school is represented by the mother and the child with the sister's outstretched hands to receive it. On the other half is pictured the young girl having finished her studies and extending her hand to recive the diploma which the sister holds out to her. The picture adds considerable to the attractiveness of the building.

Some time in May an item appeared in the SENTINEL asking whether Franklin would be represented at the big C. E. convention in London. We hardly thought it likely, but Franklin had three representatives, Dr. A. J. Gallison, Rev. S. A. Cook and C. H. Prince. Although none of the gentlemen were members, yet Dr. A. J. writes that he was a very attentive listener and enjoyed the meetings very much. The meetings were held at Alexander Palace, some ten or more miles from London, but still in London. There were great crowds of people, and four or five meetings were going on at the same time. It was impossible to get good seats in any of the halls, so he went to a large tent out in the park near the palace and there secured a good seat, having the pleasure of hearing Rev. Dr Lorimer of Boston. Dr. Gallison is enjoying his trip very much, getting both pleasure and profit out of it.

If the many friends of Abbot L. Bacon who are wont to "josh" him on his capabilities as an amateur gardener, and who do not speak of his Central street garden in other than a "jollying" tone, could find time just at this season to walk through the one-eighth acre strip of land which he has cultivated they would doubtless be filled with wonderment at the thriving growth of the vegetables of all sorts that the genial Bacon has planted and looks after with zealous care day in and day out. You can hardly name a vegetable that he is not growing. The snake pole bean, the pride and delight of Mr. B., and his special favorite first, last and all the time; corn of the Country Gentleman and Evergreen species; tomatoes of the Mikado, Penderiso, Peach and Golden families, all beauties and some of mammoth size; sage, a rare garden product hereabouts; Salem cucumbers, beets, egg plant turnips, radishes, lettuce, watermelons and muskmelons—these and more are in the garden and look exceedingly well and hearty. The whole little "farm" reflects credit upon its big care-taker and he has just cause to feel happy and proud over the good results attained.

Youthful Pleasures.

There were at least sixty happy children last Saturday afternoon, made so by the thoughtful kindness of Mrs. Annie Gallison Hawkins, who arranged a birthday picnic party in honor of the eighth birthday of her son, Burnelle Gallison Hawkins, celebrating his first birthday in America. The children were accompanied by mothers and friends, fully thirty five grown persons also enjoying the occasion. Tables were spread near the "villa," upon which were arranged sandwiches, candy, fancy crackers, ice cream, peanuts, with a whole tub of lemonade, and each little guest was presented with a small American flag. "Jumbo," the Italian, furnished music upon his accordeon, playing Italian and American airs, Games and dancing were indulged in by the guests, and the little host and his mother were assured upon leaving that all had a most enjoyable time.

A Hartshorn, Mo., editor, who believes in all the comforts of a home says: "We would prefer living in a small town, where the people will sympathize with you in trouble, and if you haven't any trouble they will hunt some up for you,"

Auction Sale.

The personal property of the late Mrs. Sabin Hubbard will be sold at auction next Friday, by Auctioneer D. W. Corson. E. E. Hubbard, the administrator, has ordered the sale. It will commence at 1 o'clock, and household goods of rare and antique patterns, carpenters' tools, stable goods, etc., will be sold. Some excellent bargains are to be obtained.

Send your boys to Ochee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Hillside Comforts.

Half hidden by the pines and young oaks on what has been known for years as the "Baker pasture" has recently sprung up a most comfortable summer house, having "all the comforts of home," with the telephone, spring water, balsamic virtues from the wood, etc. It was built by Dr. J. C. Gallison to afford him rest and quiet from the problems and noises of the town, where he could rest and recreate, doffing the cares and thoughts of recent experiences in the Great and General Court, to say nothing of the less exciting episodes connected with the selectmen's council chamber.

The house is pleasantly situated with a refreshing, southern outlook, with a broad frontage to the road, left purposely by its owner in its natural state, lest art destroy the rough simplicity of nature.

The house combines an architectural conglomerate, with its broad Italian chimney, its pleasant Swiss chalet verandas, its thoroughly Yankee interior with strict regard to the utilization of space and the conveniences of summer life. A broad fireplace in which hangs an ancient swinging crane, with iron tongs, shovel, etc., and a pair of bellows which had the honor to belong to the grandmother of the illustrious Horace Mann, takes one back to colonial days, while the kerosene three burner upon which the daily meals are cooked, is thoroughly "up to date" Sleeping rooms abound, that is, there is a bed anywhere and everywhere, on the veranda, under the eves, and in the alcoves.

The exterior is boarded and then clapboarded with pine and chestnut slabs, from which the bark has not been removed, giving the house a distinctively rustic appearance. Wire and mosquito netting protect the inmates from unwelcome intruders, and make the verandas and rooms comfortably habitable at all times. The Italian chimney, built both by Italians and upon Italian lines, is decidedly artistic, though somewhat hidden from view, being upon the north side of the house. At the gate stand two immense posts, twelve feet high, of cobble and broken stone, the words "Villa Gallison" appearing upon them.

A gang of Italians have been building a road from the highway to the house, all of the exterior work being under the personal charge of Contractor Fiorani. Below the house is a never failing spring of absolutely pure water, which is regarded as one of the features of the place. In the rear of the house the undergrowth has been cleared away, the lower limbs of the trees trimmed, a barn built, and in other ways the place is made comfortable and convenient.

The doctor and his family spend their nights there, and he is pleased to find that the place has the flavor of sylvan life with the conveniences of town life, so that each day it is easy for him to pick up the thread of professional and civic duties without loss of time. It is already proving a panacea for some of the difficulties with which the doctor has been wrestling. Therefore it is a success.

Royally Entertained.

About thirty of the members of the Franklin Country club went to North Attleboro on Saturday to enjoy a friendly contest with the crack members of that club, ten from each organization participating. Upon their arrival they were given a cordial welcome in the handsome club house which the North Attleboro association owns, built expressly for the club. The game commenced at 2 30 o'clock, it being team play for a medal, and the interested friends of both sides watched the game with generous rivalry. W. C Sherman made the best individual score. The score appended below indicates that the Franklin club had selected worthy representatives, as they beat the entertaining club handsomely. It is needless to say that this fact did not affect the hospitality extended, and the ladies of the club after the game set out a most appetising banquet upon the lawn, and in the evening music and dancing contributed to the pleasure of the occasion. Every member of the club was enthusiastic over the cordial nature of the reception, and do not propose to be outdone when the North Attleboro club comes over here for the return game on Saturday. August 11.

FRANKLIN.	Holes up.	N. ATTLEBORO.	Holes up.
Arnold	5	Watson	0
Sherman	9	Richards	0
Ray	0	H. Fisher	0
Chapman	0	French	0
C. Gilmore	0	Clark	5
Nye	6	Tweedy	0
Palmer	0	Blackington	4
F. Gilmore	6	E. Fisher	0
Rockwood	0	Franklin	8
Bassett	16	Draper	0
Total	42	Total	17

Card of Thanks.

To the friends who presented my son Burnelle with birthday gifts at the picnic last Saturday I hereby extend my thanks. The fact that some of the donors were unknown compels this method of returning thanks.

MRS ANNIE GALLISON HAWKINS.

Cut flowers, all kinds of funeral designs well made up at Slade's greenhouse. Roses in small or large quantities.

The Congressional Nominee.

Samuel L. Powers, prominently now before the people as a candidate for congress from the 11th district, was born in Cornish, N. H, in 1848 and was graduated from Dartmouth college in 1874, after which he studied law in the law school of the University of New York, and was admitted to the Massachusetts bar in November, 1875 He commenced the practice of law in 1876 as a partner of Congressman McCall, who was a classmate in college. Mr. Powers is one of the best known members of the Boston bar, and has won an enviable reputation for his ability, fairness, courtesy and zeal in the numerous cases in which he has appeared. He became a resident of Newton in 1882 and has served in both branches of the city council and the school board, and has always taken a lively interest in the progressive spirit of his city. Socially he is very popular, as shown by his being president of the Dartmouth club of Boston, as a member of the University club, the Boston Athletic association, and was for many years president of the Newton club. As a public speaker he ranks high as an orator in the full sense of the term.

SAMUEL L. POWERS

Mr. Powers' friends claim that he is entitled to the nomination by reason of the fact that Middlesex county has not had the honor of the nomination in this district for more than twenty years, added to the further fact that Mr. Powers, always a staunch Republican, a leader in the party's counsels, and a contributor to the success of others, should be received with favor by the voters of the Eleventh District in the coming contest.

There will be an auction sale of household goods in the vacant room of the Opera house block on Thursday evening at 7 30 o'clock, when many articles are to be disposed of. Everything sold; nothing reserved.

Eat fish as well as meat. Shad, sword fish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fishman.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Good wages for a girl to do housework. Inquire at SENTINEL office. 24 tt

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Sweet peas at Slade's greenhouse.

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TUESDAY, JULY 31, 1900

Free Town Libraries.

The free town library, one of the best educational gifts of the nineteenth century to the world, bids fair in the twentieth century to become still more than it is now a stimulant to intellectual progress. Collections of books for the scholar and the rich there have been from the earliest times; but a library belonging to the whole community, rich and poor, learned and ignorant, laborer and professional man, is purely a product of the last half-century. Fifty years ago, says Youth's Companion, there were about a score in Massachusetts. To-day all but seven of her 35[illegible] towns have a free library. In the whole country there are not less than 1,[illegible] such libraries. But a mere collection of books, without a faithful librarian, however valuable, is, like an undeveloped mine, practically of no use. The town librarian is, like the library itself, a product of the closing century, and has become a new intellectual leader in the community. The minister is responsible only for his particular congregation, the teacher for her scholars, the doctor for his patients, the employer for his work-people. The librarian knows no distinction of sect, age, condition or occupation. Through the help which he gives, sermons are better, teachers more stimulating, doctors more skillful. The idle schoolboy becomes an eager student, and the inferior mechanic an intelligent artisan. Through his aid, reading clubs counteract the bad influence of sensational newspapers and poor novels. Interest in local and national history is fostered, and a discerning love awakened for the manifold variety and beauty of field and forest life. A dispenser of light, the faithful librarian is an earnest seeker after light. We know of no body of men and women more zealous in endeavoring to perfect themselves in their chosen profession. Their reward comes in such testimony as was given by the teachers of a Maine city: "We could not teach without the library."

Senator Depew estimates that "fully one-half of all charitable efforts are productive of more harm than good. They increase pauperism, and encourage paupers to remain paupers. The worst form that charity can take is when it pauperizes the recipient." The estimate of one-half of all charity being evil may seem startling; possibly it is exaggerated. If true it is still no argument against a continuance of charitable effort. Not less benevolence, but more discretion in manifesting it, is the rule suggested. The charity that encourages self-help is always good.

Prof. Jordan says the prospect for the twentieth century farmer, from a material standpoint is good. No lands are exhausted beyond redemption. Present knowledge will enable farmers to restore waste places and maintain or increase the present fertility of available lands. Prof. Crooks' prophecy of a permanent wheat deficit in 1942, because of a lack of nitrogen, is not seriously taken by many well-informed men. The proposition has not been proved. Science has brought a defense against exhausted fertility.

To correct exaggerated reports regarding the loss of life among American troops in the Philippines the war department has published a summary, which shows that the mortality from all causes, from the beginning of the American occupation of the islands, June 1, 1898, to February 17, 1900, was 1,525. This is at the rate of 74 deaths a month for the entire period.

The citizens of Lagrange, Ind., have presented a remonstrance to the town board that is out of the ordinary. A skunk farm was started within the corporate limits of that city and the scent was more than the neighbors could stand. The remonstrance is drawn up in legal form and is signed by 29 residents.

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Life is hardly worth the living with the never-ceasing aches and pains of a bad back. If you would remove the burden of backache, reach the cause—the kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills will cure sick kidneys, and the cure is lasting. Here is proof of it.

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AS DECIDED BY THE COURTS.

Rule of a carrier that baggage will not be checked more than 30 minutes before train time is held, in Goldberg vs. Ahnapee & W. R. company (Wis.) 47 L. R. A. 221, not to be unreasonable as a question of law, and it was held not to be reasonable as matter of law to leave baggage in the evening for a train at six o'clock in the morning.

That a person is confined in jail for default of bail in a criminal case is held in White vs. Underwood (N. C.) 46 L. R. A. 7[illegible]6, not to prevent service upon him of a summons in a civil action, with an order of arrest and bail ancillary thereto. With this case is a note reviewing the authorities on the service of process on prisoners.

Selection of a suitable intermediate bank for the purpose of sending a check for collection is held, in Givan vs. Bank of Alexandria (Tenn.), 47 L. R. A. 270 to constitute a sufficient discharge of the duty of the initial bank in which the check was deposited, but it is held to be negligence to send the check directly to the drawee bank for collection.

An ordinance imposing a license tax on all merchants who use trading stamps is held, in Fleetwood vs. Read (Wash.), 47 L. R. A. 265, to be valid although the tax is imposed for the purpose of revenue as well as the regulation of business, when it applies to all who see fit to use tickets of that kind. A license of $10 is held not to be oppressive.

Right to a mechanic's lien for the improvement of grounds by enrichment of the soil, planting flowers, shrubs, trees, etc., without making any structure thereon, except a rustic bridge of slight importance, is denied in Nanz vs. Cumberland Gap Park company (Tenn.), 7 L. R. A. 273, where the statutes clearly contemplate such liens shall be created only by the erection of some building.

SCHOOL AND CHURCH NOTES.

Methodists have 142 American missionaries in China; Presbyterians, 2[illegible], and the American board of commissioners for foreign missions, 11[illegible].

Lord Leven, governor of the Bank of England, has been appointed lord high commissioner to the general assembly of the Church of Scotland for the fourth time.

Miss Anna B. Hasbrouck, an instructor in history in the Holyoke high school, has been dismissed for teaching her class that "Christ was one of a family of ten brothers and sisters," says the United Presbyterian.

An extensive building has recently been opened in Leeds (England) to be devoted to the development of clothworkers, research, dyeing, etc. It is the intention of the Clothworkers company, of London, that this college shall become the leading and most complete example of a textile and dyeing school in the world.

IRISH PROVERBS AND SAYINGS

He is better fed than taught.

It's an ill bird that soils its own nest.

He is not covetous, but he'd fain have all.

He that is born to be hanged will never be drowned.

He was looking at somebody drinking.

He would swear a hole through a griddle.

He'd skin a flea for its hide and tallow.

If ifs and ands were pots and pans, where would be the use of tinkers?—Irish World.

CONSUMPTION

never stops because the weather is warm.

Then why stop taking

SCOTT'S EMULSION

simply because it's summer? Keep taking it. It will heal your lungs, and make them strong for another winter.

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Told by the Confidence Man.

The usually handsome, mobile face of the confidence man wore a lugubrious expression as he walked along the Bowery. A reflective, faraway look in his piercing eyes betokened some retrospective musings or some inward uneasiness of recent origin—recent because it was but a brief period since I had seen the volatile young gentleman in excellent spirits and basking in the sunshine of prosperity. It was manifest to me at first glance that my usually nonchalant and blase friend had met with some mishap of more than usual moment.

"What's up?" I inquired as I stepped up to him, he not noticing me in his preoccupation. "You look as if your mother-in-law had eloped."

This gray bearded, prehistoric "chestnut" evidently fell short of its purpose, for he looked at me with a sickly smile. After what I took to be something of an effort he replied:

"Oh, nothing. I suppose it must be the weather; it affects everybody."

For the first time since I had the honor to be favored with the volatile young gentleman's acquaintance I noticed a disposition on his part to taciturnity, and, led by a burning curiosity, I determined to persevere in my interrogations.

"Now, my dear boy," I continued, endeavoring to become facetious for the purpose of drawing him out, "in the florid and sententious language of the small boy, 'come off.' The weather, I admit, is depressing, but it requires more than a spell of unpleasant atmospheric conditions to upset your moral equanimity."

He fidgeted, hesitated and finally said:

"Well, to tell the truth, I'm completely out of sorts. An unfortunate occurrence of recent origin has upset my calculations and plunged me into the slough of despond."

"Was it something out of the usual rut?" I ventured to inquire, a vision of "cops" and cells suddenly looming up on my mental horizon.

He immediately relapsed into his former condition of preoccupation, and, after staring at nothing particular for awhile, he said by way of answer to my query:

"It was just this way: My pal and I were mourning the other day over the degeneracy of the times and the marked paucity of desirable 'suckers,' when a gentleman whose appearance was strikingly suggestive of pastoral associations hove in sight, and, exclaiming simultaneously, 'There's our pie!' we started for him with the laudable intention of appropriating his plethoric 'leather.'"

The confidence man was rapidly regaining his original facetiousness and volubility under the stimulus of my interrogations and attentive attitude.

"Our friend," he continued, "had just turned into Broadway from Chambers street when I rapidly approached him, and, with the usual counterfeit of surprise and gladness, said: 'Well, Mr. Hodgson, this is a surprise indeed! Glad to see you! How are all the folks in Gophertown?'

"My verdant friend assured me that his name was not Hodgson, but Williams, and that his genealogical tree bloomed in Boulderville. I muttered something about a striking resemblance and took my leave.

"My pal being close at hand, I tipped him the gentleman's proper patronymic and place of abode and lagged behind to await developments. My pal, after a cordial greeting by his bucolic friend, walked arm in arm with him toward Park row, I following closely.

"At the lower end of the postoffice an old lady asked me to escort her across the street, the policeman delegated for that purpose at this spot being off his post. I was thoroughly aware at the time that gallantry is invariably an attribute of the true gentleman, and here was a case calling for all of that article that I possessed. But I refused to assist the old lady. You see, my recent lack of the needful and continued hard luck had awakened all that was sordid and mercenary in my nature.

"I had not gone 20 yards, however, when I heard a scream, and, quickly turning, I beheld the old lady under the wheels of a passing wagon and a crowd endeavoring to rescue her. I, however, kept on, feeling some remorse of conscience for my base conduct, and closely watched my men.

"My pal, by personal magnetism and a trick or two known to the trade, succeeded in reducing the surplus in the bucolic gentleman's 'leather' and gave him something to talk about when he got back to Boulderville. In the meantime he repaired to a restaurant. I joined him in about an hour.

"While seated in a favorite resort that evening over our wine, the amount borrowed rendering such a luxury possible, my pal and I read an account of the affair in the newspaper. Of course, we laughed heartily and proceeded to scan the menu in search of choice morsels, we being connoisseurs in matters gastronomic when our means allow us to indulge our tastes. We made our selections, when an item in the same paper arrested my attention. It was an account of the accident to the old lady whom I in my haste refused to escort across from the federal postoffice. After reading the article over several times I hastily left the place, or, rather, ran from it, and proceeded to Bellevue hospital, where she was confined.

"I entered the dimly lit ward where the surgical cases are confined, and, under the guidance of a nurse, proceeded to the bed where the old lady lay. She was breathing heavily: the car of life was evidently about to give out on its rugged road. She opened her eyes as I approached and—and"—

The confidence man's voice became husky as he stopped in his narrative, and the veins in his neck heaved perceptibly, evidently the result of an emotional storm.

"Who was she?" I asked, betraying intense interest in his narrative.

"Oh, thank God, she died in my arms, anyhow."

"Who?" I inquired.

"My mother."—New York News.

No Reduction.

"My dear," said Mr. Northside to his wife, "I am going to file this big millinery bill of yours."

"Why, George, you can't make it any smaller that way, can you?" asked Mrs. Northside.—Pittsburg Chronicle.

Palpable Injustice.

"Ma, I didn't get the spellin prize."

"Well, Dickey, better luck next time."

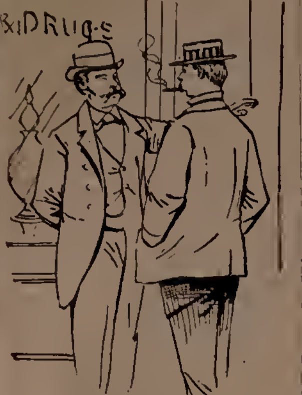
"Yes, but, ma, that girl 'at got it ain't bin goin to our school but three months."—Chicago Record.

LESSON ON "TREATING."

Why Not a Social Glass of Castor Oil as Well as One of Whisky.

It is a well-known fact that much of the dissipation and nearly all of the intemperance of the present day is due to the American habit of "treating." The young man who smokes or drinks is seemingly not satisfied unless he can induce his companion to do likewise, and so it follows that not only does a man drink or smoke two or three times more than he would if alone, but many persons who lack the moral courage to say no are led into vices where they would not go if left to themselves. It is a reprehensible habit, as well as a foolish one, and the next time you are asked to smoke or drink, you may reply by telling the following true story:

Mr. Perry was a southern gentleman exceedingly polite and also a very temperate man. One day he met an acquaintance, who called out:



FOR SOCIABILITY'S SAKE.

"Hello, Perry! I was just going in to get a drink. Come in and take something!"

"Thank you," said Perry; "I don't care for anything."

"But," persisted the other, "come in and take something just for sociability's sake."

"I want to be sociable," answered Perry, "I am anxious to be sociable, but I can't drink with you."

"All right," growled the friend. "If you don't want to be sociable, I'll go without drinking."

The two men walked silently along for a minute or two, the sociable man in a state of great irritation, until Perry suddenly halted in front of a drug store.

"I'm not feeling very well to-day," said he, with a pleasant smile, "and I think I'll go in here and get a dose of castor oil. Will you join me?"

"What!" exclaimed the other. "In a dose of castor oil?"

"Yes; I'll pay for it."

"E-heu!" cried the sociable man, with a very wry face, "I hate the stuff."

"But I want you to take a glass of oil with me, just to be sociable, you know."

"I won't do it."

"Indeed! My friend," said Perry, gravely, "your sociable whisky is just as distasteful to me as my sociable oil is to you. Don't you think I have as much reason to be offended with you as you have with me?"

The sociable man saw the point, and it would be money, health and morals saved if the lesson could be firmly implanted in the mind of every young man in the land.—Golden Days.

FACTS AND COMMENT.

It is stated that 400 members of the English parliament are pledged to vote against the bill to prevent the sending of children to the public house for drink.

Apothecary shops with women clerks are not only becoming more common in Russia, but they are said to be specially favored by physicians and the public.

The governor of Georgia says that he has found from careful investigation that 83 per cent. of the inmates of jails and prisons in that state have never been in Sunday school.

A temperance society has recently been organized among the Armenians of Tabriz—the first of its kind, so far as is known, in Persia. It has about 70 pledged members at present among the Armenians.

Before the daily newspapers are exposed for public reading in the Leicester (England) free reading rooms, the betting columns of each paper are covered over with strips of paper so that it is impossible to read them.

With Years WISDOM.

The answer to that old query, "What's in a name?" was not hard to define in the case of one justly celebrated Family Remedy that had its origin away down in Maine, which proves that with age comes wisdom about

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A Case in Point.

"The cholera is only fatal to smokers," read the farmer's wife out of the paper.

"Well, Jane; I've noticed somethin' was the matter with that parlor lamp of ours; perhaps it's got cholera," replied the husband.—Yonkers Statesman.

Trying to Imitate.

Pearl—Have the Kenwoods been trying to pass as born swells since that uncle left them a little sum?

Ruby—Yes; they never arrive at a playhouse now before the curtain has gone up. Then they try to out-talk the people in the boxes.—Chicago Daily News.

Saying the Aggreeable Thing.

Mrs. Cohwigger—This is a splendid cure for a cold I've given you.

Mrs. Crawford—As it comes from you, my dear, I'm sure it must be. You don't know how sorry I am that I haven't a cold, so I could try it at once.—Judge.

Making Sure.

He (earnestly)—Are you sure, absolutely sure, that you will love me till death us do part?

She (solemnly)—I am sure, absolutely sure, that I shall love you till death do us part. By the way, is your life insured?—N. Y. Weekly.

Limited Practice.

Father—My boy, don't you know that when you tell me a lie it makes me ashamed to own you as my son?

Son—Well, dad, I shouldn't think you'd expect a little boy like me to lie as good as you can.—Judge.

Common Form of Cruelty.

"Yes, he claimed his wife pinched him severely whenever she asked him for money."

"Well, he needn't flatter himself that he is the only man who has been pinched for money."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Whole Truth.

Ethel—That detestable Mrs. Bloom said that I looked 30.

Maud—How perfectly absurd!

Ethel (elated)—Frankly, now, how old do you really think I look?

Maud—About 40!—Tit-Bits.

On The Track.

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LIABILITIES.		
Due Depositors		$564,357 27
Guarantee Fund		27,752 79
Profit and Loss Account		6,268 89
Interest Account		13,108 32
Real Estate Income Account		10 29
		$611,497 56
ASSETS.		
Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		31,350 00
" " Mortgages		159,969 00
" " Personal Securities		164,745 86
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Bank Books		1,500 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Tax account		874 09
Expense Account		1,178 27
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$14,733 01	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	2,954 46	
Mercantile Trust Co.	64 79	
		17,752 26
Cash on hand		2,652 29
		$611,497 56

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

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  Comes not from the spoils of glory;
Loving hearts the tribute raise
  O'er thy silent tomb and gory.

Patriot, rest! A future age,
  Retrospective glances casting,
Shall thy deeds on memory's page
  Treasure up for everlasting.
Of where a household hero sleeps
The hearthstone fadeless record keeps.
  —H. L. Wason in Facts From Denver.

A Repentant Rogue.

How He Acted Under the Influence of the Woman Who Loved Him.

When Jimmie McKoy died, he bequeathed his mansion on North Shore, his founders' shares in the great Poobah Gold Mining company and the respectable sum of £250,000, invested entirely in colonial stocks, to his "only and beloved child," Victoria Marie McKoy. Jimmie was a child of fortune, a man obviously born lucky, yet his sole pride was in the fact that he was born colonial.

Victoria Marie was a lady. She had been well educated by divers teachers. She could play "Home, Sweet Home," with variations, not only absolutely correct, but with a feeling that could disturb no conversation. She had read "Trilby" and "The Woman Who Did." She rode a bicycle and refused to take advantage of the voting paper presented to her by a maternal government. She was the richest heiress in Australasia.

It was at Lady Boughtem's garden party that Victoria Marie met Cyril Fitzherbert.

"I must introduce you to our heiress. Miss McKoy," said Lady Boughtem.

"I had no idea she was your heiress, though I was anxious to be introduced to her. Still, it would be mere æsthetic folly to say that the possession of a certain number of golden coins could in any way spoil my ideal."

"My dear Victoria," cried her ladyship after the ceremony of introduction had been enacted, "I must leave Mr. Fitzherbert with you. I know you will look after him well, you dear girl, and really I must—it is my duty to her majesty—I must attend on his excellency. He has not had a cup of tea this afternoon. Positively, he must be thirsty—such a hot afternoon—and wearing a frock coat!"

Strange to say, though he never spoke of them to Lady Boughtem, Mr. Fitzherbert's talk to Victoria was entirely of outdoor pastimes, of hunting, shooting, boating, tennis and bicycling.

She began to admire him, not so much for the things he had done as for the truth with which he retailed them.

To her surprise she felt sorry when the thinning crowd on the lawn told her it was time to depart.

The shortest road to friendship runs over a common land.

Victoria Marie and Cyril soon discovered this. Both were interested, Cyril, it appeared, deeply, in all the mysteries of horseflesh, and in a mutual exchange of confidences on that prosaic subject they sealed an agreement of comradeship, that word, rather than friendship, defining the good fellowship which for the first few days existed between them.

Of course, the proprieties were maintained by the presence at lunch and dinner of Victoria's aunt, Mrs. Lisle, and as society, in the person of Lady Boughtem, had determined on the advisability of a match between the two young people, they were allowed to pursue thier dual loneliness undisturbed.

By the fourth day, so strong had their acquaintance grown, that Cyril, arriving, as usual, early in the morning, brought with him a birthday book.

"A friend of mine," he explained negligently, "has sent me this from home, and as I have no names in it yet I thought I should like you to be the first to write your name in it, if you will be so kind."

Under each date a little space was cut in the cardboard and a piece of light green colored paper inserted for the name to be written on

"How funny!" said Victoria. "You have opened it at my birthday. Is that lucky?"

"I hope so," he murmured.

She had taken the pen and, sitting at the table, was preparing to write while he stood at her side, watching the operation seriously, when a new difficulty presented itself.

"How shall I sign?" she asked, looking at him with a perplexity which, if she had been a pretty girl, might have been suspected of coquetry. "To my best friends," she accented the words, "I always sign my full name, but to acquaintances or on checks I merely put Victoria M. It saves time, you see."

To her surprise he reddened—a suspiciously angry color—and, stretching out his hand, took hold of the book.

"Do not sign at all," he cried abruptly. "I would rather you did not."

Victoria was hurt. Innocently she had wished to show him her friendship by the harmless ruse of her two signatures, but now she pushed his hand aside impetuously.

"I will sign," she said, her face suffused with a ruddier glow than his own. "You asked me to, so I will."

With every sign of impatience she dashed off her signature—Victoria Marie McKoy.

"There!" she cried, throwing aside the pen petulantly.

He went away earlier that evening, taking with him the book, which she had grown positively to hate. When he had gone, she put on her hat and, to escape the weariness of a tete-a-tete with her aunt, determined to go for a walk.

She had not walked far when at the corner of a road where a heighted oil lamp was showing a feeble and flickering light she saw Cyril standing and talking to a strange man. She drew back in the shadow of the paling fence which bounded the foot path.

"My dear Cyril"—it was the voice of a gentleman—"there must be no more delay. I am getting too old—really, you know, I am 50—to be as impatient as youth. Still I am not stagnant with age."

"I tell you," said Cyril, interrupting him, "that I must get the other signature. Victoria Marie is no good. We must have Victoria M., as you know."

"Very well, my dear friend," replied the stranger, twirling his mustache still more vigorously. "I shall trust you till the eighth day; this is the fourth. We know each other, dear boy. We are comrades in sorrow, friends in need. What is the proverb, eh? But if you play me false—well, I do not like double dealings between partners."

The eighth day mentioned by the stranger and not forgotten by Victoria had come. It had, indeed, nearly gone by, for at 9 o'clock in the evening Cyril and Victoria were in the billiard room apparently engrossed in scoring the required hundred.

Cyril put his cue carefully in the rack and, flicking some chalk stains off his coat, remarked casually, "I must really be off; I have an appointment."

"With the tall gentleman with the big mustache?" said Victoria gently.

"How do you know?" cried Cyril in astonishment.

For answer Victoria methodically put aside her cue and, sitting down on the settee, patted the seat at her side with a quietly suggestive motion.

"You will come and tell me everything," she said.

He sat down, leaning forward with his elbows resting on his knees and his hands clasped.

"It is better not," he replied, moodily eying the pattern of the linoleum carpeting.

She leaned forward and, taking his hands in hers, unclasped them; then, releasing one, she held the other in both of hers.

Their heads were close together, and her wavy brown hair—her one pride and beauty—brushed his temples.

There was no need to speak loud.

"You will tell me everything," she reiterated softly.

"You know part of it," he answered huskily. "You've guessed somehow that I love you (she pressed his hand), and I wish you hadn't. You see, I'm—I'm a scamp, a rogue and a cheat."

He pulled his hand from hers almost roughly and continued excitedly: "I'm not fit for you to touch. I've been in jail. I'm a hardened criminal. I ought not rightly to be allowed to love any one, and no one should love me. My name isn't Fitzherbert. It's Brown — Cyril Brown."

"I'm glad it is still Cyril," she interrupted. "I love Cyril."

"Oh, that is nothing—not the name," he went on passionately. "I came here to swindle you, to rob you. Look here."

He took something out of his pocket and handed it to her without turning his head.

It was a piece of folded paper when she opened it she disclosed a [illegible]—a check on her bank for £10,000 [illegible] signature, unmistakable and clear, was hers—Victoria Marie McKoy.

"This is not forgery," she said, hesitating over the ugly word.

"No," he replied, dropping his voice to a whisper; "you signed it in that birthday book."

"See here," she said, speaking hurriedly, as one who wishes to pass quickly over an unpleasant tale. "I've put a private mark in that thing like a [illegible] pole. They will cash it now; they wouldn't have before. You will go halves with the stranger, I suppose. Still with £5,000 you can leave him and live honestly. Of course, I—I will never tell."

He looked at the check she held out to him quite carelessly, hardly as one would expect a seedy adventurer to regard a small fortune thus absolutely offered to him. Then, taking it in his hands, he tore it into tiny pieces and threw them on the floor.

"You forget that I love you," he said.

He moved toward the door; but, though her eyes followed him, she never stirred. As he opened the door he turned and looked her full in the face for the first time during that talk.

"It was a repentant rogue that loved you," he said sadly. "Goodby.

"Au revoir," she said.

She listened to him walking through the hall, and not until she heard the noise of the closing of the front door did she move. Then on tiptoe she ran after him. As he passed along the dark road she followed—as she had listened that night—in the shadow of the fence. Underneath the solitary lamp the stranger was waiting, twisting his mustache and tapping with his foot on the ground as if he grew impatient.

"Ah," he said sharply when Cyril joined him, "you are an hour late! No matter. Have you got it?"

"No," replied Cyril slowly, "I have not."

"Why?"

"Because she gave me the money—£10,000—and I gave it back to her."

"Ah, you mean that you have doubled on me."

"No; I mean that we will part."

"Very well."

She could see the heavy mustache lift and disclose the stranger's teeth. She knew the sign; the dog meant to bite.

"Very well, go. Go, my dear Cyril, to the devil. I will wait."

There was a momentary flash of fire licking out into the darkness like a devil's tongue, the sharp report of a pistol shot, and the stranger, his hands raised to the pitiless heavens, his lips parted in their last snarl, spun round once and collapsed in the roadway, a mere limp heap of clothed flesh and bones.

"You have killed him!" whispered Cyril, gazing, pale and awestruck, at the thing at his feet.

"You forget that I love you," said Victoria Marie, and, hiding her face on his breast, she wept hysterically.—Royal Magazine.

Guided by a Spider.

A spider was the direct cause of most serious loss and injury to the Dutch nation at the time of the attack upon Holland by France in the year 1794. A French prisoner at Utrecht, who had spent some of his long, lonely hours in studying the habits of spiders on the walls of his cell, was able by watching them to forecast the coming of rain or of frost. At a time when a sudden thaw raised the prospects of the Dutch and seemed to destroy the prisoner's hope of rescue by his countrymen his humble friends upon the wall gave him sure signs of a renewal of the frost. Upon this he managed to send a message to assure the French generals that within a few days their troops would be able to pass over the frozen waters, a prediction that was soon fulfilled, and so it came to pass that a spider was responsible for the release of Quartermaster Disjonval and for the conquest of the Dutch.

He Knew a Gargoyle.

A well known Radical politician once got badly hit. Colonel Saunderson, in a heated speech, compared him to a "gargoyle."

"I believe you don't know what a gargoyle is," sputtered his opponent.

"Yes. I do!" shouted Colonel Saunderson. "It is a grotesque gutter spout!"—London Telegraph.

Only Cement of Nations.

"The Bible is the only cement of the nations." Take the Bible out of the world's morals, and you have immorality.—Rev. E. E. Helms, Methodist, Buffalo.

Clearing the House.

"The house is afire!" cried the tenor. "The audience must be dismissed as quickly as possible."

"All right," replied the manager. "Say nothing about the fire. Go out and sing."—Philadelphia North American.

Made Sure of It.

Pat—Do ye snore. Mike?

Mike—Faith, Oi do not.

Pat—An how d' ye know ye don't?

Mike—Faith, Oi kept awake all night wanst t' make sure.—Philadelphia Record.

A Few Words about

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A prominent Montreal clergyman, the Rev. James B. Dixon, Rector St. Judes and Hon. Canon of Christ Church Cathedral, writes:—"Permit me to send you a few lines to strongly recommend PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER. I have used it with satisfaction for thirty-five years. It is a preparation which deserves full public confidence."

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The Sure-Footed Yak.

I was enveloped in a mass of warm clothing in order to exclude the bitter cold; besides my body clothing, I wore two large sheepskin coats and three pairs of sheepskin gloves, with the result that I was quite helpless and incapable of mounting, even with assistance. I was accordingly lifted on to the yak, and just succeeded in clinging to the front of the saddle, while a Kirghiz led the animal by a rope. * * * The going was frightful; the road was a mixture of large bowlders and deep holes, but the yak was a wonderful equilibrist, and puffed and blew hard as, with his nose to the ground, he toiled steadily upward over a frozen watercourse without ever making a mistake. The men slipped about in all directions, but the yak's cloven feet gave him so firm a foothold that he never even stumbled. I clung on for dear life, digging my heels into the beast's hairy sides as he careered in the dark over rocks and ice, plentifully cut up by crevasses, and wondering whether, when he fell, I should have the luck to lie on the top.—From "Innermost Asia."

Summary Punishment In Mexico.

An instance of the manner in which justice is summarily dispatched in Mexico has been afforded at Naco, a sub-port of entry south of Bisbee, Ariz., where the Bisbee railway crosses the international line on its way to the mines of Nacosari. Two of the Mexican "rurales," or frontier guards, quarreled over a card game. One of the men, Ruiz, shot and killed his companion, who appeared to have been somewhat less agile "on the draw." That night, says the Cincinnati Enquirer, the commandant of the local detachment of rurales sentenced Ruiz to death. The next morning at daybreak Ruiz was marched out into the suburbs of the camp, guarded closely by a detachment of his former comrades in arms. Given a spade, he was compelled to dig his own grave. Then at command he stood at "attention" upon its edge and received in his breast the bullets of a file of men, the riddled corpse falling backward into the shallow trench.

Foreign But Pertinent.

A North Omaha Sunday school superintendent always conducts the lesson review in his school. He spends about five minutes in explaining the lesson, and then asks:

"Now, has anyone a question to ask?"

Last Sunday he explained the lesson as usual, dwelling at length on its chief thoughts, and wound up with the usual question:

"Now, has anyone a question to ask?"

A member of the boys' junior class raised his hand.

"Well, what is your question?" asked the superintendent.

"Please, sir, are we going to have a picnic this summer?"—Omaha World-Herald.

Being Down-Hearted.

After all, there is usually a great deal of conceit in those who persist in being down-hearted. Examine yourself and see if it is not so. You sometimes think that you have been singled out for special affliction and misery. The heart within you is deceptive of all things and it would fain make you think the whole world is yellow just because your eye is jaundiced. Good sense besiege thee, sad friend! The universe is not to be jolted out of joint just because you are out of step. It is self-centered conceit that makes you think it so.—Home Magazine.

Before He Commits Himself.

Tess—He'll never ask her to marry him. He stammers so awfully.

Jess—I suppose the thought of what he's doing paralyzes his tongue.

"No, it isn't that. He stammers naturally, and whenever he impulsively starts to ask her his halting speech gives him time to cool off and think of what he's doing."—Philadelphia Press.

The Colonel's Definition.

"A southern colonel's definition of a gentleman is a man who never permits anybody else to shave him and who never blacks his own boots."

"In Kentucky it's a man who never permits anyone else to do his shooting and who never mixes his own drinks."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Jewish Colonies.

There are not less than 25 colonies of Hebrews, most of them thriving and self-supporting, in Judea, Samaria, Upper Galilee, and in trans-Jordanic regions, with a total of 4,500 colonists and about 1,000 hired Hebrew laborers.

Calling and Seeing.

The Young Man—What objections have you to my calling at your house?

The Father—None at all. But I thought you might ultimately become tired of not being admitted.—Philadelphia North American.

Two Inquiries.

Father (calling from head of stairs at 11:30 p. m.)—Jennie, don't you think it's about time to go to bed?

Jennie—Yes, papa, dear. What on earth keeps you up so late?—Chicago Daily News.

Barbers Are Regulated.

The province of Quebec requires the barber, first of all, to be himself a healthy subject, free from transmissible affections. Then he must pass an examination in disinfection.

Not Without Prejudices.

Officer—I suppose you've been up for nearly every crime in the calendar?

Tramp—Nope; nobody ever heerd o' me swipin' towels ner soap.—Indianapolis Journal.

ON THE ROAD.

Alfred Harmsworth, the London publisher, while touring in France, has counted in one day on the Riviera 177 motor carriages and 269 motor tricycles.

Two lines of automobile communication will be opened for traffic in the neighborhood of Corunna, Spain, during the present year.

In New York city in the fall a private automobile stable will be built. In addition to the carriage house there will be a room for charging the batteries and quarters for the men who will take care of the vehicles.

Increase in bicycle manufactures for the current year will be about ten per cent. over last year. There are some 50 manufacturers in the United States and the total output for 1899 could have hardly been less than 1,000,000 wheels making the total number in the country about 6,000,000.

New engines of the Denver & Rio Grande railway have iron pipes extending along the roof of the cab and connecting with the boiler. Through this pipe, without making a perceptible motion, says the Railway Review, either the engineer or fireman can send, under 200 pounds' pressure, a jet of steam and boiling water that would effectually kill or injure anything living that happened to be on the tender or the front end of the baggage car. The blow-off cock thus arranged is expected to prevent train robbers climbing over the tender.

SHORT, BUT TO THE POINT.

A thorn in the bush is worth two in the flesh.

Misery is like a marriageable young lady; it loves company.

When pride heads the procession poverty always brings up the rear.

It is better to be taken by surprise than to be taken by the police.

Self interest is more likely to warp a man's judgment than anything else.

Some people put on airs because that is about all they have to put on.

One-half the world may not know how the other half lives — but it has suspicions.

Don't imagine a man belongs to the vegetable kingdom because he is a venerable sage.

Don't wait for great opportunities. A long, continuous walk will get you over more ground than a short run.

If at the age of 40 a man meets a woman he thought he loved at 20 he is apt to believe that luck is with him after all.

An old bachelor says the only difference between a wedding and a hanging is that with the former a man's troubles begin and with the latter they end.—Chicago Daily News.

POSTAGE STAMPS.

Of new Mauritius stamps the Philatelic Journal of India reports a six cent green and rose, 15 cent green and orange of the "arms" type and a 15 cent blue, large size, having a picture of an old man with a white wig.

The diamond jubilee of postage stamps is at hand in Great Britain. Sixty years ago the first postage stamps were issued in that country and the collectors think that something ought to be done to commemorate the year.

A country postmaster, near Philadelphia, has got into trouble through not understanding his business. A young lady employed in the city, who had a great many letters to mail bought all the stamps at the small office, thus swelling its receipts, and in return he gave her a small commission on the stamps. The sudden increase of receipts attracted attention, and a post office inspector soon discovered the cause. Both the postmaster and the speculative young lady claimed that they did not know they were doing wrong

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Card of Thanks.

I wish to extend my most heartfelt thanks to my neighbors and friends for their deeds of kindness and words of sympathy in my bereavement.

THOMAS HALLAM.
City Mills, Mass., July 31, 1900.

WORK OF INVENTORS.

In Maryland a man has patented a shirt having a detachable bosom which can be easily removed and a fresh one put in its place when soiled, the shirt having a series of buttons to which tongues on the edges of the bosom are attached.

Handles of knives and forks are utilized for the storage of salt and pepper under a new patent, each handle being formed of a tube, which has spring clips to hold it on the shank with an internal reservoir for the salt or pepper, which is shaken through the ends.

Horses and cattle are prevented from wasting their feed by a new feed box, which has its sides extended to the height of the animal's shoulders, with a slot in each side deep enough to allow the feed to be reached, the sides forcing the animal to hold its head over the box while eating.

Tombstones or other heavy masonry can be set accurately in place by a newly patented method, which consists of placing soluble supporting blocks between the stone and its base, allowing the stone to be adjusted over its bed when the blocks are dissolved and the stone settles into place.

AUTOMOBILE TRAFFIC.

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A private automobile stable will be built in New York city in the fall. In addition to the carriage house, there will be a room for charging the batteries and quarters for the men who will take care of the vehicles.

A close observer states that by actual count the number of automobiles in regular use in Paris represents two or three per cent. of the traffic on week days, with a very much higher average on Sunday and holidays, probably reaching five per cent.

At Maritzburg in Africa, traction engines have been pressed into service by the British military authorities for transport purposes, and on some occasions they have been used to haul wagon loads of refugee children into the country to give them an outing.

How She Was Landed.

Bess—So Jeannette married a farmer. I thought she said she would marry only a man of culture?

Nell—And so she did—a man of agriculture.—N. Y. World.

Marriage a Success.

Mrs. Mulhooly—Plaze, mum, Oi've sthopped in to ask if y'd let me have y'r wash agin?

Housekeeper—How can I, Mrs. Mulhooly? When you did our wash, the things never came back clean, all the delicate fabrics were torn, and many things were lost.

Mrs. Mulhooly—Oh, th' wash'll be done all roight now, mum. Have no fear. Me prisent husband do be a Choinese gintlemon.—Harlem Life.

Lesser of Two Evils.

"What's the noise in the other room?" he demanded.

"It's Maggie," she replied. "The poor dear girl has to have some accomplishments, you know, and as the piano distressed you so much I decided to let her take elocution lessons."

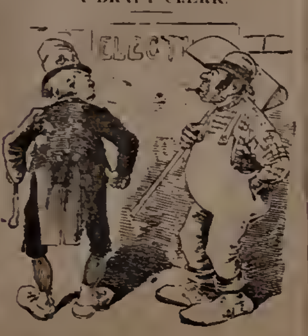
For perhaps five minutes he was silent. Then he sighed and spoke.

"I withdraw my objections to the piano," he said.—Chicago Post.

Choice of Chores.

O, if I knew a preacher who an editor would be,
I'd counsel him to try it, and stay with him just to see
The result, for well I wot, from what I know of men,
He'd find his pulpit restful after tussling with the pen.
—Indianapolis Journal.

A DRAFT CLERK.



O'Hana—And fwhat are you doin' now days, Mack?

Mack—Oi'm draft clerk in th' bank.

O'Hana—Draft clerk, is it? An' fwhat are yer duties, Mack?

Mack—Openin' an' shuttin' th' winders.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Alack! Alas!

The maid sits dreaming of knights of old,
(Her mother at the washboard rubs.)
She dreams of maids with lovers so bold
And longs for one with millions untold,
Whose arms about her he would enfold,
And prove to be a prince among hubs.
The maid sits dreaming of knights of old,
Her mother at the washboard rubs.)
—Chicago Daily News.

She Was Responsible.

Noozy—Your husband appears to be a man of great self-control.

Mrs. Strongmind—Yes, he is.

Noozy—I suppose he inherited the quality from his father, the judge.

Mrs. Strongmind (significantly)—No. It's a virtue he acquired since his marriage.—Catholic Standard and Times.

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Collector's Notice

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, FRANKLIN, MASS., 1900.

The owners [illegible] of the following described real estate, situated in the town of Franklin, in the County of Norfolk and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the public are hereby notified that the taxes assessed for the year hereinafter specified, according to the list committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said Franklin by the Assessors of Taxes, remain unpaid, and that said real estate will be offered for sale by public auction at the [illegible] of the Collector of Taxes, No. [illegible], in said Franklin, on

WEDNESDAY, the 22d [illegible] AUGUST, 1900,

at 1 o'clock [illegible], for the payment of said taxes, with the costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

Henry B. K[illegible]—A certain piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Forest street, in said Franklin, [illegible] described as follows: Beginning at a point on the easterly line of said Forest street, at land now or late of one Woodbury, [illegible] south 58 degrees east, ten and sixty eight hundredths (10.68) chains, thence running [illegible] 42 degrees 35 minutes [illegible] eighty [illegible] and [illegible] of the [illegible] with [illegible], thence south 14 degrees 5 [illegible] [illegible] Forest [illegible] [illegible] A. P. W[illegible], thence running [illegible] north [illegible] degrees 15 minutes west [illegible] chains to said Forest street, thence northerly on said Forest street forty seven and fifty four hundredths (47.54) chains to the point of beginning, containing [illegible] three and [illegible].

The tax on the above [illegible] for the year 1899 [illegible] twenty eight [illegible] cents $28.[illegible]

E. H. SHERMAN,
Collector of Taxes for the Town of Franklin.
Dated at said Franklin, July 31, 1900.
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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of John L. Fairbanks, late of Franklin, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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TAKE ADVANTAGE

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SOMETHING NEW.

Razors can be conveniently sterilized by a new apparatus, which has a tank for heating the water or sterilizing liquid, provided with a hood which confines the steam, slots being cut around the edge of the hood for the insertion of the razor blades.

A trolley street sweeper has been patented by a Massachusetts man, having a short car mounted on wheels with a central receptacle, into which the dirt is gathered by an endless chain of buckets from a series of brushes which can be adjusted as desired.

A new mechanical toy is formed of two oppositely twisted spiral wires with two end portions telescoped and interlocked, the other ends projecting in opposite directions, to slide through the fingers and rotate the toy, which seems to separate the coils and makes an optical illusion.

For army use a combined shelter tent and cape has been designed, having a canvas cover of pyramid shape with a removable cap at the top, which is taken off for the insertion of the head, a telescopic pole being attached at the end of a bayonet to support the device as a shelter tent.

A Texan has patented a mechanical motor for operating a churn, in which two heavy weights are suspended by ropes wound on a shaft, the latter being mounted in a frame and rotating a series of gears, with a crank shaft set at the end of the train to reciprocate the dasher.

Reform.

"No," she haughtily replied, "I would not think of marrying a man to reform him!"

The look he gave her was terrible.

"You are right!" he said, in a strange voice. "The only way to reform a man is to be kind to him."

Then he strode away, leaving her numb with all the consciousness that the horse was on her all right.—Detroit Journal.

How She Might Have Done It.

"I never knew such a bore," she said when speaking of the caller of the previous evening. He never knows when to go. I tried every way I could think of to get rid of him last night, but he stayed until nearly 12, just the same."

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Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
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Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
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Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 00 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10 30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

H. W. Hosie has returned from his outing to Maine.

Mrs. Thomas Coutu is ill at her home on Worsted street.

Mrs. W. S. Johnson is visiting relatives in Waterbury, Conn.

An addition is being built upon the C. W. Stewart house.

Mrs. Edwin Morse of Union street is ill with typhoid fever.

G. E. Emerson has so far improved as to be out of doors occasionally.

Mrs. John McCooe is confined to her home on Union street by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hobbs of Waltham are guests of Mrs. Charles Heaton.

A 11 1 2 pound boy was born to Mrs. Alfred Whiting last week Wednesday.

E. C. Abbott and family go next week to Hyannisport for the month of August.

Mrs. Lydia Harris and C. H. Robinson and family have returned from the shore.

E. P. Chapman has been visiting his son, Hamilton J. Chapman in Baltimore, Md.

William Dana is spending a week's vacation with friends at Naugatuck, Conn.

Mrs. Perry C. Sanderson and son of Worcester are visiting her brother, H. R. Noyes.

The house occupied by Mr. Bly and family on Union street is undergoing repairs.

Very, extensive repairs will be carried out at the Universalist church during August.

Mrs. Frank Hoagland of Bridgeton, N.J., is a guest of her cousin, Mrs. C. B. Johnson.

W. A. Pond has sold the Grant place in Sheldonville to George W. Hitchcock of Boston.

Harris Cochrane is spending a two weeks' vacation with relatives in Caroline, R. I.

Work at Hayward's mill was resumed Wednesday morning, after a five days' shutdown.

Rev. A. L. Fraser of North Bellingham will preach in the Baptist church Sunday forenoon.

Mrs. Webb Lincoln and daughter, Miss Maud Lincoln, left town today to visit relatives in Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Donnell have begun housekeeping in the Parker Farr house on Cottage street.

Our Boys will play the strong Father Matthew team of Woonsocket at Hoag Lake tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Margaret Maroney has returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Quincy and Watertown.

Charles Heaton returns Saturday from Maine, where he was called by the death of David Kimball, of Mercer.

The school street schoolhouse is being reshingled, and the Emmons street engine house is being repainted.

Miss Annie Croston of Lewiston, Me., is visiting the Misses Nellie and Elizabeth Croston of Chestnut street.

Miss Katherine Curran returned Tuesday from Providence where she has been spending a vacation with friends.

Rev. G. W. Miner has returned from his outing near Hyannis, Mrs. Miner and son remaining a short time longer.

John Rockwood of Auburn, R. I., is on a visit to his sister Mrs. J. G. Ray, and incidently calling on old friends.

C. L. Fales left today for a two weeks' stay at Westport, Me. Mrs. Arthur Kilburn is also staying at the same place.

Parents and friends of little Eleanor Nye are anxious over a renewed attack of her old trouble, a gastric difficulty.

Mrs. Preston Day and daughter, Miss Laura Simmons, of West street are spending a vacation with friends in Boston.

Nels Johnson, the tailor, is enjoying a couple of weeks' vacation from business by visiting his father in New York.

The members of J. G. Ray Engine company, No. 3, will take a trolley ride to Crescent Park on Sunday, leaving here at 8 a. m.

The Plainville Stars will come here tomorrow afternoon to play the Hayward nine, the game to take place at Indian Rock park.

Mrs. F. P. Chapman and children are at Higgins Beach, Me., enjoying sea breezes. Mrs. G. R. Windsor accompanied them.

Mrs. Elizabeth Norton and her niece, Miss May Farrell, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are visiting at the home of Lawrence J. Kelley on Beaver street.

James E. McCarthy of Hudson, Mass., formerly of Franklin, leaves for New York in a few days to join Hillyer's minstrels for the coming season.

Today is the fifth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Martin, and some of their friends are calling upon them in an informal manner.

The Monthly printed programme of the Baptist church for August gives the name of each leader of the evening meetings during the absence of the pastor.

Prof. L. L. and Mrs. Burrington have gone to North Derby, Vt., for the month of September, before going to Peabody. We shall speak of their removal later.

An old lady tried the handle of the bicycle pump near Richardson's market the other day, and innocently asked if that was 'good drinking water." The crowd exploded.

Mrs. Henry Draper of Westwood and Mrs. Almon Daniels and daughter Ethel of Jamaica Plain visited their cousin, Mrs. Charles R. Gowen, of Pleasant street, this week.

Hugh Blunt of Brockton, a student at Brighton seminary, and his cousin, Miss Nellie Smith of Blackstone, were guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. James Garrity of Thayer street.

The annual picnic of the Methodist church will take place tomorrow at Lake Pearl. Members and friends of the church will take the 10.45 car in the morning at the postoffice.

Two special cars on the Franklin-Medway electric line carried members of the Baptist church here Tuesday the party changing cars for Lake Pearl, where they held their annual outing.

Mrs. and Mrs. A. M. Thayer leave today for Asquam lake, N. H., where they will stop through August at the Asquam house, just across from camp Algonquin where their son Robert is located.

G. I. Partridge left town Wednesday for a two weeks' vacation. He will visit friends in Binghamton, N. Y., Paterson and Newark, N. J., returning via Waterbury, Conn., and spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Buckley.

County President Reidy, assisted by County Vice-President Flanagan, installed the new officers of Division 8, A. O. H., Monday evening. There was a good attendance of members and a social time was enjoyed after the installation.

Rev. F. B Sleeper left Thursday morning for his vacation. During his absence he will take a trip to Yarmouth, and possibly Halifax, N. S. The ocean air is a great invigorator to him, as was found by his tour abroad three years ago.

If Marketman Richardson can continue to catch as good bluefish as he gave us today he can have our commission every season. He has our thanks. By the way, when he weighed the fish he also weighed the scales; when he weighs meat he does not do so.

F. A. Russegue of Boston was in town Wednesday and took a ride on the electrics to note the changes which have taken place since his boyhood days, when he used to travel to the four corner's schoolhouse with a little box of candy to beguile the hours of study and please the girls.

Joseph Tracy, who committed suicide by hanging himself in his father's barn in West Medway sometime during Saturday evening, was well known by a number of Franklin people. Much surprise was evinced by them on account of Tracy's act, as no reason could be offered for the same. Sympathy is also expressed for the family.

Daniel Pendergast and son of Chicago were guests this week of his brother William Pendergast, of McCarthy street. Mr. Pendergast, who resided in Chicago for a number of years, being engaged in the manufacture of felt, is to remove East with his family, locating at Byfield, Mass., where he will engage in the same line of business.

Died from a Wound.

Charles Lincoln Jenks, son of Henry R. Jenks, died at his home in Newton on Tuesday, aged 35 years, the cause of his death being blood poisoning. About a year ago, while living a short time on Cape Cod, he injured his finger with a fish bone as he was cleaning fish. From that time on he has had trouble with the wound, though it was thought until quite recently that he would recover. He leaves a widow and one child.

He was born in Franklin, receiving his education in the public schools and at Dean academy. After leaving school he was associated a short time with his father in the grain business, going into partnership later with Fred Cotton in the grocery business. After a couple of years he went to Cleveland, O., where he was engaged in the meat business. From there he went to Somerville for a couple of years, but was for the past five years a resident of Newton, being connected with the Expanded Metal Co. of Boston, a company in which a relative was interested. He was quite well known, as his business took him all over New England in the interests of his firm.

He was married October 9, 1895, to Miss Maria Parks of Boston, their home being in Newton since their marriage. Mr. Jenks was prominent in Odd Fellowship, and was treasurer of the Episcopal church where he lived. The funeral was held today from the chapel of that church, a number from here attending. Mr. Jenks was highly respected by all who knew him, and as a young business man had a bright future before him. His widow and his father have the sympathy of all in their loss.

A Fish Story.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Richardson of Franklin and Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Gilmore of Wrentham have been stopping for a few days at the Hotel Onset at Onset Bay. Thursday these well-known gentlemen hired a fishing smack of three tons burden, more or less—it was more on their return—and proceeded in a stiff breeze far out into Buzzard's Bay. The sky was blue, the water was blue, the wind blew and the fish were blue—blue fish usually are—but Fremont and Warren were not blue. Of all the smacks on that bay that afternoon this "smack" brought into port the most bluefish, ranging in weight from three pounds to ten. Aside from the captain there were but these two men in the boat. Here were two men and over a hundred pounds of fish, with waiting buyers by the score. "Sell those bluefish," said Gilmore. "I don't think! Not for ten dollars a pound! Wrentham shall be woke up for once!" Here was a quandary, whether to remain over another day and lose these fish from spoliation or to return home. "Seeing is believing," says Fremont. "If we take them home our friends will know. If we tell them they will say we lie." "Right you are," said Warren. "There are some features to be relaxed among my friends." So, buying two capacious market baskets, they divided the catch. In the meantime the captain wanted to know: "What would you two fellows ask a day to work for me?" If these fish were converted into money, all expenses of the "outing" would have been paid. "We'll have to send one round to the editor, and if my poet brother is going to stay all summer, I'll salt down some of the biggest ones; and there is that barber, we'll fix him as one or two ex-butchers I know of."

From Franklin there went Fremont;
From Wrentham, Warren K.
And they went on a fishing trip
'Way down in Buzzard's bay.
Did they catch any bluefish?
Well, I should say they did.
But they wouldn't sell a pound,
No matter what the bid.

Seeing is believing,
And eating better still.
Warren has some Wrentham friends
Who now have had their fill.
Should these men lose their money
And be without a dish,
Their families need never starve
As long as they could fish!"

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Dental Notice.

After Monday next my office will be closed during my absence for two or three weeks, or until further notice.

DR. E. C. ABBOTT.

A carload of brewery grain received every Tuesday at Metcalf's station, where any quantity can be purchased. Good for milch cows, hens or hogs. Great saving on grain. Inquire at the station.

Send your boys to Ochee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Sweet peas at Slade's greenhouse.

Antiques In Franklin.

Thousands of years ago the inspired writer gave utterance to these words: "They be ever looking for some new thing." Whether he had in mind the people of that age or the range of his vision took in this age it is not for me to determine. There is to be a "new heaven," a "new earth," a "new Jerusalem;" "old things are to pass away." The purport of this article, as indicated in a former issue of the SENTINEL, is to place before the readers some of the "old things" before they crumble into dust or fire shall consume them. These "old things" are associated with the civil and ecclesiastical history of the town. While the multitudes of this age, as in all preceding ages, are ever alert for something new, come with me for a little time while we ransack some old attics and hay lofts for something old.

We will commence at the old homestead of Alfred Metcalf on King street. Mr. Metcalf has in his possession material enough for a book, if all it suggests were brought out. The space allotted for this paper precludes any extended report. Data not contained herein will be furnished by the aforesaid gentleman, who is very gracious to his visitors, and he has a great many. Mr. Metcalf's grandfather, William Haven, fought at Ticonderoga and the powder horn he carried in this famous engagement of the American revolution is one of the most valuable relics of the Metcalf collection. Here is a rifle with bayonet carried by Joseph Gilmore in the war of 1812, and which did effective work. This rifle would be far from safe to stand before at the present day. Here is a wooden case containing thirteen razors, some of which were discarded before the dawn of 1800. One razor has a likeness of the Duke of Wellington on one side and Blucher on the other. The blades of some of these razors shine today like burnished silver—good steel in those days. Here we find pieces of chinaware, cups, pitchers, ewers, plates and teapots, once in use on the tables of remote ancestors. Tin lanterns, warming pans, footstoves, a wooden shovel for taking out food from capacious brick ovens, pewter ware, etc. An Indian pestle for pounding corn, dug up a century and a half ago while clearing land; a cranberry rake constructed entirely of wood, once wielded by Jabez Fisher, before any human being on this planet was in existence. Here are old books, readers; "A Work on Elocution for the Improvement of Men's Minds," printed in Stockbridge. This was new to the writer, as it will be to most of the SENTINEL readers, to know that text books were printed a century ago in that part of the commonwealth. These old things will be new to some of us at least. A wooden bonnet block in six sections, the biggest one the writer ever saw, and he has seen a few. Here are forty Indian arrows, found at various intervals on this estate, but none of recent date. Some of them are of sparkling beauty—white, brown, red, steel, black and turquoise blue, all in a perfect state of preservation. These relics, of course, are practically indestructible. Candle snuffers, whales' teeth and swordfish swords. We will close in the house and go down to the well, whose motive power is a "sweep" rarely seen nowadays, but which a hundred years ago were universally prevalent in New England.

As we stood slaking our thirst at this ice cool fountain, contemplating the thousands of former generations now dead who had stood on this spot on a like mission, we could but exclaim: "Men may come and men may go, but water, fire, earth and sky shall abide forever." Now for the top loft of the shed; bring the boys along, the boys who are afraid of bears. Look at this bear trap! No small affair to catch woodchucks, but bears—bears with big feet. Small feet or legs would be cut off with this trap of a hundred and fifty years ago. What teeth—wrought iron, two inches long! What a spring! A moose could not extricate himself. What a blessing we can go and see our best girl or remain out late to protracted meetings and not step into any such instrument of torture as this. And then, again, the bears! How thoughtful of our ancestors to remove bears. Let us bear in mind to do some such kindly office for those who are to come after us. Another attraction for the boys—saddle bags, heel spurs, snow shoes. Oh, for an oldtime snow storm, when walls and fences were buried out of sight! Look at the old looms, spinning wheels, reels for winding domestic braid on, old meal chests, rakes, cow bells and sleigh bells When we remember that all these priceless adjuncts of former generations were once handled and utilized by men and women like ourselves—men with hopes, fears, doubts, faith, joy, sorrow, fretful or buoyant—and now forever silenced, as we must be in the economy of nature, the mind is staggered! the heart overwhelmed! The writer, in his researches, has found in several of the old homesteads of the town similar articles, hereinbefore mentioned. The Daniels, Tower, Clark, Dean, Woodward and Whiting antiques will be treated of in some near issue of the SENTINEL. There will be no rehash of this paper, but new (old) subjects of equal scope and interest. The Tower and Woodward collections are both antique and unique, as is your humble servant,

W. R. RICHARDSON.

THE HILLSIDE COTTAGE.

[Lines suggested by the description of Villa Gallison.]

Across the meadow and upland green,
'Neath sheltering trees, is the cottage seen.'
There is peace and rest in this quiet retreat,
Far from the busy and noisy street.
There is rest from the daily round of care,
There is health and strength in the balmy air;
Here one may live in the simple ways
That our grandsires lived in the olden days.

Delightful indeed, must it be to lie,
Gazing far on the starry sky;
Or on the moonbeams, soft and bright,
Flooding the earth with a silvery light.

How sweet to be by breezes fanned,
As if by a gentle, loving hand—
To be by nature soothed to rest,
Like a wearied child on its mother's breast!

A. L. P.

On A Casco Bay Island.

There is Massachusetts; here is Maine; behold them, a vigorous parent and vigorous offspring. The parent has endured a six months' session of the great and general court and is still healthy; the child extends the right hand of fellowship to thousands of summer birds and is happy. Honor to them both, especially to the genial child.

To come down to the consideration of 365 spots in the summer garden of Uncle Sam, what a good time the copper colored gentlemen of the olden times must have had among the isles of Casco bay. Nature's architecture was rugged, but the element of beauty was interlaced with free hand, and in the same light or in the shadow the gems of the ocean shine dark green or brighter hued, casting back upon the ocean the shining light of the sun or the softer rays of the moon. I think they enjoyed themselves, those men of copper hue, and their successors here find pleasure too. It is supposed that this is the original site of the Garden of Eden, and while habits of life have been modified and advanced to meet the requirements of modern ideas, the peace and placidity of Paradise before the expulsion remains. To a man built on modern American principles, good eating is an essential foundation stone, and when one sits at the refreshment altar, here the prayer of Artemus Ward for his mother-in-law comes to mind. "She was a good cook; may no rude hand pluck a flour from her tombstone."

With the body satisfied the soul can take its food with greater ease and satisfaction. The beauty of the marine pictures in Casco bay has been told and related a thousand times and need no repetition. Some of the best of them we have here.

Wander which way you will they rise before you, and when you remember that in the golden sands of the beaches lie hidden bushels on bushels of the luscious clams, without the reputation of its Providence river brother, but larger and of equally worthy character, calmly awaiting the march of human appetite, tender emotions will swell the bosoms of all except the most hardened agents of cruelty to animals society

So life here is a dream, except to those who do the cooking and provide for the needs of the strangers within the gates; to them it may perhaps at times be a nightmare. How long it is a dream I do not know, but so far have been unable to discover a graveyard.

The locality retains its Indian name, but the gentleman himself has departed and is not expected to return next season, as the summer boarders do. He has taken his grip with him and there is little evidence of his departure remaining. The only thing to break the peace and good order since he departed was a year or two ago when lightning knocked off the shingles of a big barn and burned the structure and its store of hay.

A pleasant and sheltered sand beach and shallow shore offer the chance to the chance sojourner of washing his sins away. The natives have so few that they do not generally avail themselves of the pastime.

You can see that it is a beautiful place on the footstone of the Creator. The view, however, is a summer scene. I imagine that in winter there is an opportuity for long repentance, if needed, and time for other duties, if the conscience is clear.

Regarded just for the present without looking behind or ahead, it is a pleasure and a profit (mentally) to be here, and as Uncle Silas departed from the trolley laden air of eastern Massachusetts and his good friend, E. H. S. expressed his good wishes for the trip and the trippers, Uncle Silas felt that all was safe, for the prayers of the righteous are good medicine. N. E. Newell (Uncle Silas)—Woonsocket Reporter

Richardson's Market.

Everything that the market affords can be found at this establishment this week. New vegetables coming in daily, fruit, etc. 'Nuff said.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far a possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

MR. EDITOR:—Notices are posted about town, stating that no one must be allowed to ride through the streets on a bicycle at a greater speed than ten miles an hour or a mile in six minutes. Why then is the law not enforced? The writer ventures to assert that on any pleasant day more than one hundred bicycles are ridden through Main street (between Emmons street and the railroad bridge) at a speed exceeding fifteen miles an hour, or a mile in four minutes.

Many of the riders generally pay no attention whatever to pedestrians. Many bicyclists seem to think that they own the streets, and in many instances on side streets use the sidewalk where they think no officers will see them.

Now, if it is the duty of the day officer to stop it, why does he not do so? Why do not the selectmen instruct and insist that he do so, and if he does not attend to it appoint some one in his place who will attend to it?

One arrest with maximum fine would cause others to be more careful and pay a little attention to the law.

Let us have the law enforced or the notices taken down.

A PEDESTRIAN

Franklin, July 30, 1900.

So Uncle Silas Says.

It was a cruel joke on R. E. Capron, says Uncle Silas, to give the credit of the SENTINEL birthright to two young men. When Mr. Capron remembers the sleepless hours he passed in worry and deep thought to make the SENTINEL a success from the start he will wonder who the other fellow can be, for he is not a flesh and blood creation Mr. Capron while here was the father of other literary children, but they died young He was in Franklin at the time of the rise and fall of the beet sugar boom, when that monument of misplaced confidence, now used as a rubber refining establishment, was built and he saw and felt the great wave of expectation and the crash that followed. During the time of sweet delusion Mr. Capron started a monthly devoted especially to sugar beet interests. While the business lasted it had a fair degree of promise, but when the business collapsed the monthly soon followed the same course. After disposing of his interest in the SENTINEL Mr. Capron started a Tourist's Monthly, designed for sale on cars and news-stands and catering to the wants of the traveling public. This venture was soon abandoned and the gentleman went to a more lucrative field of work, where he is said to be on the road to wealth.

Emerson's Market.

Watermelons on ice, shell peas, green corn, gem melons, sweet potatoes, summer squash, lettuce, cucumbers, onions, cabbages, new beets and turnips, green corn. Try our Imperial cheese. Fresh killed Chicks and fowls, lamb, veal, pork.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Good wages for a girl to do housework. Inquire at SENTINEL office. 24 tf

100 cords trash hard and pine limbs, at Allen's wood yard, School street.

To Let—Small tenement, rear Dana block, $1.25 per week, A. C. Dana druggist 24 tf

Wanted —A competent girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Dr. King, High street. 31

Laura Lee, palmistry and card reading. Ladies, 25c.; gentlemen, 50c. Cor. Garfield and Crescent streets. 3

Good rooms and board may be had at the Franklin House at low rates, from $3.50 to $4.50. A. Briggs, Prop. 7tf

Two large, pleasant rooms to let; most desirable and convenient location with private family. Address SENTINEL office. 3,7

To Let—A tenement of five rooms on Alpine street. Inquire on the premises or at Mrs. Burnham's, cor. Peck and North Park streets. 17 tf

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. At Calkin's Studio, over SENTINEL office.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J.B.MCKINNON, Agent.

Can While You Can.

If you want nice fruit next winter prepare to can very soon, as fruit is coming on, but don't use your old jars. Our new ones are cheaper, better, and improve the flavor of the fruit. We have the square "Royal" fruit jar, best quality selected glass, with "Lightning" top at 90 cents, $1.00 and $1.25 per dozen. There are none cheaper in the end. Window screens at reduced prices.

HOSIE BROS.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Cut flowers, all kinds of funeral designs well made up at Slade's greenhouse. Roses in small or large quantities.

Read the Business Announcements.

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Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

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Space.	1 Wk.	2 Wk.	3 Wk.	1 Mo.	2 Mo.	3 Mo.	6 Mo.	1 Yr.
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Reading Notices, 10c. a line. Business Announcements, 1c. a word, no notice less than 15c.

Business and Professional Cards, to occupy one-half inch space, once a week, $5.00 per year; twice a week, $7.50 per year.

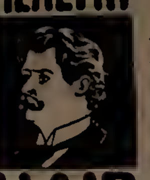
FRIDAY, AUGUST 3, 1900

The Congressional Contest.

Mr. Fred H. Williams of Brookline publicly announces his candidacy for the Republican nomination in the 11th Congressional District. Early in the year there were several names mentioned as probable candidates for this nomination—among them being ex-Mayor Curtis and Hon. W. W Davis of Boston, Hon. William H. Cook of Milford, Hon. Frank W. Darling of Hyde Park, and Colonel Edwin V. Mitchell of Medfield. We understand that all of these gentlemen have withdrawn from the contest, and so far as can be ascertained now acquiesce in the nomination of Mr. Powers, the Newton candidate. There can be no question but that there is a very general sentiment among the representative Republicans of this district in favor of giving the nomination to a Newton man this year. They recognize the fact that Newton is the only city located entirely within the limits of the district, that the Republicans of this city have always given loyal support to and substantial majorities for the party ticket in the years gone by, and that it has been a very long period since the Congressional candidate was named from Newton. There is no locality in the entire district that would be more likely to recognize this sentiment than the town of Brookline. Congressman Sprague, who has represented us at Washington during the past four years, is a citizen of Brookline, and his first nomination, in 1896, was greatly assisted by the withdrawal of ex-Mayor Cobb from the contest in the interest of the Brookline candidate.

The nomination of Mr. Candler of Brookline, in 1888, was brought about in the convention by Newton delegates who had been originally pledged to the support of Levi C. Wade and Samuel L. Powers, and who after a few ballots threw their votes for the Brookline candidate and made his nomination possible. Mr. Candler will no doubt cordially bear evidence to the loyal support given him in a very close contest by both Mr. Powers and Mr. Wade on the stump, and by the Newton voters on election day. If we mistake not Brookline has had the Congressmen 16 years out of the last 30, and that during that period not less than four of her distinguished citizens have represented the district in Congress. During the past 12 years the Republican nomination has not been outside of Brookline except when it was given to General Draper in 1892 and 1894; in other words, from 1888 to 1900—12 years—a Brookline citizen has represented us in Congress eight years, or two thirds of the entire period. Under these circumstances we are not ready to believe that the Republicans of Brookline will urge the nomination of a Brookline candidate in the coming convention. While it is true that no particular locality is entitled to the nomination, nevertheless it is fair to assume that there are men in all parts of the district able and worthy to represent the people in congress. More than that, there has been a somewhat well settled policy in Massachusetts to recognized locality in the matter of nominations. We believe that there is a general sentiment in the district this year in favor of giving this nomination to Newton, and we imagine that the Brookline Republicans will very acquiesce in that by reason of the cordial relations which have existed between the Republicans of Newton and those of Brookline in years gone by.—Newton Graphic.

A NEW bill for the protection of game birds has passed the legislature; it will surely be a good thing for the birds and will result in their increasing in numbers The bill as passed creates a new shooting season of two months. It deprives bird-shooters of the fifteen days in September in which game birds have been legal targets, and does away with the entire month of December, which has hitherto been open season. It imposes a fine of $20 for every one killed or in possession except during October and November. The bill prohibits absolutely the year around the sale or exposure for sale of partridges or woodcocks.



HEALTHY HAIR

A man with a thin head of hair is a marked man. But the big bald spot is not the kind of a mark most men like.

Too many men in their twenties are bald. This is absurd and all unnecessary. Healthy hair shows man's strength. To build up the hair from the roots, to prevent and to cure baldness, use—

Ayer's Hair Vigor

It always restores color to faded or gray hair. Notice that word, "always." And it cures dandruff.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

"My business calls me out among strangers a great deal. I would actually feel ashamed every time I would take off my hat, my hair was so thin and the bald spots showed so plainly. I began the use of your Hair Vigor less than three months ago. Today I find I have as fine a head of hair as I ever had. I tell everybody what I used, and they say 'it must be a wonderful remedy.'" GEO. YEARL,
Dec. 14, 1898. Chicago, Ill.

We have a book on The Hair and Scalp which we will send free upon request. If you do not obtain all the benefits you expected from the use of the Vigor, write the Doctor about it. Address,
DR. J. C. AYER,
Lowell, Mass.

BOW LEGS STRAIGHTENED.

Indianapolis Man Submits to Painful Surgical Operation to Correct Deformity.

Lewis Hoen, aged 24, will leave the St. Joseph hospital in Logansport, Ind., in about ten days, having almost entirely recovered from the effects of a singular operation for the correction of bow legs. He went months ago from Indianapolis. Shortly after his arrival he approached several local surgeons and stated that he was extremely sensitive and when in society was mortified by his legs, that were extremely bowed, and he wanted them straightened.

At first the surgeons refused, but Hoen showed a liberal supply of money, and stated that if the Logansport surgeons did not want to do it he would go elsewhere. The surgeons agreed to perform the necessary operation, and the tibia of each leg was broken ten weeks ago, and the limbs were placed in plaster paris casts for six weeks. He bore the pain stoically.

It is rumored that he is in love with a girl who objected to his curvature of the limbs, but this Hoen denies. When he leaves the hospital he will be an inch taller than when he entered, as the points of the bones when broken were separated that distance to allow new growth of bone in reuniting.

MODJESKA TO DEFY CZAR.

The Noted Actress Will Visit Her Native Land Despite Order of Exile.

Mme. Modjeska has returned to her home in southern California after a successful season of 31 weeks in the east. She will not act next season, but instead will brave the czar's edict and visit her native land, Poland. Modjeska for several years has been under the displeasure of the czar. During the world's fair at Chicago she delivered an address on Poland before the woman's parliament. Modjeska was carried away by patriotic ardor and said things that displeased Nicholas, and the edict followed, making her an exile. Recently a longing to visit her native land came over the actress. The Russian government was communicated with, but word came back from St. Petersburg that the ban could not be raised. The Russian ambassador and other powerful influences at Washington have been at work and Modjeska has been advised to go to Poland and take her punishment. This she has decided to do.

COSTS A PRETTY SUM.

Detailed Statement Regarding Expenses of United States Paris Exposition Commission.

The detailed statement sent to the senate of the cost of the Paris exposition commission from the date of its organization to December 31, 1899, shows that the total amount paid for salaries was $167,768, and for traveling expenses $53,397. There are a number of items charged in lump, as, for instance, furniture and office incidentals, $19,4 4; newspapers, press clippings, photographs, messenger service, cab hire, express and freight charges, $16,000; temporary services of draftsman $10,477.

The commissioner general, Mr. Ferdinand W. Peck, has received $11,031 as salary and $3,724 as traveling expenses, a total of $14,755.

BOOKS AND WRITERS.

"The Fourth Generation" is the title of Sir Walter Besant's forthcoming novel. It will appear in book form as a much longer story than it has been as a serial.

Frankfort Moore, who takes a great interest in the figures of the past belonging to the English stage, has written a novel, with Nell Gwynn for heroine. At an early date it will be published simultaneously in this country and in England.

Catherine II. of Russia left five complete and six fragmentary plays and various historical and geographical notes and essays. Parts of the plays are in her own handwriting and some of them are translations from Shakespeare. All have been discovered lately and are to be published soon.

Booth Tarkington is collaborating with Mrs. E. L. Sutherland, of Boston, on a dramatization of his novel "Monsieur Beaucaire." Mrs. Sutherland, who was for many years a writer on a Boston paper, has already had several short plays of her own produced.

In securing the photographs which illustrate his "Bird Studies with a Camera," recently published by the Appletons, Frank M. Chapman traveled over 10,000 miles and his account of his experiences combines in an unusual manner the charm of sport and adventure and the value of an original contribution to ornithology and photography.

WOMAN AND HER WAYS.

Mrs. Anna J. Johnson, of New York, has gone to Cape Nome to start an evangelistic mission.

Miss Dorothea Klumpke, the young American astronomer, employed regularly by the French government at the Paris observatory, has been given charge of the balloon work. One of her duties is to ascend in a balloon daily to direct the observations.

Mrs. Martin, wife of Frank Martin engineer to the ameer of Afghanistan is one of the few white women who have ever lived in the capital of that strange country. She says the ameer is kind and courteous to the English and does his best to make things pleasant for them.

One of the late fads is a silver buckle with representations of Chinese hieroglyphics on it. Some are of green jade, China's lucky stone, and mounted in rose gold. Others are of exquisitely carved white jade, and equally attractive ones are made of dark oxidized silver, decorated with applied Chinese flowers in bright yellow gold.

Rev. Alice R. Porter is the pastor of a Congregational church at Wayzata, Minn. She preaches twice every Sunday, teaches a Sunday school class, gives an address to the young people every week, leads midweek prayer meeting, is president of the Ladies' Aid society, conducts all the funerals, and marries almost all the young people who seek matrimony in that region.

Success.

"He has had a long and successful career in politics, I believe."

"Yes, he has bought his way into the senate four times without being investigated."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Extremes Meet.

Johnny—I was next to the head of my class to-day.

Father—Good. How did it happen?

Johnny—We was standing in a circle.—N. Y. Journal.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The Worm Turned.

Clara (after a tiff)—I presume you would like your ring back?

George—Never mind; keep it. No other girl I know could use that ring, unless she wore it on her thumb.—Tit-Bits.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine
Carter's
Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of
Brent Good

See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

Very small and as easy to take as sugar.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

FOR HEADACHE.
FOR DIZZINESS.
FOR BILIOUSNESS.
FOR TORPID LIVER.
FOR CONSTIPATION.
FOR SALLOW SKIN.
FOR THE COMPLEXION

GENUINE MUST HAVE SIGNATURE.
Price 25 Cents | Purely Vegetable. Brent Good

CURE SICK HEADACHE.

GIVEN RARE PLANTS.

Annual Compliment Paid to Congressmen by Government.

One Hundred Choice Varieties Are Selected by Each Member of Congress from the Botanical Gardens.

One of the many choice attentions the government pays to congressmen is the gift of a hundred rare plants every year. As this is the favorite season for selecting them, the employes at the botanical gardens are busy packing them for shipment. As a representative or senator selects his proper quota they are taken up and packed in wooden boxes for shipment. The packing-rooms are now filled with these boxes, labeled for all parts of the United States. The wary Scotchman who has charge of the gardens is particular to cast his pearls where their real value will be known, hence his exceeding care in having his cherished treasures—those nourished and cared for under his own hand—go only to those who recognize their great value and appreciate them.

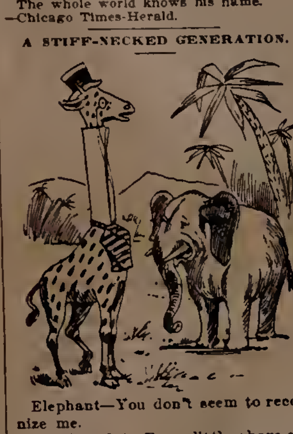
The custom of sending palms and flowering plants to the homes or apartments of members to use in decoration at large social functions is now almost a thing of the past. It was found that the greenhouses were often left almost empty, and the damage done to the plants by carrying them about through freezing weather was irreparable. Besides, it engendered much hard feeling, as the order had to be filed with the superintendent far ahead of the engagement.

As the last of the assignments for this session are being packed the hothouses look bare and uninteresting after the loss of the many thousands of plants this old custom entails. When the cost of labor, material and expenses of making the boxes and other expenses are considered, it does not appear in the light of a mean gift to members in either house.

Why Toil Obscurely?

He toiled for years with all his might
To win the bubble fame—
Week in, week out, and day and night—
But only failure came!
One day he took some pills and then
He highly praised the same;
He'll never be obscure again—
The whole world knows his name.
—Chicago Times-Herald.

A STIFF-NECKED GENERATION.



Elephant—You don't seem to recognize me.

Giraffe—No! I'm a little above one who carries his own trunk.—N. Y. Herald.

By a Feminine Cynic.

Pause, lady, I pray! Do not leap till you look,
For the husband is seldom the lover,
And marriage, too oft, is a very dull book
With a very fine preface and cover.
—Elliott's Magazine.

Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female disease quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a Godsend to weak, sickly, run-down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co. druggists.

With the Ninth in China.

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To the Deaf.

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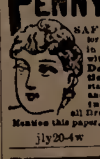

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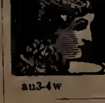

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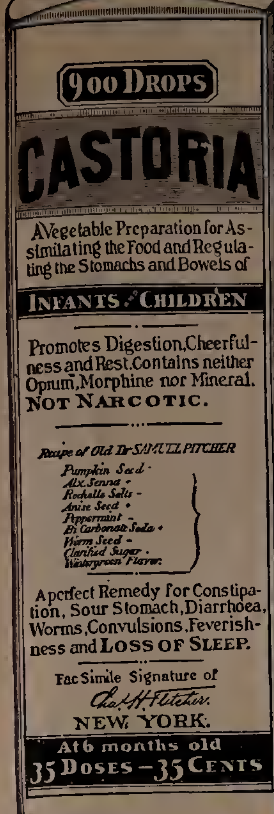

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For thou art the Man that alone canst
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But if thou wilt harden thy heart still,
  and be deaf to my pittyful moan,
Then I must endure the smart still,
  and tumble in straw alone,
Yet still I cry, O turn, Love,
  and I prethee Love turn to me,
For thou art the Man that alone art
  the cause of my misery.

—"The Rivals." 1668.

A CREEPY EXPERIENCE.

HOW A DOG'S VISION WAS VERIFIED BY A CLAIRVOYANT.

"Well, sir," said Crampton, "when it comes to the ghost business, I suppose I have had as varied an experience as any man of my age in the country."

"And you came in time," said Farwell, "to disbelieve in the whole supernatural business, of course?"

"I cannot say that I came to any positive conclusion, but I think, on the contrary, that I was led to abandon some very positive conclusions which were not unlike those which you seem to hold. One was that because I could not see or hear a thing nobody else could. I never worked out a bit of satisfactory evidence of supermundane interference by an investigation. But, like everybody else who goes into this sort of thing, I ran up at last against a stone wall and then hauled off. The disturbers refused to disturb when I was in the haunted house. The pale blue light didn't lighten. The footsteps in the hallway were silent. The cold air refused to blow even when I turned the lights down at midnight. The blood stains always turned out under the microscope to be oxide of iron, just as the elixir of the clairvoyants turned out to be hypophosphates. Slade baffled me, but never convinced me. Home disappointed me, and the materializing circles wearied me. If any man tried patiently and fearlessly to see a ghost, I did."

"And," said Farwell, with considerable satisfaction, "you arrived at the sensible conclusion that a ghost never is seen. That's what I said."

"No," replied Crampton. "I came to the conclusion that ghosts are seen."

Farwell laughed. "It was some mahatma, or, more likely, a gray eyed sibyl, not at all ghostly herself"—

"No," said Crampton. "It was a dog that led me to that conclusion. In 18—, you will remember, I bought that old house just out of Chambersburg, in Pennsylvania. You will recall the big dining room, with its old fashioned fireplace, and you may recall my mastiff, Hubert—'Hube,' we called him. There wasn't anything mysterious about the house. It was one of those old fashioned colonial affairs without any special traditions of interest and unassociated with any crimes that I ever heard of. Nothing occurred in it to disturb a pleasant life that I led there with my family until the winter of 18—. Dave Pettus had come down and had been visiting us for several weeks. The fact is, we were doing some work together on a book for which we had a contract. It was about the early history of Louisiana, and Pettus had accumulated a great bulk of material for the purpose. He and I used to sit before that big fireplace at night, after the family had retired, and discuss our work, with a bottle of old whisky on the table. Nearly always Hube would lie on the rug before the fire, and Alice's big cat would be pretty sure to be asleep on the cushioned bench at the corner of the chimney. One night, while we were talking about Lafitte and General Jackson, Hube growled ominously, jumped up and, backing against my chair, began to bark violently and exhibit unmistakable signs of terror. The cat, with her fur standing on end, made a break for the closed door and began to cry piteously to get out. The disturbance was so sudden that Pettus and I were startled. There stood the dog with his tail drawn down between his legs, his nose pointing at the southeast corner of the room and his head slowly turning as he barked, as if his eyes were following something that was slowly crossing the room diagonally to the northwest corner, and all the time he was pushing against my chair with his hind quarters. He finished this performance, when the object of his excitement had evidently disappeared, by walking over the trail with his nose down to the northwest corner of the room and there giving a farewell bark to the wainscoting.

"I took a lantern and went outside, Pettus following me. There was a light fall of snow on the ground and not a break in it anywhere of a footprint or carriage wheel. The dog, instead of searching for trespassers, appeared to be relieved to get out of the house, and when we went back it was with some difficulty that I got him in again. But he utterly refused to go into the dining room. As for the cat, she disappeared for three days. 'It's the most extraordinary performance I ever saw,' I remarked to Pettus, 'and I can't imagine what the cause of it was.'

"'Something passed across your room,' said Pettus. 'That is unmistakable to me.'

"Then we diligently examined the room, shaking the curtains, inspecting the wainscoting, moving the furniture, sounding the floor and going through all the familiar proceedings of such a search. But everything was right and tight, not a rat or loose board, window shutters hooked tight and the sashes fastened, not the slightest evidence that vermin or any kind of intruder could have got into the room, and there was no warrant for believing that Hube and the cat would have been terror stricken at any terrestrial intrusion.

"Finally we returned to our original positions, made Hube lie down again on the rug, gave the fire a poke and waited to see if we could induce a repetition of the disturbance. But, of course, that is something which, I suppose you know, never can be done, and about 1 o'clock we went to bed. I don't think we either of us said much about it to the family the next day, for fear that they would naturally attribute it to the whisky bottle. But as soon as Pettus and I got together in the library we fell to talking about it, to the neglect of our work, and, to my astonishment, Pettus, instead of trying to find any rational explanation of it, coolly assured me that there was no sort of doubt that some terrifying thing had gone across my room only visible to the animals. You can understand that such an easy assumption would bring on an argument, and Pettus amazed me still more by saying that any other proof that the evidence of the animals' actions was not needed. 'I think,' said he, 'that it is a kind of protective clairvoyance they have. If you have ever been in a caravan on the Great desert at night, you will remember some of the strange experiences when the thin line of camels huddle closer and every cameleer takes warning from these beasts that there are lurking close in the dense darkness strange djans and affrites. I saw in southern Morocco the astonishing spectacle of a caravan stopped at night and cut in two by a great gap, while the latter half of it waited for an invisible procession to pass through.'

"All this, I dare say," observed Crampton, "sounds very fanciful and mediæval, just as it did to me, and the smile on your face is a reflection of the same superior incredulity that I wore myself. Well, Pettus went back to Louisiana, and the whole thing passed out of mind as the year rolled by. But at the beginning of the summer The Journal of Psychologic Knowledge asked me to prepare a paper on a woman of the name of Tibbits, who was attracting a good deal of attention at that time as a clairvoyant. I called on her. She was living in a shabby genteel quarter on Varick street and had already been overrun by reporters and doctors. I found her an uneducated woman of about 30, lymphatic, unvolitional and very impressionable, but rather shrinking from public attention and a little afraid of her own powers, which in a purely scientific sense presented a most remarkable case of clear sight. I satisfied myself that the woman had no fraudulent intent, had, indeed, a most excellent moral character. She was singularly candid in avowing her own ignorance and equally disinclined to be made a subject of public discussion. She did not prescribe, had no nostrums to sell and never, I believe, overcame her repugnance to the trance condition. She had lost her husband some years before and lived upon a small annuity which was sufficient to support her comfortably with economy. Here was a rare opportunity to study a physical and perhaps a psychical phenomenon that was already eliciting the wonder of the psychologists in France and Germany and was not at all confused with any spiritualist claims. In June Mrs. Tibbits came to Chambersburg and became my guest. She proved a very acceptable inmate of the house, was fond of children, lent a willing hand in the domestic arrangements and proved a modest, retiring methodical woman, who gave herself to the scientific experiments with something like a mild protest. Dr. J. and I succeeded in eliminating everything of a supernatural character from the investigation, and hers proved to be a remarkable case of unsuspected visual function. She undoubtedly did in certain conditions read a book which was pressed against the back of her head when her eyes were blindfolded and at other times recognized different faces in total darkness, but she made no claim of communication with departed spirits and scouted the whole spiritualistic business.

One night Dr. J., my wife, Mrs. Tibbits and I were sitting in the dining room. It must have been quite early in the evening. We were listening to the doctor narrate some of his army experiences. We sat in a careless semicircle between the dining table and the big fireplace, which was now closed with a screen. Mrs. Tibbits was in the middle of the circle with her back to the table. Hube, the dog, I should have told you, had died a month or two before. I noticed that Mrs. Tibbits, who was very much interested in what the doctor was telling us, kept looking behind her at intervals, as one will when somebody annoyingly interrupts a conversation. Suddenly she stood up, turned around and, in an attitude of intense eagerness and terror, stared into the southeast corner of the room. My wife jumped up, crying out, "What is the matter?" and both the doctor and I rose quickly. There she stood, her elbows drawn up, her eyes seeming to project and the lines of her mouth rigidly constricted, so that she showed her teeth. Then her head turned slowly as if following something that was crossing the room diagonally. The doctor caught hold of her quickly, and she swooned away in his arms. We got her up stairs as quickly as possible, and the doctor and my wife worked over her well into the night. She appeared to be overcome with mortal terror, nor could any of us elicit the slightest information as to the nature of the apparition that had frightened her. My own appeals to her the next morning were of little avail. I asked her to be rational and for my sake describe what she saw. But she only shuddered and said, "Something terrible crossed your room." "What was it like?" I asked. "I don't know," she replied. "I never saw anything like it before. I must get away from here today." This was unbearably aggravating, but nothing could induce her to stay in the house, and the day after the occurrence I took her to the station, she acting during the whole journey very much like a woman pursued by some unmentionable horror.

"I am not a man," said Crampton, "to be scared by the visions of an uneducated woman, but when she corroborated some kind of clear vision in two animals I began to feel creepy whenever I was left alone in that dining room, and I quietly made up my mind that there might be more things in our atmosphere than are dreamed of in our philosophy."

"Did anybody else ever get a shock there?" asked Farwell.

"No," said Crampton. "That end of the house was burned down while I was in England."—New York Post.

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Life Is Earnest.

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"So do I, Henrietta," was the reply. "I always said that, no matter how rich a man may be, he ought to open up an office, so's he can go away from home during the day and not interfere with the societies his wife may have at the house."—Washington Star.

Disillusioned.

I thought her a poem of beauty, of grace,
  And scanning her, marveled in bliss,
Her rhythm of motion, her sweetness of face,
  Her lips that seemed made for a kiss.
But now, disillusioned, the thought I retract,
  A petulant anger I nurse,
I thought her a poem, and wake to the fact
  To me she is clearly averse.
—Detroit Free Press.

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"Maud Wintergreen," said the astonished and mortified young man, "are you going to throw me over for that dull, prosy old Scraggs?"

"Mr. Spoonamore," freezingly replied the young woman, rising to signify that the interview was over, "Mr. Scraggs may not be as poetical as you are, but 'he' rhymes with 'me,' and 'you' don't!"—Chicago Tribune.

A Lesson.

"I think there is a lesson to be learned from that novel," said Willie Wishington.

"So do I," answered Miss Cayenne. "It taught me better than to read any more books by that author."—Washington Star.

The Reason.

Boseley—My wife won't let me keep a revolver in the house.

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STATEMENT JULY 31, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$571,160 11
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 99
Interest Account		567 15
Real Estate Income Account		16 19
		$600,700 30

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,975 00
" " Mortgages		157,560 00
" " Personal Securities		169,891 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		34 97
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$7,822 25	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	4,095 58	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		12,001 99
Cash on hand		752 37
		$600,700 30

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

ADELBERT D. THAYER,
CHARLES STEWART,
Committee of Examination.

July 31, 1900.

Mortgagee's Sale,

—OF—

REAL ESTATE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Lawrence McGinnis of Medway, in the county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Roxbury Brewing Company, a corporation duly established under the laws of said commonwealth, dated September fifteenth, 1898, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, libro 824, page 272, which mortgage has been duly assigned by mesne assignments to Stephen Jennings, the subscriber, for breach of the condition contained in said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, upon the premises hereinafter described, on Tuesday, the twenty-eighth day of August, 1900, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed in and by said mortgage deed, namely: A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon standing, known as the Quinobequin estate, situated on the north side of Village street, in said Medway, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner thereof, at the junction of Broad with Village street, and thence running easterly on Village street eighty-eight feet to land now or formerly of Minerva Hathon, deceased; thence running northerly on land of said Hathon one hundred and forty feet to a corner; thence running easterly on land of said Hathon forty-six feet to a corner; thence running northerly and westerly sixty-three feet on land now or formerly of Mrs. Woodward to a corner; thence running northerly on land of said Woodward to a corner at land now or formerly owned by E. A. Noyes, twenty-one feet distant from barn on said premises; thence westerly on a straight line parallel with said barn to a point in line with the front of said barn and twenty-one feet distant therefrom; thence continuing southwesterly on a straight line to a point in a line with the rear of the store block thirty-five feet distant therefrom in a southerly direction; thence on a line westerly parallel with said block to Broad street; thence southerly on said Broad street to the point of departure, with a right of way fifteen feet wide across the southerly side of the land conveyed to E B. Stowe, March 1, 1886, from land of Mrs. Woodward to a point in a line with the rear of the store block and distant therefrom thirty-five feet, all as said barn and store block stood March 1, 1886, and subject to the rights in the well mentioned in release from the Medway Savings Bank recorded with Norfolk deeds, lib. 649, page 42. Excepting from the above described premises that portion thereof which has been released from said mortgage deed by a release dated June 24, 1899, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, libro 846, page 511.

Said premises will be sold and conveyed subject to any unpaid taxes thereon, and to the balance due on one mortgage for $5,000.00 given by Lawrence McGinnis to the Milford Co-operative Bank, dated September 17, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, libro 744, page 577.

Terms of sale: Three hundred dollars to be paid at time and place of sale, and the balance in ten days on delivery of the deed.

STEPHEN JENNINGS,
Assignee of said Mortgage.
C. G. & C. D. KEYES, Attorneys,
17 State street, Boston.
Boston, August 2, 1900. 3,10,17

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BOSTON—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex.) 6 05, 9 38 p m; Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, 8 30 a m; 12 04, 3 39, 4 34, 5 19, 8 22, 6 57, 8 17, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 19 a m, 5 19, 7 10 p m.

BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 48, 4 13, 5 15, 6 01, 7 13 7 30, 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.58 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 6 05, 9 33 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 25, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 26 a m; 8 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f8 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 6 05 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m; f12 59, 5 29, 6 13, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 8 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 35 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

NEW YORK, all rail—9 15 a m; 4 25 p m. Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

New York, via Norwich Line, 7 45 p m. Return New Pier 36, North River, 8 00 p m.

Providence Extension.

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

PROVIDENCE—7 03, 9 03 a m; 1 05, 4 26, 7.03 p m., S 8 58 a m, 8 13 p m. Return, 8 04, 8 10, 12 04 a, m 4 50, 6 06 p m. S 7 35 a m, 7 05 p m

MILFORD BRANCH.

Trains leave Franklin for

MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 38, 6 55 p m; S 6 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 8 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

SUPERIOR COURT.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court, to be holden at Dedham within and for the County of Norfolk:

Respectfully libels and represents Susanna Smith of Sharon, in said county, that she was lawfully married to James B. Smith, now of parts unknown, at said Sharon on the ninth day of April, A. D. 1878, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said James B. Smith lived together as husband and wife in this commonwealth, to wit., at Brockton in our county of Plymouth and at Easton in our county of Bristol; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said James B. Smith being wholly regardless of the same at said Easton on Monday, the eleventh day of February, A. D. 1884, utterly deserted your libellant and has continued such desertion from that time to the date hereof, being more than three consecutive years prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said James B. Smith, and for such other orders and decrees as to your honors shall seem meet and as justice may require.

Dated the thirty-first day of July, A. D. 1900.

SUSANNA SMITH.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, SS.

SUPERIOR COURT.

On the foregoing libel it is ordered that the libellant give notice to the said James B. Smith, the libellee, to appear before the justices of this court, to be holden at Dedham, within and for said county, on the first Monday of September next, by causing an attested copy of said libel, and of this order thereon, to be published once in a week for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Franklin in the county of Norfolk, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first Monday of September next, and further, by sending through the mail, as soon as may be, by a registered letter addressed to the last known residence of the said James B. Smith an attested copy of said libel and of this order thereon, that the said James B. Smith may then and there show cause why the prayer of said libel should not be granted.

By the Court.

LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.

August 1, A. D. 1900.

A true copy of said libel and of the order thereon.

Attest: R. B. WORTHINGTON,
Assistant Clerk.

3,10,17

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WRENTHAM.

The ladies of the Congregational church will hold a bazaar in the town hall, Wrentham, on Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug 7 and 8, afternoon and evening The proceeds will be used for necessary repairs to the church interior. The hall will be opened at 4 p. m., when there will be free admission. In the evening an admission fee of 10 cents will be charged for adults, children being admitted free On Tuesday evening a supper a la carte will be served in the banquet hall at 6 o'clock, and all buying supper will receive admission tickets to town hall Ice cream, lemonade and cake will be served and music or an entertainment provided each evening There will be an art table, Japanese table, children's table, snowball tree and a Klondike. The bazaar will be a well-managed affair and doubtless there will be a large attendance.

Yarmouth, N. S., as a Summer Resort.

One of the most delightful of short sea trips is to Yarmouth, N. S., the western gateway to the Acadian province With fine hotels, drives, picturesque scenery and excellent harbor for boating and fishing, Yarmouth is one of the most attractive of summer places. Since the Yarmouth Steamship company reduced the round trip rate to Yarmouth [illegible] the travel over the Yarmouth line steamers to that port has greatly increased. There are four steamers each way each week, and a trip to Yarmouth in August means that the heat of the Atlantic seaboard is escaped. For particulars inquire at the tourist agencies, 201, 236 or 332 Washington street, or of J. F. Hammond, agent of the Yarmouth line, 43 Lewis wharf, Boston.

Method in His Madness.

"Why do you send marked copies of papers with accounts of runaway accidents to your wife. Does she like that sort of reading?"

"No, but she wants to keep horses."
—Harlem Life.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 4. Sunday school at 3. Rev. Guy W Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. T M. Miles, D D., of Bristol, Conn Sunday school at 12. Y.P.S.C.E at 6 30. No evening service.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev S. Halfyard on "The Redeemed in Heaven." No evening service. Sunday school at 12. Epworth league at 6.30.

Baptist church, Rev Frank B. Sleeper, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. A L. Fraser of North Bellingham. Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6 15.

Incompatibility.

Divorce Lawyer—Why do you want a divorce?

Woman (weeping)—Why, the wretch accuses me of snoring in my sleep, of having cold feet, of going through his pockets, of talking all the time, of hitting him with dishes, of scalding him, of having a mother who lives with us, and of making him sleep in the wood shed nights! It would take a saint to live with him, and I want a divorce on the ground of incompatibility of temperament.—Judge.

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List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending August 1, 1900:

Ladies — Miss Gertrude I Hulbert, Ellen A. Schell, Mrs. George F. Button.

Gentlemen—Odber A. Andrews, Concello Celesse, Galambo Lawlo, Giovani Nino, John Wilbur, Domenico Liberto.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Inebriety and Sunstroke.

Dr. W F R. Philips, of Washington, in a very suggestive paper on "Meteorological Conditions of Sunstroke," which appeared in the International Medical Magazine for August, 1897, gives the following table. The influence of alcoholic beverages in determining both the incident and fatality of the affection is as follows. Of 841 cases examined, 465 had this history:

Using to excess.	140 cases, or	30 per cent
Using moderately	[illegible] " "	50 "
Using not at all.	[illegible] " "	20 "
Total	465	100
History unknown	376	
Total	841	

And of the 140 deaths that occurred, the history of 70 is given as follows:

Using to excess	41 deaths or	60 per cent
Using moderately	22 " "	30 "
Using not at all	7 " "	10 "
Total	70	100
History unknown.	70	
Total	140	

Couldn't Draw Straight Line.

He could indicate the boy who used tobacco, said Prof. Oliver, of the Annapolis academy, by his absolute inability to draw a clean, straight line.

There is to be a convention or reunion of French Arcadians at Arichat, Cape Breton, August 15. There will be addresses by the leading public men of Canada, including Sir Wilfred Laurier. Numerous regattas have been planned as well as sports of all kinds, in fact a gala time at the old home. Mr. Remi Benoit, 108 Liley avenue, Lowell, Mass., is planning an excursion at reduced rates to leave Boston on the Plant Line, steamer La Grande Duchesse, Saturday, August 11. Arcadians who wish to join the excursion should correspond with him at once.

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SUNDAYS—First car one hour later in morning; last car one hour earlier in evening, each way.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Sabin Hubbard, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

E. E. HUBBARD,
Administrator.

Address: 113 Devonshire street, Boston, Mass.
July 10, 1900. jly20,27,3

NOTICE.

Estate of Sarah P. M. Wiley, late of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, represented insolvent. The subscribers having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county commissioners to receive and examine all claims of creditors against the estate of said Sarah P. M. Wiley hereby give notice that six months from the twenty-seventh day of June, A. D. 1900, are allowed to creditors to present and prove their claims against said estate, and that they will meet to examine the claims of creditors at the store of A. Maeder, Central street, Holliston, on the thirty-first day of August next, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

DANIEL W. BALL,
ALOISE MAEDER,
Commissioners.

Holliston, July 21, 1900. jly27,au3,10

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	8.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10. p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 09 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10.30 p m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Dance at Lake Pearl this evening.

Mrs. P. D. Feeley is enjoying an outing in Maine.

Miss Caroline Atkins is the guest of friends here.

Everett L. Stewart is visiting friends in South Boston.

Eleanor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Nye, is better.

L. E. Fuller and family of Keene, N.H., removed here Saturday.

The Hayward ball team will play in Medway next Saturday.

A son was born to Principal and Mrs. E. D. Daniels on Saturday.

The next contribution of "Antiques in Franklin" will appear Friday.

Miss Carrie Mason goes to Maine this week to enjoy a few days' rest.

Peck & Field are out with a new order wagon which seems to fill the bill.

Miss. L. M. Dudley of Westboro is visiting Mrs. A. Burgees of Cross street.

M. V. B. Kenney of Providence is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. W. Haslam.

The vaudeville attraction at Hoag lake this week is said to be the best thus far.

James O. Chilson and family left yesterday for a week's outing at Cottage City.

N. B. Arnold, in the Ray coal office, has been enjoying a few days "down the river."

Alfred Briggs goes shortly to Onset, where he will remain the rest of the month.

Conductor Mark Knowlton removed yesterday to the Rockwood house at Unionville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Mason left today for a couple of weeks' visit at East Machias, Me.

N. S. Calkin and daughter of Franklin Falls, N. H., are visiting his brother, Artist Calkin.

W. C. Sherman left this morning for Kansas City and Chicago, to be absent about a week.

Mrs. E. C. Cotton and Charles Frazer left yesterday for a couple of weeks' visit in Palmer.

Mrs. Frank Mills and daughter of Providence are guests of Mrs. J. W. Clark, of Union street.

James B. Fitzpatrick has received an award from the County Comissioners of $20 for damages by dogs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Daniels leave this week for a stay of two or three weeks among the White Mountains.

Mrs. J. E. Clark and family and Mrs. O. L. Burley have returned from a months' outing at Hyannisport.

The Farmers' Club will hold its field meeting tomorrow afternoon at the Town Farm and at C. M. Allen's.

Miss Elizabeth Pendergast and brother Frank, have returned from a week's visit with friends at Lawrence.

The many friends of G. E. Emerson are congratulating him upon his being able to appear at his duties again.

The extreme and unexpected heat of yesterday was quite a change from the fall weather we have been experiencing.

Patrick McWilliams is spending a two weeks' vacation with his family here from his duties at North Vassalboro, Me.

Miss Isabel Abercrombie, who has been visiting Miss Capron at the Crescent House, left for Williamantic, Conn., today.

The Hayward team defeated the Plainville Stars, 12 to 9, in an interesting contest at Indian Rock park Saturday afternoon.

All of the late Sabin Hubbard's household goods were sold by Auctioneer Corson on Friday, bringing fair prices.

The embankment on the land recently purchased by Michael Doherty on McCarthy street, near Union, is being removed.

The American band orchestra will furnish music for the dancing at Lake Pearl on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings.

Fourteen members of the J. G. Ray engine company enjoyed a trolley ride on Sunday to Crescent park and a dinner a la clam.

Mrs. J. W. Clark has returned from Mattapoisette and Marion, where she has been enjoying the ocean breezes for the past month.

Flowers for the Alden club this week may be left with Mrs. Estelle Stewart, Mrs. Sarah Richardson, Mrs. D. P. Moran and Miss Eunice Crocker.

Franklin grange has been invited to hold a basket picnic with Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Stone at West Medway on Thursday, leaving here on the 2 p. m. car.

Miss Josephine Bassett and friend, Miss Robinson, of New York city are spending the month of August with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Bassett.

Little Miss Mamie McMahon very pleasantly celebrated her eighth birthday anniversary last Thursday at the home of her parents on Winter street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Teed of Lowell are visiting with friends on East street. Mr. Teed is introducing the new vapor gas lamp, which really gives a remarkable light.

Dr. E. C. Abbott and family left town yesterday for Hyannisport, where they will spend the remainder of the month at Mrs. J. E. Clark's cottage at Seaside Park.

Albert J. Reilley has bought out the lunch business which has been conducted for the past few years by the Knowlton Bros. at the Main street bridge and put a handsome new cart into service.

Patrick Casey, sexton of St. Mary's church, is slowly recovering from a dislocated ankle. He received the injury several weeks ago while assisting in the removal of some of the church ruins.

A numerously signed petition will be presented to the selectmen at their next meeting by residents of McCarthy street praying that the sidewalks on that thoroughfare be graded and otherwise improved.

A gentleman has been in town recently looking for a location to carry on his business. Two or three buildings which might be made available were inspected but no decision reached. A large number of hands are employed.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sweeney died at the home of its grandmother, Mrs. Hanora Kelley, on Union street, Saturday afternoon. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon, the interment being in St. Mary's cemetery.

George Abercrombie, who has been associated with his father in the piano tuning and repair business in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., is spending a couple of weeks with friends here, camping with the members of the club at Lake Pearl.

While John Ford and son Thomas of Beaver street were haying in a field near Medway Thursday afternoon, the horse and wagon fell into an old, unused well. The horse was extricated with difficulty and fortunately was not hurt. The wagon was badly demolished.

A number from here went to North Attleboro to see the third game of the series between that team and the Attleboros on Saturday, the latter winning 9 to 1, this being two out of three for Attleboro. Weeks was run into by Hazelton and had his wrist broken.

The New England Homestead says that another "pest" is threatening the life of maple and other splendid shade trees. This time it is the electric current which escapes from the trolley wires threading their way through so many of our city and village streets and country highways.

The American Flax Fiber company which carried on some experiments at the A. D. Thayer mill is getting its plant nearly completed and ready for starting its business in Millis. It is expected to commence manufacturing in September. A large number of hands will find employment there.

The selectmen met Friday evening and approved bills. The bond of Edward H. Sherman as collector was approved and filed with the town clerk. Complaint was received against people who hitch horses to shade trees in the streets. Several minor matters were acted upon and the board adjourned for two weeks.

The collector of taxes has received his warrant for the present year and the bills may be expected by the taxpayers before many weeks. A small amount of the taxes of 1899 remain for collection, but is coming in slowly. Settlement of accounts previous to last year with the collector was made at the close of the last fiscal year.

George Westland and family left town yesterday. After a visit with friends in Whitinsville they will go to Newport, where Mr. Westland begins his duties as landscape gardener on Wednesday, having resigned his place as superintendent of the Union street cemetery grounds a week ago and ended his labors there last Saturday.

The various colonies of the United Order of Pilgrim Fathers of Franklin, Providence, Pawtucket, Attleboro and Mansfield voted to hold a union basket picnic next Saturday at Lake Pearl. Each colony is expected to furnish something for entertainment and is also at liberty to invite friends. The supreme officers are expected to be present.

The Methodist church held its annual outing at Lake Pearl Saturday. It was well attended by members of the church and also by many others. During the afternoon a pleasing entertainment was given by some of the young people and was appreciated. Games and sports also helped along the pleasures of the day. Rev. Mr. Halfyard, the supplying pastor, was present and assisted in the occasion's enjoyment.

The M., A. & W. street railway claim that they have not forfeited their rights in Milford, and propose to enforce their claim to the franchise granted, on the ground that they have commenced operations. The line from here to Milford direct will not be opened till the middle of August. The commissioners have refused permission for the company to cross the New Haven tracks at grade in North Bellingham.

Willard Stocker, who came here from Walpole some time ago, died at the Wilkinson home on Oak street Friday after a lingering illness. He was 57 years of age and leaves a widow and one daughter. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon, Rev. F. B. Sleeper officiating. Among the floral offerings was a beautiful piece contributed by members of the Baptist Sunday school. The interment was at Walpole.

A friend sends the following, which he says is his "platform," and he isn't a Socialist either: "We need no new government. We need no political platform. We need men to execute the laws. We need courts which will weigh out exact justice for rich or poor. We need a law which will prevent nefarious combinations of capital from planting their feet in one state for the purpose of choking the people of another. We need independent public enterprises, controlled by the people for their own benefit."

Good days for a hammock hung in the shade and an entertaining book. Keeping cool when the thermometer is in the nineties may be a physical impossibility, but keeping calm is a great help, so leave off worrying, hurrying and scurrying and take things slowly and with a smile. Let some usual work alone if possible, and idle a little. Then when the welcome east wind brings cooling and refreshing breaths from the ocean take time to catch up with your delayed work. So will your health and strength hold out through the summer's heat.

Our Boys had an easy time of it in their game with the Father Matthew team at Hoag Lake on Saturday afternoon. The latter nine was weak in the box and Our Boys took advantage and hit the ball hard from start to finish, the score at the close standing 21 to 6 in their favor. The pitching of Feeley and the fine work of Boucher at first were the features. The batteries were Feeley and McKenzie for Our Boys and Mee, Lance and Pick for the Father Matthews. Connolly and McLaughlin were the umpires. This was the fifth straight victory for Our Boys.

The school committee has decided not to reopen the South Franklin school the coming fall, but continue the present system of bringing the pupils to the center schools. The committee received a petition to open the school and also one to continue the present method, and claim that a majority of parents in the district favored sending to the center schools. At the opening of the fall term of school, the pupils living at Grantville and vicinity will be brought to the center by the electric cars, a much more agreeable means of transportation than the barge. The railway company carries them for half the regular fare. The pupils at the northwest will be brought by carriage as for the past year.

Cut flowers, all kinds of funeral designs well made up at Slade's greenhouse. Roses in small or large quantities.

As Franklinites View It.

London, England, July 21, 1900.

On a delightful June morning, the balmy breezes wafting the good wishes of many kind friends, my traveling companion, Charles H. Prince, and myself pushing out from Boston harbor watched with lingering fondness the receding shores of fair America, our eyes to behold only the noble grandeur of the deep blue sea, until the rising sun told of the break of day on the green horizon of the Emerald Isle. Despite the pleasantness of our ocean voyage, with its scenes of royal beauty, our hearts answered a grateful welcome to the shout of the morning—land! land! A few hours later, the coast of Wales appeared on the right, then sailing along St. George channel and through the Irish sea, we soon arrived at the landing stage in Liverpool harbor.

The most characteristic and interesting of the sights of Liverpool consists in its docks, which flank the river Mersey for a distance of about seven miles. There are now in all upwards of fifty docks and basins, with a total water area of three hundred and eighty-nine acres. After visiting Sefton park, the church served by Dr. John Watson (Ian McLaren) and other places of interest in Liverpool, we took a little ride on our bicycles to the old historic city of Chester. Chester, the capital of Cheshire and the seat of a bishop, is pleasantly situated on the right bank of the river Dee, (famous in literature, and is perhaps the most quaint and mediaeval looking town in England. The present walls surrounding the "old city" date back to the 14th century. While making a circuit of the walls, we halted for a few moments in the famous Phoenix tower, standing in the very spot where Charles I, in 1645, with anxious gaze, witnessed the defeat of his troops just below on Rowton Moor. The most characteristic and unique feature of Chester, however, consists in the Rows found in the four main streets converging at the market cross.

Chester, the usual portal to North Wales, served as our starting point for a brief sojourn in this most interesting little country. Wales contains some of the most beautiful natural scenery we have yet seen. Her rich valleys, pregnant with fruitage, her hillsides adorned with little fields of country products, her mountain slopes looking heavenward, unite to form a scene of inexpressable grandeur. Not strange that here, just out from the village of Hawarden, should be found the Hawarden castle, the residence of the late W. E. Gladstone. The house stands in a picturesque park, containing the ruins of an old castle. The ruins of the old castle, dating probably from the 13th century, consists mainly of a massive circular heap, the top of which affords a good view of the Dee valley.

I must pause to speak of but one of the many small cities of Wales—Wrexham, sometimes called the metropolis of North Wales. Here we find a quaint but handsome old church, built in 1472, and containing two historic monuments by Roubiliac. Just outside the church, to the west, is the tomb of Elihu Yale, founder of our own illustrious Yale college.

After drinking our fill of Welsh scenery with reluctance we turned our backs upon one of the most charming little countries in the world and made our way to Shrewsbury, through "the black belt" to Birmingham, and thence to Oxford, en route to London.

Being deeply interested in colleges and college life, you would not expect me to pass on without a few words concerning Oxford. Perhaps the best known of the colleges here is Christ Church college, founded by Cardinal Wolsey in 1524 on the site of an old nunnery of the eighth century. Who has not heard of the handsome gateway called "Tom gate," and of the seven and one-half ton "Tom bell" in the Christopher Wren tower, which peals forth a curfew of one hundred and one strokes every night at five minutes past nine? Five minutes later college gates are closed all over Oxford.

Lincoln college, though not as large as some of the other colleges, is visited by all Methodist tourists because of its hallowed associations with the illustrious founder of Methodism, Rev. John Wesley. No wonder that this college holds sacred the name of him who, while fellow, lecturer and preacher, within her walls revolved in his mind and heart the problems which in their process of solution gave birth to one of the largest of Protestant denominations.

In the Divinity school may be seen the old hall where occurred (in 1555) the trial of Cranmer, Ridley and Latimer, whose shameful death blots with a scar the old-time religious life of England.

Passing now from Oxford to London, we find points of interest too numerous to mention. It was our joy and privilege to spend the first three days of our London pilgrimage at the World's Convention of Christian Endeavorers. No more noble body ever met beneath the sun than the "C. E." in London, July 15—18, 1900. The roll of speakers of international fame was unparalleled, the spirit of the convention was thoroughly evangelical, while the inspiration of consecrated lives worked mightily for good, as all together "sounded forth the trumpet that shall never call retreat."

Of course we have been to Westminster abbey, the British museum, the National Art gallery, the wax gallery of Madame Tassaud, Hyde park, Rotten row, etc.

Monday we start for Paris and a little tour in France. After these and various other wanderings, including points of interest in Ireland and Scotland, we anticipate sailing from Liverpool August 21 on the steamship Ivernia.

Respectfully, Rev. S. A. Cook,
Pastor of the Methodist Church,
Franklin.

Dr. Lougest as Host.

Dr. Lougest entertained a party of forty friends from Boston at Mt. Vernon farm on Sunday, the visitors returning the same evening.

Upon their arrival at the farm they were made at once to feel at home. Lunch was served and a tour and inspection of the estate was enjoyed. When dinner was served, about 4 p. m., it proved to be a typical English repast, with soup, whole roast pig, immense roasts of beef, with accompanying vegetables, and a toothsome Yorkshire pudding with sauce. A number of the guests expressed their appreciation of the efforts of their host in fitting words. There was some excellent singing, and the members whiled away the time till their departure as suited their fancy. Cunningham's barge brought them to Franklin, where they had a special car over the Medway road home. The genial doctor arranged the affair after his usual whole hearted manner, and nothing was left undone for the comfort and pleasure of his guests, who enjoyed the day's outing to the full.

Among those who were present from Boston were Senator Charles H. Innes, Councilman A. F. Kinney, Dr. A. F. Stahl, Dr. Lougest, C. E. Innes, ex-Representative E. B. Callendar, Councilman Moore, Dr. J. D. Judge, Messrs. Wright, Lacey, B. Stahl, Hurd, Snow, Phelan, Sullivan, Blakely, Mungovin, Harrigan, Kay, Baxter, Mahoney, Barrows, Norris, Lyons, Bell, Mullen, Ferber, Baker, Freedman, Lincoln, Evans, Smithkin, Geddiman, Wilson, Conlon, Evans, Tighe, Speirs, Woodbridge, Wyman; H. E. Ruggles and A. P. Woodward were present from Franklin.

Fine Sport.

A number of the cottagers at Lake Pearl inaugurated last Saturday a series of canoe contests, which were largely participated in and occasioned an immense amount of merriment. The efforts of some of the contestants to keep their canoes right side up and win were ludicrous in the extreme, and resulted in many a dip into the waters of the lake, but as all were attired in bathing suits they were prepared for the emergency. Quite a large number of Franklinites rode down to see the fun. It is enough to say that both participants and spectators enjoyed the affair hugely, and another contest has been arranged for. The following was the result of the races:

Girls' single paddle—1st, Miss Macomber; 2d, Miss Notman.

Men's single paddle—1st, Mr. Notman; 2d, Mr. Mora.

Mixed tandem paddle—1st, Miss Macomber and Mr. Notman; 2d, Miss Rey and Philip Allen.

Mixed four paddle—1st, Misses Ray and Allen, Fred and Charles Allen; 2d, Misses Williams and Metcalf, Messrs. Williams and Notman.

Standing paddling—1st, Mr. Notman; 2d, Mr. Rockwood.

Tilting tournament—Called on account of pole breaking.

Tandem, overboard—1st, Charles Allen and Mr. Mora; 2d, Philip Allen and Fred Allen.

Hurry scurry — 1st, Fred Allen; 2d, Mr. Notman.

Working boat, singles—1st, Charles Allen; 2d, Fred Allen.

At Hoag Lake This Week.

The programme which is to be given at Hoag Lake this week includes the musical comedians, Weston and Greves, in their absurdity, "Jilted;" the charming vocalist, Miss Frances Woods; "The Novelty Duo," Edgar Foreman and Julia West, in their production entitled "After the Ball;" the kings of comedy, Conway and Staate, in their "Laughing Casey."

Dental Notice.

Please note that my office will be closed during my absence for two or three weeks, or until further notice.

Dr. E. C. Abbott.

The Plant Line will run a cheap excursion to St. Johns, good going by La Grande Duchesse, Saturday, July 28, and returning by any steamer within thirty days. Tickets and all information at 290 Washington street or 20 Atlantic avenue, Boston.

Eat fish as well as meat. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fishman.

Send your boys to Ochee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Sweet peas at Slade's greenhouse.

A NEW SYSTEM'S FAILURE.

He owned a little paper,
And business it was slow,
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So he made a bold announcement,
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Hereafter we will edit
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Every column
Will be solumn
Truth, from an unbiased view."

And in next week's issue
He told the simple facts.
(Some of them were as cutting
As though told with an ax.)
He wrote of social doings
In unembellished style,
And public men he mentioned
Also their stock of guile.
Very truthful
Was this youthful
Editor with winning smile.

That was the only issue
On the Washingtonian plan.
Also, the final labor
Of the honest minded man.
His paper is not running,
Since it started such a buzz;
But the editor is running,
Or, when last observed, he was—
He was chasing,
He was racing
Just as Aguinaldo does.

—Baltimore American.

Lake Pearl.

There was a large crowd at Lake Pearl on Sunday, the music by the Norwood band proving a fine attraction. For the present the vaudeville attractions have been given up, but the Punch and Judy show still amuses the people. Lake Pearl, by its native beauty and attractiveness, has proven itself to be a popular place of resort, and Manager Enegren has handled crowds vastly in excess of anything he had dared to hope for. The dancing on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings has drawn goodly numbers, who enjoy the fresh air and the delights of the dance. This season will be a good one for Proprietor Enegren, who has spent a good deal of money to make an attractive resort.

An exchange very tritely says in regard to the inflated speculation now extant that "if those who get something for nothing, got it from nowhere, there would be no kick, but such is not the case—it has to come from somewhere and the place it comes from is the pocket of the man who earns and badly needs it himself.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Good wages for a girl to do housework. Inquire at Sentinel office. 24 tf

100 cords trash hard and pine limbs, at Allen's wood yard, School street.

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Wanted.—A competent girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Dr. King, High street. 31

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

Two large, pleasant rooms to let; most desirable and convenient location with private family. Address Sentinel office. 3,7

To Let.—In Morse block, large front room, nicely furnished, steam heat. For further information address P. O. Box 228. 7*

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Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. At Calkin's Studio, over Sentinel office.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J.B.McKinnon, Agent.

The best incaudescent vapor gas lamp can be seen at No. 10 East street. It gives 100 candle power, and the actual cost of running is 1 4c. per hour. E. A. Teed, agent, 194 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass. 7*

Business requiring a somewhat protracted stay in Franklin, a young married couple (no children) wish to secure accommodations with a private, select family in or near the centre of town. Address Sentinel. 7*

Spend your vacation on old ocean instead of the dry, hot country. Take the Plant Line to the Provinces and see something of a foreign land. Don't feel obliged to take a stateroom; a free berth in the cabin is better than the average farm house quarters. A fourteen hundred mile cruise inside of a week. Stop over allowed. Living in the Provinces cheaper than staying at home. Send for advertising telling all about it, to J. A. Flanders, New England agent, 290 Washington street, E. H. Downing, agent, 20 Atlantic avenue, Boston.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

A carload of brewery grain received every Tuesday at Metcalf's station, where any quantity can be purchased. Good for milch cows, hens or hogs. Great saving on grain. Inquire at the station.

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1900.

THE friends of Samuel L. Powers do not rest their case entirely on the locality point, by any manner of means, but upon the fact of his superior ability. It is claimed that be is so well equipped for the position that he will make a mark of distinction in the National house, because of his honesty of dealing, his purity of motive, his rare oratorical genius and consummate geniality, and that he will keep pace with the other members of the Massachusetts delegation.

A LARGE section of this district has united on S. L. Powers for Congressman, and the least that can be said of him is that he is equal in ability, character and standing to any candidate Brookline has presented. Even Brookline must concede this, and outside of that town he is recognized as one of the most able men in the district, and as an orator or debater he surpasses any representative this district has had in many years. The opinion that Newton people have of him is shown by the fact that they have chosen him to about every office in the city and the only reason he has not held more offices, is because he refused to accept them. He has lived in Newton for twenty years and has steadily grown in the estimation of the people, and has shown a broad minded and progressive spirit that has placed him at the head of social and professional life in Newton. Newton people are slow to take up with new men, but when a man shows himself worthy of confidence, they grant it ungrudgingly, and Mr. Powers has steadily grown in popularity during his life in Newton. Professionally he has met with unusual success, and the Republicans of the district, have prevailed upon him to be a candidate, and have pledged him their support. There is but little doubt that he will receive the nomination, both because he is so well qualified for the position, and because the nomination clearly belongs this year to Middlesex county.—Newton Graphic.

When the war and all that has been associated with it comes to be summed up, comments a London paper, it will be found that the part which women have played in it will be by no means an insignificant one. It has often been said by those who love to tease women that it is perfectly ridiculous of them ever to talk of equality with the other sex unless they are prepared to dare all that becomes a man and take their share of soldiering with him. But when the present campaign is over and the work which had been done one way or another by women is reviewed—if, indeed, all that they have done is ever fully known and recognized—the champions of the sex will certainly be able to retort that though they may not have worn khaki uniforms and handled lee-metfords and forded rivers and stormed with shot and shell, yet they have in different ways taken a very active and important share in the campaign.

It is reported that a number of wealthy sportsmen of Bridgeport, Conn., have sent to Kansas for 60 dozen quail. As soon as the birds arrive they will be taken out in batches and liberated at various points in the surrounding country. They cost $4 a dozen, and it is expected that when liberated they will be easily able to maintain themselves. Quails mate in April and May. Each pair will produce two broods of ten or twelve birds each during the summer and early fall. The Bridgeport men think that about 6[illegible] per cent. of the young will survive, so that in the fall there will be about [illegible],000 quail to kill when the law is off.

The New Yorkers have a queer idea of what constitutes insanity. A wealthy woman who made a formal call the other day, clad in her night gown, is put down as insane, while a woman who named her two boys Robert Rapid Transit Behrend and William Rapid Transit Behrend is credited with the possession of normal reasoning faculties.

THINK IT OVER. There's a reason for those pains in your back and sides, for those dull, dragging aches, that listless, "keep-away-from-me" feeling. The kidneys are to blame. They get sick, can't do their work and the whole system feels the effect, just as a whole town feels the effect of a blockaded sewerage system.

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Lightning Telegraph.

It is not in show performances that one finds the greatest achievements of the telegraph, but in the speed with which ordinary business is transacted. Thus the stock and produce exchanges of New York and Chicago have the closest possible connection. There is a vast amount of communication between the exchanges of the two cities every day, and the telegraph companies have their offices on the floors of the exchanges. It is on record that messages have been sent from the New York produce exchange to the Chicago produce exchange, and answers received in 45 seconds. When one reflects that these were ordinary messages, for which no special preparation was made, and that the operation involved the writing out of the messages at each end of the line and their delivery to the persons to whom they were addressed, the result seems marvelous.—Ainslee's Magazine.

Sick of Seeing Blood.

Gunner S. Ward, of the Seventy-eighth battery, royal field artillery, writing of the difficulties before Gen. Buller's relief column, to the London Leader, says that the opinion generally held is that one man in a trench is worth 15 in the open. "To tell the truth," he says, "I'm sick and tired of seeing so much blood. I've seen legs, arms and heads knocked off cleaner than one could cut them off. There's no mistake, it's something terrible. We dug a shell out of the ground weighing exactly 100 pounds, and it was 12 inches in diameter. That same shell killed three mules, one bullock, an Indian native, and one native severely wounded. All that damage done without it bursting."

Value of Diamonds.

An idea of the great increase in the cost of diamonds imparted by the labor of polishing and mounting, as well as by the profits of traders, may be obtained by comparing their price at the mines in South Africa with the price in the jewelry shops. A diamond weighing one carat, mounted in a ring, says the Youth's Companion, may cost the buyer $100 or more, but at Kimberley the average value of diamonds is only $6.33 per carat. The value, of course, varies with the size and purity of the stones, but the total value of the 22,843 carats of diamonds found in the Transvaal in 1898 was only $212,812, an average of $9.32 per carat.

Too Literal by Far.

People who take things literally are apt to tread on other people's toes. The Irishman who walked in where he saw a sign "Walk In," and who was ordered out by the lawyer, was a literal man, and so was the man who went into a pawnbroker's shop and demanded $10 because there was a placard in the window that read: "Look at this watch for $10."

"I looked at it," said be, "and now I want my $10."—Golden Days.

After Joys.

"I don't think Mrs. Betterdays ever enjoyed her money so much as she does now."

"Why, she lost her money some years ago."

"True, but then, you see, it has supplied her with an unfailing topic of conversation ever since."—Kansas City Independent.

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MUST BE FORTIFIED.

Defense of Isolated Coaling Stations Is Advocated.

T. H. Gignilliat, Graduate of the Naval Academy, Argues That It Would Be a Real Economy.

In discussing the importance of isolated coaling docks and their defense, T. H. Gignilliat, a graduate of the naval academy, says: "There is now no other way by which great economy of warships can be effected in the event of hostilities than by the fortification of isolated coaling stations. It is probable that in the matter of actual economy in the protection of harbors the ratio is as great as ten to one in favor of land defenses, that is to say, $500,000 expended at a place like Pearl harbor would probably in time of war leave vessels costing $5,000,000 or more free to go wherever they would otherwise be of the most service, and such fortifications would be vastly more formidable to an attacking fleet than a battleship or cruiser costing ten times as much. In other words, for $500,000 batteries of mortars and disappearing guns more powerful than the batteries of our largest battleships could be emplaced at any coaling station, which, being more impregnable and having greater stability, with proper handling would outfight any battleship that could be built. Until the United States navy is greatly increased this will be a most important consideration, especially in case we should be in danger of hostilities with a first-class naval power.

"The value of shore batteries was more than ever established in the war with Spain, even by the doubtful defenses built by that government. England has forseen the necessity of acquiring and fortifying coaling stations if she has foreseen nothing else in warfare. With her fortresses at Halifax, Bermuda, Nassau and Gibraltar, and with the Azores probably under her control in time of war by treaty with Portugal, she dominates the Atlantic beyond present hope of competition. But with Alaska, the Aleutians, Pearl Harbor, Pango Pango, Guam and Cavite in our hands we can and ought to dominate the Pacific, and the way is to do in the Pacific what the English have done in the Atlantic and in the Mediterranean.

"With the aid of modern fortifications, selected places like Pearl Harbor, Pango Pango and Guam may soon become to the United States as important as Bermuda and Malta are to England. For the garrisoning of such fortifications battalions of marines, after the training they get on board ship, will make the most efficient set of heavy artillerymen in the world."

HEIR TO A BIG ESTATE.

Walter Adamson Suddenly Finds That He Has Become a Very Rich Man.

Walter Adamson, a citizen of Durand, Mich., is heir to $1,000,000 and more and has been wandering about the country for years unconscious of this fact. He was standing in the corridor of the Boody house, in Toledo, O., when he chanced to pick up a New York paper and began to look over its pages. Suddenly his face lighted up and he said to a bystander: "Well, that's surely my picture, and I am surely the Walter Adamson advertised for."

He says that years ago he left the Empire state for the west and has drifted from place to place so that his relatives have not been able to keep track of him.

In 1702, when Queen Anne ascended the throne, John Adamson, a wealthy citizen, died in London and his estate has been handed down until E. B. Humphreys, of New York, found that Alexander Adamson was the only living heir and had several children, of whom the Michigan man is one. The elder Adamson died in 1889 and the relatives have been looking for the wanderer since that time. Adamson immediately left for New York to claim his vast wealth. He has been connected with the Union News company.

WAX INSOLENT IN PROSPERITY

Cabmen in Paris Not Only Raise Their Prices But Insult Passengers.

With the exhibition in full blast Paris cabmen are not only exorbitant in their charges but are often insulting. Mlle. Jane Hading had a little experience with one of them the other day. Having taken a street cab, she called on various tradespeople, and at last pulled up before a dressmaker's establishment in the Rue Laitbout. Mlle. Hading was about to go into the shop when cabby called:

"You must give me fare. How do I know that you are not going to slip out another door?"

"But—" said Mlle. Hading.

"I don't want no 'buts,'" retorted the insolent jehu. "I know who you are. I have seen your name often enough on the playbills. That don't matter. Come, fork out!"

It is needless to say the money was immediately given and the cabman's number was taken, the popular actress having to find another conveyance in which to return home.

Iowa Duck Farm.

On a duck farm near Fort Dodge, Ia., there were recently 13,000 ducks. They ate 100 bushels of corn daily.

Cheap Tea.

You can buy tea in China for 1¼ cents per pound.

WAY STATIONS.

The Mexican government, according to the Railway and Engineering Review, has issued an order that railways must adopt a uniform coupler for freight cars. Other measures to prevent accidents to train hands have been taken.

A million and a half yellow willow cuttings have been purchased by the Santa Fe Railroad company to be planted on both sides of an embankment west of Stockton, Cal., for a distance of eight miles, to protect the embankment from damage by floods.

The Louisiana supreme court has decided that the warehouse business is not incidental to the business of a railroad as a common carrier, says the Railway and Engineering Review, and that railroads are therefore estopped from conducting a warehouse business.

The knowingly permitting by a sleeping car porter of a valise to remain in the aisle of a dimly lighted car, obstructing the passage, so that a passenger, who has a right to assume the passage safe, stumbles over the valise and is injured, the general term of the city court of New York holds, Levien vs. Webb, 61 N. Y. Supp. 1,113, constitutes negligence for which the master will be responsible.

MATTERS OF NO MOMENT.

There are nearly 200 democratic newspapers in North Carolina.

Congressmen and senators have 15,000,00 packages of seed to distribute among their rural constituents.

Imports into the United States from Samoa during last April amounted to $13 in value; exports to Samoa were valued at $3,587.

In the surgical history of our civil war a curious case is recorded in which three officers were hit just at the same time. One had his leg from the knee down carried away, but he rode ten miles to the hospital. Another lost his little finger, and he became a raving lunatic. The third was shot through the body, and, though he did not shed a drop of blood externally, dropped dead from the shock.

One of the eastern novelties is a playhouse for children. It is nine feet six inches in length, six feet four inches in width and eight feet nine inches in height. They are made of white pine and are painted with one coat of paint outside. They are provided with a door and windows which can be changed at will. The house can be built in an hour and taken down in 20 minutes, no nailing or carpentry being required. They are wind and waterproof and would undoubtedly furnish an excellent out of door study for an adult.

ELECTRICAL NOTES.

Electric traction will be used on the Berlin elevated railroads.

An electric trolley will be laid between Milan and Varese, Italy.

It has been found that alternating currents of high frequency and low potential may be used to sterilize liquids.

A resident of Philadelphia has recently obtained a verdict of $15,000, through the instrumentality of the X-rays. The plaintiff was injured on a street railway car. Dr. M. K. Kassabian was the X-ray expert in the case.

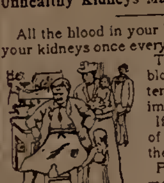
The work of the signal corps of the army in the Philippine islands has been excellent. The corps has handled an average of 2,500 dispatches each day since the American army landed at Manila, and the maximum was 4,000 on November 6.

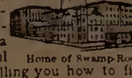
The plans for the new Philadelphia mint call for a large equipment of electrical machinery including 14 45-horse power motors for the coining department, 16 five-horse power cutting motors, six 25-horse power finishing motors; and one five-horse power hydraulic motor. An electro-refining equipment is desired for the melting and refining departments.

Utilizing His Misfortune.

First Tramp—Say, you did get a bad eye in dat scrap!

Second Tramp—Yes; but de odder feller got two. Why, he's workin' it on de public as an explosion!—Puck.





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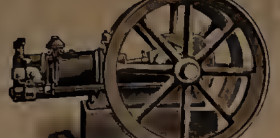

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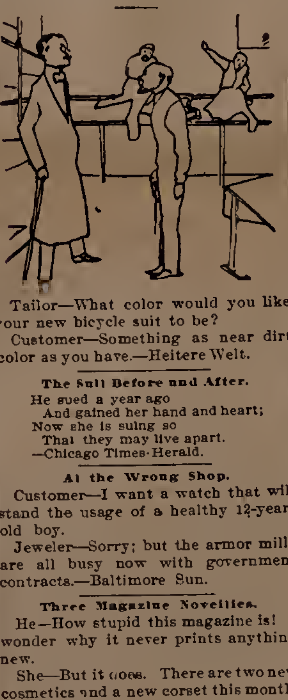
—Elliott's Magazine.

A SPRING PREMONITION.



Tailor—What color would you like your new bicycle suit to be?

Customer—Something as near dirt color as you have.—Heitere Welt.

The Suit Before and After.

He sued a year ago
And gained her hand and heart;
Now she is suing so
That they may live apart.
—Chicago Times-Herald.

At the Wrong Shop.

Customer—I want a watch that will stand the usage of a healthy 12-year-old boy.

Jeweler—Sorry; but the armor mills are all busy now with government contracts.—Baltimore Sun.

Three Magazine Novelties.

He—How stupid this magazine is! I wonder why it never prints anything new.

She—But it does. There are two new cosmetics and a new corset this month.—Town Topics.

How He Avoids It.

"Trivvet never gets hot under the collar."

"He must be a very even-tempered man."

"It isn't that He never wears a collar."—Judge.

Advantages of Travel.

Miss Budd—Oh, I'd give anything if I'd had the advantages of foreign travel which Clara Bullion has enjoyed. She is so cultivated, so polished. I just wish you could hear her delightful slang.

Mother—Horrors! Does she use vulgar slang?

Miss Budd—Dear me, no. The idea! It isn't American slang, it's English slang. I nearly died of envy when I heard her speak of "blawsted, bloody, beastly, nawsty, dirty weather," just like a born princess.—N. Y. Weekly.

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Her Point of View.

He—Miss Tallman's dresses always look so neat, don't you think so?

She—Yes—for one who has so little to dress on.

He—Why, I thought she was quite wealthy.

She—So she is, but she's so awfully thin.—Chicago Daily News.

An Unflattered Likeness.

Critic—I must congratulate you on the villain of your play. He leaves the impression of having been drawn from the life.

Author—He was. I may say to you that he is an exact portrait of myself as my wife depicts me in our hours of ease.—Brooklyn Life.

Woes of the Hobo.

"After all," said Weary Willie, sadly, "this is a hard life."

"Hard life!" echoed Plodding Pete. "We don't have to work, do we?"

"No," replied Weary Willie, slowly, "not exactly work, but we can't get things without taking the trouble to ask for them."—Chicago Post.

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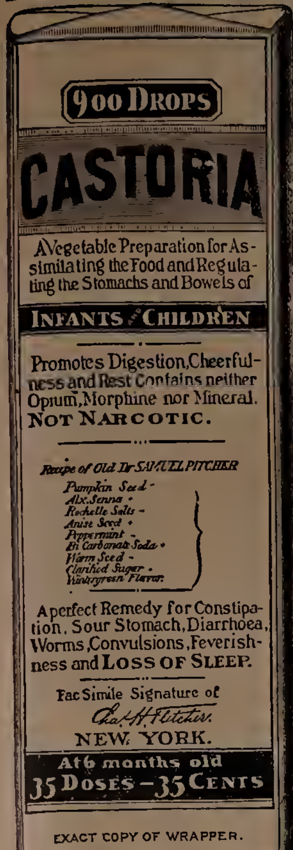

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THE LOAN OF A LOVER

It was only after innumerable pieces of evidence, the meaning of which there was absolutely no mistaking, that little Mrs. Denison was at last reluctantly forced to the conclusion that her husband had really got tired of her. His days were given up to the office, his evenings to the club, he had ceased to care about his appearance and his clothes had become deplorably untidy. For a week she could think of nothing else. At the end of that time she began to look about for means of consolation. For a woman she took a strangely philosophical view. She knew that she could not live without love, but instead of sitting down and deploring her lot she just determined to make the best of things.

Algie Owen was little more than a boy and had long admired her in silence. A word from her would, she knew, be sufficient to bring him to her feet. Within an hour from the time she came to her decision Algie had received a note asking him to come round to tea the next day. Within a week he had become her constant companion, and her husband's indifference had lost half its sting. And at the end of a month Mr. Denison, coming home unexpectedly, had surprised Algie in the act of pressing a kiss on her lips. His first impulse was to kick the boy out of the house, his second to leave it himself. Neither impulse, however, prevailed. He just stood there looking. And as Mrs. Denison was far too frightened to speak it was Algie who at last blurted out, his face rosy red and his lips quivering—he was really very boyish indeed, despite his grown up airs:

"Well, sir, what is to be done?"

"That, sir," said Mr. Denison, almost smiling—the pair before him looked more like two naughty children than anything else—"that, sir, lies with you. What"—ironically—"is your suggestion?"

"I—I will tell you," stammered Algie, "what I—what Mrs. Denison wants. She—she"—it was really a very daring thing to say—"she wants to marry me, and she wants you to go—go and do something that will get—get her—her a divorce."

The suggestion was so cool that for a moment it quite took Mr. Denison's breath away.

"Well, I'm hanged!" he ejaculated at last.

He was silent for a moment, thinking.

"Now," he said at last, "go. Oh, by the way," he added as Algie turned toward the door, "can you come in to dinner this day week? We shall be very pleased to see you."

Algie's blue eyes widened into a stare.

But when the question was repeated and he saw that Denison was in earnest, he said that he would be very pleased. And then he went out, wondering what extraordinary thing would happen next and trying to remember if he had ever heard any reports of madness in the Denison family, and Tom Denison, after ringing for his wife's maid and telling her to see after her mistress, as she wasn't very well, strode off to his club to think out a certain little scheme.

That day week, when Mr. Denison walked into the little drawing room about 20 minutes before the dinner hour—his usual practice was to get home, if at all, about ten minutes after it had been announced—Mrs. Denison opened her eyes very wide indeed. Instead of the old shabby tail coat he had donned what was evidently a brand new dress suit, cut in the latest fashion. His hair had been freshly cut and trimmed, the heavy mustache was curled off his lips and the yellow rose in his buttonhole became him to perfection. He looked at least a dozen years younger.

He just bent over his wife and gave her a kiss and then sat himself down at the piano, and, his fingers straying over the notes, began to sing more to himself apparently than to her. Music always appealed to her, and she could not help remarking in a pause that came between the verses that it was a very pretty song, and she had no idea he could play so well.

"It comes from the new opera at the Futurity," he said. "I haven't got it quite right, but it went something like that, I think, as far as I can remember." He had bought the music three days before and had been trying to get right ever since.

"You are very spruce tonight," she said, looking up as he shut down the piano and took up his stand against the chimneypiece.

"Are you going out anywhere? I'm going to supper, and you will have Owen to entertain you. He is sure to stay late. He hasn't seen you since yesterday, has he?"

She ignored the sarcasm in the suggestion and, still looking up at him, reflected with an inward sigh that she wished Algie was half as handsome as this husband of hers. Then her mind reverted to the supper.

"It's to be with some woman, I suppose?" she said.

"What?" he queried carelessly.

"Why, this supper."

"Nothing of the kind," he said, but in a tone which only confirmed her suspicions.

"Well, where's it going to be, anyway?"

"Oh, at a little place in Soho. I don't suppose you've ever heard of it."

"And you are really going alone?"

"Certainly."

She got up from her chair and came over to where he was standing.

"Can't you make it dinner instead of supper and take me with you?" she said.

"But Mr. Owen?"

"Oh, bother Mr. Owen! He can have his dinner by himself. I can easily invent some excuse."

"And besides it's not exactly the sort of place a woman like you can go to; it's not"—

She flew out of the room and returned a moment afterward in her cloak. "Come along, quick," she said, "or he'll catch us."

"Who?"

"Why, Algie!"

Mr. Denison smiled. It was really very funny.

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The dinner was a great success, the champagne irreproachable. As Mr. Denison produced his cigar case he thought he had never seen his wife looking so pretty.

So the divorce never came off after all.—Exchange.

A White Carnation Flower

He was only a newsboy, and a dirty and ragged one at that, but under his torn jacket there glowed a spark of chivalry.

One night, when Miss Alice Rea, as she was hurrying for her train, dropped a bundle of papers from her muff he sprang at once to her assistance. With a quick "I'll pick 'em up, miss," he gathered them together, brushed off the dust and handed them to her with a queer little grab at his dilapidated cap.

"Thank you, little fellow," she said. "Won't you have one of my flowers?" and, selecting one from a large bunch of white carnations which she carried, she put it into his hand and then passed quickly on.

Bobby gazed at the flower with a look of amazement, which soon changed into a broad smile of delight. "I'll take it home to Maggie," he said. Maggie was his sister, who shared with him the two tiny rooms in a wretched tenement which Bobby called home. So he buttoned it under his jacket and took it to Maggie.

The next night Bobby was on the lookout, and his vigilance was not in vain, for when Miss Rea passed him she smiled pleasantly. A young man in a brown ulster was with her, and he, too, gave Bobby a careless little nod.

Bobby's eyes were bright as he went homeward, and Maggie met him at the door with a face as happy as his own. "Oh, Bobby," she cried eagerly, "I showed Mrs. O'Brien my flower this afternoon, and she said if I kept it in water maybe it would grow roots, because it's got such a long stem and so many leaves to it."

Sure enough, after a few days of careful watching and tending, tiny white roots appeared. Then Maggie filled an old can with earth, and the little slip was gently placed in it. It grew and flourished, and with it the friendship between Bobby, the flower lady—as he called her—and the young man in the brown ulster increased. Every morning Bobby was watching for them, and every evening he stood where they would pass him on their way to the train. There was always some pleasant greeting ready, which brightened Bobby's day and sent him home at night with a cheerful heart.

But one chilly February morning as Bobby stood in his accustomed place he saw the young man come across the street alone. There was a troubled look on his face, and he passed Bobby without even a glance.

A vague fear rose in the boy's heart and nothing was able to dispel it. If other customers missed the cheery salutation with which he usually greeted them, and more than one looked curiously at the childish face, with its preoccupied expression.

On the third day Bobby could stand it no longer. As the young man crossed the street some one stepped directly in the path. He looked down impatiently, but his face changed as he recognized the boy.

"What is it?" he asked quickly, but not unkindly.

"The lady, sir?" Bobby said faintly. "Isn't she coming any more?"

"I hope so," said the young man gravely; "but not just now. She is sick, you see, and the doctors say it will be a long time at least before she can come again."

Bobby turned away. The dread in his heart had been put into words, and the direct knowledge, although he had longed for it, was almost more than he could bear.

At last, just a week from the morning when he had first heard the sad news, as Bobby stood at his post he saw the young man coming across the street, with a face so white and set and stamped with terrible sorrow that for a moment Bobby's heart stood still. Then, as the young man came close to him, he stepped forward involuntarily and laid his hand on the brown sleeve.

The boy spoke no word, but the other read the question in the eager, anxious eyes, and said in a low, choked voice: "She died this morning. I am going back in an hour."

Bobby's hand dropped from the young man's arm. For a moment he stood still, dazed by the words he had just heard. Then, regardless of his unsold papers, he turned and went slowly back to the old tenement he had left but half an hour before.

Maggie started with surprise as he came in, but one glance at his grief stricken face told her the whole story.

"The lady, Bobby?" she gasped. "Is she"—

"She's dead," said Bobby, dropping into the nearest chair and laying his head on the old table, "the young man told me. I'll never see her again, and I can't do anything for her!" And the little figure was shaken by heavy sobs. Maggie stood silently beside him for some moments. Then, suddenly turning, she went into the second of the two little rooms.

When she returned, she carried the old can in which they had planted the carnation. It now held a sturdy plant, and, bearing itself proudly aloft on its slender stem, was a beautiful blossom.

"See, Bobby," she said, laying her hand on the bowed head. "I've been keeping it for a surprise for you, but you shall have it for the lady. Perhaps the young man can take it to her."

Bobby looked up. Motionless he gazed at the flower, then sprang quickly to his feet. "He said he'd go back in an hour. I shall have just time!" he exclaimed.

Carefully and tenderly the carnation was cut from its stalk and wrapped in white paper. Then, only stopping to kiss Maggie in a way that told the gratitude he could not speak, Bobby bounded down the stairs and raced away toward the station. He was only just in time, for as he sped around the last corner he saw the brown coated figure crossing the street. Breathlessly he rushed after him and accosted him at the gates.

"It's for her, sir," he gasped, holding out the precious white parcel. "It grew from the one she gave me that day. It's all I could get, but I'd like it to go to her."

The young man took the flower silently. For the first time that day tears filled his eyes, and he stood fighting back the emotion that threatened to overpower him.

Then, looking down into the wistful, childish face upturned to his, he said gently, "It shall be put in her hand."

And Bobby was satisfied.—Boston Post.

Consideration Lacking.

"You say," pursued the chairman of the legislative investigating committee, "that he resorted to no bribery whatever during the campaign, so far as you know?"

"Yes, sir," replied the witness, "that's what I said."

"Did he not circulate several boxes of cigars?"

"Yes, sir, but them cigars wasn't bribes. Here's one of 'em. You can try it."—Chicago Tribune.

An Attainment.

"So you studied the Russian language?"

"Yes. I make it a rule to learn something of the language of every country I visit."

"Did you make any progress?"

"Yes. I got so I could tell whether the brakeman on a railway train was calling out the name of a station or catching cold."—Washington Star.

"How very beautiful her gowns are!" said the young woman.

"Yes," answered Miss Cayenne.

"She has an artist especially engaged to design them."

"H'm. He doesn't work overtime on the waists, does he?"—Washington Star.

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If I sup gin, it leads to sin;
If I take rum, sad sorrows come.
Try what I will, from vat or still,
It gives me pain, and turns my brain;
Therefore I'll join the Templar Band,
And, with God's help, I'll firmly stand.
—Union Signal.

THE ENTICING CIGARETTE.

It Is One of the Greatest Foes to Our American Boyhood and Manhood.

Not since the days when the first Eden was robbed of its joys has a greater foe arisen than the foul physical, mental and moral destroyer, the cigarette. Alcoholic drink has done and is now doing great destruction to the human family, but in my opinion tobacco in its various forms of use, and especially the poisonous cigarette, leads more effectually in destroying the manhood and especially the boyhood of our land.

Thousands of deaths occur annually among our men and boys as a result of the use of tobacco. Cigarettes produce heart failures and constantly reduce the circulation. The cigarette and also tobacco impairs muscular force, produces amaurosis, which is a loss or decay of sight without any visible defect in the appearance of the eye, destroys slowly and permanently the power of the optic nerve, produces color blindness and delirium tremens. One of the saddest cases I was ever called to attend professionally was that of a man in his strength of days, an elder in the Presbyterian church, who died with tobacco tremens. And there was a 16-year-old boy whose death was the result of the foul cigarette.

Tobacco produces smokers' cancer and insanity. The facts are appalling in the highest degree as to the effects both physical and moral upon our manhood and boyhood of tobacco and cigarette poison. Unless radical steps are taken by the state and society to arrest and overcome this pernicious habit, it will only be a brief question of time until we shall have a nation of weaklings and emasculated manhood. Careful analysis of the stomach of cigarette smokers shows acid, phosphorous and arsenic. These drugs are largely used in the manufacture of paper used in the cigarette business.

Again cigarette tobacco is strongly impregnated with opium. The constant use of tobacco in any form will produce functional derangement of the digestive, circulatory and nervous systems, producing headache, confusion of intellect, loss of memory, dullness, stupor and indisposition to muscular or mental labor. Here is the strong point manifestly displayed in our young women who are taking the honors in our high schools and colleges. They have clear brains, not benumbed by cigarette or tobacco smoke. No man ever has or will reach his best mentally, morally or physically who becomes a slave to tobacco.

The cigarette subtly combines a threefold deadly bane as fatal to unwary youth as the poisoned garment of Nessus to the unsuspecting Hercules. Ninety per cent. of our men and boys are tobacco worms. Heart disease on the increase, loss of eyesight has reached an alarming stage. A large per cent. of those cases can be traced to the use of tobacco and nicotine poison; also to the unerring and incontrovertable law of heredity. Neurotic diseases are on the increase and weakness among women. These are all traceable to this Niagara stream of death that is flowing through our world to-day.

The tobacco habit stimulates the appetite for alcoholic drinks. My observation has been that no man dies from intoxication who is not a tobacco user. As a member of the medical profession for many years, I wish to say the medical profession is greatly addicted to the tobacco habit, and yet no competent medical man would think of prescribing as medicine this narcotic poison.

No woman who expects to become the mother of children should ever marry a cigarette or tobacco user. And no young or old man should ever become a father whose blood is thickened and poisoned by nicotine. The science of medicine and the irrefutable laws of heredity leave no room for doubt as to the duty of society and the state, in taking legislative steps in saving our youth from this deadly upas tree.—C. H. St. John, in Union Signal.

An Anti-Tobacco Congress.

The second International Congress Against the Abuse (which is here synonymous with "use") of Tobacco will be held in Paris during the summer of 1900. The work of the congress will be divided into seven sections, dealing severally with (1) history, statistics, various methods of the employment of tobacco; (2) chemical and physiological researches on tobacco; (3) diseases caused by tobacco; (4) hygiene and sociological questions; (5) education as a means of restricting the use of tobacco; (6) the morality and criminality of tobacco users; (7) miscellaneous. Papers may be read in English, French, German, Spanish, Italian or Russian. Those desiring to become members of the congress are requested to signify their intention to the president of the committee of organization, M. E. Decroix, 20 bis, Rue Saint-Benoit, Paris. The subscription to the congress, which has been fixed at five francs, should be sent at the same time.

Smart Sammy.

Teacher—What is the meaning of the word "procrastinate?"

Sammy—It means to put off, sir.

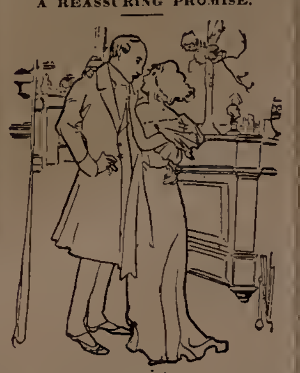
Teacher—That's all right; now compose me a sentence with the word properly introduced.

Sammy—When a man retires at night he procrastinates his clothes.—Boston Courier.

A Compensating Fact.

Oh, urge me not, sirs, to be up with the sun,
Though well ye might know that I ought ter,
But permit me to think I have very well done
When I blithely stay up with the daughter.
—Harlem Life.

A REASSURING PROMISE.



Wife—Now, promise me, dear, you won't go drinking with those beastly men at the club to-night.

Hubby—No, my dear; I'll bring 'em home with me.—The Cigarette.

The Wise Son.

"That youth, it seems, knows more than you."
Jones said. Said Brown: "Well, rather,
It would be strange were that not true.
You see, I am his father."
—Philadelphia Press.

The New Way.

First Bank Director—I think it would be a good idea, some time or other, to quietly employ a physician to inquire into the mental and physical condition of our cashier. I think he is suffering from paresis.

Second Bank Director—My, my! How much has he stolen!—N. Y. Weekly.

From Appearances.

Ida—They say last summer she gave every man on the beach the mitten.

May—Who is her father?

Ida—Flintman, the hardware manufacturer. Why do you ask?

May—I thought perhaps he was a glove manufacturer.—Chicago Daily News.

Love's Alchemy.

"I hear that the boy who delivers our bread is going to marry a rich widow," said the landlady, "and start a bakery of his own."

"Going to turn her dollars to doughnuts, is he?" asked the Cheerful Idiot.—Indianapolis Press.

Merely a Hint.

Mr. Slowboy—In some states there is a law making it a misdemeanor for a man to change his name.

Miss Willing—Yes; but there is no law in any state that prohibits a man from changing a woman's name.—Chicago Daily News.

Impending Disaster.

Nell—Maude made a great hit with that Russian attache. She pronounced his name beautifully.

Belle—Yes; she had a cold in the head, and now she's afraid it will leave her.—Philadelphia Record.

In Hard Luck.

Jollydog—That was surely hard luck that befell Miss Oldgirl.

Pollywog—What was that?

Jollydog—Why, when she found a man under her bed she fell into a swoon and he got away.—Town Topics.

Great Inventions.

Professor—Miss Flavilla, mention a few of the most wonderful scientific inventions of the nineteenth century.

Miss Flavilla—Yes, sir; the telephone, photograph buttons, golf capes and ice cream soda.—Chicago Record.

Walking the Floor.

Doctor—You mustn't mind if the baby cries. That's his way of taking exercise.

Father—That's all right, but what I object to is the exercise he makes me take.—N. Y. Journal.

A Nervous Uncle.

"The society of children makes a man cheerful."

"That's so; when I get away alive from my sister's two boys I'm glad for a week."—Indianapolis Journal.

Had Met Him.

Johnny—What is a bore, papa?

Papa—A bore is a person who tells you so much about himself that you get no chance to tell him anything about yourself.—Baltimore American.

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BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.
WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 48, 4 13, 5 15, 6 01, 7 13 7 30, 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.58 p m.
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PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 35 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.
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WRENTHAM.

Miss Edith M. Hill is visiting Miss Bertha Rogers.——Charles George is travelling in Maine.——Mrs. Sally Rowell has left for Revere.——Miss Bessie Atwood of Chicago is visiting Miss Annie M. Sullivan.——Mr and Mrs. Daniel A. Cook of Cambridge are here for the summer. ——The town hall is a bower of loveliness for the bazaar which the ladies of the Congregational society are to hold Wednesday and Thursday, afternoons and evenings.——Rev. W. R. Trotter of Bristol preached at Trinity church Sunday morning. His boy choir assisted in the services.——Fred C. Stewart, principal of the Wareham high school, was in town over Sunday.——Mrs. Lewis Vose of Pawtucket was in town Sunday and will spend a portion of August at Mrs. George R. Fairfield's.——The campers at Lake Pearl held a series of canoe races Saturday afternoon. The prize for winning the most number of entrees was awarded to Fred Notman.——Mr. and Mrs George W. Pettee are visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. B. Allis, in Brooklyn, N. Y.——Mrs. Sternes and daughter Annie are at the Brightman's.——Col. A. W. Harris leaves the middle of the week for Kingston, New Mexico. He came on as a delegate to the Republican convention from New Mexico.——Joseph Revelle is spending his vacation in Yarmouth, N. S.

ROYAL PERSONAGES.

The queen has a magnificent collection of the photographs of celebrated actors.

Siam's crown prince has matriculated at Oxford, and has gone into residence as a member of Christ church.

The queen's will is engrossed on vellum, quarto size, and is bound as a volume, and secured by a private lock.

King Oscar, of Sweden, is a musical monarch, who may often be heard for hours improvising on the piano, and more particularly on the organ—an instrument which is almost unknown in private circles abroad. His majesty is also a great lover of glee singing.

It is contrary to etiquette for the czar or czarina of Russia or any of the grand dukes and duchess to pay a visit to anyone who is not of royal birth, and in consequence no visits are paid them by those who are not members of the nobility, and should the rulers wish to see them the invitation comes in the form of a command.

The duke of Cambridge, cousin of Queen Victoria, has received more army pensions than any other member of the English royalty. In 1850, on the death of his father, the country voted him an annuity of $60,000 a year. At 18 years of age he became a colonel, at 26 a major general, in 1854 a lieutenant general, two years later a general on full pay, and in 1862 a field marshal at $22,500 a year. He occupies his residence rent and tax free—the equivalent of $12,500 per annum.

IN VARIOUS PLACES.

Leather money was in circulation in Russia as recently as the time of Peter the Great.

The water of Modder river has been analyzed and pronounced to be of excellent quality.

Among Japanese a daily hot bath is the rule. When people are too poor to have a bath in their own houses they patronize the public baths.

The highest Prussian court has decided that the American title of "doctor" cannot be used in Prussia without a special permit from the government.

Plum and apple selling by hawkers was illegal in the sixteenth century in England. The reason was that servants and apprentices were unable to resist the sight of the fruit, and consequently were tempted to steal their employers' money in order to gratify their longing for these dainties.

Fishermen in Holland kill all fish as soon as they are landed, while French fishermen, on the contrary, allow them to die of asphyxiation. It is urged that the Dutch custom is the right one, not merely because it is the more humane, but because fish that are promptly killed are in better condition for the table.

LEGAL POINTS OF INTEREST.

Taxation of a city for its franchise is upheld in Newport vs. Com. (Ky.), 45 L. R. A. 518, in case of a franchise to operate waterworks, as it is held that the city in respect to them occupies the position of a private corporation.

An attestation of the reports of a national bank, made by directors, is held, in Gerner vs. Mosher (Neb.), 46 L. R. A. 244, sufficient to make them liable for false representations in favor of one who bought stock in reliance or false statements in the reports.

One who obtained grain from a building by boring an auger hole through the side of the building and taking the grain out through the hole, without himself entering the building, is held, in State vs. Crawford (N. D.), 46 L. R. A. 312, to be guilty of burglary.

Right of a broker employed to sell property to be at the same time the agent of both purchaser and seller and entitled to commissions from both is denied in Friar vs. Smith (Mich.), 46 L. R. A. 229, unless both principals know that he is acting in such dual capacity.

An injunction against the use of the name and portrait of a deceased person on a cigar label, at the suit of his widow, is refused in Atkinson vs. John E. Doherty & Co. (Mich.), 46 L. R. A. 219, since the injury to the feelings in such a case is not one which the law can redress.

An assessment on a street railway for the expense of paving the space occupied by the roadbed and tracks and for a distance of two feet from each side is upheld in Shreveport vs. Prescott (La.), 46 L. R. A. 193. With this case is an extensive note on the liability of a street railway for paving assessment.

Discovered at Last.

"What do you consider the most leveling and civilizing influence of the present age?"

"The bathtub."—Chicago Record.

A Minister's Good Work.

"I had a severe attack of bilious colic, got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, took two doses and was entirely cured," says Rev. A. A. Power, of Emporia, Kan. "My neighbor across the street was sick for over a week, had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He used them for three or four days without relief, then called in another doctor who treated him for some days and gave him no relief, so discharged him. I went over to see him the next morning. He said his bowels were in a terrible fix, that they had been running off so long that it was almost bloody flux. I asked him if he had tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy; he said, 'No.' I went home and brought him my bottle and gave him one dose; told him to take another dose in fifteen or twenty minutes if he did not find any relief, but he took no more and was entirely cured. I think it the best medicine I have ever tried." For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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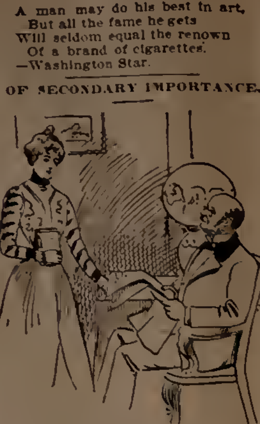

Her Father—Why do you wish to marry him, Grace?

Grace—Why, because he loves me.

Her Father—But do you love him?

Grace—Why, I never thought of that. I have been too much interested in getting him to propose to have time to think of it.—Harlem Life.

A Realistic Novel.

Mrs. Blazzay—I've just been reading "A Sea of Troubles." How true to life it is!

Mr. Blazzay—Do you think so? Why, I looked into it and thought it dull. There's no plot little incident and less interest.

"Yes; so true to life!"—Brooklyn Life.

Way Behind the Times.

Mrs. Newhouse—When my husband asked me what I would like for my birthday, I told him to get me some sofa pillows.

Mrs. Friend—Well, my dear?

Mrs. Newhouse—The foolish fellow went and bought only a dozen.—Town Topics.

Died.

In Sheldonville, at the residence of her brother, Barton Ray, July 29, Mrs. Sarah Ray, aged 88 years.

In Wrentham, Aug. 4, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs Parmenter, of paralysis, Mrs. Frances A. Smith, aged 75 years.

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Collector's Notice.

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
FRANKLIN, MASS., 1900.

The owners and occupants of the following described real estate, situated in the town of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk and the commonwealth of Massachusetts and the public are hereby notified that the taxes assessed for the year herein after specified, according to the list committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said Franklin by the Assessors of Taxes, remain unpaid, and that said real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the house of the Collector of Taxes, No. 10 High street, in said Franklin, on

WEDNESDAY, the 22d day of AUGUST, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes, with the costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

Henry B. Kimball—A certain piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Forest street, in said Franklin, and bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point on the easterly line of said Forest street, at land now or late of one Woodbury, and running south 58 degrees east, ten and sixty-eight hundredths (10.68) chains; thence running south 42 degrees 35 minutes west, eleven chains and eighty-seven hundredths (11.87) chains to a point at the intersection of a Virginia rail fence with a stone wall; thence south 14 degrees 5 minutes east, nine and four hundredths (9.04) chains to a point at the intersection of a Virginia rail fence, with a leading way which leads from said Forest street across the granted premises; thence crossing said leading way and running in an irregular line in a southerly direction as the Virginia fence runs to where it intersects the center of Dix brook, which crosses the said described premises, thence running in the same general direction along the centre of said brook to a point where said brook is intersected by an old fence which runs between aforesaid described premises and land now or formerly of Amos P. Woodward; thence running north 80 degrees 5 minutes west, four and sixty-seven hundredths (4.67) chains, more or less, thence running north eighty degrees 5 minutes west, three and twenty-five hundredths (3.25) chains; thence north 78 degrees 5 minutes west, five chains; thence north 79 degrees 15 minutes west, seven and thirty three hundredths (7.33) chains to said Forest street, thence northerly on said Forest street forty-seven and fifty-four hundredths (47.54) chains to the point of beginning, containing fifty-three and one-fifth acres, more or less.

The tax on the above described premises for the year 1899 is twenty-eight dollars and fifty cents ($28.50)

E. H. SHERMAN,
Collector of Taxes for the Town of Franklin.
Dated at said Franklin, July 31, 1900.
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Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 00 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

The selectmen will not meet this week.

Mrs. Fred Handerson is confined to her room by illness.

Miss Nellie Cody of West street is visiting her sister in Brighton.

Mrs. Solon Abbott and children return from their visit in Maine this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marston Sanborn are enjoying themselves at St. John, N. B.

Ladies' Auxiliary No. 12, A. O. H., will hold a regular meeting this evening.

Dr. J. M. Crowley will spend Sunday at his former home in Hanover, N. H.

Misses Angelina and Philomena Cataldo are at Revere beach for a week or more.

John Kane of Providence is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lemier of Peck street.

William G. Dana has returned from a week's visit with friends in Naugatuck, Conn.

Miss May Kingsbury of Wakefield is the guest of Miss Sarah Cochrane of Peck street.

Rev. D. H. Reilly of Bridgewater is the guest of Rev. M. J. Lee at St. Mary's rectory.

Miss Nellie Williams of Watertown is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Williams.

Mrs. B. W. McCabe and children have returned from a visit with relatives at Glendale.

Miss Annie Glynn of Mount Auburn is visiting at the home of Frank Brown on Union street.

Mrs. Joseph Dorris of Mystic, Conn., a former Franklin lady, is the guest of relatives in town.

Charles S. Rand has moved from North Park street into Miss Crossley's house on Cottage street.

Miss Elizabeth Murphy of Fisher street has returned from a week's visit with relatives in Watertown.

George Pendergast has gone to Douglas for two or three weeks as supply station agent and operator.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril LeClair of North Park street are rejoicing over the birth of a baby girl, born Saturday.

Harris Cochrane returned home Monday after spending a week's vacation with relatives in Carolina, R. I.

William E. Bassett of Jersey City has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Bassett.

Mrs. C. L. Blunn and daughters Hattie, Mabel and Alice of Bridgeport, Conn., are visiting at Capt. R. Sommers'.

If the company's expectations are realized, the M., A. & W. direct line to Milford will be opened next week.

Mrs. Grath and children of Peacedale, R. I., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Morrison, Thayer street.

Miss Alice Sullivan of Brighton, who has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Cody of West street, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. L. K. Dearborn, who has returned from a few days' outing at Onset, will leave tomorrow for a month's vacation in Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Fitzgerald have removed from Central street into the house owned by John Fitzgerald on Union street.

Rev. Dr. Sneath has returned from Pennsylvania and goes to Northfield next week, preaching away from home next Sunday, however.

A large number of Franklin people were at Hoag Lake yesterday afternoon and evening, enjoying the outing of the Woonsocket clerks.

Mrs. Harry Corson who has been designer at Stewart's straw shop for a number of years, has accepted a position in Bassett's factory.

The largest bass taken out of Lake Pearl this year was captured by Ernest Mayshaw and E. S. Cook on Wednesday. It weighed about four pounds.

With the opening of the Milford-Uxbridge electrics, Mendon pond will be improved and made a pleasure resort. Every town will have one soon.

Mrs. Mary O. Johnson, nee Sawyer, a former school teacher here, but now living in Brandon, Vt., gave birth to twin sons on Monday. All are doing well.

Our Boys will play at North Bellingham tomorrow afternoon with the best ball team in that village. Kane will pitch for the Franklin team.

Miss Nellie Gileaney, a former resident of this town, and Max Perkins of Hudson were united in marriage in the Sacred Heart church at Mount Auburn Wednesday.

Miss Josie Byrnes of Cottage street has returned from a two weeks' outing in New Hampshire. Her sister, Miss Jennie Byrnes, left Monday for a visit to the Granite state.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Martin have been entertaining his brother, Mr. Fred Martin of Atlanta, Ga., a few days. They have just returned from an extended tour abroad, stopping here en route.

The street was lively last evening owing to the presence of a party in the Medway illuminated car, remaining here about an hour, and also a party from Plainville way going to Hoag Lake.

Rev. Aquila Webb of Everett will preach next Sunday at the Congregational church. Mr. Webb is a young man of talent and is successful as a preacher and reader upon the public platform.

The Republican campaign buttons have been decided upon. The large size will bear a picture of McKinley, underneath which will be a picture of Roosevelt. Two smaller sizes will have likenesses of McKinley and Roosevelt respectively.

Miss Alice N. Moulton, daughter of Conductor Moulton, has just returned from a visit with Miss Daisy Parks, daughter of Sheriff Parks, in Putnam, Conn. Miss Parks will make a visit here of a couple of weeks, coming on Saturday.

Already in spite of the hot weather, some of our citizens are beginning to talk McKinley or Bryan and it may be well to remember that the popular vote at the last presidential election was as follows: McKinley, 7,105,850; Bryan, 6,454,943.

There is an occasional subscriber of the SENTINEL who wishes to know to what time his subscription is paid. He can always ascertain by looking at the label every week on his copy of the SENTINEL. The date to which it is paid is always there.

B. F. Keith's theatrical advertising wagon made a pretty sight Wednesday evening on the streets, it being brilliantly illuminated by numerous incandescent lights. Each of the six horses also carried two lights. A crowd of children preceeded the wagon.

Many Franklinites are searching for nearby shore resorts where their families may spend a week or two and afford an opportunity for the head of the house to slip away from duties for a day or so without spending much time in getting where he can get a whiff of Old Ocean's ozone.

W. H. Tylee has been granted a contract by the Woonsocket Street Railway Co. to build an extension of the company's tracks from the present Blackstone line terminus to Millville. There is a possibility that the Woonsocket railway system may be extended toward the north as far as Northbridge.

A number from here attended the most brilliant social function ever given in this section—the "At Home" of Gen. and Mrs. Wm F Draper at their beautiful residence in Hopedale Tuesday evening from 8 to 11. It completely outshone anything ever attempted by them in Hopedale and fairly rivalled the elaborate receptions given by them at Washington.

Eight second hand winter cars, four-wheelers, recently bought in Boston to be used as booths at Hoag Lake Park were brought out from Boston on the Medway road yesterday morning, and transferred at Emmons street. As they were going down the cemetery hill four of them went off the track and ploughed the dirt some distance necessitating about an hour's work to get them on again.

There is unusual interest here just at present in the matter of life insurance and to any one who has not investigated the matter, it is startling, almost, to learn the amount of money paid out throughout the country each year in settling life insurance claims. In Massachusetts alone, the total, exclusive of industrial, was $14,821,388. The industrial insurance for the state amounted to $1,493,157.

Some of our Franklin boys think when they have reached the age of fifteen they are too old to be punished. Possible so, but Monroe Hedges, of Anderson, Ind., thinks he has a right to whale his offspring whenever the later deserves it, no matter what his age. He lately gave his 80-year-old son Hiram such a severe lathering that the young fellow had to have his scalp dressed by a surgeon. The old gentleman is in his 106th year.

The two artesian wells which have been sunk by Rev. M. J. Lee, one at St. Mary's cemetery and the other close by the new building, have proved to be a grand success. The wells are 78 and 80 feet deep and contain about 60 feet of water. About 60 feet of solid rock, granite, was bored. Fr. Lee recently tested the water from the one in connection with the new building, and found it excellent. This well will be put in operation before the one at the cemetery.

The Medway street railway has placed a barrel near the platform on Main street and people who wait for the cars there will do a good thing if they will put their waste paper and other rubbish in the barrel instead of on the walk. The company was asked to provide for the litter which naturally gathers at such a place, and manifested a prompt willingness to do so. Passengers on the cars can very much assist in keeping the locality neat if disposed to do so.

The return golf tournament between the Franklin and the North Attleboro country clubs comes off on the Franklin links tomorrow afternoon, when some of the best players of the home club will be lined up against the visitors, who hope to give a better account of themselves than they did two weeks ago. Of course our players will see to it that they are entertained in a style fitting the occasion, although the home grounds and house are not as pretentious as those at North Attleboro.

Despite the threatening weather Wednesday evening a goodly number of the friends of Misses Margaret Williams and Evelyn Baro attended the party held on the lawn about their home on Union street. The grounds were beautifully illuminated and the decorations well arranged. One of the features of the evening was a magic lantern show by Henry Lanagan. Music, solos, games and recitations were in order. Miss Ella Baro presided at the piano. The affair was a pleasing social success.

Owing to the fact it was thought the M., A. & W. road had forfeited its rights in Milford, Treasurer Ray says that it will be understood that the company claims rights in the streets mentioned in the petition by virtue of a location already granted by the selectmen, but in order to fortify themselves against the remote possibility that the right to construct the railway and operate it under the location referred to may be questioned, a new petition was presented asking that an early date might be set for a hearing thereon.

Postmaster Talbot will cheerfully furnish any further information which may be desired, upon application at the money order division of the postoffice, in regard to the special money order applications in which the name of the payee is printed conspicuously in red ink. The department has arranged to print these special applications and furnish them free of cost. The advantages are certainly of correct issue of the order and convenience of the remitter, who, having the application thus partially filled in, will more likely give the matter prompt attention.

Franklin young men would do well to heed Burdette's words, where he says: There are young men who do not work, my son, but the world is not proud of them. It does not know their names, even; it simply speaks of them as Old So and So's boys. Nobody likes them, nobody hates them; the great busy world doesn't even know they are there. So find out what you want to be and do. son, and take off your coat and make a dust in the world. The busier you are, the less deviltry you will be apt to get into, the sweeter will be your holidays, and the better satisfied the world will be with you.

Chester M Whiting has been here a short time looking after his interests in town, but will return to Cuba within a week or two. He has been there all the spring, and although none of the buildings on his plantation remain, yet he has hopes that the government will see to it that his claims are paid. A commission has been appointed to look into the matter and report. He considers the prospects good. A land company has been looking over neighboring plantations with a view to colonizing, and it is not impossible that this may be included in the deal, though nothing definite has been decided.

The Sullivan family at Caryville has proved expensive to someone. The family came from Ireland a few months ago and soon after arriving here several of them were taken sick with a strange disease and the locality has been in charge of the board of health ever since that time. The family was without means and they became a state charge. Several hundred dollars have been expended in care and supplies, which have been paid by the town of Franklin and will be repaid by the state. Whether in the end the state or the steamship company which landed the family here will have to foot the bill remains to be seen.

There are already a number of inquries as to the date of the G. A. R. encampment in Chicago. The Massachusetts department will go by way of the Fitchburg railroad. Tickets out and back are sold for $18, good going the 25th, 26th and 27th, and returning until the 31st, but they will be extended to Sept. 30 by depositing with the joint agent at Chicago and the payment of 50 cents. For those who do not care to travel in Pullman cars the entire route first-class day coaches will be attached as far as St. Albans, Vt., where Pullman sleeping cars can be secured to Toronto. At Toronto first-class day coaches will be attached again to go through to Chicago.

Three of the four Protestant ministers of the town are away getting physical brace and mental stimulant for the coming fall and winter. The people are acting with decorum generally, notwithstanding their absence. The police court records show no decided change in the annals of local crime, but it is impossible to say what might happen if their coming back was delayed much beyond the accustomed time. It is an old remark that if the salt has lost its savor it is no good. We need for nothing of this character in the sermons of the fall season, but, on the contrary, may expect old ocean's solid in sufficient quantities to nerve the most trembling backslider and fill the thirsting faithful with nourishing mental repasts.

Uncle Silas waxes philosophical when he says that the rate of tax is higher than last year, but bear in mind that is the fault of the men who voted the appropriations and not of the collector. The tax bills are yellow and so is the golden rod, and the golden rod is beautiful to the artistic sense. Why not look upon the tax bill with the same benevolent charity that we accord to the golden rod? Let us look upon them as we do the beautiful flower rather than with the emotion uppermost when we behold the yellow wasp, remembering the three great watchwords of Christian fellowship—faith, hope and charity. Faith in the justness of the assessors, hope in our ability to meet the claims when due, and charity toward all concerned, especially the collector.

Improvements at Dean.

Improvements are being made preparatory to the reopening of Dean academy on Tuesday, September 11, when it is expected that an unusually large number of new pupils will enter. The inquiries in regard to the school during the summer thus far has been very gratifying, which augurs well for the new class. It is safe to say there is no co-educational institution of this class which gives more for the money expended than does Dean, and its graduates stand well with those of other schools. Among the improvements made, the old piping and plumbing of the building has been removed and entirely new open plumbing substituted throughout the building. The new fittings are in the best modern style, and the work has been done by experts in sanitary plumbing in accordance with the best scientific knowledge.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending August 8. 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. Mary E. Bent, Mrs. Sarah Stanton, Miss Ora Parker (package).

Gentlemen—James Bule, Jerome Jones, David McCauley, David McCarthy, Franklin Manfg. Co., John Homer (book).

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Come and Enjoy Yourself.

The first annual clambake of the Hoag club will be held Sunday, Aug. 12, at 2 o'clock p. m., at Hoag Cottage, near the merry-go round. Tickets 50c.

Emerson's Market.

Watermelons on ice, shell beans, green corn, gem melons, sweet potatoes, summer squash, [illegible], cucumbers, onions, cabbages, new beets and turnips, green corn. Fresh killed chicks and fowls, lamb, veal, pork, sweet potatoes and tomatoes.

Dental Notice.

Please note that my office will be closed during my absence for two or three weeks, or until further notice.

DR. E. C. ABBOTT.

Sweet peas at Slade's greenhouse.

Antiques in Franklin.

To continue, it was my great privilege to call upon my esteemed friend Mrs. Alfred Clark of Washington street. Mrs. Clark is 85 years old, and her well stored mind the passing years have not impaired. Mrs. Clark evinced the liveliest interest in my work and was glad to know that "old things" and old folks still occupied a share of the world's thought and attention. In the Clark homestead, now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. George Gaskill, is a sword which was given to Mrs. Clark's son Nathan now deceased, by his grandfather. The sword has been in the Clark family for six generations, but the exact history is not available. There is a tall clock, another centenary heirloom. While this clock is striking the writer is reminded of several others in town. George W. Wiggin has one in his hall, with brass works, which has kept time for four generations. A watchmaker who recently examined it said it was good for another hundred years. The Wiggin clock has one of the most musical "strikes." For softness, pure tone and flexibility its equal cannot be found among its contemporaries. To return to the Clark estate, it would well repay a visit to see a linen coverlid woven on a house loom by Mrs. Clark's grandmother. It is a blue and white plaid, a sort of a royal blue as we term it now. A very handsome pattern 1794 is the date and woven in the spread. The spread is as good as new and fine and even as any product of the modern factory loom. Mrs. Clark, whose maiden name was Wright, gave many graphic accounts of the heirlooms of that family, as of others with whom she came in contact in her youth. Mrs. Emma Walker of Central street has a looking glass 140 years old—same glass, same cherry frame—now in use in her sitting room; also a china pitcher and a chair, 110 years old, formerly in use by the family of Jabez Fisher, an ancestor. It will be seen in these papers how many Franklin families are allied to the house of Fisher. "There were more Fishers than Ponds in Franklin," at one time, all highly respectable, although, as some one once put it, "more or less set folks."

There are a great many antiques in the Fisher and Dean families, who were allied by marriage, but they have been distributed all over the country to their descendants. The late Dean sisters highly prized these effects, among which is a desk and chair now in the possession of Mrs. Frank Hancock of Peck street; also some scrap books containing gems of prose and poetry. There is no trashy or questionionable matter confined in the binding of these books, the accumulated mental gold of a lifetime. At the home of A. P. Woodward, Central street, as a miner might put it, were "rich diggins.'" A piece of paper money was shown, about two and a half inches square, somewhat mutilated, but still intelligible. There was no attempt, evidently, at symmetry or classification in setting up that type. Here is what there is printed upon it: "Two-thirds of a dollar. No. 490,444. Feb. 17, 1776; Philadelphi." This, you see, was colonial money before the thirteen states struck out for independence. There was a circle with a rooster standing on one foot, and this inscription in large type at the bottom: "Mind Your Own Business." The writer never saw anything quite up to this for "filthy lucre." There was a printed volume of Dr. Nathaniel Emmons' sermons, on the fly leaf, written in a bold hand, "Hannah Woodward, her book." See if you ever heard a dedication to compare with this: "To his excellency Benjamin Franklin, Esq., president of the state of Pennsylvania, the ornament of genius, the patron of science and boast of man, this discourse is inscribed with great deference, humility and gratitude by his most obliged and most obedient servant. Franklin in Massachusetts, 1787, March. Providence—Printed by Barnet Wheeler, Westminster street." Mrs. Woodward has the discharge papers of Jonah Farrington, a revolutionary soldier, of whom she is a descendant, dated the 9th of January, 1783. Everybody had the "Esq" attached to their names, from the president down. "George Washington, Esq, President." "Peter Hawes, Esq, files saws." Among Mrs. Woodward's collection is a blue serge meeting cloak for men. It is long and gathered very full at the neck. A garment of this design is very rare and looks like a Mother Hubbard. This was once the property of Assel Farrington, five generations remote from Mrs. Woodward. In this home we find all sorts of crockery ware, plate and pewter kitchen implements, furniture and such like. Here is a cannon ball picked up on some field of battle a hundred and twenty years ago; hand irons, snuffers and such like. Mr. Woodward relates a story his father used to tell when a stove was first introduced into the house: "Now, Hannah, don't make too hot a fire, it might crack the window glass or set it to running." In the next paper, which will conclude this series, the readers of the SENTINEL will have some more new "old things."

W. K. RICHARDSON.

State Republican Convention.

The Republican state committee has selected Thursday, Oct. 4, as the date of the state, congressional, councillor, senatorial and representative convention, which will be held in Boston Theatre at 10 a. m. Congressman Lawerence will be chairman of the convention, and Lieutenant Governor Bates will be chairman of the committee on resolutions. The congressional convention this year will be called upon, in addition to nominating candidates for congress, to designate candidates for presidential electors, two in each district. The apportionments for the state caucuses is the same as that in effect when the state and congressional caucuses were held last spring, preliminary to the national convention. The caucuses must be held either September 24 or 25, except that delegates to representative caucuses may be elected October 1 or 2.

In the matter of state officers it is a foregone conclusion that Gov. Crane will succeed himself and that Lieut. Gov. Bates will be continued in his present position until there is room higher up. There will be something of a contest for state auditor with the present incumbent, John W. Kimball of Fitchburg, Henry Turner of Malden and Samuel George of Haverhill in the field.

Well Worth Trying.

A well known New York physician said: "I've tried all methods for inducing sleep—putting a cold towel on the head, bathing the feet in hot water, counting up to a 1000, drinking a glass of milk, and so on—and the best thing I ever found was simply this: When I have worked all the evening and find myself at bedtime in a state of nervousness or mental activity I go to bed and place my right hand directly over the pit of my stomach. Whether it is the animal warmth of the hand acting on the stomach and drawing the circulation from the head or some nervous action I can't say, but I know that I fall asleep in a few minutes. I believe that in a large majority of the ordinary cases of sleeplessness this simple remedy will prove effective. I have recommended it to many patients and they report surprising success."

The movement to require full measure in small fruit packages is receiving attention in different parts of the country, and is regarded very favorably by housewives. In this state the law which has been considered provides that all packages used in the sale of strawberries, raspberries, blackberries, cherries, currants and gooseberries shall be of the capacity of one quart, one pint or one-half pint, Massachusetts standard dry measure. Offenders are to be punished by suitable fine, and it is proposed to make the act take effect Jan. 1, 1901.

Office Closed.

My patrons are requested to note that my dental office will be closed until further notice during my vacation.

DR M. E. POND.

Richardson's Market.

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THE MAN FOR CONGRESS.

All signs point to the nomination of Samuel L. Powers as our next Republican candidate for Congress from this district. His canvass is in the hands of strong representative Republicans, who have at heart the best interests of the party and state. His canvass is clean and dignified and has not descended to the low level of issuing scurrilous circulars to abuse and belittle any rival candidate. There is a rapidly growing sentiment among the voters of the district in favor of the nomination of Mr. Powers. He is recognized as a strong man, who is bound to wield a very potent influence in Congress. He has never been an office seeker or attempted to force himself upon the public. The people of this district demand the selection of a man who can take a place beside representatives like McCall, Moody and Gillett: one who has force and ability and capacity to discuss upon the floor of Congress the great questions that the next Congress will be called upon to consider and decide. Mr. Powers is one of the strong men of Massachusetts. Great business interests have for years sought his advice and services. In the conduct of these affairs he has shown signal ability and [illegible]. In the trial of causes he has taken high rank. In the discussion of public questions he has demonstrated his eloquence and shown thorough research of the subject. He is in every sense of the word a self made man, and if nominated and elected he surrenders a large and lucrative law practice to enter the service of the public.

We Suffer Just the Same.

Before bacteriology became fashionable in medical circles we used to call influenza "a hard cold." Our discomfort was neither greater nor less than it is now when we know that the trouble is all due to an insidious bug with a Latin name three feet long ending in "coccus" or "spirilis." We sneezed and we shivered and we blew our noses with no more vigor then than now. What is more to the purpose, we got well just as quickly then as now. The scientists who pass their waking hours peering into high-power microscopes have discovered the grip bacillus, but they haven't discovered the way to kill him. It is very little consolation to the wretched, sneezing patient to be assured that his woes may all be attributed to a bacterium which takes up his headquarters in the mucous membrane of the throat and nose and proceeds to make trouble with a vigor entirely out of proportion with his size. Not the cause, but the cure, is what interests the sufferer, and the cure is no more rapid to-day than it was a century ago, when bug hunting was in its early infancy and "oil immersion" lenses were unknown.

A man in Boston bought an automobile [illegible] some [illegible] and after getting it under way was informed by the [illegible] that he couldn't stop the machine but it would be all right as long as he kept going. The power gave out after a [illegible] of [illegible] miles, the [illegible] returning [illegible] electric car.

The supervisors of [illegible] county, Ca[illegible] [illegible]

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March 30, 1899. Arrington, Kans.

RAILWAY RUMBLE.

Letter-copying presses operated by compressed air or hydraulic pressure from local water mains are in use in offices on the Rock Island road.

The day coach traffic at night is a paying business and as such, says the Railway and Engineering Review is demanding more attention to its needs than has until recently been given it.

The New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad has regulated the publications which are sold on its trains. Certain of them were barred, owing to complaints to the railroad company. This, says the Scientific American, is the first case in which we remember a railroad company exerting their undoubted right as a censor in this matter.

An English house has engaged to put the Tehuantepec railroad in good condition and to build the two ports of Coatzacoalcos and Salina Cruz. In return it obtains for a period of 5[illegible] years, dating from the completion of the work, the proceeds from the exploitation of the railroad and the duties which will be collected in the ports. In addition it receives a subsidy of $5,[illegible].

The last remaining relic of the first railway in London has just disappeared. In 1801 an act was passed authorizing the construction of a railway from Wandsworth to Croydon, the sleepers being of stone and motor power was provided by horses. The scheme included a dock at Wandsworth and it is the ancient wooden crane connected therewith which has just fallen into the waters of the Wandle.

POINTS OF LAW.

The fact that a person mortally wounded cut his own throat and hastened his death is held, in People vs. Lewis (Cal.), 47 L. R. A. 783, insufficient to relieve the person who inflicted the fatal wound of his liability.

Performance of the duty of a street railway company to maintain and operate its road for the benefit of the public is held in state ex rel. Bridgeton vs. Bridgeton and Millville Traction company (N. Y.), 45 L. R. A. 837, to be enforceable by mandamus.

A guaranty of the prompt payment of a note is held, in Holm vs. Jamieson (Ill.), 45 L. R. A. 54[illegible], to be not annulled by a judgment declaring the note void for want of authority in the maker who executed it, as against one who took the note in reliance on the guaranty.

Failure to reserve the right to [illegible] quantity to reduce the amount [illegible] increase [illegible] in Alexander [illegible] L. R. A. [illegible] to prevent the [illegible] divorce.

A [illegible] of shares of stock [illegible]

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THE VOICE OF SCIENCE.

Weighty Opinions as to "What Is a Food" and Whether Alcohol Is a Food.

I. WHAT IS A FOOD?

1. H. A. Hammarsten, professor of physiological chemistry in Upsala, University of Sweden: "Those bodies are designated as food which have no injurious action upon the organism, and which replace those constituents of the body that have been consumed in the exchange of material (metabolism) or that can prevent or diminish the consumption of such constituents."

2. Dr. Gould, compiler of the Medical Dictionary, defines food as "Anything used for the nourishment of or formation of tissue," and defines nourishment as "Anything that enters into the formation of living tissue."

3. W. H. Howell, as editor of the American Text-Book of Physiology and professor of physiology in Johns Hopkins university, defines food thus: "What we eat and drink for the purpose of nourishing the body constitutes our food. . . . The food is utilized to repair the wastes of the body—i. e., the destruction of the body material which goes on at all times. . . . And in addition it serves as the source of heat, mechanical work and other forms of energy liberated in the body."

II. IS ALCOHOL A FOOD?

1. Robert Koppe, M. D., in an address before the International Medical congress in Moscow in 1897: "The opinion that alcohol would be a useful source of heat energy in the human organism in consequence of its combustibility is not scientifically justified. The consideration alone that a substance will burn in our body in no wise justifies its dietic use as a source of heat and energy. Morphine, as is well known, burns in our bodies into oxydi-morphin. Happily, however, it has not yet occurred to anyone to proclaim morphine, for this reason, a proper source of energy for the human organism, as is unfortunately done in the case of ethyl-alcohol."

2. Prof. H. W. Conn, of Wesleyan university: "A physicist could experiment with gunpowder and prove that it is easily oxidized and gives rise to a large amount of heat and energy. From this it might be argued that gunpowder is a most useful kind of fuel for cooking stoves. Such a conclusion would be hardly less logical than the conclusions that have been drawn from these experiments with alcohol, and which regard it as a useful food for the body. Gunpowder is a more unsafe fuel because of its secondary effects, and in the same way the food value of alcohol cannot be determined by its power of being oxidized, but must include the consideration of its secondary effects as well."

3. H. F. Hewes, M. D., of Harvard, says of Prof. Atwater's experiments: "These experiments merely show that the body can derive some energy from alcohol. This does not in itself entitle alcohol to be placed among the food substances in the hygienic sense of the term, which is the sense in which the schools and people in general use the term food. If it did, such a violent poison as muscarine, the active principle of the poisonous plants of the mushroom family, would have to be classed with the foods, since it also is oxidized in the body with liberation of its contained energy."—Union Signal.

Step Further.

"I'se muzzled de dog," said Mr. Erastus Pinkley. "An' now I'se waitin'."

"For what?"

"To see if dey's gwinter go de res' o' de way an' see to de puhtection of us human bein's. If dey'll fix up some way o' muzzlin' de hin' feet ob er mule dey'll sho'ly stop a heap o' damage."—N. O. Picayune.

Placed Them in Evidence.

An honest man, who had escaped a great peril by an act of heroism, was much complimented for his bravery.

One lady said: "I wish I could have seen your feat."

Whereupon he blushed and stammered, and finally pointing to his pedal extremities said: "Well, there they be, mum."—Tit-Bits.

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Johnny—Say, ma, hadn't the teacher ought to set a good example for the children?

Mother—Why, yes, of course she should.

Johnny—Well, this arithmetic example is the worst I ever saw.—N. Y. Journal.

Suitably Inscribed.

Among the many new gifts to a newly-married pair the other day was a broom sent to the lady, accompanied with the following sentiment:

"This trifling gift accept from me;
Its use I would commend.
In sunshine use the brushy part;
in storms the other end."—Tit-Bits.

Worth Keeping.

Lady—I want you to take this dog back. He is handsome, I admit, but he can't be taught anything at all, and is of no earthly use.

Dealer (slowly)—Y-e-s, mum, I know, mum; but just thing wot a fine rug he'll make when he's dead.—N. Y. Weekly.

Bonus Needed.

"Bridget, you've broken as much china this month as your wages amount to. Now, how can we prevent this occurring again?"

"I don't know, mum, unless yez raise me wages."—Baltimore Sun.

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No Leak There.

Agent—So you are not satisfied with the house. Does it leak?

Tenant—It doesn't look like it. The cellar has been holding water for five weeks.—Harlem Life.

What Not to Say.

Do not say, "I can't eat." Take Hood's Sarsaparilla and say, "I am hungry all the time and food never hurts me."

Never say to your friends that you are as tired in the morning as at night. If they happen to be sharp they will tell you Hood's Sarsaparilla cures that tired feeling. Do not say, "My face is full of pimples." You are quite likely to be told by some one, "There's no need of that, for Hood's Sarsaparilla cures pimples."

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"What was that?"

"She said that whenever she saw you dancing she had to laugh."—Chicago Times-Herald.

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THE SISTERS.

The veranda of the Grand hotel, Zermatt, was unusually full, for a troupe of Neapolitan musicians was announced to give a concert. Among the crowd was Mrs. Jay Gibson, a woman of the world par excellence, one of the most brilliant and accomplished of American women. Italian by birth, she was adopted in infancy under circumstances which made her history a romantic one.

When old Carlotta Celini died, her two little orphan girls, Elvira and Giulietta, were adopted by Francesco Pastorelli, their uncle, a broken down singer, who in his old age continued to love music more than anything in the world. He earned a precarious living by repairing musical instruments and by giving lessons in singing and the violin. Now that he could himself sing no longer, his ambition was to produce a pupil who would become eminent. But his grievance was that his pupils were too poor to remain under his instruction long enough—nor did they come to him sufficiently young. But now that he had Elvira and Giulietta entirely under his control, "You will see," he said to his neighbors enthusiastically, "you will see what old Francesco can do. He has a voice no longer, but he knows how to sing. You shall see what he can do."

They had much music, but little food.

Privation and poverty finished poor old Francesco before his time. He died with his violin on his shoulder and his bow in hand. He called the two children who nursed him his nightingales; their song, he said, was better than food or physic.

Music is sweet, but it does not nourish the body. When it was too late, everybody exclaimed how sad it was. Some of the singers at the opera house made a collection among themselves for the children. The neighbors debated what was to be done for them, and news of the sad story reached some kind hearted American folk who were visiting Florence; they took one of them—Giulietta—into their hearts and adopted her. She went with them to New York, and they would have taken little Elvira also, but an old Italian nurse who had known the child from babyhood would not hear of it. She would bring up Elvira herself, she said, and to the neighbors this seemed just. Elvira was growing up now, and she would become a nice support.

Giulietta, taken to America, was petted, educated and well fed and soon developed a remarkable beauty. Her fine Roman nose, her large, dark eyes, her classic features and rich, ripe lips made her conspicuously attractive. But her wonderful gift of song was more striking even than her loveliness. At 18, when she was one of the recognized belles of New York, she was married to Mr. Jay Gibson, and she at once took her place as one of the leaders in American society.

Very soon afterward Mrs. Jay Gibson made her first voyage to Europe and visited Florence expressly to acquire news of her sister, of whom nothing had been heard for some years. She made untiring efforts to discover her or to obtain information about her. It was said by some that the old nurse in whose charge she had been left had treated her cruelly and that the child had run away. Others said the old woman had sold her to a troupe of traveling acrobats. The most resolute inquiries, repeated again and again, bore no fruit. Elvira was lost. She was swept away among the millions of the living—or of the dead. She was out somewhere in the mystery of life—or in eternity. No price or reward brought definite knowledge of the missing girl.

Every year Mrs. Jay Gibson visited Europe and always spent most of her time in Italy. She was now journeying thither through Switzerland, loitering a little en route at Zermatt.

The Neapolitan singers, in their red sashes and gay costumes, had already begun the concert outside the Zermatt hotel. The tenor had sung a ballad and the whole company a chorus before room was made on the veranda, which was already crowded, for Mrs. Jay Gibson and her little party. She sat down listlessly as the waiter served them with coffee and struck a match for her husband's cigar. Then a girl in the company sang a solo to the accompaniment of her guitar. In a moment Mrs. Jay Gibson was all ears, for she knew the old song well. It was one that her old uncle, Francesco, had taught them in the sad days of long ago.

She listened, lost in reverie, in dreams of her childhood, of Fiesole, of Florence.

Surely that voice was not the mere echo of a memory!

She sat erect. A sudden thrill swept through her. The voice was unmistakable. It was her sister's. She uttered her name with a joyful cry, "Elvira, Elvira!"

The song was abruptly concluded. Giulietta arose, advanced and took Elvira in her arms.

So, after years, they met. A few hours of embrace, of love, of mutual gifts, of kisses and of ears; a few days of mutual forbearance, of effort, of affection, of constraint and of passionate altercation; a final tearful gust of weeping and of love, and then they parted.

For those who have lived the Bohemian life can live no other. Its liberty, its unconventionality, even its hardships, are sweet to those who cannot bear the trammels of civilization. Besides, Elvira was in love with the tenor.—Illustrated London News.

JUST IN FUN

One frosty night in October Dr. Dudley Keith left his brougham on returning from a professional call and stepped into his club.

Two men leaned against the writing table by which he hurriedly sat down. The younger—an embryo M. D., owing much of what success he had attained to Dr. Keith—was laughing with his companion, who just then exclaimed:

"You're an awful scoundrel, Joyce!"

"Oh, come, Mountfort! That's a big word. It's only a joke, you know. I have not the least idea who she may be."

"Show it to Keith." And before Joyce could remonstrate Mountfort, handing a photograph across the table, said:

"Look at that, Keith. Perhaps you know the original. Joyce got it today in answer to a matrimonial humbug. I tell him he is an awful cad."

In silence Dudley Keith devoured every lineament of the grave, sweet face of the girl he had met and loved two months previous, he the guest of Colonel Norton and she the orphan companion of the colonel's nearest neighbor, Mrs. Annesley.

The girl from whom he had parted one month since under the mutual understanding that he would claim an answer to that as yet informally spoken question when he returned, as he meant to do now in a few days' time!

Rising to his feet, he confronted the two wondering men.

"You are right," he said between his teeth. "None but a cad would play such a low, dishonorable game. Sit down," he continued to young Joyce, pointing to the writing materials. "Inclose and return this at once."

And, awed by that tone of authority, the shame stricken Joyce did his bidding.

And Dudley Keith drove home to his handsome house in a whirl of anger, scorn and wounded love. He had thought her so pure, so womanly! But she was like all the rest—ready to sell herself, whether in a joke or earnest it mattered nothing.

Half an hour later he flung open his desk and wrote a letter to Colonel Norton, excusing himself from accepting his proffered hospitality for the next week

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It is Mrs. Arnold's "at home" five years later. Her gardens are gay with the brilliant colors of nature and of fashion. She herself, the gayest of all, rests a moment from her duties as hostess with her intimate friend, Harry Joyce, now a qualified M. D.

"I am surprised to see Keith here," he was saying. "He is such a recluse and a veritable misogynist as well."

"Really! Nevertheless, I once knew him to pay very marked attention to the companion of an aunt of mine, but he failed unaccountably to put in an appearance when expected."

"You don't say so. I should never have suspected Keith guilty of a flirtation. I recollect some years ago he gave me the greatest taking down I ever had in my life in connection with an unknown lady." And Harry Joyce related the episode of the photograph.

"What was it like?" Mrs. Arnold gasped, as she paled with fear before a sudden thought.

"Oh, an awfully nice looking girl, in white, holding a violin. Why? What's the matter?"

"Oh, what shall I do?" faintly articulated Mrs. Arnold. "It was I sent it. I never thought of harm."

And hastily she told how, to enliven the dullness of a country visit, she had taken from her aunt's album the photograph of her companion and posted it in reply to an advertisement.

"Just in fun, you know. I only wanted to see what answer I would get, but none came. The photograph was returned at once, without even one line, as, of course, you know. Oh, what can I do?"

"It's awfully awkward," muttered Harry Joyce, "but of course you must give a square account of the thing; there's no doubt of that."

"You mean—tell Dr. Keith? Oh! Must I?"

"That's it, I'm afraid. You see, it looks as if it had worked mischief. Of course, Keith concluded the girl had sent it herself, and the fellow's awfully changed since."

In a quiet glade, apart from her other guests, Mrs. Arnold made her confession, nerved to the task by the keen sting of genuine remorse.

At last he broke the silence.

"Be so kind as to give me Miss Warren's address—you mentioned that you knew it."

"Dr. Smith's private hospital, Harley street. She is lady superintendent there. She left my aunt, Mrs. Annesley, four years ago," faltered Mrs. Arnold.

In the lady superintendent's private room at the hospital, one hand resting on the table with unconscious force, Dr. Dudley Keith stands. He has desired the page to announce him only as "a gentleman wishing to see Miss Warren."

With tremendous effort he held himself perfectly still as she quickly entered and lifted her dark eyes inquiringly to his.

A breathless silence; one low cry, then, grasping the back of a chair, she stood as rigidly upright as he. He drew back a step and extended his arms. "I will not ask you," in low, husky tones he said, "so much as to touch my hand in formal greeting until I have spoken. It will be for you then to pronounce my doom; but speak I will, and answer me you must."

And in short, deliberate sentences which could not disguise the passionate eloquence he told his story. Then he waited.

Only for a brief moment; then, with trembling steps, but the radiant light of a great gladness on her beautiful face, she crossed the room and fell with a shuddering sob on his breast, felt his strong arms close around her with the quick rapture of possession, heard his voice in broken accents whisper in her ear:

"My darling, at last!"—Exchange.

Sensible.

Stern Papa—So that young whippersnapper, Smith, wants to marry you?

Daughter—Yes, papa. What did you say?

S. P.—I didn't say anything. I wouldn't listen to him.

Daughter (in tears)—Oh, papa, when you—

S. P.—Don't you begin now. I won't have it. That's why I shut him up. What do I want to hear a whole lot of promises and prospectus talk and half page advertising business about what he thinks of you and what he will do and all that for? I don't. Go 'long and get married if you want to, and the Lord have mercy on you. I'll give you a check for $25,000 on your wedding day, so you can be just as sassy to him as you want to be. Run along now and don't bother me.—Detroit Free Press.

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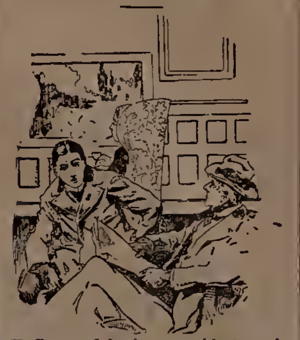
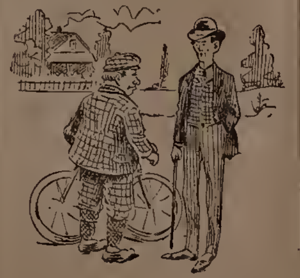


Hoffman—I don't seem able to make a success of anything, lately.

Westeynd—Why don't you run a soda fountain? Then you'll have an excuse for making a fizzle.—N. Y. Times.

HE KNEW ALL ABOUT IT.



Browne—They say bicycling is hard on the legs.

Towne—You're right. My wife pulled my leg for a new one last week.—Boston Herald.

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Burrowing animals are driven out of their holes or suffocated by a Californian's compound, which is formed of sulphur tar and petroleum applied to a fibrous, inflammable material, being ignited and inserted in the burrow by a pair of slender tongs.

Ditches can be rapidly dug in soft earth by a new machine, which is mounted on narrow trucks and has an endless chain of small buckets to scoop up the earth as the machine is drawn back and forth in the trench, depositing the dirt on either side.

Lamps can be opened for filling without the necessity of unscrewing the burner by using a new attachment, which has the burner collar mounted on a hinged support, with a locking device opposite the hinge, which holds the burner vertical when the lamp is lighted.

In New Hampshire a man has patented a new warming pad for application to different parts of the body, comprising a plurality of independent, elongated pockets filled with soapstone in a dry, powdered form, which holds the heat and allows the pad to shape itself to the afflicted part.

Buttons can be attached to garments without sewing fast to the cloth by a newly patented fastener, comprising a square section of heavy fabric, with an eyelet in the center to receive the shank of the button, which is held in place by a cord laced through the eye and over the edge of the fabric.

SPARKS AND FLASHES.

Short hair was the style under the Francis I. regime, but with the court of Louis XIII. came long hair as a fashion, curls, wigs, powders, periwigs and perukes.

Girls are not employed at the telephone switchboards at Cairo, Egypt. Men are used and are required to understand English, French, Italian, Greek and Arabic.

Electricity is to take place of steam at the shifting tables of the 30-inch rolls at Homestead, Pa. The only part of the plant which be operated by steam will be the big roll engines.

From April 15 to May 13, 799,479 passengers paid for using the moving side walk and the third-rail system in the Paris exposition grounds. The greatest number of passengers carried in one day was 75,000, says the Electrical World.

Electric traction which the London Metropolitan District railway have introduced upon their system between Earl's court and High street, Kensington, is giving satisfaction. The train consists of six coaches with a motor car at each end. The total length of the train is 245 feet, while its aggregate weight is 180 tons, and has accommodation for 312 passengers.

An extraordinary freak was played by lightning during a heavy thunder storm in Coventry. The lightning struck the chimney stack of a house occupied by a watchmaker and split it to the basement, magnetizing all the tools and watches in the workshop. Every particle of steel received a charge of the electric current. It is thought it may be possible to demagnetize the smaller articles and parts of watches, but the larger tools are so thoroughly impregnated as to be completely spoiled.

The Shooting Craze.

Every man thinks he can shoot until laughed out of the idea, and every lunatic likes to try his hand at slaughtering live birds. Clay pigeons require more skill. Great quantities of pigeons are shot in this country annually, and all find their way to our tables, where they are doctored and served under foreign names. Many a man in our cheaper restaurants does not know that he is eating pigeon instead of the game bird he has ordered. Your table d'hote proprietor has a knack of keeping pigeons for a week or two, changing the taste of the meat with a chemical, and imposing it upon his stranger guest. The shooting craze is so widespread that 500 magautraps soon will be in operation on the grounds of the leading gun clubs of the country. This means that 25,000,000 clay pigeons will be thrown and shot at in 1900, representing an expenditure of $150,000. The powder and shot wasted will cost more than $1,500,000.—N. Y. Press.

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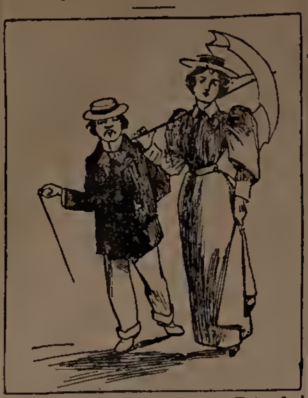
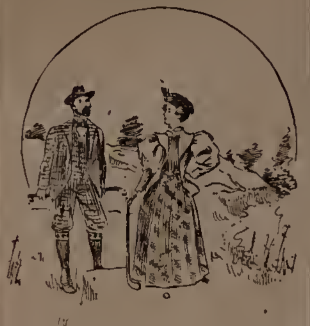


He—I met Mrs. Sneerwell. Friend o' yours, isn't she? She told me people at the hotel think you and I are brother and sister.

She—N—no; she's no friend of mine.—Pick-Me-Up.

AND HE DID.



He—I love a girl, and I do not know whether to mail or telegraph my proposal.

She—Why not express it?—Boston Herald.

A Victory.

"I understand he had the best of the debate," said one statesman.

"Yes," answered the other. "He made everybody so sleepy that they couldn't talk back."—Washington Star.

A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she could not live till morning" writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night. "All thought she must soon die from pneumonia, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, saying it had more than once saved her life, and had cured her of consumption. After three small doses she slept easily all night, and its further use completely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all throat, chest and lung diseases. Only 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason's drug store.

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Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court by Charles L. Richardson of said Boston, Clarissa R. Leland of Sherborn, in the county of Middlesex, Jeremiah D. Richardson, Charlotte L. Hamilton, Edward F. Richardson and Josie E. Richardson of said New York city to register and confirm their title in the following described land: A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in said Millis, and bounded southeasterly by Orchard street 124.2 feet, northeasterly by land of Daniel Dinnen 227 feet; northwesterly by said land of Dinnen 928 feet, westerly by land of heirs of M. Collins and parcel hereinafter described 225 feet; southerly by land of Fred H. Williams on two lines measuring together 447 feet; northwesterly again by said Williams land 239 feet, and southwesterly by said land of Williams 94 feet.

Also another parcel of land situate in said Millis, and bounded southeasterly by Orchard street 317 feet; northerly by land of Fred H. Williams 263 feet; easterly by said land of Williams 662 feet, northerly again by land of heirs of M. Collins 550 feet; westerly, southwesterly and southerly by Bogastow Brook about 1200 feet, easterly by land of heirs of M Collins 100 feet, southerly by the same 45 feet, westerly by the same 100 feet, and southwesterly by the same 25 feet

Said lots are shown on a plan filed with said petition

You are hereby cited to appear at the Court of Land Registration, to be held at Boston, in said county of Suffolk, on the FOURTH day of SEPTEMBER, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon

Witness, Leonard A. Jones, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of August, in the year nineteen hundred

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Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Perry, Miss Bessie Perry, Miss Florence Perry and Miss Mary Farrington went to Plymouth, Mass., Tuesday on an outing.——Miss Lilla Simmons of Worcester is visiting Miss Hannah Hurley.——Harry B. Lewis returned Tuesday from a two weeks' vacation with his brother in Waltham.——Tuesday night the bazaar of the Congregational society was opened. The hall was handsomely decorated. On the left was the refreshment booth, trimmed with white and festooned with garlands of dog briar. Over the centre were suspended two large bunches of hothouse grapes. Next were the lemonade stand and cotton tree. The fancy articles were displayed under a beautifully decorated booth of green and white. The Japanese pagoda, with its neat attractive shades and decoration, was in charge of young ladies in costume, who served tea. The art table, with its numerous views of the village, was decorated in red and green. The useful articles were displayed in a booth decorated with yellow and yellow chrysanthemums. The children's table was in red, white and blue. The wigwam was under the care of an attendant in Indian costume. The candy table, in the centre, was draped in pink and yellow, with a large Maypole in the middle, with sheaves of yellow and pink. The supper was excellent, consisting of salads, ices, cakes and other varieties of food. The entertainment consisted of songs by Louis Coggshall, the boy soprano, and by Miss Studley, who read and sang several selections.——Rev. Vincent E. Tomlinson of Worcester will preach at West Wrentham Universalist church next Sunday, August 12, at 4 o'clock p. m.

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Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 4. Sunday school at 3. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. Aquila Webb of Everett. Sunday school at 12. Y.P.S.C.E. at 6 30. No evening service.

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. S. Halfyard on "The Plant of Renown." No evening service. Sunday school at 12. Epworth league at 6.30.

Baptist church, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper, pastor. Preaching at 10.30. Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6 15.

Plant Line Travel Immense.

The last departures from Boston of the three Plant Line steamers La Grande Dutchesse, Halifax and Florida, have been the heaviest of the season and simply illustrate the popularity of a sea trip especially with something worthy of interest at the other end of it. All enjoy the quaintness of Halifax as well as its hospitality, and those who go byond are simply charmed with the scenery. A trip through the Straits of Canso, with its river like course for nearly 60 miles, is alone worth the trip to say nothing of the side trip through the Brasd'Or Lakes or a short sojourn on Prince Edward Island where the latch string is always out. Many are taking these trips in economical way by avoiding stateroom charges and taking berths in the cabin which every ticket includes. They get the same privileges on board as do stateroom passengers and an equal chance to enjoy that beautiful expanse of blue water as well as that heath giving ozone so well known to lovers of the sea. Send to the Plant Line offices, 290 Washington street, or 20 Alantic avenue, Boston, for illustrated advertising telling all about it.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

SUPERIOR COURT.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court, to be holden at Dedham within and for the County of Norfolk

Respectfully libels and represents Susanna Smith of Sharon, in said county, that she was lawfully married to James B. Smith, now of parts unknown, at said Sharon on the ninth day of April, A. D. 1875, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said James B. Smith lived together as husband and wife in this commonwealth, to wit., at Brockton in our county of Plymouth and at Easton in our county of Bristol, that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said James B. Smith being wholly regardless of the same at said Easton on Monday, the eleventh day of February, A. D. 1884, utterly deserted your libellant and has continued such desertion from that time to the date hereof, being more than three consecutive years prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said James B. Smith, and for such other orders and decrees as to your honors shall seem meet and as justice may require.

Dated the thirty first day of July, A. D. 1900.

SUSANNA SMITH.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

SUPERIOR COURT.

On the foregoing libel it is ordered that the libellant give notice to the said James B. Smith, the libellee, to appear before the justices of this court, to be holden at Dedham, within and for said county, on the first Monday of September next, by causing an attested copy of said libel, and of this order thereon, to be published once in a week for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Franklin in the county of Norfolk, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first Monday of September next, and further, by sending [illegible] mail, as soon as may be, by a registered letter addressed to the last known [illegible] the said James B. Smith, an attested [illegible] of this order thereon, that the said James B. Smith may then and there show cause, if any he has, why the prayer of said libel should not be granted.

By the Court,

LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.

August 1, A. D. 1900.

A true copy [illegible]

Attest: R. B. WORTHINGTON, Assistant Clerk.

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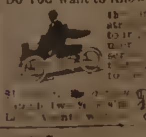
NOTICE.

Estate of Sarah P. M. Wiley, late of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, represented insolvent. The subscribers having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county commissioners to receive and examine the claims of creditors against the estate of said Sarah P. M. Wiley, hereby give notice that six months from the twenty-seventh day of June, A. D. 1900, are allowed to creditors to present and prove their claims against said estate, and that they will meet to examine the claims of creditors at the store of A. Maeder, Central street, Holliston, on the thirty first day of August next, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

DANIEL W. [illegible]
ALONSE MAEDER
Commissioners.

Holliston, [illegible]



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Mortgagee's Sale,

—OF—

REAL ESTATE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Lawrence McGinnis of Medway, in the county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Roxbury Brewing Company, a corporation duly established under the laws of said commonwealth, dated September fifteenth, 1898, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, libro 824, page 272, which mortgage has been duly assigned by mesne assignments to Stephen Jennings, the subscriber, for breach of the condition contained in said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, upon the premises hereinafter described, on Tuesday, the twenty-eighth day of August, 1900, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed in and by said mortgage deed, namely: A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon standing, known as the [illegible] estate, situated on the north side of Village street, in said Medway, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner thereof, at the junction of Broad with Village street, and thence running easterly on Village street eighty-eight feet to land now or formerly of Minerva Hathon, deceased, thence running northerly on land of said Hathon one hundred and [illegible] feet to a corner, thence running easterly on land of said Hathon forty-six feet to a corner, thence running northerly and westerly sixty three feet on land now or formerly of Mrs. Woodward to a corner, thence running northerly on land of said Woodward to a corner of land now or formerly owned by E. A. Noyes, twenty one feet distant from barn on said premises, thence westerly on a straight line parallel with said barn to a point in line with the front of said barn and twenty one feet distant therefrom, thence continuing southwesterly on a straight line to a point in a line with the rear of the store block thirty five feet distant therefrom in a [illegible] direction, thence in a line westerly parallel with said block to Broad street, thence southerly on said Broad street to the point of departure, with right of way fifteen feet wide across the [illegible] side of the land conveyed to E. B. Stowe, May [illegible] 1886, from land of Mrs. Woodward to a point in line with the rear of the store block and [illegible] therefrom thirty [illegible] feet, [illegible] block dated March 1, 1886, and [illegible] in the well mentioned [illegible] from the [illegible] Savings Bank recorded with Norfolk deeds [illegible] 619, page 12. Excepting from the above described premises [illegible] lease from [illegible] mortgage deed [illegible] June 21, 1899, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, libro 816, page [illegible]

Said premises will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes thereon, and to a [illegible] mortgage for $[illegible] given by Lawrence McGinnis to the Milford Co-operative Bank, dated September 17, 1896, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, libro 744, page [illegible]

Terms of sale: Three hundred dollars to be paid at time and place of sale, and the balance in ten days on delivery of the deed.

STEPHEN JENNINGS,
Assignee of said Mortgage.

C. G. & C. D. KEYES, Attorneys,
[illegible] State street, Boston.

Boston, August 9, 1900.

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Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	8.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

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Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 00 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

A new express is shortly to be put on between here and Medway.

Mrs. Thomas Coutu gave birth on Sunday to her twenty-second child.

Rev. Mr. Sleeper has promised us a letter from Nova Scotia for our next issue.

Alphonso Briggs and daughter, Miss Annie Briggs, have been with friends in town.

Miss Mary Buckley of Unionville is spending her vacation at Old Orchard, Maine.

George Cochrane and family of Peck street are spending the summer months in Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. James Keely of Union street left Saturday for a week's visit at Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rathbun and two children will spent a few days in Woodstock, Vt.

L. P. Faxon left Monday morning for a week's vacation with friends in Manchester, N H.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Winchenbach are entertaining Miss Louise Walcott of Macon, Ga.

Mrs. Dennis Sullivan of Church street is visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. F. Milan of Milford.

Mr. and Mrs. Marston Sanborn returned on Saturday from their outing at St. Johns, N. B.

Misses Ellen and Louise Fiorani of Cottage street are visiting their sister in Reading, Mass.

Work was resumed at the Colonial rubber works yesterday after a shut down of a few weeks.

Miss Mary Fiorania of Cottage street has returned after a month's visit with relatives in Milford.

Miss Delia Morrissey of Emmons street is spending a vacation with friends at Revere beach, Boston.

Dr. M. E. Pond started on his annual vacation Monday. His office will be closed during his absence.

Prof. O. C. Skeele officiated as basso in the Congregational choir last Sabbath in the absence of Dr. E C. Abbott.

W. C. Sherman returned from his western trip on Sunday. He reports extremely hot weather in Chicago.

A number of the old Carter players, Supple and Dinninger, have been secured for the strong Woonsocket Gym team.

Flowers for the Alden club mission may be left with Mrs E. K. Ray in Unionville and with Mrs. James F. Ray here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A Geb, William B. Milliken and Miss M S Field are spending a week at Bates' grove, Webster lake.

Chester Corbin and Miss Jessie Corbin have returned home after spending a week's vacation with relatives in Hyde Park.

Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, D. D., is enjoying the Northfield meetings this week, and will be joined by others from here later.

Mrs. J. H. Everett has gone to Nova Scotia for an extended tour through the provinces, and will be absent a couple of months.

The students who have been attending the summer school at Hyannis returned last week and report a most profitable session.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Perry and two children of Waukegan, Ill., have been guests of her sister, Mrs. C. B. Johnson.

The Hoag club held a clambake at Hoag lake last Sunday, the menu attracting quite a goodly number of lovers of the bivalve.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Fisher left this morning for an outing. Mrs. Fisher will accompany Mr. F. on one of his business trips from town.

Manager Enegren has secured the American band orchestra for dancing at Lake Pearl this evening, Thursday and Saturday evenings.

Word has been received from Rev. S. A. Cook and Charles H. Prince, who are doing the Paris exposition, that they will sail for home August 21.

The Epworth league of the M. E church will hold a basket picnic at Lake Pearl Wednesday evening, August 15, if pleasant. Lunch served at 7 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Searle of New London, Conn., have returned home after spending the past few weeks with Mrs. Charles Corbin of Central street.

Labor Day is fast approaching, and something should be done in the way of getting pleasure, profit or fun out of the day. Who will make a suggestion?

The motormen and conductors of the M., A. & W. street railway company are planning a clambake in connection with the Woonsocket men in the near future.

Frank Wells has been confined to his home on Central street with throat trouble, having recently had an operation performed, which relieved the difficulty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lesure, Mrs. K. R. Jewett and two children, Miss Emma Clegg and Mr. and Mrs. Dill of Boston left yesterday for a two weeks' outing at Squam Creek, Me.

Miss Annie Irene Croston of Auburn, Me., who has been a guest of the Misses Lizzie and Nellie Croston of Chestnut street during the past two weeks, returned home Friday.

The union picnic of the Pilgrim Fathers of this town with lodges of other towns was held at Lake Pearl last Saturday, all enjoying a good time. Grand lodge officers were present.

G. I. Partridge returned on Saturday from a two weeks' visit with relatives in several states, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Connecticut being among the number. He reports a most pleasant trip.

Capt. A. F. Pendleton has taken the contract to transport children from the Northwest district to the town schools for the ensuing year, and has fitted himself up with the necessary horses and barges to do the work.

A number from here are looking forward to the celebration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the Congregational church in West Medway on Wednesday, October 3, as it can hardly fail to be a notable affair.

C. F. Nye was the first golf player in the Franklin club to beat Col. Bogey, that famous gentlemen's best record being 42, while Mr. Nye covered the course in 41 last Friday. The colonel will now have to look to his laurels.

Attorney R. G. Fairbanks of West Medway is prominently mentioned as a candidate for warden in the grand lodge of Odd Fellows. Mr. Fairbanks would represent this section creditably and would make an efficient official. His friends hope he will get it.

A trolley party from Medfield came here Friday evening in a brilliantly illuminated open vestibuled car over the Medfield and Medway electric line. There were thirty-five ladies and gentlemen in the party and they spent half an hour here viewing the town.

The Bassett Bros.' straw goods factory is busy on felts and a good fall season is expected, except such depression as is more or less evident in a presidential year. Other factories engaged in the same line of business are reported having a good demand for goods.

Tickets good from August 27 to 31 are now on sale at the station here for the races at Narragansett park, the price for the round trip and admission into the grand stand being but $1.45. The tickets for Readville are also for sale; round trip, good from August 21 to 27, $1.55.

Workmen are engaged in renovating and redecorating Masonic hall. Electric lights may be put in in place of gas, and with the new carpet to be put down the Masonic bodies expect to have a beautiful as well as comfortable headquarters at the opening of regular meetings next month

Rev. Aquilla Webb occupied the Congregational pulpit last Sabbath in the absence of Rev. Dr. Sneath and preached a forceful and interesting sermon. He is a young man and spoke without notes, holding the closest attention of his auditors to the end. Rev. N. T. Dyer of Ashburnham will preach next Sabbath.

Our Boys defeated the North Bellingham nine, 14 to 9, on the latter's ground, W. Fiske, who was in the box for Our Boys, struck out fourteen men. The batteries were Fiske and Boucher for Our Boys and Highlands and Nugent for North Bellingham. This was the seventh straight victory for the Franklin team.

The chairman of the assessors recently received a letter directed to the assessors of the county of Franklin, and which was intended for the town appraisers of values. While the gentleman is a modest man, without question he must feel a little thrill of pride at the enlarged appreciation of his office implied in the address.

Mrs. Almon Sanborn is visiting her brother in Portand, Me. Last Sunday Mr. Sanborn's daughter, Mrs. Cora Parker and her husband, from Walpole with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gates, enjoyed a clambake prepared by Mr. Sanborn at his home, which was reported to have been served in the caterer's most approved style.

Uncle Silas tells of a good ride the other morning. The car had started from Unionville for Franklin, when there was a pop and something was gone. The car returned to Unionville for a new car, and then, said he, we lined it for the centre without a break, except at Beaver street, faster than I ever took the trip with the old mare.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Haslam and J. D. Sanborn spent the Sabbath at East Blackstone, where they were the guests of Rev. Frank Byron Adams, the Methodist pastor in that place. It is not impossible that the reverend gentleman may be heard here later, and he has a number of interesting lectures which he may deliver here.

The M., A. & W. street railway has forfeited its franchise in Milford, according to Solicitor Taft's opinion, since he claims that the company did not begin the construction of its railway prior to July 1, as required by the selectmen, although rails, etc., were strung along the highways. It is not impossible that the company will refuse to accept the decision and appeal to the courts, although already they have asked for a new franchise.

Rev. J. P. Chadbourne will leave Medway in a few days for Concord, N. H., where it is his purpose to remain until January 1 and then to go west. He has accepted a desirable position with the Scribner publishing country and will introduce one of its new works among the clergymen in that section and at the same time try to regain his health. Mr. Chadbourne's friends here and elsewhere unite in wishing him an early return of his oldtime strength and energy.

The delay in opening the direct street railway line from Bellingham Four Corners to Milford is because of the unfinished state of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad bridge at Bellingham. The bridge has been in an unfinished condition for over two weeks, and the non-arrival of girders ordered by the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad folks is the cause for the delay. The rails of the street railway have all been laid, wires strung and all necessary details complied with for the opening of the road.

A Franklin business man who saw Mark Hanna at the Touraine in Boston last week reports him as being a vastly different man from what the caricaturists have pictured him, but is a clean, bright, thoroughly equipped man of affairs, looking not unlike a prosperous banker. He has a keen eye, which gives one the impression that he has no time for nonsense, but it is said he can take and give a joke with the best of them. His trip to Boston was to meet representative Republicans of Massachusetts and make arrangements for securing funds for the campaign. He says the funds will be needed this year, and there is little doubt but that Mark knows how to get them.

Louis Malatesta, who keeps a fruit stand at Fisher's confectionery store in Metcalf block, and who sells fruit on the road, was robbed of $230 in cash and a gold watch valued at $45 on Saturday night, the money and timepiece being taken from his clothes in the room where he boards in the Whiting house on Central street. A fellow boarder named Antonio Simonelli and a companion are suspected of having committed the theft and Malatesta swore out warrants for their arrest. Simonelli was found at the boarding house yesterday morning by Special Officer Connor and locked up to await a hearing today, when he was discharged by Judge Doe in the district court, there being insufficient evidence to warrant his being held. The other man wanted has disappeared and the police are searching for him.

An unsuccessful attempt was made to rob the grocery store of McCabe & Cody on Union street late Saturday night or early Sunday morning. The would-be intruders removed a window in the cellar with the intention of gaining an entrance to the store above by the cellar stairs, but their way was blocked by empty barrels and boxes which are stored in the basement. They were thus obliged to give up their attempt to reach the store in this way and next turned their attention to the window in the rear of the store, which they reached by piling boxes underneath. They did not succeed in getting the window open, however, and evidently retired in disgust. This store was burglarized about a month ago, when several dollars in cash and a quantity of tobacco and cigars were carried off.

A number of national banks throughout the country are furnishing their patrons with personal receipts, by which the depositor is enabled to withdraw his money upon the receipt in the same manner as with a check, without being obliged to put on the revenue stamp. This is only permitted where the receipt is made out in the drawer's name and the money taken from the bank by him. This has been decided to be a perfectly legal procedure, and is generally taken advantage of in places where the custom has become known. The government insists that checks shall be stamped, but makes no provision for ordinary receipts, upon the supposition that the passage of money between parties, not in payment of debts, were not subject to revenue, a simple receipt being all that is necessary, as between private parties.

An extremely sad case is that of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Palmer, who lost their young son Walter, aged seven, by spinal meningitis yesterday. With other lads he had been exercising vigorously on Saturday forenoon at ball, and in the afternoon went in bathing, remaining in much too long. A quantity of unripe apples also aggravated the case, and he was taken quite sick that night. A doctor was called on yesterday morning, but it was too late, as that dread disease had secured too firm a hold to be shaken off and medical skill could not save him. A lad who had been with him during Saturday was also taken ill during that night, but timely remedies were applied and he recovered. The funeral of the lad will be held from the house tomorrow at 2 o'clock. The blow is a severe one to his parents and young mates. He will be buried in Sheldonville.

At the annual water sports given Aug. 9 on Asquam lake, N. H., by members of Camp Algonquin the first junior prize for swimming, a silver-mounted fishing rod and reel, was secured by Master Robert Thayer, who also scored a high per centage in fancy diving and canoeing. The shores were crowded with spectators from the hotels and cottages that abound in that region. A subscription party given in the evening at the boys' clubhouse proved a fitting close to the most successful field day the camp has ever held. Through the generosity of R. G. Brown, Esq., of New York, the boys will enjoy a three days' trip this week, including Mt. Washington. Many courtesies have also been shown the camp by John G. Nicolay, Esq., former secretary to President Lincoln; Admiral Bunce, U. S. N., stationed at Brooklyn, N. Y., and Miss Anna Longfellow, niece of the poet, all being cottage owners in this God-given paradise.

The Franklin grange accepted an invitation from N. B. Stone, superintendent of the Medway town farm, to spend the afternoon and evening of Thursday at his place. About thirty went over, some by way of the electrics and some driving. The guests were taken over the new almshouse, and all thought it very pleasant. The house is finished in natural wood throughout. All the arrangements are modern, thus making the work as easy as possible. One side of the house is devoted to the men, the other side to the women, and the centre is reserved to the superintendent and family. There are about forty-two rooms in the house and sixteen inmates. The party then went out to a little grove back of the house, and about 6 o'clock the baskets were brought forth and supper served. A social time was spent until 9 o'clock, when the barge arrived at the door to take the party to the village to take the 9.40 car for Franklin. All had a very pleasant time.

How About the Girl?

She has an equal chance with the boy in either the commercial or shorthand department of the Providence Bryant & Stratton Business College. Business men demand our graduates. School year opens Sept. 10.

Office Closed.

My patrons are requested to note that my dental office will be closed until further notice during my vacation.

DR. M. E. POND.

Cut flowers, all kinds of funeral designs well made up at Slade's greenhouse. Roses in small or large quantities.

Eat fish as well as meat. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fish-man.

Just received in Franklin—a genuine thirst quencher, Dewing's Persian Punch. Sold only by WALTER FIORANI.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

1850—Franklin—1900.

The writer, at present feeling in a sort of reminiscent mood, looking backward fifty years, finds it difficult to realize that so many years have passed away in seemingly so short a time. As his memory carries him back to those good "old times" it seems but as yesterday, and thinking that a descriptive history of the past fifty years, with its many changes in this town, may not be altogether uninteresting to many of the SENTINEL readers, he herewith, in rather a crude manner, proceeds to jot down the many changes that have occurred during the last half century.

In 1850 the town contained about 1,800 people. Now (after a portion of the town has been set off) the town contains about 5,500, or fully three times as many as fifty years ago. At that time (1850) within one mile of the railroad bridge in all directions there were, perhaps, in dwelling houses, stores, etc., about one hundred, or possibly one hundred and twenty buildings. Now there are at least eight hundred or more. Nearly all of the seven hundred new buildings were erected between the years 1872 and 1888. To note more particularly the changes that have occurred we will start at the corner of Union and Beaver streets and proceed down Union on the west side, naming the owners of the houses as we proceed.

First at the corner of Beaver and Union streets stands the old academy building, the lower floor being occupied as a dry goods and grocery store, owned and operated by the late D. R. Baker, a native (I think) and old resident of the town. The upper room was used as an academy, and the writer attended school there previous to 1850. The teacher at that time was William Peck, who later became a prominent lawyer in Providence, R. I., but who long ago joined the "silent majority," or, as the late Jim Fiske, of Erie railroad fame, expressed it, he has gone "where the woodbine twineth." Next to the academy is the house owned and occupied by Amos H. Morse. He sold the place and removed from town many years ago. The next residence was that of S. P. Adams, who died many years ago. The house was purchased several years ago by the late A. Hartwell Morse, who in the early 50's was a partner of Mr. Adams in the straw goods business, remaining with him until the death of Mr. A. in 1859. Their factory stood just beyond the east end of the new opera house block. Leaving Mr. Adams' house, the next is the "old Pratt place," so called. Then we arrive at the house and "block shop" of the late Lowell B. Cleaveland, where for nearly twenty years he made all the plaster bonnet blocks used by the six straw shops then in operation. Next in order is the Col. Cleaveland "old place," purchased about that time or a little later by the late Caleb T. Nye and occupied by him and his family up to the time of his death, some eight years ago. Next is the cottage built about 1850 by Nathaniel Thayer, one of the oldtimers. The cottage is now owned and occupied by Mr. Fitzgerald. Next in order is the cottage now owned by Mr. Thomas B. Allen, but built previous to 1850 by Mr. Luther Dean, who for several years practiced the custom tailoring business. Leaving his place we see no other house on that side of the street until we arrive at the George W. Nason homestead, located only a few feet north of the railroad. Crossing over to return on the east side of the street, the only two buildings near the railroad are the passenger and freight depots. At that time all trains stopped there, and it was called Nason's station. As we proceed north the first building we encounter is a dry goods and grocery store owned and operated by C. W. Stewart, who was for many years and is still the treasurer of the Benjamin Franklin savings bank. Mr. Lyman Cheney, who is now in town, was clerk in Mr. Stewart's store for several years between 1850 and 1860. Mr. Stewart's house comes next and is in close proximity to his store. We are now at Thayer's corner, where stands the "old boarding house," which some twenty years ago was remodeled and has since been designated as a hotel and named the Franklin house. Previous to 1850 and up to about 1878 the front part on Union street was occupied by the late C. T. Nye, who kept a general store of dry goods, groceries, hooks and eyes, etc., for more than thirty years. As we proceed north the next residence is that of Eli M. Richardson, built about 1850. Then comes the estate of Miss Emily Pond, a maiden lady of mature years, that being the last on the east side of Union street, and making in all sixteen buildings on Union street between Beaver street and the railroad crossing, while now there are forty-four buildings.

Mr. Thayer's new straw factory, as it was then called, was erected in the summer and autumn of 1864, being opened for business in January, 1865.

Starting on Main street at the H. C. Fisher old place and taking in all the buildings on both sides of the street between there and the railroad bridge, we find, including dwellings, stores, etc., there were twenty-one in all. Now there are fifty and upwards. We have neither time nor space to refer to each one separately. At that time (1850) there was one church in town, Congregational, while now there are five, namely, Congregational, Universalist, Baptist, Catholic and Methodist, and a society or guild of Episcopalians.

Crossing the railroad bridge and going east on Central street as far as the "four corners," so called, we find in 1850 but seven or eight buildings on both sides of the street, while now, including all kinds

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The Country Club Entertains.

The North Attleboro Country club came to Franklin last Saturday for a game of golf as guests of the Franklin club, in a return game for the one of two weeks ago, when the Franklin players went to North Attleboro and beat their hosts by 25 holes up. Last Saturday they emphasized their superiority by beating the North Attleboro friends a still greater score, 57 holes up, their opponents not securing a hole. This score indicates remarkably fine work by the Franklin players, while it is no disparagement to their guests, who would have very much liked to have returned home the winners, making the honors even. Arnold made the phenomenal record of 37, which beats Col. Bogey by five points, the best score ever made on the links.

After the game a most tempting collation was served and there was a pleasing intercourse of social courtesies. The visiting friends fully appreciated the hospitality which was extended toward them, their only regret being the loss of the game. Among the guests from Attleboro were Mr. and Mrs. Foster Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Hixon, Miss Alice Blackington, Mr. G. Herbert French, Eugene Fisher, Miss Codding, Mrs. Fisher; Miss Carpenter, Miss Proctor, Miss Bennett, Miss Williams, Miss Everett, Miss Allen, of Wrentham; Miss Fisher, Mr. Blakeley Smith, of Providence; Miss Gertrude Whiting, Worcester; Charles and Fred Allen, Walpole.

FRANKLIN	Up.	NO. ATTLEBORO.	Up.
Rathbun	10	French	0
Arnold	12	Clark	0
Nye	10	[illegible]	0
Ray	6	Riley	0
Chapman	1	H. Fisher	0
B[illegible]ett	6	Blackington	0
C. Gilmore	5	Whitmarch	0
Allen	1	Howard	0
Woodward	2	C. Fisher	0
G. Gilmore	4	F[illegible]nklin	0
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Boom's Black Diamonds This Week.

The show booked for Hoag Lake this week has been received favorably wherever given. Boom's Black Diamonds will hold the boards and the company is said to be the strongest colored combination on the road. The talent comprises Erastus Banks, in "A Coontown Picnic;" Harry Brown, monologist and cartoonist; the Black Diamond quartette; Pinky Gross, prima donna; Wells sisters, singers and dancers; the Larkins, rulers of Coonville. The roaring afterpiece, "Telephone Coon," closes the performance. Charles A. Wheeler is accompanist.

The poor man's carriage offers many chances for recreation trips at small expense, and the limit can be according to the time at hand for the purpose, from an hour to a week. One of the pleasantest routes from here is to Attleboro and then to Mansfield, where a return can be made via Walpole to Dedham and from Dedham through Medfield and Medway. Of course this can be enlarged to almost any extent desired, or a return can be made in other ways.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Good wages for a girl to do housework. Inquire at SENTINEL office. 24 tf

100 cords trash hard and pine limbs, at Allen's wood yard, School street.

A competent girl to do housework is wanted at Dr. C. H. Randall's. 7tf

Wanted —A competent girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. Dr. King, High street. 31

Cook wanted for two or three weeks at the seashore; wages $4. Inquire at once at the SENTINEL office.

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

Wanted.—A ton of horse hay. Will pay for same in carpenter work. F. E. Dudley, Union and Central streets. 14*

To Let.—In Franklin, the farm known as the Maxey Fisher place, King street. Nominal rent to the right party. Address E. S. G., 27 Main street, Charlestown, Mass. 14

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. At Calkin's Studio, over SENTINEL office.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J.B.MCKINNON, Agent.

Spend your vacation on old ocean instead of the dry, hot country. Take the Plant Line to the Provinces and see something of a foreign land. Don't feel obliged to take a stateroom; a free berth in the cabin is better than the average farm house quarters. A fourteen hundred mile cruise inside of a week. Stop over allowed. Living in the Provinces cheaper than staying at home. Send for advertising telling all about it, to J. A. Flanders, New England agent, 290 Washington street, E H. Downing, agent, 20 Atlantic avenue, Boston.

A carload of brewery grain received every Tuesday at Metcalf's station, where any quantity can be purchased. Good for milch cows, hens or hogs. Great saving on grain. Inquire at the station.

Dental Notice.

Please note that my office will be closed during my absence for two or three weeks, or until further notice.

DR. E. C. ABBOTT.

Send your boys to Ochee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Sweet peas at Slade's greenhouse.

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of business, there are forty-seven to fifty. Just east of the bridge on the north side of Central street in 1868 was erected what was then considered a large straw goods factory, which was owned by the late Mr. Elisha Foster, and occupied and operated in 1867 and part of the spring season of '68 by the firm of Foster, Day & Pratt. They did a very successful business in 1867, but in '68 met with severe losses and reverses, their factory being burned to the ground in April and causing their failure. The factory was never rebuilt. Both Mr. Foster and Mr. Day long since passed over to the "great majority," while Mr. Pratt, the last the writer heard of him, was a resident of a western state.

Cottage, East and West streets have all been opened to the public since 1860, and nearly every lot on each street has a building upon it. Several other streets have since been opened and are nearly covered with buildings their entire length, namely, Alpine, Crescent, Garfield, Queen, Fales, and School and Emmons streets extensions, Peck, Wachusetts, Dale, Winter, McCarthy, Thayer, Fisher and many other streets not mentioned. Several of the old streets not yet mentioned, namely, Summer, Cross, Pleasant and Beaver, with others, have all, more or less, comparatively new buildings on them.

One of the oldest landmarks of the town and still in evidence, and which is an ornament to the town and a standing monument to the truly progressive ideas of the voting population, is the old town hall. Strangers in the town, when passing it, stop and view it with curiosity, and upon learning that it is the only town hall are struck dumb with amazement and truly remark that it is really a curiosity to see a town hall like that standing directly opposite a $35,000 high school building.

The greatest and principal growth of the town occurred between 1872 and 1887, in a space of fifteen years. In 1850 there were no mills in operation in the centre of the town. During the past twenty years and at the present time there are six mills in operation, employing about 1,000 hands, possibly more. There are also two straw goods factories, employing, when in full operation, about 500 people. In 1850 there were no stores and local business of all kinds eight or ten. Now there are between forty five and fifty.

The writer of this sketch, in the autumn of 1851, then a callow youth under 16, left this town and was absent six years, except during the summer months, when he returned to renew his acquaintance with the few boys and girls—now, I suppose, would be called young ladies and young gentlemen. But things have changed "since Hannah died," and times now are not as they were then, when we used to have more real enjoyment and pure, unadulterated fun to the square inch than can now be obtained to the square acre. There were in the village proper then only about a dozen or fifteen of both sexes between 16 and 20 years of age. But didn't we at times "make Rome howl!" Think of the old time berry rides, so called, when G. W. Nason would hitch up his four horse express wagon, take aboard about twenty people, with plenty of milk, bread, etc., and about thirty to fifty people more would follow in single teams, proceeding to the farm of Cyrus Allen (now occupied by his son, C. Milton Allen), pick several quarts of berries, then camp upon the ground, take our fill of berries, bread and milk. After a social hour or more ramping and a good time generally, a majority of those with private teams and their very best A 1 girl proceed to Wrentham, the nearest way home, there to visit Uncle Jerry Cobb, as he was called by everybody, and partake of about four glasses (to each person) of his ice cream. It was generally very good, but as he was a great snuff taker we would occasionally find a speck of yellow snuff in our cream. However, that only served to make the jokes and fun still more hilarious than usual. Leaving there about dusk we would extend our drive some six miles or more extra, arriving home in the "wee sma' hours" of the morning, with neither of us as tired as the poor horse, which had "toted" us from 15 to 20 miles since 2 p. m.

Ah, as the writer's memory reverts to those good old days, he almost wishes that he could again enjoy a repetition of those delightful hours. But alas! such happiness can never again be realized in this mundane sphere, as we are all each day drawing nearer the end of our earthly pilgrimage. Let us hope that in our expectations of future enjoyment we may not be disappointed. Possibly there may still be living three or four of my former intimates, whom, if they chance to peruse this sketch, will readily recognize the author and remember, as he does with pleasure, those happy days of long ago.

Fearing I have already wearied those who have attempted to digest this sketch, I will close it without further comment.

AN OLD TIMER.

Franklin, August 6, 1900.

A LASTING EFFECT.

This Evidence Should Prove Every Claim.

Relief from the pains and aches of a bad back is always welcome to every backache sufferer, but to cure a lame, weak or aching back is what's wanted. Cure it so it will stay cured. It can be done. Here's the strongest evidence to prove it.

Mr. H. P. Smith, blacksmith, of Elm street, Amesbury, Mass., says: "Mrs. Smith, from a cold which settled in her loins, suffered so severely from backache that she was unable to attend to the ordinary household duties, often finding it impossible to even make a bed for three months. I had read a great many statements of residents of Amesbury who positively declared that Doan's Kidney Pills had cured them of backache and other symptoms of kidney complaint. This led me to make some inquiries, and as a result Mrs. Smith took a thorough course of the treatment. It cured her. It is so long ago that I am confident the results are permanent. We never lose an opportunity of advising others who suffer from either weakened or over-excited kidneys to procure Doan's Kidney Pills, and we know of scores in and around Amesbury who have taken our advice and were not only surprised but gratified at the benefits received."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers; price 50 cents a box. Mailed on receipt of price by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name, Doan's, and take no substitute.

Empresses in Contrast.

The present czarina of Russia goes to extremes in the simplicity of her court apparel, and in this respect forms a great contrast to the famous Elizabeth Petrowna, daughter of Peter the Great. The latter while empress, says the New York Herald, had earned the title of "Elizabeth the Good," because she never approved of any executions in her empire. On the other hand, she was much criticised for her extravagance and eccentricity in dress. After her death the fact became known that she had 15,000 costly gowns in her wardrobe, none of which had ever adorned her royal person. Now, when the dress of court is a more serious matter with the royal and noble women, Russia has a czarina who observes the strictest simplicity in her gowns, and requires the same from her guests and attendants. This has caused endless dissatisfaction. The ultra fashionable lady must bear the chagrin of appearing at court functions in a very plain toilet, for otherwise the scrutinizing eyes would pick her out as a mark for disapproval. This extraordinary plainness baffles her admirers all the more, because it is a well-known fact that the czar is extremely fond of chic and has often expressed his admiration for elaborate, costly ladies' toilets.

The Consul's Cats.

Gen. Sir Herbert Chermside, who is now in South Africa, was formerly a consul in Asia Minor, where he was very popular. Once, in a weak moment, he sent a couple of beautiful Angora cats as a present to a lady in Constantinople. The lady was so pleased that she asked him to send some more. Sir Herbert gave his native servant some money and told him to go and buy two or three. Then came a demand for more cats from the consul's friends, and he gave his servant more money with which to buy cats. This went on for two or three months, and the native servant waxed exceeding fat. One morning however, the general, on coming out of the consulate, was surrounded by a host of veiled women, who besought Mahomet to curse him because he had stolen all their cats. It appears that the native servant had pocketed the money for himself, and gone round with a sack and confiscated every cat in the place.—Collier's Weekly.

Not Off His Trolley.

A Scottish paper tells an anecdote in connection with the new electric system just opened in Aberdeen. Two farm servants came to Aberdeen to spend New Year's day. Arriving by train, they immediately made their way to the terminus of the electric tramway circuit, where, after looking at the new creation with much wonder, they decided upon having a ride. Getting on the top of the car, and after getting well along: "Wull," said mun Jock, this is a graun' invention. In Edinburg I saw them drive the cars wi' an iron rape aneth street, in Dundee they pu' them wi' an engine, but, mighty man, wha' wad a' thocht they could ca' them wi' a fishing rod!"—Argonaut.

Regicides' Cave.

After the execution of Charles I. and the restoration of the Stuarts to royal power Edward Whalley and William Goffe, two of the judges that condemned the unhappy monarch to the scaffold, were compelled to flee from England. They came to America, and for a time they hid in a rock cavern near New Haven, Conn. This hiding place has since been known as the "regicides' cave," and is one of the interesting spots in that locality.—Detroit Free Press.

On the Installment Plan.

The world may owe a man a living, but he has to collect it on the installment plan.—Chicago Daily News.

Simplicity.

The supreme excellence in all things is simplicity.—Chicago Daily News.

SAGE AND PHILOSOPHER.

Cruel people are ever cowards in emergency.—Swift.

Conversation is the vent of character, as well as of thought.—Emerson.

You will find poetry nowhere unless you bring some with you.—Joubert.

Forty is the age of youth—50 is the youth of old age.—Victor Hugo.

The secret of making one's self tiresome is not to know when to stop.—Voltaire.

In great straits, and when hope is small, the boldest counsels are the safest.—Livy.

We are al sure of two things, at least—we shall suffer and we shall die.—Goldsmith.

The nearer we approach great men, the clearer we see that they are men—Bruyere.

Anger ventilated often hurries toward forgiveness; anger concealed often hardens into revenge.—Bulwer-Lytton.

It is with books as with men: a very small number play a great part; the rest are confounded with the multitude.—Voltaire.

Avarice starves its possessor to fatten those who come after, and who are eagerly awaiting the demise of the accumulator.—Greville.

Ambition has one reward for all—a little power, a little transient fame, a grave to rest in, and a fading name.—William Winter

Men are much more unwilling to have their weaknesses and their imperfections known than their crimes; and if you hint to a man that you think him silly, ignorant or even ill-bred or awkward, he will hate you more and longer than if you tell him plainly that you think him a rogue.—Chesterfield.

GLAMOUR OF THE FOOTLIGHTS

Mrs. Fiske was a feature in her company in her early teens. Julia Marlowe at 14 belonged to an opera company, and Annie Russell was nine when she appeared first on the stage.

Ellen Terry says she intends her grandchild to begin training for a stage life when the age of seven is reached, so the small girl will never acquire self-consciousness or be tricked with the glamour of the footlights.

Successful actresses vary in their idea of the right age for a woman to go upon the stage. Duse says in knowledge is the secret—the aspirant should realize emotion before she seeks to portray it; yet she spoke her first stage lines when she was only four years old.

Sarah Bernhardt entered a dramatic school when she was 14, and made her debut four years later. Ada Rehan was but 14 when she entered Daly's company and she took his stern drill as a matter of course. Daly offered to make Bijou Fernandez famous if, at the age of 10, she were given over entirely to his charge. Her mother refused to part with the youngster.

In a Mexican theater women always go bareheaded, and the men wear their hats all the time the curtain is closed. During the performance they remove them. Frequently men rise in their seats and sweep the tiers of boxes with large glasses. It is considered something of an honor to have the glasses of a swell below leveled at your box. Smoking is permitted in all theaters.

THE MAN BEHIND THE GUN.

A battery of artillery consists of six guns.

Every German regiment has a chiropodist in its ranks.

No fewer than 22 members of parliament have gone to the front.

Two years ago the Boers had in their pay 15 German officers, 40 French and 40 Russians.

Fort Tuli, the headquarters of Col. Plumer's force, commands the roads to Victoria, Buluwayo, Mangwe, Mafeking and Pretoria.

It is generally supposed that more men are killed by artillery than infantry fire. This is a totally erroneous notion, as from medical reports it would appear that the rifle is responsible for nearly 90 per cent. of our killed. In the Franco-German war it was estimated that 6,969 Germans were killed by rifle bullets, and only 695 by artillery fire.

Teplitz, a small watering place in Bohemia, claims to have been the birthplace of Gen. Cronje, the Boer commander who surrendered at Paardeberg. It is stated that the general's father was a Frenchman and a cook to Charles X. On his arrival at Teplitz the ex-cook opened a hotel. He is said to have married a Czech maiden. The family name originally was Cronier, but was corrupted after the Croniers emigrated to the Transvaal.

Night Marches Slow.

On night marches troops do not usually advance at more than a mile an hour. In attack neither officer nor man is to stop to help the wounded, and no halt permitted until the enemy is driven off.

Nursing Mothers
dread hot weather. They know how it weakens and how this affects the baby. All such mothers need Scott's Emulsion. It gives them strength and makes the baby's food richer and more abundant.
50c. and $1. All druggists.

FOREIGN NOTES OF INTEREST.

One million pounds is spent every year in England upon the game of football.

At Zurich the theological faculty of the university finds that it has only eight students for ten professors this winter.

Tobacco is now raised in County Meath, Ireland. It grows luxuriantly and is said to be "twice as strong as the strongest tobacco sold."

Beer turns to art in Munich. The well-known brewer Pschorr is going to erect at his own expense a colossal equestrian statue of Emperor Ludwig, the Bavarian, on the Kaiser Ludwig-platz.

Over the main gateway to the Paris exposition at the entrance to the Champs Elysees a startling innovation in sculpture will be seen. The figure of the "City of Paris" will be represented as a woman dressed according to the latest fashion of 1900.

Paris has just received the largest legacy in the history of the city, 5,000,000 francs. It comes from a Mlle. Taaies, who directs that an orphanage and a school of architectural design be built with part of the money, the remainder to be used for such public or private works as the municipal council may deem advisable.

Russia is ferreting out corruption in the military and naval administration. Recently a half dozen Cossack officers, including a major general, were sent to Siberia for peculation, and now 43 officers and officials of the navy have been brought to trial at Sebastopol for frauds in the coal, oil and beef contracts for the Black sea fleet.

ELECTRICAL ENERGY.

It is proposed by a Michigan company to carry an electric current of 40,000 volts 90 miles.

The St. Louis hospital at Paris has a new laboratory for electro-therapeutics and radiography.

Electric cars are immensely popular in England, and the equipment companies can hardly keep up with their orders.

Balloon wireless telegraphic communication is to be attempted at Portsmouth, England, with a view to establishing communication between the sea and a land force.

The electric exhibit at the Paris exposition bids fair to be one of the most attractive parts of the show. There will be a complete retrospective exhibit of electrical and mechanical apparatus of historical character, and the special exhibit will be housed in the "Court of Honor" built of staff.

It is proposed to construct an electrically worked bridge crossing the Usk, says the English Electrical Review. The width of the river at this point is 240 yards and the time occupied by the carrier going from one bank to the other is estimated at about a minute. The bridge will cost $325,000.

A new instance of electric street railways being used for freight purposes is found in Cleveland, where stone is being hauled from a quarry eight miles distant. Fifteen thousand-pound capacity freight cars are used and the work done after the close of the passenger traffic.

ON EXHIBIT.

The Russian appropriation for national representation at the Paris exposition has been fixed at 2,228,82: rubles ($1,115,000).

At the Paris exposition an American company will have an ingenious and impressive exhibit indicative of the magnitude of the life insurance business.

It has been decided to hold a world's fair in Brussels in 1905, in commemoration of the seventy-fifth anniversary of Belgian independence.

The exposition authorities are anxious on account of the condition of the Seine, which in rising has done considerable damage to the buildings along the river bank. The infiltration of water has sunk one of the wings of the palace of electricity ten feet.

The Russians are preparing a map of France for the Paris exposition. Each "Department" is shown in colored jasper, while the sea is represented by lapis lazuli, the rivers by platinum and the towns, to the number of 106, are marked by precious stones. The map rests on a marble slab about three feet square.

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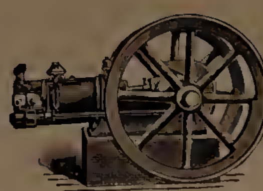

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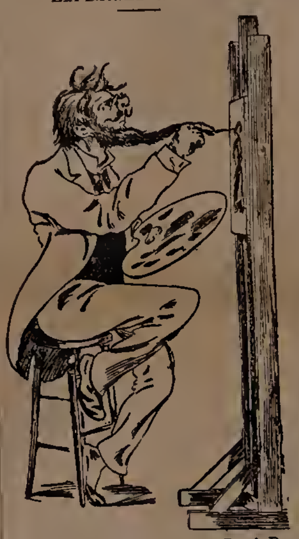

Everyone wondered why Prof. Danher wore such a long pointed beard, but could not imagine how he obtained such satisfactory results.—N. Y. Ledger.

Can This Be True?

A bachelor says that secrets were
Introduced without a doubt
Just to give the loquacious sex
Something to talk about.
—Chicago Daily News.

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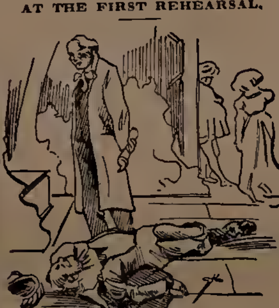

Manager—How can you smile in the death scene?

Actor—With the salaries you pay one cannot help looking upon death as a welcome release!—Fliegende Blaetter.

Of Course Not.

A woman may have a will of her own,
But, be she daughter or mother,
She never objects if her name appears
In the last will of another.
—Chicago Daily News.

Accounted For.

Aunt Jane (on a visit)—Them new neighbors o' yourn look poorer than church mice.

Mrs. Jones—Yes. That is our minister's family.—Judge.

A Higher Gift.

"A financier is a man who makes lots of money, isn't he, pa?"

"No, Freddy—a financier is a man who gets hold of lots of money other people make."—Puck.

Was a Bargain.

Tess—Isn't she a peculiar girl? She wouldn't look at him when he was rich, but now, after he's lost his money, she accepts him.

Jess—Oh, well, you know how crazy every woman is to get anything that's reduced.—Atlanta Constitution.

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AN AUSTRALIAN BUSH FIRE.

Hot!

A blistering heat that drove the fowls, with their beaks gaping, off the burning ground into the shelter of the slab hut. A scorching, withering heat that had made sapless hay of the grass in the paddocks and reddened the foliage of the gums and the stringy barks like the blaze of a bush fire. A heat that had sucked up all moisture and marbled the land with cracks of shrinkage and turned the water holes into mere mud baths, while the distant creek had nothing but its brown flag grass and dry swamp bed to show where the water had run.

About the homestead the few cattle still alive hung with their heads stolidly over the slip rails, refusing, in spite of all driving, to seek again for the sustenance it was impossible to find. The framework of a horse, his head between his legs, and as much in the shade as he could get on the lee side of an old ironbark, stood impassive and motionless. All round the horizon a dirty haze of smoke melted into a yellow veil of fog covering the sky.

Abe Saunders was down at what used to be the creek trying to draw out his last milking cow from the place where she had bogged in a vain effort to find water grass.

Abe hauled and strained at the rope, his shirt and trousers clinging to him with sweat. The beast kicked and plunged feebly, its little strength quite gone, and after two hours' work it was more firmly bogged than ever.

"It's no good," said Abe. "I must get help. I'll go up the gully for old Mason and his tackle. If we lose that cow, what will the children do for milk?"

Wearily he turned to go, when the sound of a "Coo-ee!" turned him sharply about.

"Coo-ee!" he shouted.

A little pause, and again the cry echoed:

"Coo-ee!"

"It's Mary," he said. "What the devil's up?" It was a good three miles to the ridge; but, like a wallaby with the dogs in full cry, he sped over rock and gully back to the homestead. Long before he got there he heard a strange roaring in the air, saw black, belching clouds over the tree tops and felt a fierce rushing furnace breath.

The bush was on fire.

With the energy of fear he dashed along. There was the clearing, with Mary at the house door still shouting at intervals. Even as he came up the red storm was upon them. In mad frenzy he seized the two children, one under each arm, and, shrieking to his wife above the din of the fire to bring the baby, he rushed to the center of the plowed paddock. There they crouched panting. The children were howling, the baby was crying and Mary was sobbing. The man said nothing. He watched the fire.

Would the house escape? There was 50 feet of bare ground all about it. But the air, so calm a minute ago, was now a roaring hurricane traveling at racing speed over the ridge. The ten tree scrub melted before it, and the bush trees remained in its rear only as black and burning trunks. The fence had caught: the flames licked it up daintily. The shed, with his cart and harness, were and were not while he looked. A piece of burning, stringy bark, whirled by the wind, settled on the shingles of the house. The woman moaned and pressed the child closer to her bosom. The man's face was drawn in agony.

The house was burning, the work of his own hands. How many months of weary sawing and splitting had its shingles and slabs cost him! He thought of it all as he stood there, helpless and half suffocated. In less than a minute the flames were shooting out of the doorways and windows, and a loud report was followed by the fall of a side of the house. It was the explosion of his powder flask, hung on the wall.

Through the open framework they could see the bed, the tables, the chairs all blazing one after another. The spirit of the man revolted.

"Look, Mary!" he cried. "There goes the cradle I made for the kids." And as he spoke the aspect of his face changed. The limit of his suffering had come, and, like an old time victim of the rack, he began to laugh. A hollow laugh, weird and [illegible]

"That's a good joke, Mary! The farce is ended—all over in one act! Ha, ha, ha!"

"You're mad, Abe," said his wife, shrinking from him with a great dread in her eyes. "Don't laugh like that. It's horrible!"

"Mad, my dear! That's good. Ha, ha, ha! Say I've been mad, the most confounded lunatic in this blasted, blistering country! To slog and belt for ten long years to make a home of our own, to clear land, to fence it, drain it, plant it—and all to make five minutes' bonfire! Yes, I've been mad—stark, staring mad—but now—ha, ha, ha! I was never so sensible in my life!

"See how the cradle burns, Mary. It was a bit of she oak, and worked like a watch. Don't it look pretty now? They might be silk curtains, all those flounces round it! Why don't you laugh, girl? It's a great joke. Look! The roof is falling in! It's as good as fireworks. Hold up the kids; let them laugh. It's all the same price. Ha, ha, ha!"

But the woman replied nothing, frightened, staring at him. The children screamed.

The driving sheet of flame had long gone by. Skirting the plowed ground where they stood, it had left the bare surface an untouched blank in its ghastly funeral trail. Only tree stumps, posts and fallen branches smoked and smoldered here and there. The man stood motionless till morning. But the four charred corner posts remained of his home.

"Let's see the play out," he said. "Ha, ha, ha! Ha, ha, ha!"

The fire was raging many miles further onward when Abe Saunders, taking the two children by the hand, led the way down the track to the main road. His wife dragged wearily after him, the baby in her arms, looking back from time to time at the smoking ruin.

The group passed on to the road, where the red dust blew in thick, choking clouds that shrouded them from view. But long after they had disappeared there sounded the wail of the children, the moaning of the woman and loud above all the mirthless laughter of a broken hearted man.—Exchange.

The Diamonds

Uncle Meriwether never liked Eustace. He never did him justice from the beginning—and when he heard that I was actually engaged to him he spoke in such a way that I declared I wouldn't endure it.

"I am old enough, I hope, to choose for myself," said I.

"I don't know about that, Patty," said my uncle, shrugging his shoulders.

But I remained to hear no more. I flounced back into the house, slamming the door in Uncle Meriwether's honest, spectacled face, and bursting into tears as soon as I reached the sitting room.

"It's a shame," said my sister Elspeth. "Don't cry, Patty; I'm sure the whole matter is transparent enough. Uncle Meriwether wouldn't be so domineering about it if he did not want you to marry Paul."

"I wouldn't marry Paul Meriwether if there wasn't another man in the world!" said I viciously. "And I'll marry Eustace Dalzell anyhow now. Uncle Meriwether says we don't know anything about him, but I'm sure we know enough."

That was a false assertion on my part. I only knew of my handsome fiance what he himself had chosen to tell me—namely, that he was a New York engineer, staying down at Wraysfield a few weeks for his health. And his friend, Mr. Belfield, was a stockbroker—oh, how I wished Mr. Belfield might take a fancy to Elspeth! It would be so nice to be married at the same time—to go together and live in New York!

We lived together in the lonely old brick house on the edge of the moor, so that I was very glad when Olive Oatley came down from Rochester to visit us and brought her wedding set of diamonds to show.

Elspeth and I looked with awe and admiration at the sparkling gems—necklace, earrings and brooch.

"Are they very valuable?" I asked.

"Three thousand dollars, I believe," said Olive complacently. "They belonged to Herbert's mother, and they are to be reset before I wear them."

But just then Elspeth gave a start and turned scarlet, and, following the direction of her eye, I turned and beheld Eustace Dalzell standing smiling in the doorway, with his hat in his hand.

Somehow the diamonds made me nervous, and I could not help in the course of the evening confiding my vague terrors to Eustace.

But Eustace laughed at me and made light of my tears.

Eustace Dalzell went home earlier than usual this night. In my perturbation I had almost resolved to ask him to remain all night, a self constituted guardian of our treasures, but I did not venture to do so, and so at 10 o'clock we three girls, with Dinah in the kitchen, were left to ourselves.

I had intended to lie awake all night, but I must have fallen into a light doze without being aware of it, for the clock was striking 12 when I started up at the loud peal of the doorbell below. Olive was at my side in an instant. Elspeth had her arm around me, and even old Dinah hobbled in with a flaring lamp in her hand.

"Go to the door, do, some of you," cried I hysterically. "Ask who it is. Ask what they want."

And, while Olive, Elspeth and the old attendant obeyed my behest I hurriedly threw on my white dressing gown and went to the head of the stairs to listen, for I felt that in an emergency like this some one ought to keep close to the diamonds.

"There is no one here," I heard Elspeth say, after the bolts and bars of the front door were withdrawn.

"Yes, there is. I hear some one groaning at the other end of the veranda," persisted Dinah. "Oh, dear, the draft has blown out my candle! This way, Miss Oatley, please—I'm afraid there's been an accident or something."

The next minute the heavy oaken door blew shut with a bang. It was self fastening on the inside. I was all alone in the house.

A rustle under the vines that draped the north side of the house—a low whistle, and I could hear a voice saying in suppressed accents:

"They're safe enough outside, all three of 'em. Now's your time. Quick!"

It all flashed upon my mind in a second—the sturdy boughs of the wistaria, which afforded so easy a ladder for any aspiring burglar to reach Olive's window, the open casement, the diamonds lying underneath her pillow. My worst fears had come true, and, seizing the six barreled little pistol, I rushed into the room just in time to see a tall figure with a mask over its face spring into the window and steal with catlike motion across the room.

As his hand lay on the tiny canvas bag containing the precious jewels I raised the pistol and fired. At the same moment a muttered oath, mingled with a cry, sounded in my ears, and the sound of something falling shook the beams of the floor.

I am not one of the fainting kind, but for a minute or two I stood motionless. Then, springing down stairs, I admitted the three eager women who were huddled at the door.

"I've shot him! I've killed him!" was all that I could say. "Run up stairs, Dinah, and see if—if he is dead."

But Dinah would not go alone, so we all hurried up in a crowd—and there, half sitting, half lying against the bedpost, with the canvas bag fallen to the floor beside him and a red pool of blood under his right shoulder blade, was Eustace Dalzell!

Of course we sent for help to the nearest neighbor; of course we delivered my gallant lover, who was not fatally injured, over to the police, by whom he was recognized as an old jailbird, luxuriating in a new name.—New York News.

Brought to Time.

Ada (pensively)—I hope you'll invite me to the wedding when you get married.

Jack (boldly)—I'll invite you before I ask anyone else, and if you don't accept there won't be any wedding.—Tit-Bits.

Well Qualified.

"So you wish to assist in the examination of this investment company? What do you know about dishonest examinations, young man?"

"I used to examine gas meters, sir."—Chicago Daily News.

The Spice of Envy.

Mamma—Why don't you eat your apple, Tommy?

Tommy—I am waiting till Jimmy Post comes. It wouldn't taste half as good if there was nobody to see me eat it.—N. Y. World.

A Racial Retort.

Hosiery Clerk—Can't I show you something very cheap in white?

Mrs. Darkblack—No, sah, yo' kaint. I nebber did hab any use fo' white trash, nohow.—Judge.

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Mr. Henpeck—Yes; if only I were allowed to smoke in it!—Tit-Bits.

Their Assistance.

"Do you think doctors ought to help an incurable patient to die?"

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"Do you mean to say you understood it right away?"

"Yes."

"Well, I'll have to take it home and rewrite it; that's all. If people fully understand what you have to say the first time you say it, they are mighty liable to think you're not deep."—Washington Star.

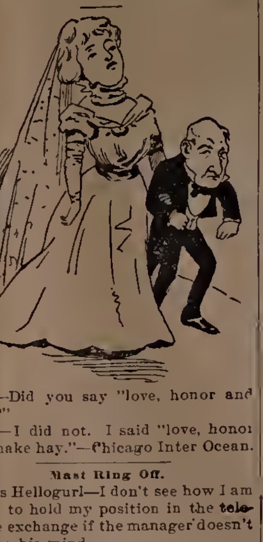
Strange Coincidence.

"You may say what you will, but blood does tell. There are the Petersmiths. Rather charming people, but there's no concealing the fact that their great-great-papa was a pawnbroker."

"How's that?"

"Haven't you noticed that by some strange fatality they have three balls every season?"—Town Topics.

AFTER THE MARRIAGE.



He—Did you say "love, honor and obey?"

She—I did not. I said "love, honor and make hay."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Must Ring Off.

Miss Hellogurl—I don't see how I am going to hold my position in the telephone exchange if the manager doesn't change his mind.

Mr. Askit—What's wrong?

Miss Hellogurl—He says if we girls don't stop talking so much he will discharge us.—Baltimore American.

Not the Proper Classification.

She—One appreciates a thing more if he has to toil and struggle for it instead of having it drop in his lap; don't you think so?

He—Yes, I suppose so. But then you know it isn't exactly the proper caper to refer to a girl as a thing.—Chicago Daily News.

Opposed to Smoking.

Charles—Is your girl opposed to your smoking?

Clarence—I think she must be. Every night when I come away from her house I find two or three broken cigars in my vest pocket.—Yonkers Statesman.

As He Figured It Out.

"Now," said the man who owned a poor little house and lot, "I know why it is better to give than to receive."

"Why is it?" his wife asked.

"You don't have to pay taxes on what you give."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Play Too Short, Perhaps.

He—Did you enjoy the matinee, dear?

She—Very much. I sat next to Mrs. Gadabout, whom I hadn't seen for years. We had a nice long chat.—Catholic Standard and Times.

In Olden Times.

"What, ho! Within there!" shouted the knight at the castle gate. The warder gat him up, yawning prodigiously. "Another man with a ho," said he to his faithful valet.—Indianapolis Press.

No Cause for Despair.

Mrs. Youngwife—The baby talks incessantly. I think he will grow up to be a congressman.

Mr. Oldbach — I wouldn't worry about it, if I were you. Maybe he'll be a barber.—Philadelphia Record.

Desperate Case.

"Papa," she said, "the count has assured me that he can't live another day without me."

"Humph," grunted the old man. "I didn't think he was as hard up as all that."—Philadelphia Record.

Just for the Baby.

Mrs. Lash—What did you get baby for a birthday present?

Mrs. Lash—I took $4.90 out of the little darling's bank and bought him this lovely lamp for the drawing room.—Boston Beacon.

Partly to Blame.

"Are you the best man at Billy Brown's wedding?"

"No: I attend as guilty bystander."

"What do you mean?"

"I introduced Brown to the girl last summer."—Chicago Record.

Truly Misanthropic.

"What," said one cynic, "is fame?"

"Fame," answered the other, "is what makes you valuable to some book publisher after you're dead."—Washington Star.

At a Medical Examination.

Professor—How would you treat a patient with water on the brain?

Student—Tap him on the head.—Town Topics.

Same Thing.

Daughter—If I can't have Percy Pinkhedd for a husband, I want nobody!

Father—Well, what's the difference?—Puck.

Skye High.

Visitor—Is this a high-bred dog?

Attendant—Yes, sir; he's a skye terrier.—N. Y. Journal.

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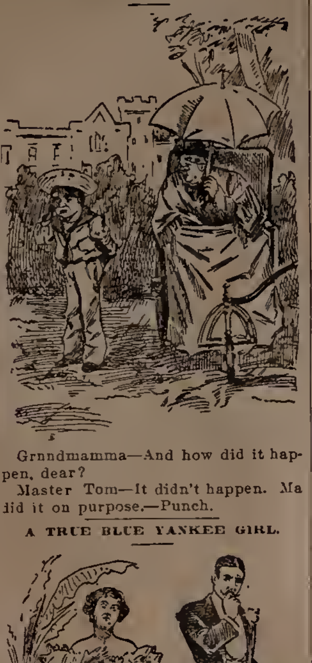
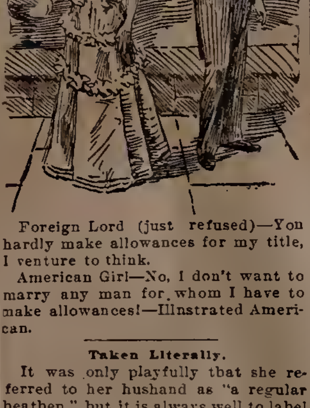


Grandmamma—And how did it happen, dear?

Master Tom—It didn't happen. Ma did it on purpose.—Punch.

A TRUE BLUE YANKEE GIRL.



Foreign Lord (just refused)—You hardly make allowances for my title, I venture to think.

American Girl—No, I don't want to marry any man for whom I have to make allowances!—Illustrated American.

Taken Literally.

It was only playfully that she referred to her husband as "a regular heathen," but it is always well to label such remarks when made in the presence of children.

The little one who overheard this remark trotted away to Sunday school immediately thereafter, and in some way the subject of attendance at church came up in the class that day.

"My papa doesn't go," volunteered the little one.

"No?" returned the teacher inquiringly.

"Oh, no. He's a heathen, you know."—Chicago Post.

Resigned.

"Miss Middleage has confided to me that to-morrow is her thirtieth birthday."

"Has she really made up her mind to it at last?"—N. Y. World.

A Minister's Good Work.

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WRENTHAM.

Willie Burke of Barrington, R. I., has been visiting his cousin, Miss Alice George.——William Templeman, who has been spending a month in New York, has returned home.——Repairs on the roof of the town building are being made.——There was a large delegation of people in the village who went to Franklin Saturday afternoon to witness the golf game between the Franklin and North Attleboro Country clubs.——Mr and Mrs. M. F Whitney of Walpole are at Archer's Pond.——The marriage of Miss Olive I. Farnbam to H. L. Austin, by Rev. H. D Robinson of Mansfield, is announced.——Mr. and Mrs. Chas Humphry and son Irving of Los Angeles, Cal., are the guests of Mrs Humphrey's brother, O. J. Goodspeed

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Love finds a way even if it has to stand the furniture man off.

The coming man is usually the one who holds your promissory note.

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The size of a man's bank account has nothing to do with his dimensions as a man.

Were it not for wine and passion some men would never speak the truth.

Fame never blows her trumpet for a man who is too lazy to raise the wind.

The easiest way for a girl to prove that she can't sing is to make the attempt.

It's always well to bury the hatchet—and it's also well to remember the spot where it is interred.

The worst thing about a man who wastes his time is his penchance for wasting the time of other people.

It's an easy matter to interest a girl. All you have to do is talk about matrimony, new bonnets and sleigh rides.

Some people who don't claim to know very much make better use of their knowledge than others who think they know it all.—Chicago Daily News.

FACTS BRIEFLY STATED.

Mrs. Grant Allen, the widow of the novelist, is about to open a book-shop in the West End of London.

The Bank of France last year discounted in Paris 2,[illegible] separate bills for less than 100 francs each.

An appendicitis club has been formed in Cleveland, O. To become a member of this unique organization one must have been operated upon for appendicitis

It was the belief of the Egyptians that the third finger of the left hand was connected with the heart by a slender nerve Hence the custom of wearing the wedding ring on that finger.

The house No. 7 West Twenty-second street, New York city, has been destroyed to make room for a modern building It was occupied for many years by Prof. S. F. B. Morse, who died in this house A marble tablet commemorated the fact that there the great electrician resided.

According to a German electric journal an association of farmers in Bavaria is building large electrical works which will be devoted to agricultural uses. The current is produced near the village of Schaftersheim, a distance of seven miles. It is supplied partly by water and is sent to the surrounding villages at a pressure of 5,000 volts. Movable motors are used for driving thrashing machines, chaff cutters, bruising mills, etc.

Read the Business Announcements.

After Dinner

To assist digestion, relieve distress after eating or drinking too heartily, to prevent constipation, take

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Senator Thomas R. Bard, of California, has one of the best collections of modern French art in America.

King Menelek, of Abyssinia, receives Europeans at his court on Sundays. His state posture on such occasions is to sit cross-legged under a canopy of drapery.

Thomas E. Shea is the first actor to announce a play based on the war in the Transvaal. He has the new piece in rehearsal, and it will be given in the course of a few weeks. The play was written by a Boston author.

There are but two confirmed snuff takers in the United States senate at the present time, Senator Turner, of Washington, and Senator Carter, of Montana. The old custom of taking snuff has about died out.

A black bishop of the Anglican church was recently consecrated at Lambeth. Rt. Rev. James Johnson, assistant bishop of western equatorial Africa, is a Sierra Leone negro whose parents were rescued slaves from the Yoruba country. His station will be Benin. Durham university has made him an honorary A. M.

President John Quincy Adams once asserted that he would not give 50 cents for all the works of Phidias and Praxiteles, adding: "I hope America will not think of sculpture for two centuries to come." When some one quoted this to William Morris Hunt, he asked, dryly: "Does that sum of money really represent Mr. Adams' estimate of the sculpture of those artists, or the value which he places upon 50 cents?"

PHILATELIC FACTS.

An entirely new series of postage stamps is said to be in course of preparation for Sarawak.

There is reason to believe that the Sunday coupon on the Belgium postage stamps will soon be discontinued.

A huge batch of discarded Filipino postal stamps and cards has been sold in Manila for 50,300 Mexican dollars. The purchase was a speculation in stamp collecting.

The United States has never sold the space on the reverse side of its postage stamps for advertising purposes in the manner that New Zealand adopted some years ago, although it is said that at different times offers of almost fabulous sums have been made for the privilege.

Since it has been decreed by Russia that Finland shall have no more distinctive stamps, it will be necessary for collectors to lay in a stock before they disappear from view It is a matter of congratulation that the list is not excessively large. In 55 years the whole of the issue of stamps, envelopes, cards and wrappers number only 150 type varieties.

The third assistant postmaster general has decided to issue stamps in book form at so small an advance in cost that the public will gladly pay the difference. As is well known large numbers of postage stamps are wasted by sticking together, or to the pocket, so that a stamp book is really a necessity. The books will be of convenient size, and will contain stamps to the amount of 24, 48 and 94 cents.

He decided that he'd win her.
So he planned with insight grim
That he'd pay her no attention—
And she fell in love with him.
—Chicago Record.

Just the Girl He Wanted.

"I warn you," she said, after he had proposed, "that I have studied law and know something about the rights of woman."

"In that case," he replied, "you are just the girl for me. If you have studied law you must have discovered something about the rights of man also, and in that you are far ahead of many of your sisters."—Chicago Post.

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KNOWN ABOUT GREAT MEN.

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Mehemet Ali was a barber.

Virgil was a son of a potter.

Milton was the son of a scrivener.

Horace was the son of a shopkeeper.

Demosthenes was the son of a cutler

Shakespeare was the son of a wool stapler.

Robert Burns was a plowman of Ayreshire.

Cardinal Woolsey was the son of a pork butcher

Oliver Cromwell was the son of a London brewer.

Whitefield was the son of an innkeeper at Gloucester.

Columbus was the son of a weaver and a weaver himself.

John Jacob Astor once sold apples in the streets of New York.—Buffalo Times.

Plant Line to the Provinces Carrying Many Passengers.

Every ship of the Plant line that left Boston last week was a record breaker. This is good evidence of the popularity of the trips offered by that line. A great many take the fourteen-hundred-mile cruise, while not a few are patronizing the new line to Sydney and returning through the Bras d'Or Lakes to Hawkesbury and home by the "Halifax" or "La Grande Duchesse," stopping a day at Halifax. This gives one the longest ocean voyage out of Boston to the eastward, barring a trip to Europe. Many people are finding out that these trips can be made quite inexpensive: in fact, they cost no more than an ordinary two weeks' vacation. Get maps and folders at Plant Line offices, 290 Washington street and 20 Atlantic avenue, Boston, telling all about it.

152,773 Posts Per Day.

The average daily circulation of the Boston Post during the month of July, 1900, was precisely 152,773 copies. Never before in the history of New England newspapers has any morning or evening newspaper in New England ever passed or approached the daily average of 150,000 copies No evening newspaper in New England sells within 50,000 copies per day of the Post's daily average. No two other morning newspapers in New England combined sell as many copies as the Post sold in July and is selling today And, as to local sales, all the other Boston morning papers combined do not equal one-half the Post's circulation in Boston and vicinity. The Post's present position in the New England newspaper field is absolutely unparalleled in the history of New England journalism And still the cry is "Excelsior."—Boston Post, Aug 1

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Evenings at 8.30.

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Harry Brown, monologist and cartoonist.

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Rump "	25c	5 lb. pails lard	50c
Round "	18c	Bacon, strip	12c
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Collector's Notice.

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
FRANKLIN, MASS., 1900.

The owners and occupants of the following described real estate, situated in the town of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk and the commonwealth of Massachusetts and the public are hereby notified that the taxes assessed for the year herein after specified, according to the list committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said Franklin by the Assessors of Taxes, remain unpaid, and that said real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the house of the Collector of Taxes, No. 10 High street, in said Franklin, on

WEDNESDAY, the 22d day of AUGUST, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes, with the costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

Henry B. Kimball—A certain piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Forest street, in said Franklin, and bounded and described as follows, viz Beginning at a point on the easterly line of said Forest street, at land now or late of one Woodbury, and running south 58 degrees east, ten and sixty-eight hundredths (10.68) chains; thence running south 42 degrees 35 minutes west, eleven chains and eighty-seven hundredths (11.87) chains to a point at the intersection of a Virginia rail fence with a stone wall; thence south 14 degrees 5 minutes east, nine and four hundredths (9.04) chains to a point at the intersection of a Virginia rail fence, with a leading way which leads from said Forest street across the granted premises; thence crossing said leading way and running in an irregular line in a southerly direction as the Virginia fence runs to where it intersects the center of Dix brook, which crosses the said described premises; thence running in the same general direction along the centre of said brook to a point where said brook is intersected by an old fence which runs between aforesaid described premises and land now or formerly of Amos P. Woodward; thence running north 80 degrees 5 minutes west, four and sixty-seven hundredths (4.67) chains, more or less, thence running north eighty degrees 5 minutes west, three and twenty-five hundredths (3.25) chains, thence north 78 degrees 5 minutes west, five chains; thence north 79 degrees 15 minutes west, seven and thirty-three hundredths (7.33) chains to said Forest street; thence northerly on said Forest street forty-seven and fifty-four hundredths (47.54) chains to the point of beginning, containing fifty-three and one-fifth acres, more or less.

The tax on the above described premises for the year 1899 is twenty-eight dollars and fifty cents ($28.50).

E. H. SHERMAN,
Collector of Taxes for the Town of Franklin.
Dated at said Franklin, July 31, 1900.
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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of John L. Fairbanks, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ELIZA FAIRBANKS, Executrix.
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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

The selectmen will meet this evening.

D. W. Corson is suffering from a severe attack of malaria.

J. Ray Wyckoff sang at the Baptist church last Sabbath.

Davis Thayer, Jr., is spending a few days at Cottage City.

A son was born on Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel N. Fiske.

Mrs. E. S. Judd is spending a few weeks at Port Jervis, N. Y.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. James E. Kelley on Sunday.

Mrs. Mary A. Whittle of South Framingham was in town Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. F. B. Sleeper have been spending the week in Woonsocket.

Fred Appleton of the Crescent house is on a visit to his home at Winthrop.

Mrs. S. F. Sargent of Salem is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. James E. Razee.

Sacred concert at Lake Pearl on Sunday by the Battery band of Providence.

Henry Tinnerman of Providence, a former resident, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Flo Bushee of Stoughton is spending a vacation at her home on Cottage street.

Our Boys will play at Medway tomorrow, having the Union nine for opponents.

Mrs. C. W. Mason of Union street lef this morning for a week's visit at Portland, Me.

Rev. James S. Girdwood of Woonsocket will preach in the Baptist church Sunday forenoon.

Miss Hannah McCabe of Ruggles street has returned from a visit with friends at Watertown.

Mrs. H. M. Gilmore and Miss Jennie Gilmore of Ware have been visiting in town this week.

Miss Edith Johnson left Wednesday to spend a two weeks' vacation with relatives in Rockland.

Number of marriage intentions recorded to August 13, 21. For the same period last year, 21.

Miss Annie Arnold of Boston has returned home after spending a few days with Franklin friends.

The Franklin campers at Webster lake were photographed in a group by G. L. Vesie on Wednesday.

William Richardson and Ralph Dean of Watertown are enjoying a few weeks' vacation at Lake Pearl.

Frank Sullivan of Newark, N. J., is spending a vacation at the home of Mrs. Mary Doyle of West street.

The Anthony business directory of sixteen towns of Norfolk and Bristol counties have been delivered.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hosmer and Miss Julia Landers of Indianapolis are visiting Mrs. Gilpatrick at the Daniels farm.

Mrs. G. F. Singleton of Cottage street has returned home from a vacation spent with friends in New Hampshire.

Major and Mrs. J. H. Onslow are spending the day with their daughter, who is camping out at Medfield junction.

Miss Etta Razee of Southbridge, a former Franklin young lady, is the guest of Miss Bessie Britton of Milliken avenue.

Mrs. W. M. Fisher, Frank D. Metcalf and Miss May Sawyer go this week to Onset for a week at "Dean cottage."

Charles O. White, bookkeeper at the Singleton mill, spent a few days this week at Seaconnet, enjoying the fine fishing there.

Mrs. M. F. Conroy of Summer street and her friend, Mrs. Dillon of Boston, have returned from a short vacation spent at Newport.

D. P. Moran, the shoe man, will join his wife at Higgins beach, Me., next week for a couple of weeks' outing. Mrs. M. has been there a week or more.

If you want to spend a quiet, pleasant Sabbath afternoon, with fine music, go to Lake Pearl and hear the famous Battery band of Providence at 2 p. m.

Mrs. Emma Erricson, who has been the guest of Mrs. August Johnson of Howard street the past two weeks, returned to her home in Rockland Wednesday.

Wednesday was observed as the feast of the assumption in all Catholic circles. Masses were celebrated at St. Mary's chapel at 5 and 8 o'clock in the morning.

Wednesday, August 22, J. M. Parker, J. F. Adams and Munroe Morse will be ready to entertain the Farmers' club and show the results of farm work the present season.

A camp meeting will be held at the Hebron camp ground under the auspices of the Gospel rescue mission of Providence, commencing on Saturday, August 25, and lasting over two Sundays.

The annual meeting of the Cemetery association is to be held at the office of the water company on Tuesday evening, Sept. 4, when officers will be selected and other important matters attended to.

George Fiorani of Cottage street returned Tuesday from a month's stay at Reading.

Miss Alice Oliver of Newark, N. J., has been visiting at the home of William G. Cody of Union and Central streets.

The roadmen have been at work on Beaver street this week and have greatly improved the roadway on that thoroughfare.

State or national politics so far have not made any apparent disturbance in local affairs and not much stir for a presidential year is looked for.

The laws and resolves of the great and general court of Massachusetts for 1900 have been received by the town clerk and copies are ready for the citizens who desire them.

A "clearance train" came through Franklin Tuesday to test the height of the bridges over the tracks and all were found to comply with the law in that particular.

Stephen Bernard, an Indian boy, was arrested this week, charged with the larceny of a bicycle from a resident of Wrentham. The accused will be given a hearing at Walpole today.

On Monday the first electric car of the M., A. & W. street railway passed along the line from Four Corners to the bridge on C. E. White's farm for a trial trip. Regular trips soon to follow.

George H. Croissant, the obliging and efficient ticket agent, will leave next week for a three weeks' vacation in New York state. His place will be supplied here by ex-Postmaster M. F. Conroy.

Thomas Frayer was arrested Tuesday evening for drunkenness and disturbance of the peace, and in the district court Wednesday he was fined $10 by Judge Doe. Being unable to pay, he was sent to Dedham jail for 30 days.

Contractor Grant has been more than busy all summer, and now has twenty-seven men at work, engaged in building operations in eight different places. He has done an immense amount of work at Hoag lake and the end is not as yet in sight.

While playing about a yard on McCarthy street Tuesday morning a crowbar fell on the head of Byron Coleman, aged six years, cutting the scalp. Dr. A. G. Martin sewed up the wound at the home of the boy's mother, on Union street.

Former students at Dean and other friends will be interested to know that J. H. A. Smith, the popular gymnastic instructor at the academy, and Miss Mollie Garfield Higgins, of Bar Harbor, Me., (Dean, '00,) were united in marriage at Newburyport last Saturday.

There is still considerable discussion as to the effect of the electric cars upon local business. So far as the livery stable business is concerned, there does not seem to be much doubt or difference of opinion. But in other lines of trade it is still an open question whether the effect is good or the reverse.

The property owners and residents of McCarthy street will petition the board of selectmen this evening to have that thoroughfare improved. The street is certainly in bad condition at present and needs improvement, and there is little doubt but what the selectmen will grant the prayer of the petitioners.

Some localities in town are contending with the plague of ants that overrun the food supplies and make life miserable for the housewife. Various preparations are brought into play and the exterminators finally win the day, or at least that has been the result in the past and will probably prove true at the present time.

Work has been commenced on the property of the Medfield & Medway Street Railway company on Village street, Medway. What was formerly a tenement house is being torn down and will be removed and a new and modern building will be erected for use as a car barn for the company. A large force of men are at work.

Manager Enegren has secured a fine attraction for Sunday afternoon, weather permitting, in the Battery band of Providence, which will give a sacred concert. This band is a fine one and music lovers will be well repaid for attending. As the season is drawing to a close these opportunities for Sunday outings will grow less frequent and should be taken advantage of.

The remains of little Walter Palmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Palmer of Crocker avenue, who died suddenly of spinal meningitis Monday morning, were laid to rest at Sheldonville Wednesday afternoon following funeral services held here at 2 o'clock at the parents' home. Rev. F. B. Sleeper officiated, assisted by Rev. T. P. Pendleton, and a quartet composed of Mrs. C. W. Shattuck, soprano; Miss Darling, alto; J. R. Wyckoff, tenor, and H. C. Monroe, bass, sang appropriate hymns. The services were attended by a large number of mourning friends and relatives and many beautiful floral offerings were contributed by family and friends. Four boys were pall bearers.

VACATION NOTES.

BY REV. F. B. SLEEPER.

From the land of Evangeline I send you my greeting,
Where the days and the nights are delightfully cool;
Where the hours of vacation are charming and fleeting,
Like a roving student set free from his school.

Blessed is the man who can take an ocean voyage and not be seasick in the slightest, and I am one of that favored number. Just now it is all the rage and fashion to go to Nova Scotia. Thousands of New Englanders are doing this. Staterooms on the steamers are engaged days ahead. Every boat is loaded with passengers.

We were hoping for a moonlight evening, but were disappointed. It was not foggy, but slightly stormy, and neither moon nor stars appeared. Still it was not cold and the ocean breeze was refreshing after the awful humidity weather in New England. We stayed up until midnight, drinking in the pure ozone of the atmosphere of the sea that always works a miracle of restoration for me after the arduous labors of the year. It was a great pleasure to have as company on the boat two old friends, Rev. Frederic Lent and Rev. Arthur Gordon, son of the late Rev. A. J. Gordon, D. D., of Boston.

Beautiful for situation is old Yarmouth. Amid "the gold of the early sunrise" we found ourselves rapidly approaching this noted place. Like a bird of fine plumage it seems, nestling among its handsome pine groves. A strong field glass was of great assistance. The great rocks are very dark and covered with seaweed. The lofty spires of the churches stand boldly to view. We pass two lighthouses—the main one and what is called the "bug light." We find the channel very narrow as we enter.

Later on the little steamer Tourist carried us four miles down the harbor and return. This was excitement and fun alive. The boat is a madcap dasher built for speed. It is far pleasanter for a short trip going on a small steamer where you can feel every throb of the machinery and your hand can nearly or quite touch the water. On we sped by Bunker's island, where the marine hospital is located, and to Forchu's landing, where the black rocks and high boulders stand out in grim and dismal silence.

Yarmouth is a quiet, orderly place of 8,000 population and largely American in its characteristics. United States money is used as much or more than British money. The streets are wide and the many finely trimmed hedges are the pride and ornament of the village. The churches have grand edifices. Their electric cars are rude affairs and the track rough enough to shake the life out of you.

Never have fish dinners tasted so good, the material perfectly fresh and fruit so luscious. This was the boon for an enormous appetite after an hour's sail. No kept-over material that has lost its goodness or withered into deadness, but an immediate offering from Neptune and Nature's generous supply. Conceive, if you can, anything more appetizing, accompanied by a ravishing hunger.

The wholesale establishments where fish are received by large shiploads are wonderfully interesting. We were shown the widespread flakes where the salted fish are dried in the sun. We entered the large storehouses where thousands of quintals of fish, after being cured, are piled up like cordwood. Another establishment sends forth tons of fresh fish, such as halibut and mackerel, packed in ice to other towns and cities.

A Nova Scotia fog day! Ugh! No far-off delightful view while this lasts. You are shut in like a prisoner. You are at liberty to go where you please, but your prison surely goes with you. Fog that blows in great drifts through the air, and nothing can hinder it; fog that enshrouds you like a winding sheet; fog that turns life into utter desolation. We are thankful for one day of it, to know what it is, but never care for another experience of this character.

The return voyage was as glorious as a full moon, a perfectly clear night and a nearly smooth sea could render it. It seemed as if we could scoop the silver by barrelfuls from off the water. The ocean was radiant beyond description as the slow, long-swelling tides mirrored the splendor of the queen of the sky, and each gentle crest was an evangel of gladness and brightness. My first visit to Nova Scotia, but it has been a time of enjoyment, genuine rest and renewed strength.

Another Clambake, Sunday, Hoag Cottage.

The second clambake of the Hoag club will be held next Sunday, Aug. 19, at 2 p. m., at Hoag Cottage, near the merry-go round. First class service. Tickets 50c.

Office Closed.

My patrons are requested to note that my dental office will be closed until further notice during my vacation.

DR. M. E. POND.

Send your boys to Ochee's barber shop for a "clip." They will be more comfortable.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Franklin in 1830.

I read the interesting article, published in the SENTINEL last week, of Franklin fifty years ago, and perhaps it will interest some to know how Franklin looked in 1830. As I remember it very distinctly, I will name the dwellings in order as they stood, beginning at the crossing: On a high rise of ground just west of Union street stood a house called the "Bill Adams" place; the same house, remodelled, is now the first house above the crossing on the left, nearly in front of Ray's mill. The next on Union street was Maj. Thayer's tavern. In those days of stages from Worcester to Taunton this was an important place, where man and beast were refreshed with different kinds of refreshments, from cold water to New England rum, which was regarded as one of the needful articles and sold in every grocery store in the country. From Col. Cleaveland's house the common extended to just south of what is now known as the Emily Pond place. At the extreme south end of the common stood an old red house, called the "cannon house," in which were kept two brass three-pounders, belonging to the Franklin Artillery company. On the knoll just west of J. P. Bassett's residence stood a little house, in which was stored a few kegs of powder for immediate use in case of emergency, which was according to the laws of the state.

From Col. Cleaveland's the next was the Dr. Pratt house, which, remodelled, now stands where it did seventy years ago, just north of J. P. Bassett's. From there to the corner of Beaver street was a line of horse sheds the entire distance. Further north is the house of J. Riley, then called the Darius Morse place, in which were held the first Universalist meetings, perhaps four times a year, very much to the dislike of Dr. Emmons, then the only minister of the town. On the occasions of those meetings the doctor would denounce them in no mild terms and state emphatically where they would go, without naming the temperature of the place. On one occasion, in his most vehement manner, he said: "If I had the power of Almighty God I would stop that preaching or stop their breath."

One house only on Beaver street, now standing, was where Caleb Thurston lived; on the spot where Dr. Abbott's dwelling stands was the Newton Pond house; where the late James Shaw lived was another house, called the Asa Fisher house, then a tavern, where the old men would gather Sunday noons to eat their doughnuts and cheese, as there were two good, long sermons every Sunday, with an hour for intermission. The next house, south, was the old Jarvis Hill place, where J. B. Fitzpatrick now lives. Jerry Claflin's came next. Hanson Metcalf's house stood very near where the Crescent House now is; the same building, remodelled, and owned by Davis Thayer, Jr., stands near the foot of High street, on Union.

Going south on Main the next residence was that of Dr. Emmons, where stands the J. F. Ray house. The next and only one was the DeWitt farmhouse; then later a tavern, finally burned. From Thayer's corner toward Poverty lane, as Unionville was then called, were Hartford Leonard, Eli M. Richardson and Joel Daniels. The house occupied by George Hayward on Summer street and the one opposite completed the list.

Eighteen houses, one store, one church and three taverns composed all in the centre. Thurston's tavern, on the Unionville road, the late J. G. Ray's farm, was an important place where the stage horses were changed.

In those days every able-bodied man was required to hold himself ready for military duty and turn out three days in a year for drill and wind up with a "general muster," as it was called, in the fall. The militia company, the artillery and the cadets, the last two named, were all in uniform and took pride in making a fine appearance, while the old militia was composed of about everything in the shape of a man able to carry a gun, mad because they were compelled to do duty. They would dress as they pleased, those not having any regular knapsack would make one. The writer well remembers on one "training day," as it was called, of an eccentric fellow with a knapsack made of a large dried codfish strapped on his back, like old John Brown. That would go then, but times have changed "since Hannah died." A few still live in this town that remember the town as I have described it in 1830.

G. I. PARTRIDGE.

Richardson's Market.

Of course you've got to eat some meat, even if it is hot weather. Try a nice chicken or fowl for Sunday. Our vegetables are received every day fresh from the gardens. Try a can of our ten cent soup with your dinner; all kinds.

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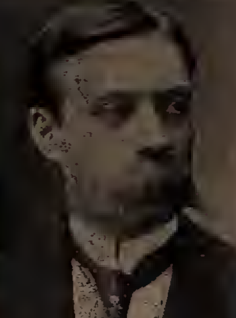
Sweet peas at Slade's greenhouse.

FRED HOMER WILLIAMS,

Candidate for Republican Nomination for Congress in the Eleventh District.

Fred Homer Williams of Brookline, Mass., was born in Foxboro, Mass., on the 7th of January, 1857, educated in the public schools there, graduated from Brown university in 1877, and was principal of the high school at East Medway from 1877 to 1879. He was admitted to the bar September 18, 1882, having obtained his college and legal education by his own unaided efforts. Immediately after his admission to the bar he was elected to the house of representatives, where he represented the Eighth Norfolk district to the credit of himself and the district, in 1883 and 1884. In 1883 he was chairman of the committee on bills in the third reading and in 1884 was chairman of the committee on insurance. In the latter year he reported a bill known as the "Williams bill," designed to regulate the business of assessment insurance, and which at the time attracted a great deal of attention and provoked much discussion.



FRED HOMER WILLIAMS.

He was recognized as one of the four or five prominent leaders of the house in 1883 and 1884, and the Hon. George A. Marden, speaker of the house during those years, thus writes of Mr. Williams in the Lowell Courier: "Mr. Williams was a member of the house two years and we speak with full knowledge when we say that he was one of the most valuable of the members of those years. He is a natural legislator, and with his entire fairness, impartiality and judicial temperament, together with a rigid honesty, both of act and purpose, he is a man the people of his district should be sure to nominate and elect."

Elected a member of the Massachusetts senate in 1898 from the Second Norfolk senatorial district, he immediately took a position of prominence there and was soon recognized as one of its leaders and hardest workers. In that year he was chairman of the committee on mercantile affairs and a member of the committee on judiciary and committee on rules. Re-elected senator in 1899, he became chairman of the joint committee on judiciary, which adopted the system of hearing all matters as a joint committee, thus making a great saving to the public in avoiding hearings before separate committees of the two branches. This position marked him as the titular leader of the senate, where he was already recognized as the practical leader. During this year he was also a member of the committee on banks and banking and of the committee on rules.

Upon the assumption that President Smith would retire at the end of that term his associates selected him as Mr. Smith's successor, and his election to that honorable position was assured. When, however, President Smith decided to return to the senate for the year 1900 Mr. Williams concluded not to stand for re election.

Robert L. Bridgman, the well-known correspondent of the Springfield Republican, thus alluded to Mr. Williams' retirement from the Massachusetts senate: "Senator Williams of Brookline, in his retirement, will mean the loss of one of the very hardest working and most efficient members of the senate. If all senators and representatives would attend to business as he does, and were equally methodical and pushing, the session would be a month shorter." As Mr. Bridgman generally sees a great deal more to condemn and criticise in the average legislator than he does to praise, this tribute to Mr. Williams must be regarded as a genuinely deserved one.

He is recognized as one of the prominent young men practicing law at the Suffolk bar, having a large general practice and a wide experience in the settlement and management of estates and complicated business affairs.

He has been frequently called upon to fill positions requiring executive ability, and on all such occasions has been eminently successful, notably as Secretary of the Norfolk Club, to which he was elected at the time of the nomination of Mr. Blaine in 1884. Under his administration the club had a most successful career for five years, and upon Mr. Williams' retirement in 1899, he was given a complimentary dinner and a substantial present by the members of the club. He has always been deeply interested in anything pertaining to the affairs of Brown university, and was the secretary of the association of the Sons of Brown in Boston and vicinity for several years, and is now president of the Brown University Club. He is also a member of Beth Horon Lodge, I. O. O. F., and of East Medway Grange Patrons of Husbandry.

A self made, practical man of wide experience in state legislation and a close student of national affairs, with the ability to express himself forcibly, independently and courageously, he is preeminently a fit man to represent the Eleventh district in the national house.

A Former Franklin Teacher Drowned.

Harvey W. Walker, the immediate predecessor of Principal E. D. Daniels in the Horace Mann High school, and now a lawyer and member of the Common Council in Boston, was drowned in the Charles river near Allston on Wednesday evening while attempting to save the life of a companion who was in bathing with him.

The swimming party consisted of Edwin Raymond, Dr. J. F. Cowan, Roger Wells and Councilman Walker, the latter being considered a very good man in the water. After leaving the Allston shore the men struck out leisurely for Captain's island, but Mr. Raymond weakened and Messrs. Walker and Cowan went to his assistance. Mr. Raymond was steadily being helped toward the Cambridge side, when Councilman Walker's strength gave out and he had to relinquish his hold of Raymond. Thereupon Mr. Wells took Mr. Walker's place and brought Raymond ashore.

Councilman Walker not having come ashore, Messrs. Cowan and Wells re-entered the water again in search of him. Mr. Walker, however, was not in sight and could not be found. The body was recovered yesterday.

Mr. Walker followed Principal Chandler here from '91 to '93. He was born in Milford in 1868 and was educated in the local schools. He graduated from Boston university among the first in his class and then from the Harvard law school. Mr. Walker has been at his law practice only three years, but had achieved a growing reputation. Two years ago he was elected a member of the Boston common council from ward 25, and was last year re elected. In politics he was a republican. He was also a prominent member of the Allston Congregational church. He leaves a mother, who is at present in Minneapolis, and a sister.

Just received in Franklin—a genuine thirst quencher, Dewing's Persian Punch. Sold only by WALTER FIORANI.

Emerson's Market.

Watermelons on ice, shell beans, green corn, gem melons, sweet potatoes, summer squash, lettuce, cucumbers, onions, cabbages, new beets and turnips, green corn. Fresh killed Chicks and fowls, lamb, veal, pork, sweet potatoes and tomatoes.

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Wanted.—A ton of horse hay. Will pay for same in carpenter work. F. E. Dudley, Union and Central streets. 14*

To Let—A small tenement corner of Central and School streets; rent $4. Also one of five or six rooms on Central street. Apply to Mrs. A. P. Woodward. 17,21*

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DR. E. C. ABBOTT.

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ABOUT THE LEGISLATURE.

The reported remarks of F H. Williams about the alleged servility of the legislature to corporations of Massachusetts are interesting, but as Mr. Williams was himself a member of that legislature, why has he waited so long before freeing his mind? He certainly must have had good opportunity for missionary work during the session, but he seems to have withheld his most forcible denunciation until the members had adjourned and gone to their respective homes. Was it—is this entirely fair? It may be well to rebuke sinners, but it is even better to reform them. Why has Mr Williams kept silent so long?—Boston Daily Advertiser, Aug. 11.

POLITICAL HINTS.

Sept 24, 25—On one of these two dates the Republicans of every city and town must hold caucuses for the choice of delegates to the state, congressional, councillor, senatorial and county conventions, and possibly, for delegates to representative conventions, and for the nomination of candidates for the general court.

Oct. 1, 2—On one of these dates caucuses for the choice of delegates to a Republican representative district or for nomination of candidates for the general court may be held.

Oct. 4—10 a. m. Republican state convention in the Boston Theater, Boston.

Oct 7—Last day for registrars of voters in towns to post preliminary lists.

Oct 13—Earliest day for holding Republican representative conventions.

Oct. 15—Last day for appointing election officers in towns. Also last day for filing nominations for state officers to be voted for throughout the state.

Oct. 19—Nomination papers of candidates not voted for at large throughout the commonwealth must be filed at the office of the secretary of the commonwealth before 5 p. m.

Oct 27—Registration in towns closes at 10 p. m.

Nov 1—Last day for filling vacancies among election officers.

Nov 2—Last day for filing complaint against incorrect and illegal registration in towns.

Nov 6—State election.

MEN like ex Mayor Curtis of Boston, ex-Senator Cook of Milford, ex-Senator Darling of Hyde Park, all recognized early in the canvass that the nomination this year ought by all the principles of equity to be awarded to Middlesex county, and withdrew their names from the contest and in favor of the Newton candidate, Samuel L. Powers. Brookline has had the nomination more than one-half the time during the past twenty years, and Middlesex county has not received even a single nomination during that entire period, and has withdrawn no less than three candidates in the interest of party harmony and acquiesced in the nomination going to Brookline candidates. It is a well established custom, which has existed for generations in both the Republican and Democratic conventions, to select the nominee for governor from one section of the commonwealth and the nominee for lieutenant governor from another section. Governor Crane resides in Berkshire county and Lieutenant Governor Bates in Suffolk county, and the other state officers are selected from different parts of the state, with a view to giving every section of the state a fair and just representation on the state ticket.—Exchange.

BY the operation of a new law Franklin is to be relieved after Jan. 1, 1902, of a great burden in the care of insane poor, by placing that burden on the state. The cost of such insane will then go into the state tax levy and all cities and towns must bear some share. Franklin has always had considerable expense from this source and often because of persons who left town years ago but have never gained a residence elsewhere. "The operation of the new law is expected to remove a great many vexatious problems. The questions of settlements will no longer bother the authorities of the commonwealth. Another effect of this law will be that some towns which have never had to pay for the support of a single insane pauper, will be assessed for their share of the burden which now falls upon the whole commonwealth."

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POINTS ABOUT FLOWERS.

(From the Ladies' Home Journal.)

Hardy Yellow Rose.—Harrison's yellow and Persian yellow are both extremely hardy varieties of the yellow rose.

Ammonia Is Not a Plant Food.—It is a constituent of some foods, but used by itself it acts as a stimulant; therefore it should not be depended on to produce vigorous and healthy plant development.

Baby Primroses.—These charming and popular little plants belong to the Obconica branch of the Primula family. They are of easy cultivation. They like a light, spongy soil, plenty of light and plenty of water. They bloom profusely all winter and are grown from seed sown in the fall.

Clematis from Seed.—I would not advise any one to attempt to grow Clematis from seed. It would take two or three years to get the seedlings to flowering size, and then the flowers might be worthless. No one can be sure of what he is going to get in growing these plants from seed. The only sure way of propagating a desirable variety is by division of the roots or by layering.

Insects on Chrysanthemums.—The black aphis which infests the Chrysanthemum is much harder to get rid of than the common green aphis. I fight it with a preparation of tobacco called Nikoteen. This is a concentrated extract of the plant, and the use of it will soon rout all aphides. The ordinary tobacco tea, made by steeping tobacco in water, has but little effect on this black aphis.

SOMETHING NEW.

Flexible shafting has been put to a new use. It is arranged so as to be attached to a source of motive power for tree trimming.

An inventor of Schweinfurt, Bavaria, has invented a new machine for the sorting of steel balls according to quality, and it prevents the cracked balls being passed as prefect.

The two new battleships now building at the Cramp shipyards, in Philadelphia, Pa., are to be lined with asbestos. The United States naval officials are contemplating the institution of a similar application in vessels now building.

Artificial sponges are being made in Germany by Dr Gustav Pum, of Graz. His experiments are based upon the action of zinc chloride solution upon pure cellulose, says the Trade Journal's Review. The resultant product swells enormously with water but turns to a hornlike substance on drying. In order to return to the product the property for also absorbing water after drying, alkali-baths are employed in treating the cellulose with the zinc chloride. The mass after manipulation and molding is said to take the place of sponge in all its uses.

A Substitute.

Little Madge—Have your folks a family tree?

Little Ralph—No; my pa uses a trunk strap.—Chicago Times-Herald

Both Mistaken.

Biggs—You say Hamfat is a comedian? I thought he was a tragedian.

Boggs—That's what he thinks, too. —N. Y. Journal.

There Are Exceptions.

"Fun is as good for us as medicine."

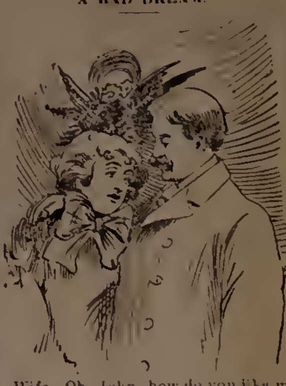
"Not when the joke is on you."—Chicago Record.

About the Size of It.

Jaggs—Texas is a great place for snakes. I once saw a green and yellow snake down there 70 feet long and as big round as a whisky barrel.

Waggs—Well, I don't doubt it—but I'll bet you saw the whisky barrel before you saw the snake.—Chicago Daily News.

A BAD DREAM.



Wife—Oh, John, how do you like my new Easter bonnet? Isn't it a dream?

John—Yes, dear; and the bill will be a nightmare.—Detroit Free Press.

Her Fatal Number.

"How many girls did you make love to before you met me?" demanded Mrs. Vick-Senn, at the close of her long tirade.

"Twelve!" groaned her husband. "But I never counted them up until it was too late!"—Chicago Tribune.

Once Too Often.

Smith—Have you heard that Jane Siligal has committed suicide?

Brown—Bless me! You don't say so.

Smith—Yes. Jumped over Waterloo bridge.

Brown—Ah, she was always fond of jumping to conclusions.—Ally Sloper

Scientific Mechanism.

"What is your idea of a statesman?"

"H'm; well, a statesman is a politician who gets what he wants without letting his own party know how he got it."—Indianapolis Journal.

Exonerating Himself.

"Look here, old chappie, just introduce me to your pretty cousin."

"All right, I'll do so; but, mark, if ever you marry her, don't lay the blame on me." Tit-Bits.

Takes on the Color.

Hogan—There is wan thing about a black eye that is dacint.

Grogan—An' fwat is that?

Hogan—It turns green before it goes. —Indianapolis Press.

A Sincere Opinion.

"Wright sent me a check this morning."

"Well, what of it?"

"I consider it the best thing he ever wrote."—Judge.

Like the Rest of the Sex.

Mrs. K—But are you sure that parrot will talk?

The Dealer—Certainly, ma'am. It's a female.—Harlem Life.

Very Remarkable.

Mrs. 400—Remarkable winter we are having, isn't it?

Mrs 399—Yes, Indeed! So few scandals.—Town Topics.

$100 Reward, $100.

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Wallace Tower.

Wallace Tower is located in the town of Ayr, Scotland, and was erected to the memory of William Wallace, the famous Scotch patriot and hero, who was said to have been imprisoned in an ancient tower on the same site in the eleventh century, finally escaping through the aid of friends. The present tower is 133 feet high and was erected in 1832.

Wayside Inn.

This old tavern, made famous by Longfellow's poems, stands in the town of Sudbury Mass., which was a busy center in the old colonial days. It was noted for its great hospitality and for being the gathering place of noted men and qaint characters of the time.—Detroit Free Press.

Nauseating Treatment.

Potter—I see they are using castor oil on weakly house plants in the east.

Diggs (who has to lug his wife's flower tubs around the house a half dozen times a year)—Good enough for 'em!—St. Louis Republic.

Not Sufficient Time.

"Have I time to run across the street and match a sample of ribbon?" asked the woman of the depot gateman.

"Oh, dear, no!" he replied. "Why, the train leaves in three hours and a half." —Chicago Post.

Too Methodical for Her.

Fair Widow (beguilingly)—Now, Mr. Slade, suppose your wife was to die. What would you do then?

Mr. Slade—Call in the undertaker. —Harlem Life.

A Tendency of the Sex.

"If you marry that girl I'll cut you off with a dollar."

"I know you better than that, mother; you'd make it 99 cents."—Chicago Record.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with typhoid fever that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened; I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed; nothing helped me; I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief; I continued to use it and am now well and strong; I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all throat and lung trouble. Regular sizes 50c. and $1. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

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By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Lawrence McGinnis of Medway, in the county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the Roxbury Brewing Company, a corporation duly established under the laws of said commonwealth, dated September fifteenth, 1898, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, libro 824, page 272, which mortgage has been duly assigned by mesne assignments to Stephen Jennings, the subscriber, for breach of the condition contained in said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, upon the premises hereinafter described, on Tuesday, the twenty-eighth day of August, 1900, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed in and by said mortgage deed, namely: A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon standing, known as the Quinobequin estate, situated on the north side of Village street, in said Medway, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner thereof, at the junction of Broad with Village street, and thence running easterly on Village street eighty-eight feet to land now or formerly of Minerva Hathon, deceased; thence running northerly on land of said Hathon one hundred and forty feet to a corner; thence running easterly on land of said Hathon forty-six feet to a corner; thence running northerly and westerly sixty-three feet on land now or formerly of Mrs. Woodward to a corner; thence running northerly on land of said Woodward to a corner at land now or formerly owned by E. A. Noyes, twenty-one feet distant from barn on said premises; thence westerly on a straight line parallel with said barn to a point in line with the front of said barn and twenty-one feet distant therefrom; thence running [illegible] on a straight line to a point in a line with the rear of the store block thirty-five feet distant therefrom in a southerly direction; thence on a line westerly parallel with said block to Broad street; thence southerly on said Broad street to the point of beginning. [illegible] right of way fifteen feet wide across the southerly side of the land conveyed to E. B. Stowe, March 1, 1886, from land of Mrs. Woodward to a point in a line with the rear of the store block and distant therefrom thirty-five feet, as said barn and store block stood March 1, 1886, and subject to the rights in the well mentioned in release from the Medway Savings Bank recorded with Norfolk deeds, lib. 649, page 42. Excepting from the above described premises that portion thereof which has been released from said mortgage deed by a release dated June 24, 1899, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, libro 846, page 511.

Said premises will be sold and conveyed subject to any unpaid taxes thereon, and to the balance due on one mortgage for $5,000.00 given by Lawrence McGinnis to the Milford Co-operative Bank, dated September 17, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, libro 744, page 577.

Terms of sale: Three hundred dollars to be paid at time and place of sale, and the balance in ten days on delivery of the deed.

STEPHEN JENNINGS,
Assignee of said Mortgage.
C. G. & C. D. KEYES, Attorneys,
17 State street, Boston.
Boston, August 9, 1900. au10,17

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Benj. C. Wood and John H. P. Kenyon to George W. Bacon, dated April 4, 1900, and recorded with Norfolk County Deeds, libro 867, folio 534, for a breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed, will be sold on the premises in Franklin, in said Norfolk county, at public auction, on

SATURDAY, SEPT. 8, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon standing, containing thirty acres, more or less, situate on the easterly side of Elm street, in said Franklin, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning on said Elm street [illegible] thence running easterly and northerly on land of Herbert Bartlett [illegible] land formerly of E. N. Bullard and James F. Adams [illegible] thence on said Elm street to the point of beginning [illegible] recorded in Norfolk County Deeds.

Said property will be sold subject to a prior mortgage of $1,000.

Terms made known at sale.

GEORGE W. BACON,
Mortgagee.
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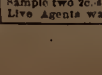

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STATEMENT JULY 31, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$571,160 11
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 99
Interest Account		567 15
Real Estate Income Account		15 19
		$600,700 30

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 86
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		126,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 71
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,148 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,375 00
" " Mortgages		157,860 00
" " Personal Securities		169,891 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		34 97
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$7,822 25	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	4,095 58	
Mercantile Trust Co	84 16	
		12,001 99
Cash on hand		752 37
		$600,700 30

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

ADELBERT D. THAYER,
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Committee of Examination.

July 31, 1900.

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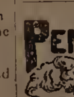

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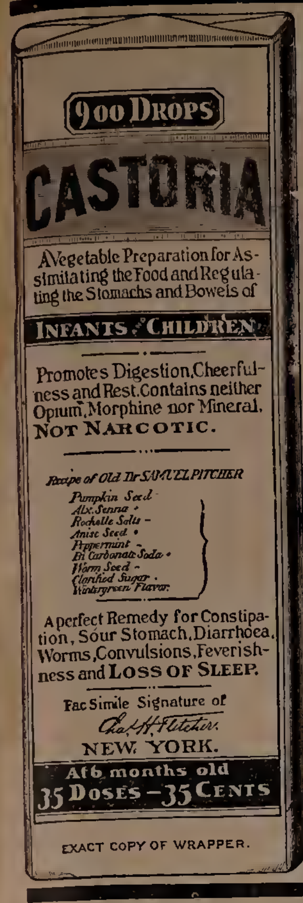
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A Fantasy of South Africa.

By J. F. X. O'Connor.

It was after the battle of Tugela River, said General Joubert, when, fatigued and exhausted by the tension of the last few months, I went to the house of an English lady, the Duchess of B——, who had been a personal friend ever since her residence in the Transvaal. Feeling perfectly secure under the circumstances, I was accompanied by a single aid, who volunteered to run all risks to secure for me the necessary quiet.

The first night and day passed quietly, with news that they were still watching, when on the evening of the second day, about 9 o'clock, the voices and tread of a dozen men were heard on the porch. Presently the door opened, the duchess entered, and, to my astonishment, introduced Sir Redvers Buller, commander of the British forces. Both of us were astounded, started instinctively, stared, but bowed courteously to each other. The duchess had warned neither, but relied on the instincts of manhood for an acceptance of the situation. We gazed fixedly one at the other, and each rightly knew he was facing a foe worthy of intense effort and of the keenest strategy.

After a few moments' pause Buller stretched forth his hand and said: "Sir, we are placed in a strange situation; I cannot forget the courtesy due our hostess, but from the moment we part, though we have met as guests of the same respected lady, hostilities are declared." He turned and left the room.

Here was a predicament. I was in the house alone with my aid. Here was a man bound to defend the honor of England too much of a soldier to seize me under the circumstances or to fire without giving warning. I was as sure a shot as he, if not a quicker. A duel of swords or pistols would have troubled me but slightly. To steal away, although ten against two, was not, to my mind, at all inviting. I resolved to wait and be on the alert. All was silence in the house—darkness outside of my room. There was a creaking sound on the floor above. Glancing at the window, I discerned, it seemed, a form just sinking into shadow from the path of light that streamed from the window. In an instant I extinguished the light and felt the world grow larger in the darkness. I had fixed in my mind three plans of action—first, to boldly attack the party; second, to mount to the upper floor to be above the enemy; third, to wait outside of the house for a sign of attack.

I gave them all up and decided to wait in the room.

The hours drew on—11 sounded, 12 and then 1, which seemed to prolong its solitary sound for several minutes, and then all was still—a silence deeper than before.

At half past 2 I heard a rustling in the hallway and then a knock at the door. The voice of the duchess was heard. She was standing outside with her maid. "General," she said, "make your escape at once. If in one hour from now you are here, General Buller sends message by me that he will consider that you have surrendered or take you by force.' '

"Madam," I replied, "if I intended to escape by flight I should not be here now. No entreaties can move me from my resolve."

"General," she said, "I beg of you to reflect. I have done all in my power; your fate is now in your own hands;" and then, in a tone of unfeigned terror, stamping her foot, "Pray, do go!"

She then withdrew, and I waited in anxious expectation of the outcome. I called quietly to my aid, but there was no answer. After nearly an hour had passed, during which many thoughts and plans rushed through my mind in rapid succession, I opened the door cautiously.

Not an object was visible, nor a sound to be heard save the tick of the swinging pendulum, which seemed to say, "Quick, quick!"

I walked about in the darkness of the vestibule, when the voice of Buller sounded from the staircase: "Ready, Joubert! I am going to fire!"

We pulled the triggers at the same instant. In the darkness the aim was true. The bullets struck in midair, one falling on the floor, the other glancing to the right of the room and smashing through a window.

Immediately several pistols flashed from the landing above, and I fired again.

A groan came from Buller. He was wounded in the foot, and of the seven or eight balls that whizzed close to me one entered my shoulder. I fell to the ground for an instant, then, rising, drew back into my room, barricading the door with an oaken table.

The lights were up in the house, and another volley rained against my barricade. I returned the fire, making a hole through the door with a shot and placing the pistol an inch or two from the opening. A dash was then made for the door, and with axes and bars it was soon beaten in, when a shout of men came from the outside.

The house was surrounded by Boers. My aid had escaped in the silence of the interval and brought timely help.

When they saw that 50 men surrounded the house and that resistance was useless slaughter, Buller asked for a parley. I said to him: "General Buller, I was in your power—you gave me a chance to fight. I shall be not less generous. You and your men may depart for your lines unmolested."

The general saw there was but one course, and left the house with his men, escorted by 20 Boers, who saw them safely beyond the patrol.—Collier's Weekly.

Eve and an Apple.

"Oh, look, mother!" cried Eve. "There is my apple."

"Hush, dear! It isn't your apple at all. It belongs to the people next door."

"He isn't people!" objected Eve.

I am a bachelor.

As the summer went on the apple grew in size and beauty. Eve watched the apple, and I watched Eve. She was so nice to watch that I did not offer her the forbidden fruit. I regarded it as a hostage for her regular appearance. In the dusk of evening Eve tried to reach it with a clothes prop—at least it looked like Eve. I knew it was a clothes prop, because she let it drop over my wall, and it smashed three panes of a cucumber frame. Next morning she happened to be in the garden, so I returned it.

"I—I'm afraid it broke something," she apologized.

"Not in the least, I assure you."

"I'll tell Mary Jane not to stand it up against your wall again," she promised mendaciously.

When I came home that evening, the apple was still there in all its glory; but when it grew dusk I noticed maneuvers with the prop going on once more. Finally I heard a cry of triumph and the rustle of her skirts as she ran indoors. Then I went out.

I climbed the tree, gathered about a gallon of apples and sent them in with a note:

> Dear Madam—I trust you will accept a few apples from my tree overhanging your garden, as I notice that there is only one upon your side. I have, however, a special reason for desiring that one. May I enter your garden to gather it? Yours very truly, FRANK NEWTON.

In a few minutes Sarah Ann returned with Mrs. Parker's thanks and an assurance that she would be pleased for me to gather the apple whenever I liked. I went round to their front door, knocked, and was shown into a cozy sitting room. Mrs. Parker received me very pleasantly, but Miss Eve was rather quiet.

"You will be surprised at my bothering you about a single apple," I said. "The fact is I want it for some one who has particularly admired it."

"We have noticed," said her mother, with a side glance at Eve, "that it is a singularly fine apple."

"I should like to see it when you have picked it," Mrs. Parker confessed. Eve said nothing. She appeared to have become absorbed in a book.

"I'll bring it in at once," I promised. I went out and ascended the tree. No one was looking, so I gathered another fine apple from my own side. When I returned, Miss Eve had disappeared.

"It doesn't look quite so large off the tree," I suggested, placing the apple upon the table.

"No," said her mother, examining it critically: "I scarcely think it does; but it is a very fine one."

"Perhaps your daughter would like to see it?"

"Ye-es." She laughed. "I am afraid it will make her feel rather envious." She rang the bell, and the servant came. "Ask Miss Eve to come for a moment, please."

After a few minutes' waiting [illegible] Eve reappeared, looking guiltily defiant.

"Mr. Newton wants you to see his apple, Eve, dear. Isn't it a beauty?"

Eve flushed and gave me a swift glance.

"Yes," she said hesitatingly. She seemed to be studying the floor rather than the fruit.

"It might be a fellow to the one that tempted Eve," I observed with a smile. She traced a pattern with her foot.

"Adam was also tempted."

"By Eve, I believe. I don't fancy he wanted the apple much, did he?"

"You could not have a nicer apple than this, anyhow." She looked right at me at last. Her eyes said quite plainly, "You needn't tell mother." As if I had any such intention!

"I am glad you like it," I said, "because I want to give it to you if I may. I could not help noticing that you admired it."

"There, Eve!" said her mother. "I told you that every one would see that you coveted it."

"I—I am sorry," she said in a subdued, little voice.

"Please don't say that, or you will spoil my pleasure in giving it."

"Then I am not sorry." She took it with a laugh.

The next day was Sunday. In the afternoon Eve sat under the shade of my apple tree reading a book. So I strolled out and looked over the wall.

"Eve," I remarked, "was turned out of paradise for stealing an apple."

She looked up and smiled. Then she looked down. Then she rested her chin on one hand and looked at me inquiringly with her big eyes. I would put down how she looked if it were possible. It isn't. Mere ordinary charm of feature or coloring is common enough to have words. Real prettiness is unique, unnamable: little willful curves of the features, little waves of the hair—and "ways." She is pretty like that.

"Adam," she remarked, "lost paradise and the apples."

"But he had Eve!"

"You have plenty of apples," she said, "and you are not shut out of paradise."

"Then," I replied promptly, "I will come in." I did.

"How do you know this is paradise?" she asked demurely.

"Eve is here."

She looked at me saucily over her book.

"Poor Eve was much to be pitied!"

"Because she lost paradise?"

"No; because she kept Adam."

"Did she mind, do you think?"

"Well, you see, it was just a very little bit her fault that he ate the apple."

"She would have eaten every scrap herself if she had been a modern Eve."

She looked up at the desecrated bough and laughed.

"I think she could be persuaded to share it with the modern Adam," she stated.

Thereupon she dived under the chair cushion and produced it.

"Now you have paradise—and the apple!" she told me.

"They are nothing," I said feelingly, "compared with Eve."

But Eve—my dainty little Eve—is coming to No. 54 in the spring. It will save any further dispute, she says, about the apple.—Madame.

A Test of Greatness.

The most charming thing in life is freshness of feeling. This freshness is the quality of a great writer or a great artist. He will show as if he sees it for the first time what we have been looking at all our lives without observing it.—Hamilton Mabie.

Sudden.

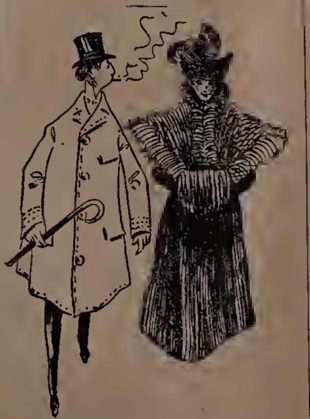
Kind Lady — Your husband is dead then?

Mrs. O'Keefe—Yis—he wint off most sudden, mum.

Kind Lady—Poor man! Heart failure?

Mrs. O'Keefe—Not th' loikes o' thot, mum. It wor loike this: Pat wor eatin' his dinner on a powder bar'l whin wan av his friends set it off in a joke. It wor most suddin, mum.—Ohio State Journal.

NOT SO RAPID.



Cholly—Am I walking too fast for you, Miss Wobbins?

Miss Robbins—Oh, no! You may run if you like.—N. Y. Journal.

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Follow Suit.

Softy—How very fond of hunting Mr. Bouncer must be.

Sharpleigh—Bouncer hunt? Why, he's never even been after a red herring.

Softy—But he told me he kept several packs.

Sharpleigh—So he does—of cards.—Ally Sloper.

His Waterloo.

Visitor (at insane asylum)—Who is that wild-looking man in the padded cell?

Attendant—That is Prof. Adder, the expert accountant.

Visitor—What drove him insane?

Attendant — He attempted to straighten out his wife's household accounts.—Chicago Daily News.

Out of the Ordinary.

"What was this row about?" asked the policeman.

"It all came about," the father-in-law explained, "by some of those cheeky boys throwing shoes at the bride."

"Well," said the policeman, "that's customary."

"Yes; but not horseshoes."—Tit-Bits.

Grew to Like It.

"Are you really contented with your lot?" asked the sympathetic old lady.

"How do you mean, ma'am?" inquired the bearded lady.

"Why, your beard, you know; I should think it would annoy you?"

"Well, candidly, ma'am, I didn't like it at first, but then it grew on me."—Philadelphia Press.

Explained.

"I must confess to a great deal of egotism," said Willie Wishington.

"Indeed?" responded Miss Cayenne.

"Yes. I think about myself entirely too much."

"Oh, that isn't egotism. That's merely the usual human tendency to worry over trifles."—Washington Star.

Why He Is Single.

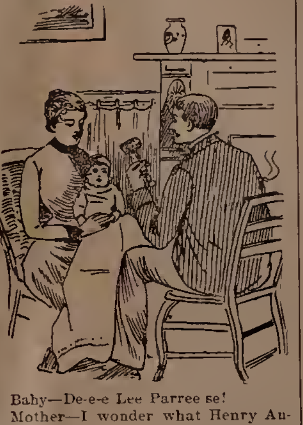
Wederly—I suppose you have never given marriage a thought.

Singleton—Oh, yes, I have.

Wederly—Then why are you still single?

Singleton—Because I have given marriage a thought. — Chicago Daily News.

SUCH WISE PARENTS.



Baby—De-e-e Lee Parree se!

Mother—I wonder what Henry Augustus is trying to say? It sounds like French.

Father—Wouldn't it be funny if he learned to talk French and we could not understand him?—Harlem Life.

Seldom Do It.

"The office," said the theorist, "should seek the man."

"Possibly, possibly," replied the practical politician, "but it is my experience that offices do mighty little searching."—Chicago Post.

Very Flattering.

The Doctor—Why have you sent for me?

The Husband—Oh, my wife's mother is feeling bad, and she says she doesn't care whether she lives or not.—Yonkers Statesman.

"Hunger Is the Best Sauce,"

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Point of View.

"This is the seventh time you've been before me," said the magistrate.

"Yes," replied the culprit. "It's strange how some men hold on to office." — Philadelphia North American.

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Agent—Ten.

Mrs. Spanker—That's just right. We need a good deal of room. We have nine children. I hope there's space at the back for a doghouse. We have three.—N. Y. Weekly.

Softly Suggested.

"Don't you enjoy hearing the old songs?" asked the young man with a sentimental look in his eye.

"Yes," answered Miss Cayenne. "Do you know any?"

"Yes; what is your favorite?"

"Oh, it depends on the mood I chance to be in. You don't know 'Bid Me Good-bye and Go,' do you?"—Washington Star.

He Paused Too Long.

Johnny is seated at the piano reading.

Johnny's Mother (from above)—Johnny, why aren't you practicing?

Johnny—I am, ma.

Johnny's Mother—Well, I don't hear anything.

Johnny—Well, I'm practicing the pauses.—Musical America.

A Thoughtful Cook.

Wife—Did you tell the cook plainly that she and I can no longer live in the same house?

Husband—Yes.

Wife—I suppose she was defiant?

Husband—On the contrary, she offers to draw cuts to see who goes.—N. Y. Evening Journal.

Very Likely, Indeed.

Jones—I wonder why it is that sailors have the reputation of being so much braver than soldiers?

Smith—I don't know, I'm sure, unless it is because the sailor has a wife in every port, while few soldiers are brave enough to tackle more than one.—Ally Sloper.

Amiable.

"So," said the young girl's father, raspingly; "he has such a lovely disposition, has he?"

"Yes," she answered. "He said that if I will marry him, he won't object to living in the same house with you, even if you are real cross."—Washington Star.

Her Excuse.

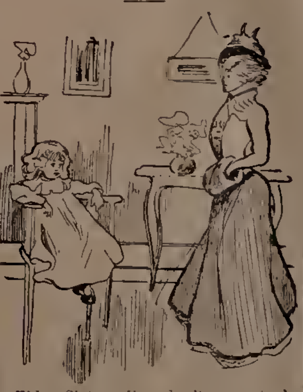
"And you dare tell me you love another and intend to marry him?" said the angry youth. "Have you forgotten that only two short months ago you declared you would marry me if your father disowned you for it?"

"No, I haven't forgotten it," replied the fair but fickle maid. "I spoke to father about it at the time and he positively refused to disown me, so I could do nothing more."—Chicago Daily News.

A Metamorphosis.

Miss Smith is as slim as a cherry-tree
sprout,
Mr. Jones is as thin as a stick,
But when they're together and no one's
about,
Oh, then they are awfully thick.
—Elliott's Magazine.

A STICKLER FOR PROPRIETY.



Elder Sister—You don't seem to be doing anything, Mabel. Come out for a walk.

Mabel—Thanks; but I don't think we ought both to be out together. If anyone should call on mother I think there should be one daughter at home!—Punch.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvet skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run down invalid. Only 50c. at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store.

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WRENTHAM.

Thieves entered the residence of Edgar A. Dart while the latter was away on his vacation and stole two rifles and all of his silverware. That same night a five-gallon can of turpentine was stolen from the freighthouse.——Charles E. Brown has returned from his vacation at Sciaconset.——Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heffron are at Dr. Heffron's camp at King Philip's pond.——A series of races will be held at Lake Pearl Saturday afternoon by the summer residents who have cottages bordering on the lake.——Daniel Brown will probably not open his straw hat factory until September 1.——This village has $5,000 appropriated to expend on the construction of state roads. This will bring the road to near the residence of Oliver Everett.——Thirty-five pictures were sold of the famous old oak tree, which is said to be over six hundred years old, at the recent fair.

MULES ARE OF VALUE.

The South African war may be regarded as the apotheosis of the mule, as probably at no period of history have these useful animals attracted so much attention, or have their merits been so much discussed. Southern Europe and America are being scoured even to-day by British agents on the search for more mules.

These animals are being bought by the thousands, for they are invaluable to an army corps acting in hilly or otherwise difficult ground. In this country the raising of mules has long passed the experimental stage and we have reaped the reward the past year in consequence of the demand for mules by the British army in South Africa.

England has awakened to the fact that she might have kept the money herself if her farmers had devoted themselves to mule raising. They are less care than horses and are admirable draught animals, break easily and last a long time.

Foiled.

"So the elopement on the automobile was nipped in the bud?"

"Yes; the old man bid the gasoline can."—Syracuse Herald.

No Formalities Omitted.

"Did Jack kiss you when you accepted him?"

"Certainly. I wouldn't consider any but sealed proposals."—Stray Stories.

Tonight

Just before retiring, if your liver is sluggish, out of tune and you feel dull, bilious, constipated, take a dose of

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Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 4. Sunday school at 3. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9, high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. N. T. Dyer of Ashburnham. Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. No evening service.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. S. Halfyard on "The Christian's Answer." No evening service. Sunday school at 12. Epworth league at 6.30.

Baptist church, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. J. S. Girdwood of Woonsocket. Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6.15.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending August 15, 1900.

Ladies—Miss Mary Groves, Mrs. Joseph Hadran, Miss Louise Kilbride, Miss Cassie McGinty, Miss Lizzie Warren.

Gentlemen—C. S. Chalter, J. Fisher, George Gay, [illegible] Heywood, C. A. Jillson, Horace Kennard.

Foreign—Madame Etoilienne Gadou.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

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He Fooled the Surgeons.

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Bad blood is a bad thing to inherit or acquire, but bad blood may be made good blood by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

As He Put It.

"Yes," said the colonel; "I have always been a firm believer in discipline. Consequently, whenever my wife and daughter issue their orders I obey without hesitation."

"I understand your daughter is to be married."

"Yes; she's going to assume an independent command."—Puck.

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CONCERNING CONGRESSMEN.

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Senators Platt, of New York, and Platt, of Connecticut, are both expert weather prophets. It is related of the former that he once made and won a bet with the weather man at the senate end of the capitol that a certain prediction of the weather man would not come true.

The loudest speakers in congress are Senator Tillman and Representative Brosius. Mr. Brosius speaks with a long, deep roar, while Senator Tillman, when thoroughly wrought up to his subject, speaks in spasmodic shrieks.

Several members of the house of representatives are shorthand writers of more or less skill. Many of those who are lawyers studied stenography for convenience and effectiveness in making notes. One of the most skillful of these writers is Mr. Hitt, of Illinois.

Should Remain Silent.

An ignorant man should always remain silent, but if he knows enough to do so he isn't ignorant.—Chicago Daily News.

Married.

In Newburyport, August 11, James H. A. Smith of Newburyport, Mass., and Miss Molly Garfield Higgins of Bar Harbor, Me. No cards.

Hoag Lake PARK.

WEEK OF AUG. 13.

Afternoons at 3.15.
Evenings at 8.30.

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Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court by Charles L. Richardson of said Boston, Clarissa R. Leland of Sherborn, in the county of Middlesex, Jeremiah D. Richardson, Charlotte L. Hamilton, Edward F. Richardson and Josie E. Richardson of said New York city to register and confirm their title in the following described land: A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in said Millis, and bounded southeasterly by Orchard street 1242 feet; northeasterly by land of Daniel Dinneen 27 feet, northwesterly by said land of Dinneen 928 feet, westerly by land of heirs of M. Collins and parcel hereinafter described 225 feet, southerly by land of Fred H. Williams on two lines measuring together 447 feet, northwesterly again by said Williams' land 239 feet, and southwesterly by said land of Williams 94 feet.

Also another parcel of land situate in said Millis, and bounded southeasterly by Orchard street 317 feet, northerly by land of Fred H. Williams 293 feet, easterly by said land of Williams 662 feet, northerly again by land of heirs of M. Collins 650 feet, westerly, southwesterly and southerly by Bogastow Brook about 1290 feet, easterly by land of heirs of M. Collins 100 feet, southerly by the same 45 feet, westerly by the same 100 feet, and southwesterly by the same 25 feet.

Said lots are shown on a plan filed with said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Court of Land Registration, to be held at Boston, in said county of Suffolk, on the FOURTH day of SEPTEMBER, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Leonard A. Jones, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of August, in the year nineteen hundred.

Attest with the Seal of said Court. [SEAL]

CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder.

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NORFOLK, ss.

SUPERIOR COURT

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court, to be holden at Dedham within and for the County of Norfolk

Respectfully libels and represents Susanna Smith of Sharon, in said county, that she was lawfully married to James B. Smith, now of parts unknown, at said Sharon on the ninth day of April, A. D. 1878, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said James B. Smith lived together as husband and wife in this commonwealth, to wit., at Brockton in our county of Plymouth and at Easton in our county of Bristol; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said James B. Smith being wholly regardless of the same at said Easton on Monday, the eleventh day of February, A. D. 1884, utterly deserted your libellant and has continued such desertion from that time to the date hereof, being more than three consecutive years prior to the filing of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said James B. Smith, and for such other orders and decrees as to your honors shall seem meet and as justice may require.

Dated the thirty-first day of July, A. D. 1900.

SUSANNA SMITH.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, SS.

SUPERIOR COURT.

On the foregoing libel it is ordered that the libellant give notice to the said James B. Smith, the libellee, to appear before the justices of this court, to be holden at Dedham, within and for said county, on the first Monday of September next, by causing an attested copy of said libel, and of this order thereon, to be published once in a week for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Franklin in the county of Norfolk, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first Monday of September next, and further, by sending through the mail, as soon as may be, by a registered letter addressed to the last known residence of the said James B. Smith an attested copy of said libel and of this order thereon, that the said James B. Smith may then and there show cause why the prayer of said libel should not be granted.

By the Court.

LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.

August 1, A. D. 1900.

A true copy of said libel and of the order thereon.

Attest: R. B. WORTHINGTON, Assistant Clerk.

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HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
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Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 05 till 10 15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 2.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill to the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m. and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Miss Margaret Gallivan is at Newport for two weeks.

Fales returned from his outing in Maine today.

Mrs. Elijah Leonard has sold her place on Cottage street.

Dr. E. C. Abbott returned from his vacation yesterday.

The town officers' room is to be renovated and brushed up.

William Donovan is the new assistant in Ochee's barber shop.

Silas Bradley of Manchester, N. H., is visiting friends in town.

Trolley parties with fish-horn bands have ceased to be a novelty.

A number from here are taking in the Readville races this week.

Dr. A. J. Gallison is expected to return from Europe in September.

Mrs. John A. Barustead has returned from her vacation out of town.

Fred L. Tufts has been confined to the house by illness the past few days.

George L. Abercrombie has returned to his home in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

"Hogan's Alley," Woonsocket Opera House Thursday evening. See adv.

Miss Mary Shaughnessey is spending a vacation with friends in Providence.

Mrs. Addie Mowry will shortly remove to Norwood, where her sister resides.

Mrs. J. D. Sanborn and granddaughter are spending the day at Rocky Point.

Charles Williams of, Worcester has been visiting his sister, Mrs. C. M. Allen.

Thomas Grange left town Friday for New York, where he is to spend a vacation.

Mrs. E. F. Richardson; returned Monday from a week at the Northfield conference.

The Misses Eliza and Nellie Gallivan have returned from a week's outing at Block Island.

Mrs. C. B. Johnson and two children are spending a week or two at Wellfleet, on the Cape.

Miss Laura A. Blake, assistant cashier in the national bank, is on a vacation at Provincetown.

The field meeting of the Farmers' club will be held with James Adams and Monroe Morse tomorrow.

Miss Nellie Cody of Woonsocket is visiting at the home of William G. Cody on Union and Central streets.

Miss Nellie Tiffany and Joseph Norton of Mt. Auburn are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John McCooe of Union street.

Mrs. Frederick Bright and two children, Grace and Edith Pond, have returned from a week's outing at Rockport.

Flowers for the Alden club may be left this week with Mrs. Mabel Doe, Mrs. Talbot, Mrs. Gifford and Mrs. W. C. Sherman.

Mrs. Lewis Merrifield enjoyed last week "the old home week" in Buckfield, Me., having a poem which attracted a good deal of attention.

Cars on the Medway-Franklin electric line were tied up for three hours Friday afternoon owing to difficulty at the power house caused by the storm.

William Eddy was brought here from Worcester recently to his brother-in-law's, J. A. Smith, suffering from blindness owing to an explosion of ammonia.

Rev. E. L. Atkinson of Boston, who delivered the baccalaureate address before the High school at the Congregational church this year, is suffering from an attack of temporary blindness.

A trolley party arranged by Mrs. Frank Shiner had a specially decorated and illuminated car to Dedham on Saturday evening, about 20 couples enjoying the trip. They returned about midnight.

An official street railway map recently issued puts the old Pine Tree tavern between Lake Pearl and Wrentham instead of between Lake Pearl and Franklin, and names Mine brook as Pine brook.

William H Allen of Downington, Pa., is here for the week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Allen. He will take his children, who have been staying here a number of weeks, home with him.

Some of the legal fraternity want the missing link of street railway between Wrentham and Foxboro built to give easier communication with the district court which is held here. A great many others join in the wish.

C. H Prince, foreman of the SENTINEL office, writes home interesting letters of his trip abroad with Rev. Mr. Cook. They have their wheels with them and tour wherever it is practicable. They will return about the first of September.

A team collided with a baby carriage containing an infant at the crossing near Dana's drug store on Main street Friday afternoon The carriage was upset and the child thrown out, but when picked up it was found to have suffered no injury.

The Franklin band will give a concert at Lake Pearl Thursday evening, when dancing will be free. The last car on the Medway line that evening will not leave until 11 45. On Saturday evening the American band orchestra will furnish music for the dancing

A number of taxpayers have quickly responded to the presentation of bills and settled their 1900 account with the town. It is usually the case that a few of the prompt ones settle in August or early in September, after which there is a lull in the business until the middle of November.

The street railway company is putting in a telephone service between the car barn and the centre, and probably the length of the line too, to enable the company to keep better track of cars and locate any trouble which may arise. It will doubtless prove a very convenient arrangement.

Central street, from Unionville to east of Beaver street, has been repaired with a new coating of gravel, and east of the railroad bridge, from the plain to the Wrentham line, a gang of men in the employ of the street railway company is making improvements in the way of a wider driveway outside the tracks.

One hundred and fifty members of Josephine Cercle of Woonsocket came here on a trolley ride Friday evening and spent two hours at the Franklin House. Whist was played and there was excellent singing by the members, who got all the pleasure possible from the beginning to the end of the affair. The party returned to Woonsocket atmidnight.

The funeral of Councilman Harvey W. Walker, who was drowned in the Charles river at Allston on Wednesday, was held in the Congregational church, Milford, at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon, Rev. F.E. Emrick of South Framingham officiating. There were a number of beautiful floral tributes. The burial was in the family lot in Pine Grove cemetery.

On some of the cross streets the brush are beginning to take possession of the driveways and the woodman with his axe will soon begin a campaign against them. This may be against the wishes of the forestry cranks who advocate letting the brush grow at the road side, but will meet the wishes of those who drive in such highways with covered carriages.

The Battery band of Providence, one of the finest in this section, gave a concert at Lake Pearl Sunday afternoon, lasting four hours. Large crowds were at the lake last week, but on Tuesday and Thursday evenings the gatherings have been very large, and dancing, the principal attraction, has been well patronized. Thursday evening a large crowd is expected.

William H.Smith of Union street, who is in the employ of Mrs. W. F. Ray, and Mrs. M. Ella Harris of High street, were united in marriage at the Baptist parsonage Friday evening, the ceremony being performed by Rev. F. B. Sleeper. The couple left for a wedding trip after the ceremony and will spend the honeymoon in Maine and Vermont, returning here in two weeks.

Three men were arrested late Saturday night at Beaver pond by Special Officer Cody on the charge of breaking the lock on a row boat owned by Eugene Fisher. The men are said to have been out for a night's fishing in the pond and were in the act of taking the boat when arrested. They gave bonds to appear for a hearing in the district court today, when they were fined $5 each.

At the meeting of the selectmen Friday evening a petition was received from the property owners and residents of McCarthy street, asking that the sidewalk on that thoroughfare be improved. John Ford of Beaver street appeared before the board and complained that the M., A. & W. Street Railway company were digging on his land on Beaver street without leave or license and destroying the roadway in front of his property. Supt. Daniels was given permission to make telephone connection with certain of the schools in town, and the board adjourned, after approving a number of bills.

"Two Little Vagrants," an interesting and highly successful melodrama, with an interesting story, will be the attraction at the Woonsocket Opera house Saturday matinee and night, August 25th. It is a story of the heart, from the heart and for the heart, illustrated by a complete equipment of beautiful scenery and an excellent cast, which includes Anna Bodden, Lottie Briscoe, Ethelle Earl, Katharine Vincent, Ruth Eldredge, Arthur Cogliser, Del LaBarre, Harry Collins, Hugh Cameron, James Baum, Robert Mullen, and Neva Harrison in the famous character of Fan-Fan. Seats go on sale Thursday, August 23, for matinee and night.

Antonio Simonelli, who it is alleged stole $230 and a gold watch from Louis Malatesta, who keeps a fruit stand at Metcalf block, on the night of Saturday, August 12, was arrested by Officers Powers and Kelliher at Worcester last Saturday evening and the authorities here were notified. Special Officer Connor went to Worcester Sunday and brought Simonelli here. He was locked up until yesterday morning, when he was taken to Walpole for a hearing. Judge Doe held him in $500 bonds to await the action of the September grand jury. When Simonelli was arrested at Worcester he was taken to the police station in a patrol wagon and when the prisoner was searched $3 69 was found upon him, but no watch The officers returned to the patrol wagon and found the watch and chain upon the floor, where Simonelli had evidently dropped them on the way to the station.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Stewart, who have been spending a week at the Northfield conferences, are expected home today. They report it a charming place naturally, and the services have been strong, helpful and largely attended. From 1,500 to 2,500 assemble in the auditorium several hours a day and listen with marked attention to the truths of the Gospel expounded by men of rare ability. It is impossible to begin to appreciate the work of Mr. Moody until one has visited Northfield. Right here, almost within view, are a dozen or more buildings, costing thousands of dollars each, where several hundred young girls receive an education during the year. About four miles away is Mt. Hermon, where there are as many more fine brick buildings, splendidly equipped, where five hundred boys are given a practical education. It is a wonderful work and its influence will be never-ending.

Noyes—Razee.

Frank W. Noyes of Providence and Miss Nellie T. Razee, daughter of Mrs. Sarah T. Razee, were joined in wedlock at the residence of the bride's mother on Central street at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Capen, president of Tufts college, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties, little Miss Hortense Razee, a niece of the bride, acting as ring bearer. Carroll Sargent of Salem and Fred W. Noyes of Franklin, N. H., were the ushers.

The parlors, where the ceremony took place, were tastefully decorated with ferns, flowers and potted plants. Following the marriage service a wedding supper was served from 4.30 to 6, when the bride and groom left for a wedding trip. They were the recipients of many elegant gifts.

The groom is the son of Rev. James Noyes of Franklin, N. H., and his father, mother and brother, Fred S. Noyes, witnessed the marriage. He was formerly a clerk in the store of Marston Sanborn on Main street, and is at present assistant buyer in the cloak department of the Boston Store at Providence. The couple will reside in Providence.

At Hoag Lake Theatre.

Julius Ranney, manager of the theatre at Hoag lake park, promises the patrons first-class entertainment this week. Among the performers will be Gilmore and LaTour, character change artists; Phill and Phill, Dutch comedy musical act; Riley and Hughes, black-face song and dance artists, and Masse and Masse, comedy jugglers. Riley has appeared at the theatre before and is a favorite. This time he is accompanied by a partner.

Antiques in Franklin.

One of the descendants of Abijah Clark of South Franklin has a pair of gum rubber shoes There is no disputing the fact of their being all that is claimed for them. These shoes have to be thoroughly heated before they can be utilized for the feet, but don't they fit, though, when once they are put on? Before removing them from the feet they have to be warmed again. Sometimes in taking them off, if allowed to get too warm, they will stretch a yard. They can be put into all sorts of shapes, round or square, three cornered, hexagon or octagon. There is pure stock enough in this pair of rubbers to make a hundred pairs such as is put upon the market today These rubbers have had several years' wear and remain intact Among this branch of the Clark family is an Indian axe of great antiquity, also snowshoes and all kinds of household and farming utensils.

In the M. M. Daniels home, Washington street, is a clock with wooden works, a very old timepiece, antedating a hundred and fifty years ago Among the Daniels collection are many articles similar in character and construction to those reported in other families.

In the Herman Miller home, Prospect place, are some very old readers and Bibles; also files of the Boston Traveler containing the account of the Walcs-Whiting tragedy in the winter of 1839; also files of the same paper with the account of President Lincoln's assassination in April of 1865

The Peck house, a little farther down, is rich in antiques. A wooden settee, very high straight back and narrow seat, has stood there for nearly a half score of generations A whole column might be devoted to the description of the oldtime goods and chattels of this ancient landmark when we lived under the English sovereigns. Forty years ago there was no value placed upon old furniture or personal effects. The writer has been to auctions where mahogany and walnut bedsteads, chests and bureaus were sold for ten and twenty five cents to be broken up into kindling wood Mr. Alfred Clark, Jr, more than any man in town can tell you about the sale and disposition of these oldtime effects. When the "old folks" died the "young folks" got everything into money to buy new Just think of it! A mahogany or rosewood bureau selling for twenty five or fifty cents to be replaced with a painted pine affair that would all go to pieces in two years at the most if used at all.

The Tower home is especially worthy of note. There is a reclining chair made of bambo which can be extended at will, and was brought from Japan before the ports were opened to the traffic of the world. This is an expensive piece of work and evinces the rare skill in carving the Japanese are noted for. Here are five fiddle back chairs, same in structure (although repainted) as those that were in use before Napoleon was heard of Just think of it! The subjects treated in those papers for the greater part were old furniture before railroads, steamships, telegraphy or sun pictures were conceived of, not to refer to inventions of the past four decades. There should be a hall set apart in this town for the preservation of these antiques and the enlightenment of this and succeeding generations. Who will start it? All of the families the writer has consulted have expressed a willingness to loan, and some to donate, any or all of their specimens for the benefit of the community. These antiques have no place in the present mode of living. Any one caught using a warming pan or foot stove would be sent to Taunton or treated for paresis. This place is where they can be seen. A kindergarten for young and old, for those who shall come after us. It is certainly encouraging to see the interest evidenced upon every hand in regard to this matter. Since the appearance of these letters the writer has been deluged with accounts of antiques somebody's father had or ought to have had. What we want is something to be seen and felt now, and the articles referred to in these letters have all been seen and may be seen by any one who will take the time to see them, as the owners are all accessible and approachable. If any one in the town has a subject not already mentioned in these columns no doubt the SENTINEL will give it honorable mention. As for myself, the tree is dropping more apples than can be judiciously disposed of. This would be all right providing there was not so much of the fruit of the same variety. The tree I planted is getting top-heavy, as most of my friends want to put a graft on; so with one stroke I will cut the tree and the subject.

W. R. RICHARDSON.

Office Closed.

My patrons are requested to note that my dental office will be closed until further notice during my vacation.

DR. M. E. POND.

Eat fish as well as meat. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fishman.

Two chairs at Ochee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser, William Donovan, now in attendance. Short waits.

Sweet peas at Slade's greenhouse.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

Special Features for Workmen.

Mr. Editor:—In these days of common complaint about the conscienceless character of corporations it is very refreshing to come in contact with an evident example of the opposite disposition. Quite recently I had the privilege of visiting the plant of the Sessions Foundry Co. in Bristol, Conn., which is said to be the most complete of its kind. The company makes a large variety of castings, from the smallest piece in a typewriter to the largest used by the Metropolitan water company of Boston. The plant is inclosed by a high picket fence a mile in circumference. Every part of the plant is built upon the latest and most improved plans But what impresses the visitor most of all is the thoughtfulness for the workmen. Labor saving machinery, like huge cranes, run by electricity, railways for carrying the melted iron, pneumatic tubular system for delivering messages to every part of the plant, a most complete and extensive telephone system, private steam call whistles for the managers, superintendents and chief clerks, adding machines, etc, all of which look in the direction of saving the employe. But the following features are more especially interesting: The members of the firm have privately purchased until they possess eighty acres of land about the plant, which are being beautified in various ways. The primary purpose was to prevent any saloon being established near to the works. In place of the saloon two excellent features are introduced. In every part of the works are faucets from which can be drawn fresh spring water requiring no ice to cool it. Then, also, two milkmen are privileged to go to any part of the works and deliver milk in glass cans to the men who wish to purchase. A magnificent substitute for beer! Again, the grounds are kept in a cleanly condition, a number of acres about the plant being a lawn, which is mowed constantly with the lawn mower. Each year on this pretty place surrounding the works the firm gives a picnic to the workmen and their friends. A band is provided and luncheon served, all the expense of which is borne by the corporation.

Another helpful feature is the medical department. One of the clerks has taken instructions in simple surgery. He has a case of instruments and supplies, and the moment a man is injured he is attended to until more skillful aid can be rendered. No life has ever been lost in this foundry, although many have suffered injury. A final feature which I would mention is the fine lavatory, fitted out with washbowls, bathtubs, lockers and all the necessary articles for a first-class bath. Necessarily the foundry work is not cleanly and the men come to the close of the day with blackened hands and faces. To have the privilege of a bathroom wash is almost a luxury in such a place. As Mr. Sessions said to me, "A man, if he will, can greet his wife and children with clean hands and face."

Such a movement in the commercial life of today is in the direction of true social development of the race and of the true relations between capital and labor. Permit me to say that this is largely the result of the Christian spirit. Mr. Sessions died about a year ago, a Christian man. His two sons are also Christians. A few years ago the father built a new church edifice; one of the sons placed in it a fine organ and the other furnished the church throughout, the whole costing $75,000. The Methodist denomination has thus the finest church building in the town. Men of this character are of inexpressible value to the business world, to the race and to the kingdom of God.

I. W. S.

Braved Their Smiles.

Franklin men are slow to adopt the latest fad, the female shirt waist, but by all accounts it is bound to come, and next year will see many of them adorning manly as well as womanly forms. Indeed, a drummer at the station here the other day sported a creation which for femininity surpassed anything ever beheld in town. It was a scorching hot day, yet he looked as cool and comfortable as you may imagine, and he wore his new acquisition with as little unconcern as if it had been a part of man's apparel for all time. While he must have felt that he was the cynosure for all eyes, he yet appeared to have the courage of his convictions and looked as one who might say, "I am going to keep cool if it is a possible thing, and so long as I do not offend modesty I see no reason why I should not adopt this new style of garment." Dealers insist that it has come to stay, and though it may meet with opposition for a time, as it did when the ladies first adopted it, yet it commended itself to their good judgment and was universally adopted, and will probably never drop into innocuous desuetude.

Cut flowers, all kinds of funeral designs well made up at Slade's greenhouse. Roses in small or large quantities.

Injured in a Runaway.

Burley Smith of Hardyville drives into town every week day morning and afternoon, conveying Mrs. Smith, who is employed in the American Woolen mill, to and from their home in that village

Friday afternoon he came to town in his team as usual and as he was driving along Central street, near the High school, at 5.30, the horse became frightened, and Mr. Smith, losing control, the animal started down Central street, towards Union, at a mad pace.

Mr. Smith held on to the reins and was doing his best to check the horse's flight, when Union street was reached. Here the animal turned to the left, made a circle and the buggy was completely overturned, with Mr Smith under it, the horse freeing itself and dashing on toward the Franklin House, where it was caught by Duncan Ford.

Mr. Smith was immediately extricated from beneath the wrecked buggy and taken into the office of the Franklin House. Dr. Randall was summoned and found that Mr. Smith's nose had been broken, besides receiving two severe gashes in the forehead and being bruised and cut in the face. He was not apparently injured internally, and after Dr. Randall dressed his wounds he was driven home, accompanied by Mrs. Smith, who had been acquainted of the accident soon after the occurrence. The buggy was wrecked completely

Base Ball Games on Saturday.

The Victors, formerly known as the Heliotype nine, were defeated by the North Bellingham team, 9 to 4, on the latter's grounds Saturday afternoon.

Our Boys defeated the Unions of Medway on the latter's grounds Saturday, the score standing 18 to 8 in the Franklin team's favor The batteries were Fiske and Boucher for Our Boys and Malloy and Phillips for the Unions. This made a record of eight victories and no defeats for Our Boys

The recently organized Ray base ball team and the Hayward nine played at Indian Rock park Saturday afternoon and the Ray team won out, 16 to 11. The features of the game were the battery work of Kane and McKenna, the playing of Savage, Bourbean and Cook and the batting of McKenna, Cook and [illegible] for the Rays, and the all-round playing of Davis and batting of D. Chilson and Dion for the Haywards The batteries were Kane and McKena for the Rays and Chilson and Dion for the Haywards

A Sharp Trick.

The railroad companies are giving considerable attention to a clever piece of swindling which is being practiced in towns which have electric car communication. It is the practice of these swindlers to take their baggage to the depot and get it checked, showing a mileage ticket to the baggage agent in proof of their claim to be a prospective passenger on a certain train, but in reality having no intention to travel on a steam road.

They patronize the electric cars and give them their money while making the steam cars carry their luggage. It is understood that in some cases a mileage ticket has been especially borrowed for the purpose and returned to the owner with no coupon detached. Future efforts of this nature may cause trouble for those attempting it.

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S. L. POWERS is probably as well and favorably known as any lawyer in Massachusetts. He has the hearty indorsement of his neighbors and of his whole county. His public and private life are open books. Mr. Powers will insist on a dignified campaign, as he has from the beginning.

We do not think that senatorial experience has ever been considered as a very necessary prerequisite for the turning out of a good congressman. Without going very far back in the political history of Massachusetts we think it will readily be seen that many of our best men who attained highest public office were bereft of that senatorial education which the friends of Mr. Williams hold to be so valuable.

Take our men in congress today. We do not remember that Moody, Lavering or Greene ever served even in the lower branch of the state legislature. Weymouth, Knox, McCall and Gillette certainly never reached the state senate. We are talking of Republican congressmen. Yet those men, without that senatorial experience, have made pretty good representatives of the old bay state. Gen Draper went to congress and became ambassador to Italy without ever being a member of the great and general court. Senator Lodge served only in the lower branch of the state legislature, and Senator Hoar attained eminence without any state legislative training. Even to attain so high a position of honor and trust as the governorship of the state does not seem to have demanded that legislative training. Gov. Wolcott served in the lower branch, never in the senate; Gov. Greenhalge did likewise; Gov. Russell, as the present incumbent, was never a member of the general court.

The "locality" argument is a most strong one. It obtains in national, state and city politics. To say that it should not be taken into account in this instance or in any other would argue a very slight knowledge of political institutions and traditions in this state.

Two miles from Stuart, Va., on the farm of J. W. Robertson, stands the famous Robertson tree, the parent of all apple trees of that name in the United States. It bears a large, red apple which keeps well, and it has produced at one bearing 85 bushels; is about 80 years old and is still bearing.

Twin boys born in New York on the day the great new tunnel was started have been named Robert Rapid Transit and William Rapid Transit. The run on living war heroes has subsided.

An exchange informs us that an attempt to evade the payment of one cent toll on the Berks and Dauphin turnpike has just cost a rich Pennsylvania cattle dealer ten dollars.

Growing flowers for the Easter market is not a sure business, even with the best florists, says a city florist. A very small miscalculation will result either in forcing the flowers too soon or in delaying their blooming until the Easter demand is over. In either event the flowers are a heavy loss.

It is reported that Rev. J. S. Bitter, a Methodist clergyman, of Missouri is organizing a company to develop gold mining claims at Cripple Creek, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to a fund for evangelistic work in large cities.

The genuine maple sugar makers are organizing exchanges for self-protection. To these they send their sirup and sugar, for grading, weighing and stamping thus guaranteeing the genuineness of the product.

The Omaha man who spent 115 days in jail rather than tell a lie was doubtless trying to run his affairs as George Washington would. But at that rate he will have a hard time doing any business.

Fine legal points come up in Connecticut. It has just been held in that state that asking for a chew of tobacco is not begging under the law.

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BEAUTIFUL FIGURES.

How a Woman May Acquire and Retain Symmetrical Development.

A beautiful figure is the most precious gift, after perfect health, that any woman can possess. It is of far more value than a pretty face. It lasts much longer, and it does not betray the years, as must eventually even the most perfect features and the most lovely skin. With a perfect form, smartly gowned and well set up, a woman cannot fail to look charming.

There are three classes of women from an artistic standpoint, who may lay claim to beauty of form. In the first class belong all the daughters of Juno. They are great, tall, magnificent looking creatures, whom some men describe as "full bodied" women. In the second class are the daughters of Venus. These women usually give the impression of ideality. They are always well-developed, graceful and generally good to look at. In the third class are gathered the children of Psyche. Under this class come the women and maidens usually described as having fragile, girlish looking figures. Of the three classes, some admire one and some another, but very beautiful women are found in all three.

A woman who desires to make the very most of herself should study her own figure. She should find out its good points, its better points, its bad points and its very bad points.

She should then take it in hand, and by means of exercise, diet, gymnastics, a good tailor and a first-class corset maker, set herself up to the best possible advantage.

A woman can really do more with her figure than she can with her face.

If inclined to be too stout she should rigorously abstain from everything that encourages embonpoint, such as late hours, over indulgence at table and leading in general a lazy, indolent existence.

If she has not the courage to make these sacrifices she must say good-by to beauty of form. She will then join the overflowing ranks of women who, when they have passed the age of 30, make no further pretensions to beauty of figure.

If, on the contrary, her trouble be an unsightly leanness of body and limb, which makes it impossible for her ever to appear in either becoming evening gown or smart tailor frock, she should, with the aid of both diet and gymnasium, set about developing her form to the utmost. It is her duty to cover, with soft, firm curving flesh, the harsh outline of her angles. Some thin women think it useless to try to put on a little flesh. They say, hopelessly: "Oh, it's not my nature to be fat." They appear never to have learned that it is of the very nature of a human being to possess a healthy, well-developed body.

When they lack this gift of nature, their birthright, there is something wrong somewhere. They should find out what it is, and remedy it.—N. Y. Herald.

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FUNERAL ODDITIES.

David Garrick's widow carefully preserved all her wedding garments in order that they might serve as a shroud, and was buried in them.

A court milliner of Queen Victoria who died some years ago left strict injunctions that her body should be entirely wrapped in point lace, and her shroud cost several thousand dollars.

Margaret Coosins, who was buried in Kent, England, ordered her body to be attired in scarlet satin and placed in a mahogany coffin, lined with green silk, with a glass over the entire casket, which she directed should be set up on end beside a tall clock in the parlor of her residence during the funeral.

Sir Charles Hastings, the famous Indian soldier, ordered that after his death his body should be wrapped in anything that would hold it together, buried in an open filed and the soil around planted with acorns so that he might render a last service to his country by nourishing a good English oak.

Lord Cameltord, a famous duelist of the last century in England, directed that his body should be taken to Lake St. Lampierre, where there were trees under which he had spent many years in contemplation of the sublime scenery that surrounded him. He requested that the middle tree should be taken up until his body was deposited under it, when it should be replanted—all of which was done.

A Maj. Hook, of the East India company service in London, was entitled by the will of a relative to an annuity of £400 a year until his wife was buried. To fulfill the terms of this important document after her death he caused her body to be embalmed, sealed up in a glass case and placed in the upper chamber of his house, where it remained for 30 years, but no person was ever permitted to enter the room where it lay.—W. E. Curtis, in Chicago Record.

RECENT INVENTIONS.

An automatically-closing cap for oil cups has been designed of tubular shape and provided with a slot in one side, the cup having a groove cut near the top, in which a coiled spring is set to turn the cap, the oil can be inserted in the slot and the cap revolved to open the cup.

Fruit can be picked and automatically discharged into a barrel without bruising by a Canadian's patent picker, which has a cloth funnel suspended on the end of a rake, which is used to pull the fruit into the funnel, with a tube provied with a pad at the lower end, against which the fruit strikes.

A combined bicycle and rowing machine has been designed, having a seat and foot braces on top of the cycle frame, with handled levers pivoted on extension frames and connected by a strap running over a pulley to the rear hub, to propel the wheel as the levers are pulled on by the rider.

There has been designed a rotary blacking brush which can be held in one hand to black the shoes without moving the arm, the handle consisting of two pivoted members, on one of which is mounted a revolving shaft carrying the brush, while the other has a toothed head to revolve the brush as the handles are gripped together.

SCIENCE NOTES.

White opossums are occasionally caught in Ohio county, Ind.

A free medical dispensary has been opened in Chinatown, San Francisco. Consul General Ho Yow gave $1,500 to defray the initial expense.

Two homing pigeons flew from Pensacola, Fla., to Fall River, Mass., 1,182 miles, between July 24 and August 8, 1892. This is the longest flight on record.

Incandescent electric lamps have been employed in the laboratory as a source of heat involving the boiling or distilling of volatile inflammable liquids.

Mr. Raphael Bischoffsheim has made over the freehold of the Nice observatory which he founded, together with $500,000 to be devoted to the maintenance of the establishment. The total value of the gift is considered to be worth $1,000,000 and the continuance of the work is assured by this munificent gift.

The Royal Geographical society has awarded the "Wollaston medal" to Grove K. Gilbert, geologist of the United States geological survey. The medal was received in behalf of Mr. Gilbert by Henry White, Esq., secretary of the United States embassy. This makes the third time that the honor has gone to an American.

INDUSTRIAL INFORMATION.

As is well known glycerin is a byproduct of soap and candle factories, and something like 40,000 tons of this commodity are made yearly.

The present output of the United States is larger than that of the United Kingdom, and coal can be bought in America at the pit mouth at $1.18 a ton, as against $1.36 paid in Great Britain.

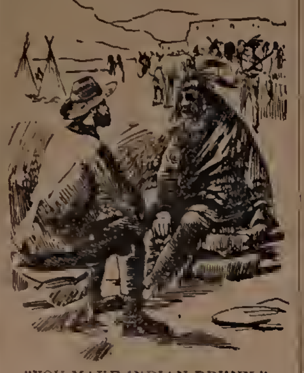
An acetylene town lighting plant has been installed at Hawes, Yorkshire, England. It was built on a capital of [illegible]. There are two generators, in which the gas is washed by passage through the water. The holder has a capacity of 1[illegible] cubic feet. About a mile of the mains have thus far been laid.

In Paris it has been customary for cyclists to go to the nearest restaurant and to inflate their tires with the help of the carbonic acid apparatus which is used to give a head to the beer but it is found that a pneumatic tire, inflated with carbonic gas soon loses its resiliency and the gas escapes with remarkable rapidity.

A WISE CHIEF.

Inflicts Summary Punishment on a Man Who Was Peddling Whisky to the Indians.

A correspondent of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat tells a good story of Chief Jonas Wolf, a famous Indian chieftain of the Chickasaw tribe. Chief Jonas was regarded by President Lincoln as the ablest Indian he had ever seen. Fully realizing that whisky was a dangerous enemy to the peace and prosperity of his people, Chief Jonas was a bitter foe to the whisky peddler, and he was always severe in enforcing the laws made to keep all intoxicating liquors out of the territory. In many instances he did not wait for the law's slow delay, as offenders frequently discovered to their sorrow.



"YOU MAKE INDIAN DRUNK."

Some years ago he encountered a well known whisky vender whom he had punished severely and ordered out of the territory several times. Chief Jonas searched the suspicious character's outfit and found that the venturesome old reprobate was well supplied with numerous packages of shotgun whisky. "Through the aid of this poison you have come here to rob my people," said the enraged old governor. "You make Indian drunk and take his horses and wagon and his clothes. Now, I goin' to make this stuff do to you same as you do to Indian." Without further words he made the offender take off the last stitch of his clothing, and while the trembling wretch stood shivering, the chief emptied all the whisky on the man's raiment and touched a match to it. "Whisky make Indian naked. This time he make peddler naked. Now you go. Catch you one time more, you die. Sabe?" Rude as this proceeding was, it cannot be denied that it had a real justice in it, though hardly of the poetic sort.

TEMPERANCE TIDINGS.

The pulse of every habitual user of tobacco, declares Dr. W. H. Riley, will show irregularities in the heart's action.

Smoking in the evening produces wakefulness, as the nicotine acts as a cerebral irritant, and interferes with the vasomotor centers.

Northern Europe contains the following estimated number of total abstainers: Sweden, 260,000; Norway, 200,000; Denmark, 100,000, and Finland, 20,000; an aggregate of 580,000 adherents.

Mr. Malins, the head of the Good Templar order, has completed his temperance tour round the world in 44 weeks, during which he has traveled 40,000 miles and sailed on 26 different steamships.

The little town of Macy, Ind., is in a state of excitement because a man named Andrew Oliver has secured a license to open a saloon there. For 30 years the place has been without a saloon, though hundreds of attempts have been made to start such places. Recently Oliver advertised in the usual way, but put his notice in a paper published 60 miles away in the most remote part of the county. It escaped the observation of Macy people and the county commissioners, finding no opposition, granted his application.

His Conscience.

"He says that he always acts according to the dictates of his conscience."

"You probably misunderstood him. He doubtless said 'Constance.'"

"Constance!"

"Yes. That's his wife's name."—Chicago Post.

A Minister's Good Work.

"I had a severe attack of bilious colic, got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy, took two doses and was entirely cured," says Rev A. A. Power, of Emporia, Kan. "My neighbor across the street was sick for over a week, had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He used them for three or four days without relief, then called in another doctor who treated him for some days and gave him no relief, so discharged him. I went over to see him the next morning. He said his bowels were in a terrible fix, that they had been running off so long that it was almost bloody flux. I asked him if he had tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy; he said, 'No.' I went home and brought him my bottle and gave him one dose; told him to take another dose in fifteen or twenty minutes if he did not find any relief, but he took no more and was entirely cured. I think it the best medicine I have ever tried." For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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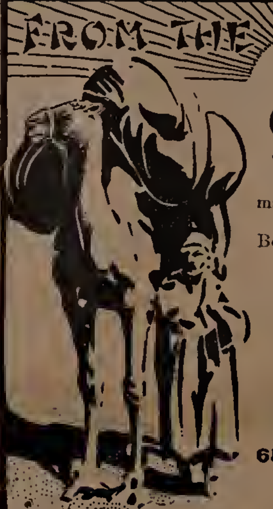

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The reason for the obstinacy of Leo XIII. and his predecessor, Pius IX., in accepting this salary lies in the fact that the holy fathers would by such an act acknowledge the sovereignty of another over that portion of Italy where the popes have heretofore reigned supreme. This money is apparently not needed. Pius IX. enriched the papal coffers with a legacy of $10,000,000, and it is said that Leo has undoubtedly doubled this capital. The papal chair has absolutely no liabilities.—N. Y. Herald.

Praying Material Scarce.

A young attorney in Mississippi was defending a farmer who was charged with murder and was endeavoring to implicate a state's witness named Smith. He secured a witness who swore that he would not believe Witness Smith on oath. On cross-examination by the prosecuting attorney the witness was asked the following questions:

"Is Smith a neighbor of yours?"

"Yes, sir."

"Does he not lead your prayer meetings every Wednesday night?"

"Yes, sir."

"Will you, then, please explain to the jury why you selected Smith out of all the men in your district to lead your meetings?"

"Well," explained the witness, "praying material is so scarce in our neighborhood we have to take most anyone we can get."—Memphis Scimitar.

Primitive But Straightforward.

"I don't believe," said the young man, "that any man ever courted a woman without telling her lies."

"There was such courtship once," said the middle-aged man.

"When you were young?"

"Huh! I'm young yet. I mean, back in the early days of the race. In those days, you know, when a man loved a woman, he sneaked up and knocked her out with a club and took her to his lonely home, and they lived happily ever after."—Indianapolis Press.

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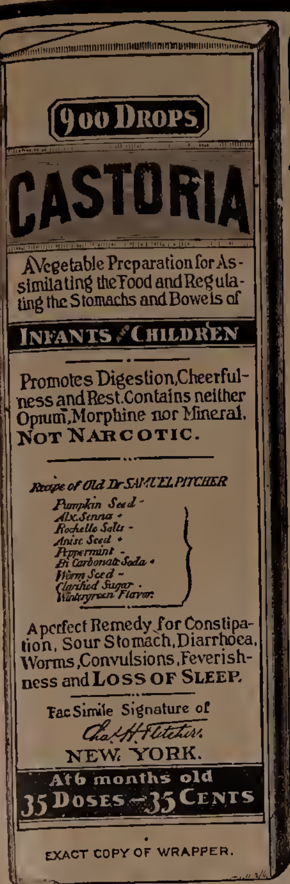
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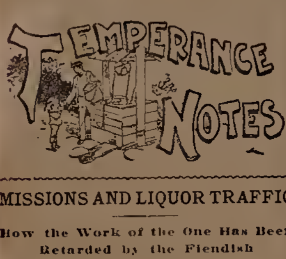

MISSIONS AND LIQUOR TRAFFIC

How the Work of the One Has Been Retarded by the Fiendish Work of the Other.

The drink evil which has in Christian lands grown up in spite and defiance of the ministrations of the Gospel, and beneath the full light of Scripture truth, and has become the greatest curse of these lands, and the greatest hindrance to the work of the church, is found to be as great a curse in heathen lands and the greatest barrier to the success of the Gospel among the heathen, and for this, strange as it may appear, those nations that seek to Christianize the heathen are largely responsible for the introduction and perpetuation of the drink evil. What are the facts?

Strange as it may seem, the Brahminical, Buddhist and Mohammedan religions, considered as pagan and false religions, absolutely prohibit the manufacture, sale and use of intoxicating drinks, the curse of nations and religions; while by nations claiming to possess the pure and true religion, this curse is legalized and perpetuated, and in some instances forced upon the native races in heathen lands. Strange as it may seem, while the people of pagan nations are renowned for their sobriety, the people of Christian nations are notorious for their drunkenness, and wherever Christian nations have sought by commerce and missions to civilize and Christianize peoples the drink evil has been introduced and proved a curse. In the judgment of those conversant with African affairs, the drink traffic has proved a deadlier evil than the slave trade to the people of that country. Rev. James Johnson, the native pastor of the island of Lagos, who was sent by the Christians of that place to plead their cause before the English parliament in 1887, closed his testimony before a commission of the house of commons with these words:

"The slave trade has been to Africa a great evil, but the evils of the rum trade were far worse. He would rather his countrymen were in slavery and being worked hard, and kept away from the drink, than that the drink should be let loose upon them."

Even the New York Tribune was moved a few years ago to say editorially: "Think of the monstrous hypocrisy of so-called Christian nations, vaunting themselves on their enlightened civilization, pretending a desire that the Gospel should be carried to all peoples and then invading the dark continent armed with the rum bottle, and in cold blood debauching and ruining its people. On the one hand are the missionaries, on the other hand is the rum of Christendom. Free rum against a free people."

The superintendent of Lutheran missions in West Africa wrote a few years ago: "The vilest liquors imaginable are being poured into Africa in shiploads from every quarter of the civilized world. On one small vessel, in which myself and wife were the only passengers, there were in the hold over 100,000 gallons of New England rum, which sold on the coast for one dollar a gallon in exchange for palm oil, rubber, camwood and other products common to the country. I have seen landed from one steamer at a single port, 10,000 cases of gin, each containing 12 three-pint bottles."

Recently an African missionary wrote:

"Dear friends, we have a very mixed cargo—four missionaries, 20,000 hundred weight of gunpowder, and barrels and casks of gin without number. Our ship's surgeon, a very wicked man, said to me, pointing derisively to the gin and rum that were being unloaded at every point along the African coast: 'There are the Bibles and hymn books Christian America is sending over to civilize heathen Africa.'"

At a meeting in London a few years ago Baboo Chunder Sin said: "What was India 30 or 40 years ago, and what is she to-day? The whole atmosphere of India seems to be rending with the cries of helpless widows and orphans, who often go the length of cursing the British government for having introduced intoxicating drink."

At the Parliament of Religions at Chicago, Narasima Charya, a Brahmin of Madras, said with an outburst of feeling: "Our friends of the Brahmo-Somaj have been picturing to you Christianity standing with a Bible in one hand and the wizard's wand of civilization in the other; but there is another side, and that is the goddess of civilization with a bottle of rum in her hand. I know of a hundred people in my native land who are addicted to the drink habit. Of course we have ourselves to blame; but remember that to ape the conqueror, is one of the vices of the conquered, and that the fashionable habit of drinking is borrowed by the Hindus from the English. Oh, that the English had never set foot in India! Oh, that we had never seen a single European face! Oh, that we had never tasted the bitter sweets of your civilization, rather than it should make us a nation of drunkards and brutes!"

As a result of the introduction of intoxicating drinks into these countries by Christian nations, the heathen are prejudiced against the Gospel and its missionaries. They see the same nations that send the Gospel of peace or the waters of life to the children of darkness, send also the spirit of evil or fire water, and, in too many cases, the same vessels that carry missionaries of light in the cabin carry casks and barrels of darkness in the hold.

True, they who send out missionaries are a different class from those who send out rum, but in the minds of the heathen it is all the same. The only opportunity they have of judging the people of Christian countries is when sailors and travelers land in their midst, and traders do business with them. They say, these are American Christians or English Christians, and see what their religion does. Hence, when missionaries from Christian lands go among the heathen to propagate the Gospel, not infrequently they are accosted thus: "Why do you come here? Why do you not try to teach and reform your countrymen? Would you have us adopt such a religion as yours, to abandon the systems of our fathers, to become drunkards and blasphemers? You tell us if we remain heathen we shall certainly perish, but it is better that we should suffer than embrace a religion like yours."—James B. Dunn, D. D., in Union Signal.

An Admiring Wife.

Kippax—And who is your favorite author, Mrs. Softly?

Mrs. Softly—My husband.

Kippax—Pardon me! I did not know that he wrote.

Mrs. Softly—Oh, but he does; and so nicely—cheques!—Brooklyn Life.

A Hard Case.

"I think," said the friend of the family, "that you ought to keep a watch on your son."

"Imposisble," declared the disgusted father. "He'd exchange it for a pawn ticket the first chance he got."—Philadelphia Press.

HE IS LEGALLY DEAD

Estate of Missing Man Administered and Insurance Paid.

Absent Sixteen Years, Is Given Up for Dead and Wife Marries Again—Modern Enoch Arden Case at Gloucester, Mass.

A romance in real life, similar to that of Enoch Arden, but with more complications, has come to light in Gloucester, Mass. News of a former resident, who has not been heard from for 16 years, and who was supposed to be dead, his estate having been administered upon and his former wife having remarried, have been received. Howard A. Saville, of Little Rock, Ark., a descendant of a well-known Gloucester family, is the party in interest, and his identity and location have been discovered as the result of an advertisement inserted in a St. Louis paper, asking for information concerning him, which was wanted to settle an estate in probate. By mere accident the paper fell into his hands and a correspondence ensued, resulting in his attorney visiting this city and bringing the news of his continued existence.

After going west Mr. Saville concluded to make a new start in life, cutting away from all former associations. He settled in Arkansas, where he again began life and in time rose to considerable local prominence, being at one time postmaster of Simpson, a town in Bradley county, Ark. Not hearing from her husband for some ten years, and a report coming to Gloucester that he had died in a hospital while undergoing a surgical operation, Mrs. Saville made a claim upon a life insurance company for the amount of a policy upon his life, which, after investigation, was paid by the company, and his estate passed through the probate court for settlement.

A few years later, having no further news of her husband, she again married, while Mr. Saville also took to himself a wife in his new western home. No children have resulted from either of these marriages, but Mr. and Mrs. Saville were the parents of three sons and a daughter, the eldest of whom is Prof. Marshall Saville, the well-known archaeologist, who has returned to New York, having spent the winter in Mexico, where he made important observations and discoveries relating to the Aztecs.

MORE SCHOOLS FOR EMPLOYES

The Educational Plan to Be Extended to the Factories of Chicago.

The plan of having schools established in the large stores downtown for the benefit of the younger employes, as urged by W. Lester Bodine, superintendent of compulsory education, Chicago, will be pushed still further. Members of the board of education believe that the plan can be utilized for the education of employes of factories who are unable to attend day school and are too tired to attend night schools. Vice President Thomas Gallagher, of the board, is an earnest advocate of the method.

Superintendent Bodine is now arranging with several of the large factories to follow the example of "The Fair," Marshall Field and Siegel, Cooper & Co. in starting schools. The difficulty of placing schools in factories is, however, greater than in stores.

After the schools in the different stores have been firmly established it is expected that prizes will be offered by the board of education for those who do their work the best.

A Surprised Wife.

"Now, Percy, darling, where is the surprise you promised you would have for me when I had finished the course of cooking lessons?"

"Oh, yes—why—I discharged the cook!"—N. Y. World.

Not Equal to the Situation.

Professor (feelingly)—When I first began teaching music the wolf was often at my door.

Listener (unfeelingly) — Gracious! Why didn't you pound the piano then as you do now?—Indianapolis Journal.

Retort Courteous.

He—Girls are queer creatures—they marry the first fool man that ask them. I suppose you would do the same, wouldn't you?

She—Ask me and see.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Labels for Poor Children.

The children of the poor in Japan are nearly always labeled in case they should stray from their homes while their mothers are engaged in domestic duties.

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Prof. Francis Gotch describes the electric fish of the Nile, of which the Egyptians made pictures thousands of years ago, and which still inhabits the waters of that river, as being provided with an electrical organ that incloses the whole body. It is situated in the skin, and when viewed with a microscope, is seen to be composed of about 2,000,000 beautifully formed little disks, superposed upon connected rows of minute compartments in which are the terminals of nerves. The shock is produced by an intense current which traverses the entire organ from the head to the tail of the fish, returning through the surroundings. It stuns small fish in the neighborhood. Prof. Gotch likens its action to that of a self-loading and self-discharging gun. The electromotive force of the organ in a fish only eight inches long can, he asserts, attain the surprising maximum of 200 volts. A single giant nerve-cell at the head of the spinal column is the source of the impulses which discharge the organ.

The Cheapening Telegraph.

The increase in the use of the telegraph for business purposes has been accompanied by a steady reduction in the cost of messages. When the first Atlantic cable was laid the price of a 20-word message between London and New York was $100, of five dollars per word. Now the commercial rate between the two cities is 25 cents per word. To telegraph ten words from Chicago to New York in 1866 cost $2.05. Now it costs 40 cents. Telegraphing to distant parts of the world is still an expensive business. The rate per word for a message from San Francisco to Auckland, for example, is $2.87. From New York to Manila the rate is $2.45. The charge is not always in ratio to the distance. The rate from New York to South American or West Indian ports is nearly two dollars per word, but in reaching these points the messages travel twice across the Atlantic.—Ainslee's Magazine.

Wretched Incubator Babies.

The incubator babies are great trials to the nurses who have them in charge, says the New York Times. They are often healthy little creatures, and, except that they are small, look to the outside everything that a properly constructed baby should be, but they are not to be depended upon. They will be perfectly well one minute and the next they have stepped off into eternity so quietly that no one has known it, and apparently for no reason at all. Why they don't die from very disgust at life, immediately, the novice in baby tending wonders, after once seeing them fed. They are fed directly into the stomach by means of rubber tubes, which are slipped down their unprotesting little throats. They do not even have the pleasure of tasting the insipid diet given them, to say nothing of the discomfort of swallowing a quarter of a yard or so of tubing.

An Expression of Sympathy.

"Did you found the town that they named after you?" was asked of the western man who had been bragging of the honor.

"Well, no," he slowly replied. "No; I wasn't the first settler."

"Presented it with public parks, perhaps?"

"Oh, no; there were parks enough. I didn't have to do anything at all. The vigilance committee hung my brother-in-law for horse stealing and then turned around and named the town after me to express their sympathy in my hour of bereavement."—Washington Post.

A Page from Macbeth.

"Talk about murdering sleep!"

Macbeth had been wooing the drowsy god for five hours.

"Talk about murdering sleep! A guilty conscience is a dollar's worth of morphine compared to those cats."

And he threw a coat of mail and a pair of sheet-steel boots at the feline congress across the moat.—Baltimore American.

Her Object.

Mrs. Von Blumer—I am getting so I care less and less for people in the aggregate. That afternoon tea was a great bore.

Mr. Von Blumer—What did you go, then, for?

"I wanted to see who was there."—Harper's Bazar.

Olfactory Evidence.

Mrs. Jones—Oliver Cromwell Jones, you have—

Mr. Jones—My (hic) dear—I—

"Don't you dare deny it! You've been telling people what baby said again. I can smell it on your breath way here."—Judge.

Disturbed by Glamour.

"What is the honeymoon, pa?"

"Well, the honeymoon is the only period in a man's life during which he considers it funny to come home and find that his dear little wife hasn't dinner ready on time."—Detroit Free Press.

Easy.

Distracted Husband—How can I get even with my wife for her endless piano playing?

Experienced Friend—Take piano lessons yourself.—N. Y. World.

A Wedding on the Cards.

"My queen!" fondly exclaimed the infatuated youth.

"My Jack," softly responded the blushing maiden.—Collier's Weekly.

Wisdom.

Wisdom is one of the things that don't come to the man who sits down and waits.—Chicago Daily News.

The Yelling Youngster.

When a baby cries it never sheds sufficient tears to drown the noise.—Chicago Daily News.

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The answer to that old query, "What's in a name?" was not hard to define in the case of one justly celebrated Family Remedy that had its origin away down in Maine, which proves that with age comes wisdom about

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BATTLE WITH HAWKS.

Two Men Are Painfully Injured While Taking Eggs from a Tall Tree.

Poll Woll Young and John Hauptby had a thrilling escape from death while robbing a chicken hawk's nest. They had been trout fishing at Black creek and while on their way home saw the hawk's nest in the top of a tall pine tree. Hauptby armed himself with a club and climbed to the nest.

Just as he was about to take the eggs he was attacked by six hawks. They struck him in the face with their beaks and beat him with their wings. Hauptby defended himself until he weakened and then when the birds made a fresh attack on him he fell, lodging in the lower branches of the tree.

Woll Young went to his companion's assistance and then climbed up to the nest, only to receive the same treatment as Hauptby. Both are full-grown men, but they were so cut and bruised about the face, eyes, hands and neck that they dragged themselves home with extreme difficulty.

RAILS FOR RUSSIA.

The Biggest Single Shipment Ever Made Sent Out of Baltimore.

The steamship Samoa, which has sailed from Baltimore for Vladivostock, Russia, carried the largest shipment of steel rails ever sent to a foreign country. It amounted to 8,640 tons. The rails were invoiced at $21 a ton. A new steel industrial, which combines all the plants in the branch of the steel industry foreign to the existing combinations, is being organized at Canton, O. It is to be known as the American Sheet Metal company, and is to have a capital of $50,000,000. The combination includes 29 of the 32 plants in the country which manufacture corrugated iron and cornices of buildings.

Justly Indignant.

A man with Canadian wool trousers and a peaked fur cap as the most prominent articles of his attire came into the Biddeford post office the other day and stepped up to the window. Said he with a bland smile:

"P'rap you don' have nottin's here for Joseph Mefrau, hey?"

"I donno," said the clerk. "What do you say your name is?"

"Joseph Mefrau."

"Mee-frow, Mee-frow—how do you spell it?"

The Canadian at the window looked through the bars at the clerk, and then with a disgust that I cannot put in words, he cried:

"Ba darm, yo' donno how spell Joseph Mefrau, yo' batter sal ont dia plac' and go fin' some nodder bus'ness."—N. Y. Sun.

"Hunger is the Best Sauce,"

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Ethel—Is the new clergyman good looking, Edith?

Edith—Good looking! Oh, Ethel, he has eyelashes a yard long!—Indianapolis Journal.

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In 16[illegible] a tulip bulb was sold in Holland for $[illegible]. It weighed [illegible] grains. The most expensive [illegible] in the world is that of France, which [illegible]. The Italian pa[illegible] costs $[illegible] a year.

The most expensive [illegible] hall in [illegible] the largest in the [illegible] is the city [illegible]. The biggest clock in the w[illegible] tower.

The most costly book in the world is [illegible] to be a Hebrew Bible now [illegible]. In [illegible] it is said that [illegible] refused [illegible] the book [illegible] which would [illegible] great [illegible] a book.

[illegible] of modern [illegible] Yor[illegible] "The [illegible]'s Fried[illegible] the [illegible] Art.

[illegible] N. Y. [illegible] hundred [illegible] expended [illegible] Wash[illegible] in [illegible] rs.

[illegible] the world was [illegible] trotter [illegible] age of [illegible] Stanford [illegible] That beats [illegible] of the [illegible] great [illegible] New Y[illegible].

WHAT SCIENCE IS DOING.

[illegible] of cornstalks hav[illegible] to wa[illegible] a[illegible].

A new [illegible] the [illegible] nal. [illegible] Dr. [illegible] It [illegible] of a few [illegible] com[illegible] death may [illegible] properties [illegible] spoken of [illegible] highly [illegible] who have used it.

Portugal was very [illegible] to scien[illegible] the [illegible] recent eclipse. The [illegible] employes were ordered to give astronomers every facility for the entry of their baggage, their instruments being admitted free on the presentation of a certificate from an astronomical observatory, countersigned by a Portuguese consular agent.

Rubber culture was first scientifically undertaken at the botanical gardens at Peradeniya in 187[illegible], by Dr. Trimen, and in 1897 Ceylon boasted of 25,[illegible] trees of the Brazilian variety which yielded an amount of one pound and a half per tree, 50 trees being planted to the acre. It is fortunate for Brazil that very little of the east possesses the soil, climate and conditions necessary for such competition.

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How One Fox Helped Another.

Joseph Mayhan, a farmer who lives near [illegible] of here, says the Cincinnati [illegible], trapped a large red fox [illegible] caught [illegible] it in his corncrib until he could notify his neighbors [illegible] chase. The next morning the fox was gone [illegible] proved that its mate had assisted the prisoner in making its escape. The fox [illegible] worked away at the inside until it had loosened a board loose from its fastenings. This, however, was not sufficient to permit it to get out unless the board was lifted up. The board was held up from the outside, as the teeth marks on it show, until the prisoner crawled to liberty. Tracks of another fox were seen, and there is no doubt that the [illegible] after the fox [illegible] had escaped the board [illegible] held up. This is one of the [illegible] fox tricks that [illegible] hunters in the [illegible] have yet encountered.

A Wonderful Cave.

Some persons who have just returned from the [illegible] Huasteca Potosina [illegible] were [illegible] of a very [illegible] cave [illegible] country [illegible] decorated inside in a very [illegible] manner [illegible] evidently the temple of an [illegible] god. In fact, there is now [illegible] cave a huge stone image of [illegible]. From [illegible] it [illegible] still [illegible] worship of the [illegible]. It is thought that [illegible] may have [illegible] for many years in the same place [illegible] the natives, who [illegible] carry on their worship openly [illegible] the cave and there [illegible] for [illegible] and more elaborate temple the facilities afforded. —Mexican Herald.

Upsetting Arithmetical Tradition.

Jack—How did you come out on that bulldog pup you bought?

Dick—Lost over a hundred per cent. on the transaction.

"Oh, I guess not. A hundred per cent. is all you can possibly lose."

"Think so, do you? Well, I paid ten dollars for the pup, and then I had to give a boy a dollar to take him out and drown him. If that isn't a hundred and ten per cent. loss, I'd like to know what you call it."—N. Y. Sun.

In Russia.

A tourist gives the following as an example of the rigid formality with which the officials in some parts of Russia act:

Russian Official—You can't stay in his country, sir.

Traveler—Then I'll leave it.

"Have you a permit to leave?"

"No, sir."

"Then you cannot go. I give you 24 hours to make up your mind as to what you shall do."—Tit-Bits.

Some are Left; They are Waiting.

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Curious Wanderings of Smoke.

[illegible] the volcanic eruption in the Hawaiian islands last [illegible] the smoke rose to a height of between five and six miles and then drifted away to the northeast. At a distance of [illegible] miles from Hawaii it settled upon the surface of the sea and was then carried back by the northeast wind to its place of origin, where it arrived [illegible] night after its original departure, and covered the entire group of islands with its heavy pall.—Youth's Companion.

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Not Always an Easy Trip for a Maine Physician to Reach His Patients.

The other day a country physician received a call to go from his place into a lumber camp in the far Brassua region, and it was such a call as a doctor cannot well refuse. So he went to West Cove on Moosehead with a big coat and wearing leggins and shoe packs, as the low moccasins are called.

A lumberman was there and this man had made arrangements to carry the doctor up as far as West Outlet on a handcar on the Canadian Pacific road. They had to stop once and unload the handcar on to their backs in a gully so that a freight train could go past.

Above West Outlet a certain portion of the lake surface was free of snow and the doctor and the woodsman guide strapped on their skates and started. There were numerous "wrinkles," huge bulging rifts in the ice where the moving of the mighty surface had met and made ruin. When they came to one of these wrinkles the woodsman went ahead and prodded and poled until he found a place where they could cross.

It is possible that more men have been drowned in the waters of Moosehead by carelessness in crossing wrinkles than by any other cause.

By the time they got to the mouth of Moose river the doctor was obliged to own to his sturdy companion that he was fair tuckered. The man had a moose sled there in the bushes. He had left it when he had come out after the doctor. He piled the medicine man on with his case, wrapped him in blankets and set away along the tote road. There was no team out, for there was much uncertainty as to when the doctor would be able to get along.

When he could he walked. The rest of the time he rode. The tough little man of the woods seemed in no wise wearied. He told the doctor that it was easy enough to make those kind of trips when one was toughened to it.

In the camp was one of the bosses who had been caught in a snub line and who had had most of the flesh on the calf of his leg rasped off by the cruel cable.

The doctor did what he could for the sufferer. Before he finished his labors there a messenger came from a camp ten miles above. They had learned that a physician was in the section and they wanted him. Ten men were down with grip and colds and two had pneumonia. So the doctor went up to that camp. There was nothing else to do. He says that if he had refused he guesses they would have loaded him on a sled willy-nilly and would have taken him along. He came out after six days in the woods.—Lewiston Journal.

The [illegible].

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—Do you believe that death ends all, John?

Mr. Crimsonbeak—Well, no; there's the fight over the will, you know.—Yonkers Statesman.

The Battles That Count.

A soldier's first engagement is of little consequence; it's the battles after marriage that count.—Chicago Daily News.

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HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
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Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6.00 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m. and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

J. O. Chilson is confined to the house by illness.

T. B. Allen has been visiting friends in New Haven, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar K. Ray are sojourning at Castleton, Vt.

H. W. Nye of West Upton made a flying visit to town Sunday.

The mornings remind the early riser that summer is nearly over.

Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., will hold a regular meeting this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Davis are enjoying the delights of Popham Beach, Me.

The directors' room at the National bank is in the hands of the decorators.

Dr. M. E. Pond is spending a week or ten days with relatives in Rutland, Vt.

Our Boys will play the Stars of Woonsocket at Hoag lake tomorrow afternoon

The youngest child of Mrs. Alfred Whiting of East street was buried Saturday.

Louis Williams died today at his residence on Pleasant street. He is a veteran of the civil war. His age was 80.

A. W. Cheaver of Dedham, agricultural editor of the New England Farmer, was in town Saturday.

R. G. Irwin has bought the shoe store owned by O. B. Carter and will continue the business at that stand.

Leon Copleston of Brooklyn, N. Y., is spending a vacation with his grandmother, Mrs. E. S. Morse, Summer street.

Business is not quite so brisk as usual at the different mills in town. A number of hands employed are out for a few days.

Mrs. Amos Razee and her grandson, Howard Razee, of Southbridge, former residents here, are visiting friends in town.

The Medway street railway line has adorned certain of the trolley poles with a circle of white paint as a stopping place for passengers.

Mrs. E. P. Hayward of New York, who has been visiting her relative, L. S. Cheney, at C. W. Stewart's, left yesterday for Rutland, Vt.

Mrs. G. H. Cochrane, her daughter, Mrs. Dickens, and two grandchildren have been visiting friends in Norwalk and Rockville, Conn.

Thursday evening the Franklin band played at Lake Pearl and attracted a good crowd, the excellent music and dancing being especially enjoyed.

Mrs. C. E. Kemp, who has been spending the summer abroad, will sail for home from Liverpool, on the New England, next week Thursday.

Mrs. Edwin Bryant and daughter Florence of Whitman and Miss Ethel L. Holmes of Silver Lake have been visiting at Fairview, North Park street.

George H. Cochrane is getting ready for comfort the coming winter by the addition of bathroom and general renovation of heating facilities.

Rev. I. W. Sneath and family are at Dean cottage, owned by W. M. Fisher, at Onset, for a week or two. Dr. Sneath preached in Cambridge last Sabbath.

A good many of the young people have been to Hoag lake park this week, rumors of a good show doubtless being a strong inducement for turning them that way.

Engineer F. A. Hartshorne and family returned yesterday from Long Island, Me., where the ladies have been spending a month. Mr. Hartshorne was away two weeks.

Mrs. Lewis D. Merrifield picked from her orchard on Crescent street yesterday an Astrakhan apple measuring 13 1-2 inches in circumference. It looked as large as a cantelope.

Warrant Officer Fred S. Hartshorn, of of the Torpedo boat Morris, stationed at Newport, and son of Engineer F. A. Hartshorn, was made happy by the birth of a son last Saturday.

Wallace R. Richardson and his nephew, Herbert Richardson, are spending a couple of weeks in New York city, the elder showing the younger some of the sights of the metropolis.

H. M. Ticknor and family arrived here recently for the summer. Mr. Ticknor has been enjoying sea breezes at Orr's Island, Me., the place made famous by Miss Stowe's "Pearl of Orr's Island."

Mrs. Bradley M. Rockwood quite severely burned both her thumbs last Sunday morning by the explosion of some paper caps which she was throwing into the fire, necessitating medical attention.

Rev. N. T. Dyer of Ashburnham preached an interesting and helpful discourse at the Congregational church last Sabbath, and Rev. R. W. Wallace, D. D., of Somerville will occupy the pulpit next Sunday.

The members of Franklin Relief Corps will enjoy a trolley ride to Hoag lake next Wednesday afternoon; if stormy the next fair day. Members are requested to be on hand at 1.15 o'clock. A nice time is anticipated.

Dr. and Mrs. Austin B. Fletcher entertained friends at the Franklin Country club last Monday, including Dr. and Mrs. I. D. Warner, Mrs. Bates, the Misses Follett, Mr and Mrs. Will Sweatt, Mr. Alexander and Mr. E. I. Richards.

A late car will be run over the Franklin and Medway electric line Thursday and Saturday evenings to accommodate Medway people who wish to take in the attractions at Lake Pearl. The last car for Medway will leave at 11.45 on the nights named.

Edgar K. Ray generously treated the Bellingham Baptist Sunday school at its picnic at Lake Pearl Friday. More than ninety enjoyed the free trolley ride to the picnic ground. The observed of all gentlemen in the car was Mr. Ray, who made this a free ride, and rousing cheers were ringing in his ears as he alighted from the car at the Four Corners.

Dr. J. C. Gallison has had one more wish gratified. He has long had the feeling that his forest villa off Pleasant street was incomplete without a three legged iron kettle of ancient architecture, and so he has been quietly looking around to see the biding place of something of the kind, and Monday the quest was accomplished and he ordered corn beef and cabbage.

Tax Collector Sherman sold the Henry B. Kimball farm property on Forest street Wednesday. There was only one bidder and the property passed to Carrie Bill of Weymouth for the amount of taxes and costs. The property is involved in bankruptcy proceedings. Under the law the owner has the right of redemption for two years at 10 per cent. interest on the amount sold for.

Dean students and many others in town will be grieved to learn of the death of Clifford J. Dallinger, by diabetes, at his home in Cambridgeport Wednesday evening, aged 19. He came here from the Peekskill, N. Y., military institute last fall with his roommate, Lennard H. Mitchell, and may be remembered as the light haired, clever left fielder on the Dean team this spring. He was a good student, first class football player and would have been on the eleven this season. His funeral will be held Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Noyes, after the wedding on Monday, fooled their would-be tormentors nicely. After the ceremony and congratulations the relatives and friends went to the railway station with their rice, old shoes and ribbons attached to the hack to speed the couple as they departed upon the evening train. But the couple had made arrangements for themselves, and while their friends were waiting at the station for their appearance they took a hack and quietly drove to West Wrentham, where they caught a train for Providence.

While there is a fairly good condition of business in town and workmen seem to have something to do in the way of repairs, there has been comparatively nothing for the past two years for residential purposes, only two or three new buildings of the kind have been finished this year, excepting the improvements at Unionville for the railway company. Perhaps people with money are following out the precept of a former capitalist: "When business is good do not build, but when it is quiet and material and labor are cheap, then get ready for better times."

From one who has seen the Rachel Thayer medal that is to be given annually at Dean academy, beginning this year, we feel sure it must be a trophy worth striving for. It was designed and executed by Henry Guild & Son of Boston, whose experience in this line of work covers nearly fifty years. The medal is solid gold, round in shape, the inscription on either side being engraved within and about a wreath of laurel and branch of oak. We understand it is to be delivered to Prof. Peirce next week.

The annual outing of the Woonsocket and the M., A. & W. street car men took place Wednesday at Hoag lake. The night men were at the lake in the morning and the day men in the afternoon. Everything at the lake except the bake was free to the car men, and E. K. Ray, president of the Woonsocket street railway and treasurer of the M., A. & W. street railway, contributed $25 to help defray expenses. The theatre was visited and the efforts of the actors much enjoyed. At 6 o'clock a clambake was served and all who partook of the outing voted it an excellent one.

Wednesday Dr. Edward C. Abbott was drawn as juryman for the September criminal term. When the jury list was presented to the town at the annual March meeting the doctor asked to have his name stricken from the list, but the town refused to so vote. He claimed the duty would seriously interfere with his business, and now when he has just returned from his annual vacation, nerved for a successful and vigorous campaign against pain and the erection of beautiful and first-class masticators on toothless gums, it is a cruel fate that calls him away, and a just judge will perhaps be more reasonable than the municipality.

The new water pump to be used for fire purposes in connection with the Woolen company's mill is completed and was tested Wednesday for the first time. Three streams, with three men on each stream, threw water a distance of 190 feet at 150 pounds pressure. This pressure is the amount called for by the fire insurance company, but with more pressure 225 feet could be easily thrown. One of the streams got away from the men holding it, the nozzle flew off and the stream knocked one of the men to the ground. He regained his feet quickly, only to be knocked down a second time, and only succeeded in getting out of reach by crawling on his hands and knees.

One of those rare peach tomatoes that A. L. Bacon had raised this season in his truck garden, and which he was reserving for replanting purposes, disappeared in a twinkling the other day in an unlooked-for manner, greatly to the disturbance of Mr. B. It happened in this way: An old friend called and the genial "farmer" had the peach tomato out for inspection in short order. He handed the highly-prized "tomat" to the friend while growing eloquent in praise of its superior quality and turned his head for a moment to brush off a potato bug that had made its way to the off shoulder. "Yes; that's a fine tomato," the friend was saying while Mr. B. was attending to the bug, and when he looked at his visitor again he perceived that his tomato of the peach variety was fast disappearing down his throat. The "farmer's" face took on an expression that bordered on fierceness and for a time was a study for an artist. He said nothing then, but has been heard to remark since that none of the superior garden truck he is reserving will be handed out for inspection when his friends call around in the future.

Aquatic Sports.

The second in the series of water sports at Lake Pearl was held last Saturday, attracting a good many visitors and affording a vast amount of amusement. There were more participants, especially among the ladies, which added to the interest. The following are the results:

Ladies' Single—1st, Miss Rosamond Williams; 2d, Miss Grace Bennett.

Men's Single—1st, F. W. Notman; 2d, P. R. Allen.

Mixed Tandem—1st, F. W. Notman and Miss Williams; 2d, J. J. Mora and Miss Curran.

Mixed Fours—1st, F. W. Notman, J. J. Mora, Miss A. M. Ray, Miss Williams; 2d, C. M. Allen, F. W. Allen, Miss Mabel Ray, Miss Wilson.

Rowing—1st, Fred Gilmore; 2d, J. J. Mora.

Standing Paddle—1st, F. W. Notman; 2d, P. R. Allen.

Tandem Overboard—J. J. Mora and F. W. Notman; 2d, C. M. Allen and F. W. Allen.

Hurry-Scurry—1st, F. W. Allen; 2d, F. W. Notman.

Swimming—1st, Harry Metcalf; C. M. Allen.

Emerson's Market.

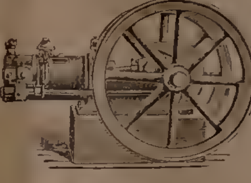
Fresh killed chicks and fowls, lamb, veal, pork and tomatoes. Watermelons on ice, shell beans, green corn, gem melons, sweet potatoes, summer squash, lettuce, cucumbers, onions, cabbages, new beets and turnips.

Two chairs at Ochee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser, William Donovan, now in attendance. Short waits.

The Sentinel's New Motive Power.

For a long time the SENTINEL has been endeavoring to do away with the unpleasant features connected with a steam plant for its motive power, owing to the need for constant attention, the prevalence of smoke and coal dust, and the continuance of expense even when the power had ceased. We have therefore been looking about the market for a satisfactory power, considering electricity, water and gasolene, the latter commending itself because of its cheapness in running, little attention required, its cleanliness, and other features.

To that end we examined many of the gasolene engines upon the market, selecting a three and one half horse power "Otto" as combining the most advantages for the outlay of any of its competitors. The "Otto" was really the pioneer in the gas engine field, and has been prompt to invest, take up and adapt any new improvements which were available. Its makers, therefore, feel that it has no equal, and thus far we do not see how it could be improved upon. It requires no engineer, its running is not variable, it is ready at a moment's notice, requiring but a couple of revolutions of the wheel to set it in motion.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No gasolene beyond about a gill is allowed in the building, and none can run in from outside, where the tank is stored, the feed being entirely by a pump. The gasolene is properly mixed with air automatically, and "fired" by an electric spark from a battery of cells, the engine accommodating itself to its load by taking a charge of gas only when it is required. This feature is especially advantageous on the line of economy. It is practically noiseless, the explosion taking place in an inclosed steel chamber, an exhaust chamber being provided to further deaden the sound. The engine's speed is easily regulated, and from all that can be learned it is a typical motive power for establishments of this class. We shall be pleased to show it to any one visiting the pressroom.

Franklin Looks Well.

It has long been recognized by Franklin property owners that well and tastily painted houses with green and neat lawns are telling advertisements for any village, winning compliments from visitors and yielding solid comfort to the owners or occupants. In the choice of shades the residents of this town exhibit a wide diversity of taste, no two houses being precisely alike excepting upon corporation grounds. Some owners cannot satisfy their preference for colors without adopting several; one has three varieties on the body of his house; another has five different colors, including brick basement and roof; others ingeniously blend the tints, while many change the shade in frequent opportunities to repaint, exactly as a woman must necessarily get a new style of hat every spring and autumn, or as a man every season orders a more modern cut of coat—not that the old color of the house or the trimmings on the hat or the cut of the coat were not superlatively tasty, but merely because with the lapse of months comes the imperative demand for change. Franklin ranks well with her neighbors in respect to neatness.

The Melrose school committee have adopted a plan under which all pupils who attend the High school next year, and who are not now in the school, may select such courses of study as shall best prepare them for their life's work. Elective blanks are distributed and taken home, where parents and pupils can carefully decide on a course of study suitable either for college, for scientific school, for the normal school, or for a business career.

$25.00 Reward.

I will give $25 for evidence to convict any person of selling intoxicating liquor in Franklin. DR. J. C. GALLISON.

Can While You Can.

If you want nice fruit next winter prepare to can very soon, as fruit is coming on, but don't use your old jars. Our new ones are cheaper, better, and improve the flavor of the fruit. We have the square "Royal" fruit jar, best quality selected glass, with "Lightning" top at 90 cents, $1.00 and $1.25 per dozen. There are none cheaper in the end. Window screens at reduced prices.

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My patrons are requested to note that my dental office will be closed until further notice during my vacation.

DR. M. E. POND.

All lovers of music are invited to see the display of pianos and organs at Sanford Bros., Medway. Up to date and prices right.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Sweet peas at Slade's greenhouse.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

Mr. Editor:—In the perusal of my sketch, "Franklin, 1850—1900," after it was published I noticed I omitted many details in regard to the growth of the town that ought to have been given.

In the autumn of 1851 the firm of Daniels & Greene, consisting of the late A. E. Daniels, Esq., and H. M. Greene, straw goods manufacturers, was dissolved and Mr. Daniels associated with himself his son, J. H. Daniels, and they erected a new straw goods factory corner of Main and School streets, commencing business in January, 1852.

In 1871 Mr. Greene sold his entire interest in the business, together with the factory, to Messrs. Farmer & Metcalf, who did a very successful business during the next four years. At the end of that time Mr. Metcalf retired from the firm and Mr. S. A. Beekman of New York became a partner, but two years after the firm was dissolved, and in the autumn a new firm was made up, consisting of O. M. Bassett, E. H. Sherman and John Farmer, who for several years did quite a successful business. The factory was destroyed by fire about the year 1890 and has never been rebuilt.

In 1869 Dean academy was opened, destroyed by fire in July, 1872, rebuilt and reopened in 1874. It was not very successful in its management until Mr. L. L. Burrington became principal, soon after which it commenced growing in popularity, and for fifteen years or more was and still is considered one of the finest institutions of learning of its kind in New England. Two or three years since Mr. B. resigned as principal on account of ill health, and the position has since been filled by Mr. Pierce, who came here from Vermont and has retained the popularity of the school in former years.

About the first business building of any account erected after 1866 was a building by James O. Chilson in 1870. The lower floor was occupied by Mr. C. as a meat and provision market, and the second floor contained several rooms used for business and other purposes. Mr. C. conducted the business for about twenty-two years and met with decided financial success.

In 1870 the late Messrs. J. P. and J. G. Ray had in process of erection their elegant residences, each being the counterpart of the other.

In 1872 the late Joseph G. Ray commenced the brick block, the lower floor of which contains each a dry goods and a grocery store and the postoffice. The second floor was occupied by the Franklin National bank, and there were also several business offices on the same floor, while the hall on the third floor was used by one of the lodges of the town.

In 1874 J. H. Daniels erected in close proximity to the Central house (hotel) a building designated as Daniels block. It contained two stores, billiard hall and barber's shop on the lower floor, and on the second floor a hall intended for theatrical and other entertainments.

The same year A. A. Fletcher erected a two and a half story wooden building on one of his Main street lots, and a year later another building adjoining the first. The former contained two stores and the latter three stores, each and all being occupied as soon as finished.

In 1883 or 1884 the late J. P. Ray erected the brick building which has been occupied as a hotel and gents' clothing and furnishing store.

In 1886 (in May) occurred one of the most disastrous fires known in Franklin, destroying the Daniels straw factory, Central house, stable and Daniels block, together with the elegant Universalist church, which cost nearly $45,000. The total loss was about $65,000, partially insured. The church was rebuilt two or three years later. The other buildings, excepting the stable, have never been rebuilt.

About the year 1890 the Congregationalist church was destroyed by fire, but rebuilt three years later. In the early part of the present summer the Catholic church was also destroyed by fire. It will probably be rebuilt at an early date.

Metcalf's brick block, containing five stores on the street floor, was erected in 1888, and two or three years later Mr. Butman erected a single brick building adjoining Metcalf's block.

Just below the railroad bridge, on Central square, the late A. H. Morse erected a brick block, its lower floor containing four stores and the next floor an opera house capable of seating about 800 people. He also at different times erected two or three other brick buildings.

In the spring of 1891 the elegant high school building on Central street was commenced, finished and opened in September, 1892. The Methodist church, nearly opposite the high school building, was dedicated in the autumn of 1873.

About four years ago was erected on Central street by the late Hon. W. F. Ray what is considered one of the most elegant and expensive residences in town, but alas! he lived only about two years to enjoy its benefit.

Last year the residence of the late William M. Thayer was remodeled into an unique and fashionable one by his son, A. M. Thayer, who purchased the adjoining lot, removed the house that was on it and erected in the rear of his residence a new and costly stable.

About 1892 Mr. Edwin Trowbridge erected a small building and commenced the manufacture of pianos. His business so increased that in less than three years he made two additions to the factory, which now is four stories high and nearly 150 feet long. His pianos have the reputation of being equal to any in the market. In the spring of 1898 Mr. T. died quite suddenly, and since that time the business has been managed by the widow, assisted by her nephew, Mr. Chas. Walker, as superintendent.

Last year (1899) the Catholic society, under the supervision of Rev. Fr. Lee, erected an elegant school building opposite the rectory. The building is of brick with freestone trimmings, three stories and basement, about 100 feet in length and 45 wide, and is certainly an ornament to that part of the town.

Mr. Davis Thayer retired from the straw goods business in 1871. In November of that year the factory was leased by a new firm, consisting of the late N. T. Hubbard, E. P. Bassett and H. V. Snow, under the firm name of Hubbard, Bassett & Co. They did a very successful business for five years. In January, 1880, Mr. Hubbard died very suddenly of heart disease. The business continued under the management of Bassett & Snow, and increased so rapidly that they decided to have a larger factory, and in 1886 erected one at the lower end of Dean avenue. The factory was 200 feet long, about 50 feet wide and four stories high. An addition about 100 feet in length and four stories high has since been made. In or about 1891 Mr. Bassett, in connection with his sons, Joseph and Edwin, purchased Mr. Snow's interest, and the firm thereafter was, until recently, E. P. Bassett & Sons, and now is Bassett Bros., the father having retired. Mr. Thayer's factory has since been occupied by Erickson, Stewart & Thayer, then by Erickson & Stewart, and the last three years by Mr. Stewart alone.

Within the past year two electric lines have entered the town, thus making it still more lively. They carry hundreds of passengers daily to beautiful Lake Pearl and also to Hoag Lake Park.

People who resided here previous to 1870 and have not been here since until recently all admit they should not recognize the town as the Franklin of old.

Having exhausted my "fund of information," I desist from further "boring" the readers of the SENTINEL.

AN OLDTIMER, 1850—1900.

Franklin, August 16, 1900.

An Equine Complication.

Robert Wylie of South Franklin had the horse of a neighbor in his charge for a few days, and a man employed by Wylie drove the animal one of the hot nights recently and when returning to the stable gave the horse a drink of cold water, which was followed by the collapse of the animal.

On the other hand it is alleged that the horse was sick and his collapse was not due to overheating or drinking cold water, but to natural causes, and it is further alleged that the employe who was accused of injuring the animal was set upon and maltreated in a manner neither legal nor Christian.

As a result complications have arisen in regard to the value of the horse and who should contribute to the payment thereof. The owner of the beast is G. C. Fisher, and there is a possibility that the lawyers will have a chance to cast the X-rays upon the difficulty.

Richardson's Market.

Of course you've got to eat some meat, even if it is hot weather. Try a nice chicken or fowl for Sunday. Our vegetables are received every day fresh from the gardens. Try a can of our ten cent soup with your dinner; all kinds.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

To Let.—House and barn. Emily F. Aldrich. 21,24*

100 cords trash hard and pine limbs, at Allen's wood yard, School street.

Mrs. G. W. Miner, Crescent street, would like a competent girl for housework at once. 24 tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

Wanted.—A ton of horse hay. Will pay for same in carpenter work. F. E. Dudley, Union and Central streets. 14*

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 24, 1900.

The friends of Samuel L. Powers seem to be pushing his campaign for the congressional nomination in this district with old-fashioned vigor. Mr Powers is said to be a man of real oratorical abilities, and if he is elected we fancy that the district will be heard from more frequently in the next two years than it has been for a good many years past.—Norwood Advertiser.

The eleventh congressional district will make no mistake in selecting Samuel L. Powers, Esq. of Newton, to be the nominee of the Republicans at the coming convention. He has the confidence of the people of his own city in that they are a unit for him beyond the shadow of a doubt. He is by far the best equipped man in point of discretion, intelligence and ability who is available as a candidate, and who, if nominated, can add to the plurality of the Republican ticket. Such a man is an inspiration to the cause and there should be no doubt of his nomination.

It can hardly be possible that the advocates of Mr. Williams insist that no man shall be nominated for congress who has been counsel for a corporation. That certainly would exclude Mr Williams himself as well as every lawyer who has achieved any prominence at the bar. In fact, we do not recall a single instance of an able lawyer who has been sent to congress from Massachusetts in the last fifty years who has not been counsel for corporations during his practice in the profession. The very fact that an attorney represents important corporations is evidence of his ability and standing at the bar.—Hyde Park Gazette.

A short time ago a Bangor (Me.) paper had an interesting write-up of a local character in a Washington county town. Special mention was made of the fact that he believes a fortune of about half a million dollars is coming to him from England in a short time. Now it seems he received a letter a day or two after the article appeared from a [illegible] young woman proposing marriage. She took special pains to inform him that it was not his prospective wealth that induced her to break through the bars of custom and ask him to wed her, but his portrait that was published with the account made her wish and long to possess the original.

A minister in a Pennsylvania town on a recent Sunday surprised his audience by reading the following announcement from the pulpit: "The regular session of the Donkey club will be held as usual after the service. Members will line up just outside the church door, make remarks and stare at the ladies who pass, as is their custom. Any member known to escort a lady to church like a man and sit with her like a gentleman will be promptly expelled from membership." The effect was marvelous.

Progressive dinners appear to be popular in some parts of the west. A recent one in Janesville, Wis. is thus described: "At a dinner of six courses, in honor of a bride and groom, one course was served at each of six houses. From the first house the party, after [illegible] oysters, put on their wraps and started for the soup house half a mile away. After they were filled with soup and conversation they went to the fish place and so on to the end."

In the course of an [illegible] "Personals" in the Atchison Globe Mrs. P— says: "Mr P— is mistaken in stating that I have left his bed and board, for he never furnished them. As to his warning about credit, if he ever had any I never discovered it in the [illegible] years I lived with him."

The North Carolina supreme court has sustained a decision rendered in Burke county, imposing $[illegible] fine on the Southern railway for giving a free pass to a doorkeeper of the legislature in 1897.

HAIR WEALTH

Wealth of hair is wealth indeed, especially to a woman. Every other physical attraction is secondary to it. We have a book we will gladly send you that tells just how to care for the hair.

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Mrs. N. E. Hamilton,
Nov. 28, 1898. Norwich, N. Y.

Write the Doctor.

If you don't obtain all the benefits you desire from the use of the Vigor, write the Doctor about it. Address,
Dr. J. C. AYER,
Lowell, Mass.

NOT FOR SALE.

A Young Minister and His Bold Stand Against a Pew Holder Who Was a Liquor Dealer.

A young minister, on going to a new church last spring, was informed by the official brethren that his salary would be $1,[illegible], and that as every summer a wholesale liquor dealer visited the town with his family and paid regularly $50 for a pew in the church, it would be policy for the minister to touch the liquor question gently to avoid giving offense. The reply of the young man was:

"Take $50 off my salary, for I want to get a shot at that pew."

Soon after he fired his "shot," but the recoil of the gun was not so bad as had been anticipated, for the liquor dealer, pleased with the young man's courage, doubled his subscription, making it $100 instead of $50. Whether he did this to relieve his conscience or to quiet the minister we cannot say, but we are strongly of the opinion that the safest thing a preacher of the Gospel can do is to tell the truth; and if there is any man who needs plain preaching at the present day, it is the man who deals in intoxicating drink and then hires a seat and comes to church to hear what the minister has to say about it. A man who fails to tell the truth in the ears of such a hearer will find in the day of judgment that he has something more serious to face than the wrath of a rumseller or the loss of his subscription.

"If the watchman see the sword come, and blow not the trumpet, and the people be not warned; if the sword come and take any person from among them, he is taken away in his iniquity; but his blood will I require at the watchman's hand. When I say unto the wicked: O wicked man, thou shalt surely die; if thou dost not speak to warn the wicked from his way, that wicked man shall die in his iniquity, but his blood will I require at thy hand" (Ezek. 33: 6, 8.).—Witness.

No Drink, Therefore No Crime.

Kinglake, in his "History of the Crimean War," says "that when our soldiers first landed, nothing could exceed their kindness and good behavior. 'What,' he asks, 'was the reason?' The answer is, that there was 'no drink, and therefore no crime.' The drink came with the next batch of transports, and the whole condition of the army was instantly changed for the worse. They forfeited no small measure of the golden opinions which they had won."

Hardly Kind.

"I have no money, Miss Irma — my wit is my fortune."

"Don't you care; poverty is no crime."—Fliegende Blaetter.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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UNLUCKY MEN.

Many Are Unfortunate from Natural Reasons, But Some Without Apparent Cause.

A man can certainly be unlucky in the proper sense of the word—that is, frequently visited by misfortune for which he is entirely irresponsible. Of course, in the majority of cases the ill luck is only apparent, the true explanation being some deficiency in the man himself of which he is totally unconscious. He knows his powers and he is aware of his weaknesses, but he is not aware of his causes of failure. He may, for example, be a really able man, with every capacity for success, except a certain inability to understand the character of other men or women. That has been often the deficiency which has ruined kings; it spoiled the career of Louis XIV., whose latest adviser, Mme de Maintenon, was a good woman of the devotee type, with a decidedly inferior brain; and it was one cause of the fall of Napoleon, whose sub-kings and marshals were, with the possible exception of Eugene Beauharnais, never men of first rate powers. That is usually attributed to his jealousy of rivals; but he chose inferior men in civil life, and never through his whole career had a private secretary or a controller of his household who was worth his salt, while of his two wives, one was a vain and extravagant person without a brain, and the other an arch-duchess who had not an idea beyond her claim to be considered on account of her birth, and who married her chamberlain. In private life the same defect is probably of all others the commonest cause of ruin—very able men, and still oftener able women, being led away in pecuniary affairs by persons of imperfect intelligence and positively untrustworthy character. Or the able man has a habit of procrastination, of which he is wholly unaware, which leads him always to miss the moment of opportunity, the commonest of defects in able yet unsuccessful generals, or he is liable to what the French call "entrainements" and the English "rushes," which lead him into blunders that all his intimates declare to be "positively inexplicable."

The ablest human being we ever knew had a way of dressing himself, always in unconsciousness, which twice cost him a great career; while another singularly competent man spoiled every chance by a temper which was in reality nothing but whimsical, but which caused all employers to pronounce him hopelessly "unreliable." We should say, indeed, that the really able were specially liable to one of the most ruinous of all vices or foibles, incurable indolence, while everyone knows a few quite competent men who never succeed because they lost opportunities through an indifference of which they were totally unaware. Still, though we recognize all these, and many more causes of failure, we cannot but admit that there are men who are genuinely "unlucky," with whom the current of events for some inexplicable reason always collides, who are always injured in an accident from which others escape, whose cabs break down when driving to important appointments, whose investments which seem most reasonable are always swept away, whose relatives are blisters, and whose friends causes of expense. The writer had once an intimate friend, who firmly believed of himself that the offchance of misfortune always happened to him, and always would happen, and it was exceedingly difficult for anyone who knew his history to doubt that he had reason for his superstition. And the writer knew well another man—indeed, he published an account of his adventures—who passed some eight times in life through accidents which would infallibly have killed anyone else, without a scratch and who had, therefore, Clive's belief that he was destined to something—which turned out an illusion. We know that there are laws which regulate chance, and we know that there are long intervals when they seem to be defied, and there is no perceptible reason why a man's life should not be lived within the influence of one of the intervals, favorable or the reverse. If he can throw aces or deuces ten times running, why should he not come to grief in ten consecutive incidents of life? There is no reason perceptible why in the great providential scheme chance should be allowed to enter, but then there is no reason why insanity should, insanity involving that hardest of all things to conceive, irresponsibility; yet both do enter. We may humbly wait for explanation, but we see no use in denying the common experience of mankind.—London Spectator.

Consumptive Houses.

That consumption does not run in families but does run in houses, is the theory of Sir Richard Thorne, who addressed the London Medical Society recently. "Refuse to live in a damp subsoil," was his advice; until people cease to live under unfavorable conditions, they need hope for little diminution in the consumption death rate. The improvement of sanitary appliances had, in the last 45 years, reduced that rate nearly 50 per cent.—N. Y. World.

An Apt Illustration.

An inspector of schools has been giving in the Humanitarian a selection of the leading "howlers" of his acquaintance. The shrewdest of all the answers came from a very small boy who was asked to give a text which forbade a man to marry two wives. Without a moment's pause he replied: "No man can serve two masters."—Household Words.

Another Kind of Lying.

If a man conceals the truth he lies in ambush.—Chicago Daily News.

VIADUCT TO BE TAKEN DOWN.

An Immense Work of Engineering in Pennsylvania Will Soon Be Destroyed.

It is authoritatively stated that the famous Kinzua viaduct, the gigantic iron girder and trestle bridge in McKean county, Pennsylvania, south of Bradford, is to be replaced at an early date by a new and wholly different structure. Two views of this famous bridge are given. Work on it was begun on May 5, 1882, and it was completed and opened for traffic less than four months later, on August 29, 1882. It is 301 feet high at the highest point and until the completion of the Garabit viaduct was the highest bridge in the world. The Garabit spans the Truyere in the south of France, is 1,849 feet long and at the highest point the rail level is 401 feet above the river. It was designed by M. Eiffel, builder of the famous tower, and was completed in 1884.

The Kinzua bridge is 2,060 feet long. It was built by the Keystone Company of Phoenixville, Pa. Its completion gave to the New York, Lake Erie & Western railroad direct communication with the coal fields of western Pennsylvania. The Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh has a traffic arrangement with the Erie for the use of the bridge. The valley of the Kinzua, which this great trestle spans, is 15 miles south of Bradford and one of the wildest regions yet left in western Pennsylvania. Until recently, perhaps even yet, bear were plentiful and deer occasionally found in this valley.

The Kinzua viaduct has been a point of excursion and an object of curiosity for sightseers ever since it was built. Gen. Grant was taken there on one occasion.—Chicago Chronicle.

Counsel had been cross-examining the witness somewhat sharply, and the latter was becoming a trifle flustered, for he was evidently not used to the embarrassing position of one in the witness box.

"Do you remember of telling me that you didn't hear any conversation between the prisoner and his brother?" asked the attorney.

"I was," answered the witness, quickly, and he wondered what the jurors were laughed at.—Detroit Free Press.

High Pay for Army Surgeons.

Sir William McCormac and several other London surgeons who volunteered for service in South Africa are drawing pay at the rate of $25,000 a year apiece. Though that sum may not recoup them for what they would earn in London, it is far in excess of any salary hitherto paid to any army medical officer.—Washington Star.

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Settlers from British Territories.

It is estimated that there are 50,000 settlers more than last year in Manitoba and the territories, and of these about 15,000 are Americans.—Chicago Chronicle.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, bronchitis, hoarseness and all diseases of the throat, chest and lungs are surely cured by it. Call on Albert C. Mason & Co., druggist, and get a trial bottle free. Regular size 50c and $1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded.

Example Close at Hand.

"Papa," asked little Dickey, puzzled at something he had found in his school history, "what is a 'governing body?'"

"Your mamma is a governing body, my son," answered Mr. Meeker, plaintively.—Chicago Tribune.

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Sirloin Steak	25c	3 lb. pails lard	33c
Rump "	25c	5 lb. pails lard	50c
Round "	18c	Bacon, strip	12c
Thick Ribs, C. Beef,	10 to 12c	Smoked Shoulder	11c
Fancy Brisket	10c	Haxall Flour, every barrel warranted	$5.00
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Politeness.

A man's idea of true politeness is to refrain from consulting his watch during a tedious sermon.—Chicago Daily News.

Bright Prospects.

She—The cook says she won't leave the house without a recommendation.

He—Good! Perhaps we can keep her permanently.—Town Topics.

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This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! No baking! Simply add a little boiling water and set to cool. Flavors: Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. Get a package at your grocers today. 10 cts.

One, Indeed.

Cholly—And was my present a surprise to your sister, Johnny?

Johnny—Betcher life! She said she never suspected you'd give her anything so cheap.—Brooklyn Life.

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STATEMENT JULY 31, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors	$571,160 11
Guarantee Fund	28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account	738 93
Interest Account	567 15
Real Estate Income Account	16 19
	$600,700 30

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,759 32
Railroad Bonds		136,202 50
F. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,075 00
" " Mortgages		151,500 00
" " Personal Securities		163,841 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		31 97
Bank Furniture		140 00
Bank Deposits		
Franklin National Bank	$7,822 25	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	4,095 58	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		12,001 99
Cash on hand		752 37
		$600,700 30

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.
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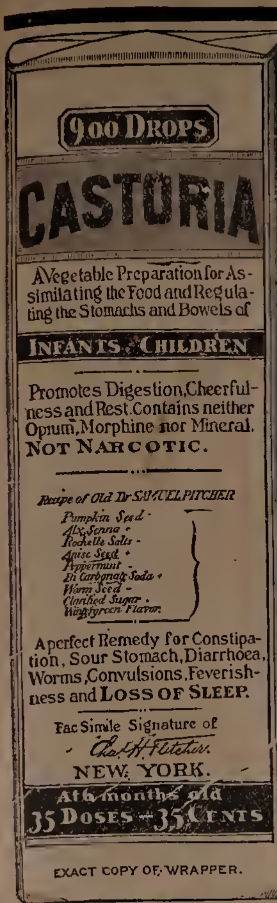
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COLLEGE TRAINING.

Does Not Always Increase a Girl's Stock of Common Sense.

It has been remarked that modern methods of education, whatever may be their merits, do not markedly increase that most valuable of all endowments, common sense. As the development of that somewhat indefinable but absolutely necessary quality, if one would lead the most useful life, should be more aimed at than anything else, thoughtful mothers have suggested that there must be serious defects in our modern schools and colleges. One of the directions in which common sense is most likely to be shown is in the care of the health. Neither young men nor young women appear to realize the value of health, and our colleges do not seem to instill into them the precepts which aid in securing this greatest of earthly benefits. Wealth, learning, beauty, wit—all are of little comfort without health, while with it almost anything may be borne cheerfully. Not long ago a college girl graduate sat reading a book at a considerable distance from the lamp which was her sole dependence for light. Not satisfied with sitting at least three times as far from the lamp as she ought, she had carefully interposed her head between it and her book. One of the foundation facts of education is that one should always get the best possible light upon one's work, being careful never to let the sun shine directly upon it, and that the light should come over one of the shoulders, preferably the left. Under the most favorable conditions the life of a student furnishes more than enough business for the oculist.—Kate Upson Clark, in Woman's Home Companion.

Ironing Shirt-Waists.

When ironing a colored waist, either of silk or of cotton fabric, one should not use too hot an iron, and yet it must be hot enough to iron smoothly, without blistering or sticking to the starch. An overheated iron injures bright colors as much as do hot water and poor soap. In ironing a silk waist place a piece of cheesecloth over the garment, and iron as any ordinary article. By doing this the natural appearance of the silk is preserved, and this would be impossible if the iron were brought in direct contact with it.—Fannie Malin, in Woman's Home Companion.

Olive Omelet.

An omelet often served at the Havana tables, and one that is much relished by American visitors to that city, is evidently an importation from Spain. In it are folded olives that have been stoned and cut into halves. Sometimes to the olives are added blanched almonds and a few seeded raisins, but the most delicate flavor is present when the olives are used alone.—N. Y. Post.

BEET SUGAR INDUSTRY.

Two-thirds of the world's sugar is now produced from beets.

The average cost in foreign countries of all sugar imported into the United States in the fiscal year of 1872 was 5.37 cents per pound, and in 1899 2.39 cents per pound.

Prior to 1871-72 the world's production of beet sugar had reached 1,000,000 tons; in the present crop year it is, according to latest estimates, 5,510,000 tons, while the cane-sugar crop, which in 1871-72 was 1,599,000 tons, is in the present year 2,904,000 tons.

In less than half a century the sugar-producing area of the world has been shifted from the tropics northward and the farmer of the temperate zone has shown his ability not only to compete with the low-priced labor of the tropics, but in doing so to reduce by one-half the cost of the article produced.

JOKES A LA AUSTRALIAN.

Wigg—"Closefist holds on to everything that comes his way." Wagg—"Yes; he even tried to keep the Sabbath."—Melbourne Weekly Times.

Bray—"Metempsychosis? No, sir; I think it's a horrid belief. Fancy my becoming a donkey in my next incarnation!" Funnell — "Monotonous, eh?"—Sydney Town and Country Journal.

She—"What is the term applied to one who signs another's name to a check?" He—"Five or ten years, usually."—Melbourne Weekly Times.

"Are you sure this milk is free from germs?" inquired the cautious young housekeeper. "Yes, lady," replied the milkman, unguardedly, "we boil every drop of water that goes into it."—Melbourne Weekly Times.

The hostess mildly suggested to a little boy invited out to dinner that he should wipe his fingers on the napkin instead of on the tablecloth. "I beg your pardon," said the young hopeful, "but I thought it was a pity to make a clean napkin in a mess when there was such a dirty cloth on the table."—Sydney Town and Country Journal.

WISE SUMMER VACATIONS.

Take your summer vacations just how and when and where your health, purses and proper inclinations permit.

Do not try to affect either elaborate style, nor aught that will make your temporary respite from business or labor, or your necessary residential change of climate, a bore or an unbearable expense.

Do not go away from home simply for show, or to tell about it, as your mental and physical health, requiring a suitable change for their special relaxation or improvement, are more to yourself than anybody else. As a rule, others concern themselves about us, even on our vacation trips, less than we foolishly imagine.

We should cultivate more independence, and take our vacations in keeping with our individual tastes and means. Aping others is ill paid labor unless we can follow their examples sensibly and becomingly. Liberal means is not essential to an enjoyable vacation; indeed, it is probable that in the majority of cases those who have to plan carefully in regard to expenses enjoy themselves quite as much as their richer neighbors.—Christian Work.

What Drink Did.

"A two-dollar bill came into the hands of a relative of mine," writes a lady in Boston, "which speaks volumes on the horrors of strong drink or the traffic in it. There was written in red ink on the back of it the following: 'Wife, children, and over $40,000, all gone. I am alone responsible. All has gone down my throat. When I was 21 I had a fortune. I am not yet 35 years old. I have killed my beautiful wife, who died of a broken heart; have murdered my children with neglect. When this bill is gone I do not know how I can get my next meal. I shall die a drunken pauper. This is my last money, and my history. If this bill comes into the hands of any man who drinks, let him take warning from my life's ruin."—Michigan Christian Advocate.

The Parson — I t'ink it'd be moah 'propriate ef yo' 'tended chu'ch on Sunday 'stid of gwine shootin'.

The Reprobate — Wal, pahson, de shootin' in dis hyah neighbo'hood am bettah dan de suhmons!—Puck.

Conscience.

Even people who will not confess to having a conscience, must admit that they sometimes have a funny feeling inside them that is not caused by pie.—Atchison Globe.

VERSE OF THE SEASON.

The Day's Best Hour.

Sweet is the Morn that deepens to a blush
Athwart each clear-cut ridge and mountain high,
When, on the dewy twigs, the birds all vie
In tuneful measures with the glorious thrush!
And deeply sweet is Noon, when every rush
And nodding blade of grass seems full asleep;
When scarce a whisper through the woods doth creep,
While distant scenes look hazy, in the hush

But, poet's hour, loved Eve, whose shadow folds,
In peace, the deeper grasses by the mere,
Whose crimson flame gives glory to the near,
And dapples every height the eye beholds,
With fervent glory fringing cape and bay,
Thou art the sweetest, lordliest hour of day!
—William J. Gallagher, in Chambers' Journal.

That Dreadful Telephone.

"Hello! That you? Sweet Mary,
I'm running over with bliss,
If you were just beside me,
I'd give you such a kiss;
I've had a talk with mother,
Everything as bright as June,
Papa himself is willing,
And we'll get married soon.
Come closer to the 'phone, dear,
For I have lots to tell—
But mind you, not a whisper,
To that old squint-eyed Nell.

"I met her Sunday morning,
Dressed up as neat as print,
With just the same proboscis
And just the same old squint.
Now, do speak up, my dearie,
I really cannot hear,
Is it Mary, anyhow?
Your voice sounds rather queer."
"No, it isn't your sweet Mary,
You'd best creep in your shell,
It's one who knows you better—
The same old squint-eyed Nell."
—Detroit Free Press.

A Pastoral.

He wooed the simple country maid,
The youth who wore the outing shirt;
But Amaryllis in the shade
Was really an outrageous flirt.

He thought to break a country heart
For pastime ere he went to town
To whirl about the busy mart;
But she—she simply turned him down

In vain he used his best perfume
And gave his hair the middle part;
As you most probably assume,
He could not win the maiden's heart.

"Be mine," he cried. "Sweet nature's child,
Fair flower, blooming here unseen!
Oh, quit this country, rude and wild,
And reign of this striped bosom queen."

She looked at him and sweetly smiled.
Her answer made the young man glum.
She said, "'Tis true I'm nature's child,
That's why I hate a vacuum."
—Chicago Daily Record.

Prayer.

A prayerful soul breathes through the face
Like perfume through a rose;
No art can imitate the grace
Of spiritual repose.

The heart that talks with God in prayer
Unconsciously imparts
Some portion of the truths learned there
To other minds and hearts.

It needs no utterance of a word,
It needs no pen or book;
What God speaks to the heart is heard
In every act or look.

Pray much; in pleasure, toil or rest
Call on that Unseen Force,
And let your heart kneel in your breast,
Communing with The Source.
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox, in Woman's Home Companion.

Her Answer.

"Dear Nell," he wrote, "those violets
I've made so bold to send to you,
Shall be my mute ambassadors;
And each shall tell how deep and true
The sender's love is, craving yours
For him. What messengers more meet?
Are they not typical of you,
They are so sweet?"

"Dear Jack," she wrote, "your violets
Have just this moment been received
Their message took me by surprise,
'Twas something scarce to be believed.
I send my answer back with them;
What fitter messengers for you?
So typical of how you'll feel,
They are so blue!"
—Catholic Standard and Times.

A Day's Work.

Early in de mornin'
While de grass is wet wid dew,
I tells myself a story
'Bout de work I's gwine to do.
An' I sits beneath a shade tree
Whah de sunlight loves to play,
An' de ol' clock keeps a-strikin'
While de daytime runs away.

Six o'clock an' seven o'clock;
Eight o'clock and nine;
It's noon befo' you knows it,
An' de dinner bell soun's fine.
One o'clock an' two o'clock;
Three o'clock an' fo'—
Da's all de time I's paid foh'
An' I dasn' work no mo'.
—Washington Star.

The Bright, Bright World.

It's a bright, bright world, with its roses and its rest,
And, till we reach the other, it's the sweetest and the best,
And hand in hand together
We'll face the stormy weather,
For a rainbow rounds the Heavens from the rosy east to west.

It's a bright, bright world, with its love and with its light—
Its blessings and caressings, its song, its wrong, its right;
And sinning and forgiven,
It's rolling nearer Heaven;
The bells—the bells are ringing, and the harbor is in sight!

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Incandescent Lamps Used.

What is the annual consumption of incandescent lamps in this country? A recent statement placed the number at 60,000,000, but this is obviously much too high. The carefully prepared estimate of the incandescent lamp business of the United States for the year 1899, which appeared in the New Year's number of the Western Electrician, showed that the volume of business was $2,700,000. Assuming an average price as low as 17 cents a lamp, the number produced is less than 16,000,000. Probably 15,000,000 is very near the exact figures representing the total output of the factories. Similarly the domestic output in 1898 was about 12,000,000 lamps. The number of incandescent lamps imported is so small that it does not affect the calculation to an appreciable degree.—Western Electrician.

One on the Judge.

A story is told of a judge who could not control his temper and so could not control other people. One day there was unusual disorder in the courtroom, and at last the judge could endure it no longer. "It is impossible to allow this persistent contempt of court to go on," he exclaimed, "and I shall be forced to go to the extreme length of taking the one step that will stop it!" There was a long silence; then one of the leading counsel rose and with just a trace of a smile, inquired: "If it please your honor, on what date will your resignation take effect?"—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Mounts and Remounts.

The number of horses required by an army corps is immense. They are needed to mount the officers and the cavalry, to drag stores, ammunition and guns, to draw the ambulance wagons and all the hospital necessaries, to carry the bridges, pontoons, telegraph apparatus, balloons and hundreds of other things. An army corps requires at least 12,000 horses, and as these are constantly getting sick, getting shot and breaking down, they have to be renewed again and again. Not fewer than 1,401 wagons are needed for the various purposes of an army corps.—N. Y. Herald.

Not Much.

"Nancy," said the stern parent, as he reached for the butter, "I thought Jack Hashaway kissed you last night."

"Nonsense, father!" responded the pink-cheeked daughter. "Why did you think so?"

"Well, Nancy, as I passed the parlor door I thought I heard you say 'Oh, stop!'"

"The idea! If Jack were to kiss me, do you think I'd tell him to stop?"—Chicago Evening News.

She Apologizes.

Waitress—You are sure you don't want anything more, gentlemen?

Customer—Haven't we said so already?

"I beg your pardon, I'm sure; but I can't help being attentive to gentlemen that look as if they was going to be so liberal!"—Puck.

Suits and Damages.

Tailor—I brought you this suit six months ago, and you haven't paid me a cent.

Harduppe—But it didn't suit; it was damaged.

"I am afraid I shall have to bring another suit for damages."—Philadelphia Record.

Would Learn to Quarrel.

"Mrs. Wiggins," remarked the minister, "we wish you would let your daughter join the choir."

"O, I couldn't think of it!" was the reply. "Minnie has such a sweet disposition and I don't want to spoil her."—Ohio State Journal.

Similar But Different.

Mrs. Blinks—There's hardly any living with my husband; he doesn't know anything.

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Big Cargo of Breadstuffs.

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Starting a Conversation.

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"Why?" she asked.

"Degeneration is so plainly marked upon all his features. Jove! I should hate to have a man with his characteristics for my father!"

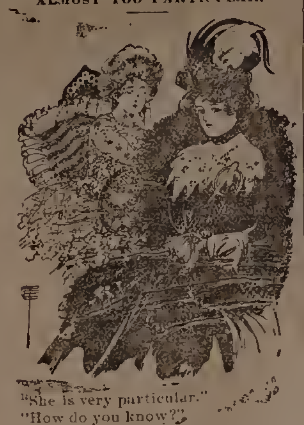
"Oh, I don't know," she replied. "It isn't so bad. Come over here, papa, and let me introduce you to Mr. Snively."—Chicago Times-Herald.

What Might Have Been.

"It's queer how people's ambitions change," said the sweet-looking old lady. "When my Willie was a boy he wanted to be a circus performer, and now he is a clergyman."

"Yes," replied the woman who has a reputation for saying things, "and it is often hard to account for these deflections, too. He might have made an excellent horizontal bar artist."—Chicago Times-Herald.

ALMOST TOO PARTICULAR.



"She is very particular."

"How do you know?"

"When she caught that burglar in her house the first thing she asked was if he had wiped his feet on the door mat."—Chicago Chronicle.

Warring Sentiments.

"You have long boasted what you were going to do with Chaffers when you met him, and when he confronted you the other day you ran away from him."

"True. But, strong as was my belligerent impulse, I couldn't overcome the influence of my mother's injunction to shun bad company."—Richmond Dispatch.

Brave Men Fall

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Idaville, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store. Every bottle guaranteed.

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WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 48, 4 13, 5 15, 6 01, 7 13 7 30, 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.58 p m.

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WRENTHAM.

M[illegible] Elizabeth Hatch, aged [illegible]4, wife of David Hatch, died at Wampum on Sunday The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon, Rev Mr Minchin officiating She leaves a husband, four sons and one daughter the wife of B.C Hanceman —Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Bertha Atwood Harshorn to Joseph Graven Scamadi, on Wednesday, Sept [illegible], from [illegible] —Francis N Sheldon has been drawn to serve as juror for the September [illegible] term of court at Dedham —Mr and Mrs. William Whitaker [illegible] children of Cambridge are at Miss Mary McLane's —Mrs. E M, Miss Louise and Miss A M Brastow are in Yarmouth —Mrs James E Carpenter is at Nantucket —Mr and Mrs George Foster of M[illegible] are at the Metcalf cottage —The recent bazar netted [illegible] —Nathan Fales has gone on a sea voyage to Halifax, N S —Rev J W Alexander, the talented young [illegible] clergyman, [illegible] the guest of M[illegible] [illegible] Fales —Fred L Sewall, [illegible] the Wrentham High [illegible], has accepted a position as principal of the Wareham High school, with [illegible] pupils and requiring two assistant [illegible] —Daniel S Farrington [illegible] [illegible] for a vacation at the [illegible] —Miss [illegible] is visiting friends at [illegible] —Miss Mary Chase of Lichfield [illegible] is visiting her sister Mrs A M [illegible] —Miss [illegible] [illegible] —Mr. and Mrs A[illegible] [illegible] from their outing [illegible] at Me

The New Orleans [illegible] [illegible] have invented a [illegible] gets little comfort from a scientific journal. It analyzes his scheme and says his gun would have to be 1.5[illegible] feet long and operated by a plant that would cost $21, 49[illegible],[illegible]00.

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Miss Nellie Border of Fall River is at Mrs. E F Parmenter's.

George Austin has returned from a week's stay at Block Island

Mrs. Fred Mackay and children of Boston are visiting relatives here.

Mr and Mrs Gray and children of Holyoke are visiting at Nelson Falls

Miss Alice M Bradford leaves Sunday for a three weeks' visit in Chicago

Miss Gertrude Blakeney of North Attleboro has been visiting relatives here.

William Towne and family of Boston are at the parsonage for a month or two.

Dr and Mrs I D A Warner of Bridgeport, Conn , are visiting the Misses Fales

Miss Maud Foster of Diamond Hill visited her aunt Mrs G S. Sheldon, last week

A cottage prayer meeting was held Thursday evening at the home of S. D. Turner

Mrs W A [illegible] and Mrs Lydia Newell spent Tuesday at Rev L. Brown's, in Wrentham

Mrs. E P Ha[illegible] and children of West Roxbury are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs G F Hit[illegible]

Rev Dr P[illegible] [illegible] Providence will occupy the pulpit of the Universalist church, West Wrentham, next Sunday.

Mrs W[illegible] [illegible] and son of South Framingham have returned home after a few weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs E[illegible]

Miss Ma[illegible] Grant left Tuesday for Duluth, M[illegible], where she will be united in marriage to Ben[illegible] Becha of that place He was a former resident of Providence.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending August [illegible], 1900

Ladies—Miss Neng[illegible] Cardetta Mrs R W Jackson, Miss Cassie G. Mackintosh (two)

Gentlemen—G English, W G Fairfield, Charles Green, E R. Newcomb, J. W. Raymond, A J Wellington, Chas. Wood, Hugh Murray

Foreign—Francesco Sara, B Sal[illegible], Concezio Celeste

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list

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WHITE DUCK SKIRTS, with insertion, were $2.25, now $1.69.

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St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10 Rev. M J. Lee, rector

Congregational church—Preaching at 10 30 by Rev. R. W. Wallace, D. D., of Somerville Sunday school at 12. Y P S C E. at 6 30 No evening service

Methodist church — Preaching at 10 30 by Rev S. Halfyard on "A Profitable Investment " No evening service. Sunday school at 12 Epworth league at 6 30

Baptist church, Rev Frank B. Sleeper, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. Leander Fisher of Woonsocket Sunday school at 12 Young People's meeting at 6 15.

Read the business announcements

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Benj. C W[illegible] and John H. P. K[illegible] to George W Bacon, dated A[illegible] 1, 1900, and recorded with Norfolk County Deeds, [illegible] [illegible], folio 531, for a breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed, will be sold on the premises in Fr[illegible]k[illegible], said Norfolk county, at public auction, on

SATURDAY, SEPT. [illegible], 1900

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit: A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon standing, containing thirty acres, more or less, situate on the easterly side of Elm street, in said Franklin, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning on said Elm street, at land formerly of George Watson now Herbert Bartlett, then running easterly and northerly on land now or formerly of said Watson and land now or formerly of E. N. B[illegible]ard and James E Adams as the wall and fence now stand, to land formerly of James B. Adams, to land now or formerly of Alfred L. Bodge, thence on said land to said Elm street; thence in said Elm street to the point of beginning, being the same premises as described in a certain deed from the said George W Bacon to the said Wood and Kenyon, dated March 29, 1900, and recorded in Norfolk County Deeds.

Said property will be sold subject to a prior mortgage of $1,000.

Terms made known at sale

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss

PROBATE COURT

To the heirs at law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Oliver Everett late of Wrentham, in said county, deceased

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by E[illegible] [illegible] Whi[illegible]ker [illegible] Wrentham who prays [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] issued to him, [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

Witness, [illegible] H[illegible], Esq[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

COURT OF LAND REGISTRATION

SUFFOLK, ss.

To Adelbert F. Perry, Terrance Cassidy, Frank Cassidy and Daniel Dinneen of Millis, in the county of Norfolk, Frances Collins of Needham, in said county of Norfolk, Fred H. Williams of Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, William F. Collins of Boston, in said county of Suffolk, Florence E. Clark of New York city, in the state of New York, and Margaret D. Richardson of Elmhurst, in said state of New York, and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court by Charles L. Richardson of said Boston, Clarissa R. Leland of Sherborn, in the county of Middlesex, Jeremiah D. Richardson, Charlotte L. Hamilton, Edward F. Richardson and Josie E. Richardson of said New York city to register and confirm their title in the following described land: A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situate in said Millis, and bounded southeasterly by Orchard street 1212 feet; northeasterly by land of Daniel Dinneen 427 feet; northwesterly by said land of Dinneen 928 feet; westerly by land of heirs of M. Collins and parcel hereinafter described 225 feet; southerly by land of Fred H. Williams on two lines measuring together 447 feet; northwesterly again by said Williams' land 239 feet, and southwesterly by said land of Williams 94 feet.

Also another parcel of land situate in said Millis, and bounded southeasterly by Orchard street 317 feet; northerly by land of Fred H. Williams 267 feet; easterly by said land of Williams 662 feet; northerly again by land of heirs of M. Collins 650 feet; westerly, southwesterly and southerly by Bogastow Brook about 1200 feet; easterly by land of heirs of M Collins 100 feet; southerly by the same 45 feet; westerly by the same 100 feet, and southwesterly by the same 25 feet.

Said lots are shown on a plan filed with said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Court of Land Registration, to be held at Boston, in said county of Suffolk, on the FOURTH day of SEPTEMBER, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Leonard A. Jones, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixth day of August, in the year nineteen hundred.

Attest with the Seal of said Court. [SEAL]
CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder

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MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

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Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire.

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 05 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Miss Laura Blake has returned from her vacation in Maine.

Mrs. E. C, Dean and children are visiting friends in Walpole.

Prof. Peirce returned on Sunday from a week's outing in Maine.

Miss Tillie Raymond of Worcester is visiting her mother here.

Services at the Universalist church will be resumed next Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Spencer of Providence has been visiting at T. B. Allen's.

Mrs. George H. Grant is quite seriously ill at her home on School street.

Our Boys will play the Father Matthew ball team at Woonsocket on Labor day.

Fred Ford of Lawrence is a guest of J. B. McKinnon at the Hotel Windsor.

Mrs. E. C. Cotton and Charles Frazer have returned from their visit in Palmer.

George C. Daniels and son Clifton have been enjoying the fishing in Maine for a week.

Miss Myrtie Field is a new assistant at the postoffice, beginning her duties yesterday.

Miss Nellie W. Holmes is spending a week at Old Orchard, Me., with Miss Mae Buckley.

Selectman and Mrs. J. J. McCarthy welcomed a little son into their home last week.

Miss Sadie E. Sullivan of Oak street is entertaining Mrs. J. J. Leary and daughter Esther of Upton.

Victor Buell has resigned his position as second hand in the card room at the American woolen mill.

Rev. S.A. Cook expects to be in Franklin and conduct the prayer service at his church Friday evening.

Mrs. C. F. McCarthy and children of Winchester are visiting at the home of her parents on East street.

Dr. A. J. Gallison has returned from Europe and is spending a few days with his family at Cottage City.

Mrs. Charles Corbin of Central street entertained her mother, Mrs. McMasters of Hyde Park, Wednesday.

William Fisher, Miss Mary Fisher and Miss Mabel Young of Boston are guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Fisher.

An additional school will be opened this fall at the Nason street school house. J. R. Wyckoff will be the teacher.

James Keuney, clerk in O. B. Carter's store, returned yesterday from a vacation spent in New York the past week.

George W. Thompson attended the reunion of his old regiment, the eighteenth Massachusetts, at Plymouth Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. F. B. Sleeper have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Clark in Ashland for a few days.

Prof. H. R. Burrington has been here the past week looking out for affairs at Dean during the absence of Prof. Peirce in Maine.

John Laundry and family, who removed from here to Norwich, Conn., a few years ago, returned on Saturday to again reside here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Bartlett, Master Philip Bartlett, Mrs. Emily Nye and Miss Emily Nye of St. Joseph, Mo., are guests of Charles F. Nye.

Flowers for the Alden club may be left this week with Mrs. Charles F. Nye, Mrs. Frank Willard, Mrs. O. B. Carter and Mrs. George E. Emerson.

Prof. A. W. Peirce, Prof. H. R. Burrington and others of the faculty of Dean academy attended the funeral of Clifford J. Dallinger at Cambridgeport on Sunday.

Misses Blanche and Harriet Stevenson of the Back Bay, Boston, and Miss Edith Edson of Worcester, who have been staying at L. W. Daniels', have returned to their homes.

W. H. Tylee has received the contract for building the Millville extension of the Woonsocket street railroad and began work Monday. This doesn't look as if we'd go to Foxboro this season.

Walter, the four-year-old son of Conductor J. B. McCarthy, died on Saturday morning, a victim of spinal meningitis. Funeral services were held this afternoon at the parents' home on Pleasant street.

All of the public schools will commence their fall term next Tuesday, Sept. 4, and Supt. Daniels will be at his office in the Horace Mann building all day Saturday and Monday to meet parents and others.

The Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket company has been given leave to withdraw on its application for a location through Main, Pearl, Purchase, Dilla and Cedar streets to the Hopkinton town line in Milford.

The funeral of Louis Williams, the aged war veteran who passed away last Friday, was held Sunday afternoon, Rev. G. W. Miner conducting services at the family residence on Pleasant street. The interment was at Mendon.

Forty members of Eureka lodge, I. O. O. F., of Woonsocket came here last evening and put up at the Hotel Windsor, where supper was served and a pleasant time enjoyed until 11.30. The party made the trip in a special car.

Mrs. K. R. Jewett and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lesure and Miss Emma Clegg returned from their outing in Westport, Me., this morning. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dell of Quincy for a short visit here.

John Lemier, who is employed in the Worcester textile mill at Unionville, had three fingers on his left hand injured in a calendar machine while at work Friday, the top of the small finger being cut off. Dr. J. M. Crowley dressed the wound.

A number from here went to North Attleboro on Saturday to see the North Attleboro-Attleboro game, the former winning by the score of 2 to 0, making them the victors in three games out of five. Two more games will be played.

Rev. Ralph Gillam, the evangelist who labored here in the spring of '96, was in town last week looking for a suitable place in which to locate. His many friends in this locality would be pleased to have him select Franklin as his home.

Mr and Mrs. George Andrews of Brooklyn, N. Y., have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Bassett the past few days. Their daughter, Miss Josephine Bassett, and her friend, who have been here a number of weeks, will return on Friday.

It has been suggested that the example of the Franklin-Dedham street railway in putting a rubbish barrel at their station on Main street for the deposit of refuse is a good one to follow by others who sweep their dirt and papers into the street.

Our Boys defeated the Stars of Woonsocket at Hoag lake Saturday afternoon in a one sided contest, the score standing 14 to 1 in favor of the Franklin team. The batteries were Fiske and Boucher for Our Boys and Anchor and Medette for Woonsocket.

Mrs. Augustus Waldmeyer and daughter Adele of Crescent street left today for New York and tomorrow will sail on the Red Star line for Basil, Switzerland, the native place of Mrs. Waldmeyer, and where she and her daughter now return to permanently reside.

The sisters of St. Mary's convent arrived from Emmittsburg on Friday, where they have been for the past six weeks. The new sisters are Sisters Irene and Mary Vincent, and those heretofore laboring here who have not returned are Sisters Loretta, Sabina and Euphemia.

The extreme hot weather of the last few days has had a depressing effect on everything. Sunday the thermometer registered in several places as high as 103 in the shade and 117 to 130 in the sun. Monday was almost as hot, and no one moved about any more than absolutely necessary.

Little Iva Morrell, the three-year old daughter of Edwin I. Morrell of Alpine street, fell from the piazza in a rocking chair to the ground, a distance of three or four feet, and sustained a shock that partially paralyzed one side. It is hoped that the injury is not permanent and that with care she will recover.

The recent census enumeration will show that the tendency of population is toward the southwestern part of the town. It will probably be found that the falling off, if any, which some people expect, will be in the northern rather than the southern district, the section where the manufacturing interests are situated.

There is a steady call for tenements, and there are less empty ones than there was a little while since. Tenements that are provided with modern improvements are not likely to remain empty much longer. In fact, there is only an occasional one empty now. The time is near when tenements that are not thus provided will not rent so easily. It is a matter of health as well as convenience.

The Hoag lake attractions Sunday were sufficient to attract thousands during the day. Of course the principal attraction was the band concert. No clambake was served Sunday, but ice cream, soda, etc., were in great demand. The park furnished an excellent spot to escape the heat of the city, and the majority were there to find shade and rest rather than amusement.

The attractions at Lake Pearl on Sunday were numerous as usual. Large crowds were there from surrounding cities and towns and the park management gave every one a pleasant time. This week there will be special attractions intended to amuse and entertain the patrons of the place. The fair weather of the past week or two has encouraged thousands to visit Lake Pearl, and it is growing in popularity every day.

At the home of L. W. Milliken Saturday evening there was a gathering of friends to watch a night-blooming cereus. The plant had five blossoms, which began to open about 7 o'clock, and at the end of an hour were in full bloom. They remained in full bloom five or six hours and then closed up as daylight approached. The flowers were very large and a pure white. They are six inches in diameter in the largest part of the rim of the flower.

George Babcock of Medfield was before Judge Doe in the district court Saturday morning, charged with overdriving a horse and drunkenness. Special Officer Connor arrested Babcock Friday evening on Lincoln street. Babcock, the officer said, was seated in a buggy driving a horse for all it was worth in an attempt to outrun an electric car that was bowling along towards Franklin on the Medway road. The judge found the accused guilty of drunkenness and fined him $10. The charge of overdriving was placed on file.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Thayer, who arrived home yesterday from their summer outing at Holderness, N. H., made a portion of their return trip by trolley, leaving Fitchburg, Mass., yesterday at 8 A. M., and arriving here about 4 P. M., the actual distance being 61 miles. The line from Clinton to Framingham they report as excelling in scenic beauty any other part of the journey, passing, as it does, through the delightful summer towns of Lancaster and Southboro. A carriage drive taken through the Mt. Monadnock (N. H) region last week was also included on their return trip.

One man took his family on a vacation, according to an exchange, and his landlord "didn't do a thing to them." He said I allowed myself to be flim-flammed by and old jay in the country who advertised 'eggs, milk and berries' at reasonable rates. My wife thought it would do the children a world of good, so we went. The old jay took to the children, taught them how to weed onions, pump water for the stock and feed the poultry. He wanted to teach me how to hoe cabbage but I declined with thanks. There were other boarders present and he managed to get them to do two thirds of the work on the farm. He wasn't as green as he looked."

George I. Partridge has been saving money a great many years, and as a result has now in his possession a seven dollar bill, given to him by his mother when he was a young man. It was one paid to Mr. Partridge's great-grandfather for services in the Continental army. It is about two and a half by three inches in size and entitles the holder to its value in Spanish mill dollars. The bills were printed by Sellars & Hull, the names which appear on so many of the printed relics of revolutionary times. When Mr. Partridge's relative received his pay, or soon after, the bills had depreciated so much that it required about $50 to get a dinner. Probably the memento would bring a larger sum now than then.

Postmaster Talbot says that for the past few years the money order business has shown a steady growth, illustrating at once the confidence of the public in this system of remittance, as well as the return of prosperity in all branches of trade. In remitting small amounts the money order system is absolutely safe, the department throwing every safeguard around this financial method of doing business. Where safety is absolute and the fees so small, there is no excuse for any one sending bills loosely in envelopes in anticipation of safe delivery. The increase in the money order business at the local post office is most gratifying, and we trust all who intend to make small remittances will avail themselves of the system, and which the department heartily recommends.

Put to the Test.

We recently printed a recipe for inducing sleep and a reader tried it with the following result, vividly and no doubt truthfully portrayed:

"Eureka!" "Eureka!" exclaimed Mr. Von Skovendolf. He was reading the local Guardsman and a smile of infinite possibilities flickered amid the gathering drops of perspiration on his features. "I have found it," he continued, turning to the guardian angel of his matrimonial bliss in feminine apparel. "The Guardsman says that a New York physician says that the hand on the pit of the stomach is sure to induce sleep, and I shall try it." And he did. When it was time to seek nature's sweet repose Mr. Von Skovendolf donned his night cap of green mull, the latest fad, and stretched himself with contentment on his mind and hand on the pit of his stomach. It was a very heavy hand, one dreaded by the young Von Skovendolfs when exercised in the duty of correcting youthful misdemeanors, and their estimate of its weight was tempered by judgment rendered amid painful sensations and agitated emotions. To the parental mind, however, it was only the panacea for insomnia. It was hardly five minutes before Mr. Von Skovendolf experienced the sensation of departure from the material and practical world and was at ease on a couch of bliss. In the place of the paper and plaster of his apartment oriental roses hung, and in unseen nooks, where the fragrant tree boughs swung, birds with brilliant plumage and voices like unto the lute song. These strange transformations excited no surprise in the anatomy of the sleeper, neither did the next scene, when a gold brick with shining, spider legs came dancing up from the foot of the bed and, pausing on the dome of his digestive organs, remarked, "My name is Bunco; you can buy me for a nominal price." Before Mr. Von Skovendolf had time to reject the proposal with scorn as a 16 to 1 scheme or accept with complacency the spider legs twisted together, the brick began to expand, the golden hue changed to shadowy darkness and a grinning Filipino sat astride his breast and waving his hands wildly about shouted, "Where is Aguinaldo?" But, presto! in the twinkle of an eye a pleasant-featured, middle-aged gentleman in a golf suit and stovepipe hat ornamented with a slim cockade appeared, and throwing his arms affectionately around the friend of Aguinaldo, the two disappeared up the chimney. The respite was very temporary, however, and before Mr. Von Skovendolf had time to offer himself much in the way of congratulations a brownish yellow gentleman with elongated eyes, a long coil of black hair, an abreviated smock frock of violet hue, pants of dark complexion and the same size all the way down, stood before him with a brutal look upon his countenance, a long stemmed pipe in one hand from which opium fumes were ascending and an immense chop stick in the other. He was excited and flourished his implements in a dangerous manner as he exclaimed, "Melican devil tear down Chinaman josshouse; Chinaman tear shirtee Melican devil ali pieces alle samee, hool la!" And suddenly, with the agility of a cat, he jumped on Mr. Von Skovendolf's depot of commissary supplies and with heavy wooden clogs began a war dance of the most painful character to Mr. Von Skovendolf. That gentleman despaired for his life, but his commercial instincts impelled him to sell it for as much as possible, and the hand not occupied with the pit of his stomach convulsively seized the pillow and swung it at the Chinaman. It glanced harmlessly by that sardonic, smiling individual, but swept the deck of the lightstand clear of lamps, kerosene, chimneys, matches, etc., caromed on the water pitcher and wash bowl, depositing them on the floor with the other debris. But the visitor was gone and Mr. Von Skovendolf was suddenly conscious of Mrs. Von Skovendolf's voice at the chamber window several degrees above concert pitch screaming, "Murder! Thieves! Oh, Sampson Miles Von Skovendolf, get your gun quick or we'll all be murdered in our beds!" As soon as Mr. Von Skovendolf was able to get in a word of explanation that he must have been dreaming he arose and looked out of the window. And the moon looked down upon him placid as usual, but Von Skovendolf's highly sensitive nature seemed to detect wonder, if not sarcasm, in the mellow old gentleman's eyes, and as he searched for a candle amid the fumes of kerosene, broken glass and furniture he remarked, "I will see the editor of the Guardsman very early in the morning. I will try to convince him that it is easier to make a gasoline compressed air combination print his medical recipes than to force them on the pit of the subscribers' stomachs. I will make it hot in the centre of the Guardsman's preserves, even if allied forces from Europe have arrived.—Woonsocket Reporter.

Parents, a Word With You.

Do you know that the business men of today demand specially trained employes for positions of trust? Why not send your son or daughter to the Providence Bryant & Stratton Business College, where they make a specialty of this line of education?

Bright Prospects at Dean.

There is a large force of men at work at Dean academy getting the institution into shape for the opening of the fall term on Tuesday, September 11, when the prospects now are that the school will have an unusually large number of pupils, surely the largest number during the encumbency of the present principal, Prof. Peirce.

The new plumbing which has been put in this summer is an especially desirable feature, as it is put in upon the latest scientific principles and with the most approved sanitary equipment. Polished marble and nickel silver attachments give the work a decidedly attractive look, and can hardly fail to be appreciated by the students. The doors in the lavatories are of quartered oak, with nickel trimmings and locks, presenting a fine appearance. J. A. Geb, the painter, has had quite a large force of men at work there, putting everything in first-class condition, and is personally superintending the work.

In the bedrooms a radical improvement has been made. All of the double beds have been taken out and single white iron bedsteads with genuine hair mattresses put in, making a combination at once cleanly, restful and sanitary. Where there are two students in a room two beds have been put in, yet without crowding. All the rooms have transoms, admitting the free passage of air for ventilation, and with a clear conscience on the part of the student a good night's rest is assured.

Miss Hamlin, who spent the past year in Europe, has returned and will take up her duties with the opening of the term. There is but one change in the corps of instructors, and Prof. Peirce will have almost without exception a tried and trained corps upon whom he can rely for assistance and counsel. He is putting a vast amount of thought and work into the school and deserves the success which the prospects now portend.

The March of Improvement.

Two landmarks have gone to make room for the street railway on Main streets. They were a pair of large elm trees standing in front of the James Shaw house, one of the oldest houses of the town. The change in grade of the sidewalk made it necessary to remove them, and many no doubt think the change is a great improvement, but it will require a good deal of improvement to compensate for the loss of two such ancient and grand looking specimens of tree growth. It is true that we cannot have all things here to please us, even with the electric railways striving to fill the demand. The march of improvement, however, has not yet seized upon all of the monarchs of the forest; there are others.

Another tree, a thing of beauty and a joy as long as it lasts, is the big elm on Central street near the leading way to the Unionville railroad station. This is an aged landmark and somewhat noted. Gen. Jackson once stopped to light his pipe under its shade, or Socrates or some other old gentleman probably did something or other there, and if he did he is to be commended upon his choice of a spot for a historical incident.

The Business Census of the Town.

The compiler of the national census for this district has been in town recently obtaining the business census of the town. The government is very inquisitive in obtaining information and is obliged to be in order to get at the correct condition of business throughout the country. The information imparted to the agent is strictly confidential, and any agent who imparts information received by him is liable to imprisonment. The agent visits every place in town where any business is done, however large or small, whether done by one individual or more, and the census of every business is taken on a separate sheet and forwarded to Washington, where the entire census of the country is summed up and the aggregates are printed. This is done once in every ten years.

Best of Attractions.

Boom's New York comedians, a gathering of stars from the Keith theatres and the principal vaudeville houses of the metropolis, have been secured to give the entertainments at Hoag lake this week. Their performances are heralded as the best of the season, for each artist is high salaried and has an almost national fame. The bill is as follows: Hennings trio, song and dance sketch; Louisa Von Woellner, vocalist and Tyrolean warbler; Frank Burt, rube equilibrist; the Tauians, novelty musical act; Kessner and Reid, acrobatic song and dance team. Paul Kerlick is accompanist for the show, which is pleasing big audiences wherever it is given.

Office Closed.

My patrons are requested to note that my dental office will be closed until further notice during my vacation.

DR. M. E. POND.

All lovers of music are invited to see the display of pianos and organs at Sanford Bros., Medway. Up to date and prices right.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Editor Cook Passes Away.

The intelligence was received here yesterday with genuine sadness that Hon. William H. Cook, the editor of the Milford Daily Journal, had passed away in Milford on Sunday of cancer of the cheek. His last work upon his paper was done July 12. He had been sick but a comparatively short time and the fatal nature of his malady was known to but few. In him Milford has lost one of her most upright, conscientious citizens, Massachusetts has lost one of her far-sighted, clear-headed, high-principled statesmen, the Republican party is bereft of a noted leader, a wise counsellor and a ready and forceful speaker, and the press of New England mourns one of its foremost representatives. He had made a name for the Milford Journal second to none of the provincial papers of the state, and his editorial column was always teeming with truths which should seek out and correct error, enthrone justice and aid the cause of right. He knew no other course. Journalism has no such men to spare, and his loss will long be felt in newspaper circles. He was born in Bennington, Vt., and was in his fifty-eighth year. A widow survives him. The funeral was held today at 2 o'clock from his late residence.

Prominent Woonsocket Man Gone.

Dr. A. W. Buckland, father of Mrs. G. S. Singleton of this place, died at his home in Woonsocket Friday morning after a long illness. Until recently he had been practicing his profession as dentist, in which he distinguished himself. He was a member of the American Academy of Dental Science, a member of the New England Dental society, of the Rhode Island Dental society and at one time was a member of the Rhode Island board of dental registration.

During his career Dr. Buckland became interested in many private business enterprises. He was president of the Woonsocket Spool and Bobbin Co., president of the People's Savings bank, a director of the Producers' National bank and one of the owners of the Woonsocket lumber yard and the Buckland & Clark building. He was also a director of several western mining companies.

He had been a commander of Woonsocket commandery, No. 32, K. T. He was also a member of other societies, including Washington lodge, No. 70, A. F. and A. M., of Windsor, Conn.; Washington lodge, Knights of Honor; Hope lodge, N. E. O. P., and the local lodge of Good Fellows. In 1866 he married Helen Augusta Marble, daughter of Joel Waters Marble and Mary Ann (Harding) Marble of Southbridge, Mass. He leaves a wife and two other daughters, Mrs. Edward Lakey of Providence and Mrs. Robert E. Davis of Woonsocket.

A Celebrated Case.

Judge Doe wrestled in spite of the heat with the complications of the "Garrity cow case" on Saturday. It seems that the cow was at pasture, tied to a stake in a yard where Mr. Hume had the right, as claimed, of mowing the grass, and Mr. Hume went to the stake to move the animal out of the way while he gathered what remained of the crop. The cow advanced on Mr. Hume so ferociously that he claims to have been seriously injured and asked damages. Accordingly two Medway attorneys and one from Boston were engaged, some twenty witnesses testified and four doctors. The final arguments will be made Friday.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

For Sale—A 120 quart milk route, cheap for cash. W. A. Pond. 28

Good wages for a girl to do housework. Inquire at SENTINEL office. 24 tf

Mrs. G W. Miner, Crescent street, would like a competent girl for housework at once. 24 tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

Wanted.—A ton of horse hay. Will pay for same in carpenter work. F. E. Dudley, Union and Central streets. 14*

To Let.—A tenement of five rooms on Alpine street. Inquire at the house or at Mrs. A. E. Burnham's, Peck street. 28 tf

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R , trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. At Calkin's Studio, over SENTINEL office.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. MCKINNON, Agent.

For Sale—A young, sound, "all round" family and farm horse, equally at home in tip cart or buggy, and safe for any one to drive or handle in any spot or place. Maple Farm. O. S. Stetson. 28

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Cut flowers, all kinds of funeral designs well made up at Slade's greenhouse. Roses in small or large quantities.

These are fish days. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fish-man.

Two chairs at Ochee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser, William Donovan, now in attendance. Short waits.

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 28, 1900.

The opponents of Samuel L. Powers for Congressman base a large proportion of their arguments against him upon the fact that he has represented the American Telephone company at various times, as if that were a crime which must not be condoned. Since attorneys appear to be the leading candidates this year, it would be difficult to find an attorney of prominence who has not at some time been retained by powerful corporations, and the telephone company is by no means the most reprehensible of them all. Ex-President Harrison does not scruple to appear in their behalf, as do scores of other prominent lawyers throughout the country. Until accusations more grave than this can be brought against Mr. Powers the thinking voters of the district will not be moved to seek other candidates for the coveted honor.

A humorous incident of the Guiteau trial was recalled at Washington a few days ago when Catherine B. Jones filed a petition for the restraint of her husband, an uncouth and rather grotesque looking farmer familiarly known as "Bill Jones, the Avenger," because while Guiteau was being transported from the courthouse to the jail one afternoon during his trial Jones rode up on a clay bank and fired several shots at the iron vehicle with a view of cheating the gallows of its victim. "Bill Jones, the Avenger," as he calls himself, was indicted for assault with intent to kill, but was never tried, and his notoriety was his ruin, for after that exciting incident he has never been able to settle down to work again and recently has done all sorts of queer things, which caused his wife to ask the court to lock him up in the lunatic asylum, where he will likely spend the remainder of his days.

"Bill Jones the Avenger."

The Vineland (Kan.) Weekly Vine throws off this little dab of neighborly appreciation of one of its townsmen: "One of the pleasantest sights we have had in this town in a long time was the artistic manner in which John Griffin, of Lawrence, buried 'Bill' Kruger, who died since our last issue. Mr Griffin had his trade at his fingers' ends, and he handled our dead citizen with an agility that was startling in its originality. He was everywhere all the time, weeping with the afflicted widow, discussing weather prospects with the farmers and soliciting business from the other attendants at the funeral. He will doubtless be able to get all the business in these parts. Before leaving for home he subscribed for this great family weekly, paying a year in advance. Hence this puff."

It is said that not one cent of taxes has been paid to the state of Kentucky since the present trouble began. Soldiers are stationed at the door of the auditor's office, as well as at the doors of other state officers, so that no public business can be transacted. A heavy penalty is imposed on banks and large manufacturing enterprises for failure to pay taxes at the proper time. In order to escape this penalty, and to prevent their money from falling into the hands of the wrong persons, the money is placed in the State Bank of Kentucky and an injunction is then issued, preventing either party to the controversy from collecting the funds.

One of the unique institutions of Kansas City is State Line street. Kansas City is located on the border line between Missouri and Kansas, occupying a liberal stretch of territory in each side of the boundary. The Missouri state laws prohibit gambling within its borders, while Kansas is famed for its prohibition laws. A choice array of gambling resorts lines the north side of State Line street which is located on Kansas soil, while the opposite side of this thoroughfare in the state of Missouri is made up chiefly of saloons.

WHAT A BLESSING.

Many of Our Readers are Learning to Appreciate.

What a blessing it is.

Sought after by thousands.

Many a miserable man is happy now.

Nights of unrest, days of trouble.

An itching skin disease means this.

Itching Piles mean it.

Eczema just as bad, and just as hard to cure.

But Doan's Ointment relieves at once, and cures all itchiness of the skin.

A blessing to a suffering public.

Here's proof to back our statement.

Mr. Samuel Carr, of 8 School street, Haverhill, Mass., says: "I procured Doan's Ointment for an eruption on my leg which caused me considerable anxiety. The treatment gave satisfactory results and warrants me in saying that Doan's Ointment acts up to the representations made for it."

Doan's Ointment for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, Doan's, and take no substitutes.

BOASTFUL PHILADELPHIA.

Here was set up the first American printing press in 1685.

Here in 1690 the first paper mill in our country was built.

Here in 1731 was found the first public library.

Here in 1735 was erected the first type foundry of our country.

Here in 1741 Philadelphia published the first magazine on this side.

Here in 1743 the Quaker city took the initiatory at Bible printing.

Here in 1746 sprang up the first medical college in our native land.

Here in 1752 our first American fire insurance company was organized.

Here in 1753 our first American Arctic expedition was fitted out.

Here in 1784 the first daily newspaper in the new world was issued.

And here are some more of our firsts: First mint for coining American money; first opened a bank—Bank of North America; first man-o'-war under the federal constitution was constructed here; here was laid the first experimental railroad track on our soil.—Philadelphia Record.

BAD LUCK FOR ACTORS.

An actor cannot don his grease paint while looking into the mirror over another's shoulders.

A cross-eyed man must not obtain a seat in the front row, or he will hoodoo the company for the season.

A theatrical door tender who knows his business will never accept a complimentary pass before a paid admission ticket is presented, or the result will be an unprofitable engagement.

An actor must not whistle in his dressing-room, or look at the front of the curtain before going on the stage, nor must he put on the left shoe or stocking before getting into the right.

A yellow clarinet in the orchestra, a cat walking across the stage during a performance, leaving valuables in dressing-room or asking the manager for salary—all mean bad luck to the actor.

ATCHISON GLOBE SIGHTS.

We don't like a dinner where there is more style than things to eat.

Probably no woman ever gave a "party" without borrowing something from the neighbors.

When the women say men must be handled with "tact," they usually mean that they must be deceived.

A woman who thoroughly understands the male nature, puts up fruit to prove it, instead of quoting poetry.

When you are a guest at a dinner do not hear the whispered conferences between the hostess and her "girl;" look the other way, and talk while they are in progress.

Are the Chinese civilized or barbarians? You probably know that they bind up the women's feet to keep them from gadding off to literary clubs or whist games.

AS A WOMAN SEES IT.

There is nothing like work for a heavy heart.

Independence in a woman does not mean bad manners.

A man likes to be told he is handsome, even if he knows he is not.

The feminine disposition, they say, delineates itself upon the back.

Velocity, according to a boy, is what a man puts a hot plate down with.

Some people are like porcupines—you can never go near them without getting stuck.

Is Baby Thin this summer? Then add a little SCOTT'S EMULSION to his milk three times a day. It is astonishing how fast he will improve. If he nurses, let the mother take the Emulsion. 50c. and $1.00; all druggists.

SELECTED GEMS OF VERSE.

The Philosopher.

Oh, his face is very solemn
 As he looks along the column
Where the economic theories are spread.
 And he says we must be careful,
 Likewise erudite and pray'rful,
If we aren't—well, we might as well be dead.
 And the coal is getting lower
 And the clock is ticking slower
And the lawyer's written threatening a call.
 He is poor as any peasant.
 Some would say it was unpleasant,
But it doesn't seem to worry him at all.

 His researches scientific
 Are with doubts and fears prolific,
He says the earth will shrivel up and freeze,
 And we won't have any fuel
 To confront the winter cruel—
He is much disturbed o'er matters such as these.
 His bank account is tiny
 And his sleeves are short and shiny,
And a creditor is waiting in the hall.
 It is scarce the situation
 For a man of education,
But it doesn't seem to worry him at all.
—Washington Star.

O Ye of Little Faith.

A sower sowed his seed, with doubts and fears;
"I dare not hope," he said, "for fruitful ears.
Poor hath the harvest been in other years."
Yet ere the August moon had waxen old
Fair stood his fields, a waving sea of gold.
 He reaped a thousandfold!

In a dark place one dropt a kindly word.
"So weak my voice," he sighed, "perchance none heard.
Or if they did, no answering impulse stirred."
Yet in an hour his fortunes were at stake.
One put a life in peril for his sake,
 Because that word he spake!

"Little I have to give, O Lord," one cried,
"A wayward heart that oft hath Thee denied;
Couldst Thou with such a gift be satisfied?"
Yet when the soul had ceased its mournful plaint,
God took the love that seemed so poor and faint
 And from it made a saint!
—Christian Burke, in Sunday Magazine.

The Tides.

Be careful what rubbish you toss in the tide.
 On outgoing billows it drifts from your sight,
But back on the incoming waves it may ride,
 And land at your threshold again before night.
Be careful what rubbish you toss in the tide.

Be careful what follies you toss in youth's sea.
 On bright dancing billows they drift far away.
But back on the Nemesis tide they may be
 Flung down at your feet all unwelcome some day.
Be careful what follies you toss in youth's sea.
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox, in Youth's Companion.

"Even This Shall Pass Away."

The seasons come, the seasons go,
The crocus dies, the roses blow;
The quiet, sunny, summer noon
To winter's cold shall change full soon.
  Say not "Alas!"
  For all things pass.

This day thy feet may firmly tread
Where they who loved thee once lie dead;
The child who clings to thy strong hand
To-morrow in thy place shall stand.
  Say not "Alas!"
  For thou must pass.

But when the phantom, Death, draws near,
Breathe thou no sigh and shed no tear;
Look upward with unfailing trust
To Him who knoweth thou art dust.
  Say not "Alas!"
  For Death shall pass.
—Churchman.

A Dangerous Experiment.

I know a man who has no friend
 In all this teeming earth;
His days in solitude he'll end
 Afar from sounds of mirth.
The truth somehow went to his head;
 By trouble he is caught.
He frankly went ahead and said
 What everybody thought.

Some people said: "Of course it's true
 And that's what makes it worse;
We'll have to quit him. He is due
 To feel the social curse
Which o'er the over-bold is spread."
 His life with woe is fraught
And all because he frankly said
 What everybody thought.
—Washington Star.

God Knows.

O restless heart! why murmur?
 The sun is shining still.
Though clouds seem very near you,
 God knows. It is His will.

He knows the weary heartache,
 The longing and unrest.
"Come unto me," He whispers
 "And lean upon my breast."

What most you wish and long for
 Might only bring you pain.
You cannot see the future
 God's purpose to explain.

So trust, faint heart, thy Master.
 He doeth all things well.
He loveth more than heart can guess
 And more than tongue can tell.
—J. J. Marley, in N. Y. Observer.

A World of Blossoms.

It's like a world of blossoms—broad plains, and hills of light—
A wilderness of color, and over all the bright—
The cloudless sunshine streaming, so that each breathing clod
Is sending in the violet's breath sweet messages to God.

But what is missed from springtime, with all its joy and grace?
The sweeter music of your voice—the sunshine of your face;
That sunshine streaming round me hath little that is bright,
When I miss you from the blossoms—when I miss you from the light!
—F. L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.

Resignation.

You kin talk about yoh sorrow,
 You kin kick about yoh grief;
But it ain' no use to borrow
 Trouble. Dat won' bring relief.
You must face the changin' seasons;
 So don' complain nor doubt.
You war put on earth foh reasons.
 An' dar ain' no backin' out.

De winter's mighty chilly
 An' de summer's mighty hot.
De roads is long an' hilly
 An' dar ain' no restin' spot.
But, honey, don't be tearful.
 Jes' let yoh heaht be stout.
You might as well be cheerful,
 'Case dar ain' no backin' out.
Washington Star.

Playing the Years Away.

He played with me, long years ago,
 And as we romped and ran
I liked to make believe that I
 Had grown to be a man.

My little one and I play now,
 As he and I did then,
And as we romp I make believe
 That I'm a boy again.
—S. E. Kiser in Chicago Times-Herald.

Women's Rule.

It is a singular fact that the reign of every queen in modern times has been attended by a wonderful advance in the material, political, literary and even military progress of her country. The reign of Catherine the Great of Russia witnessed the widest extension of the Russian empire that had been known up to her time, and the greater part of the Russian conquests were accomplished during the time of the other Russian empresses. The reign of Maria Theresa was a period of prosperity for Austria-Hungary, in spite of the Seven Years' war, while the reigns of Elizabeth and Anne in British history were ages of glory in letters, arts and war, and that of Mary might have been but for the unlucky foreign alliance she formed with Philip of Spain. Great Britain has never seen such an age as that of Victoria, and perhaps will not again for centuries. The presence of a queen on the throne as sovereign seems to inspire all the poetry and chivalry there is in the nature of man, and perhaps that fact furnishes an adequate explanation why countries flourish under female rulers.—Philadelphia Ledger.

California's Famous Liquor Saloon.

One of the curious sights in California which every traveler goes to see is the bar in the principal hotel at Nevada City, made out of California laurel. This bar was placed there in 1864. The hotel has been rebuilt several times since, but the bar has been taken out and always put back in the new hotel. L. D. Calkins, who went to California before the '49s, says that over $5,000,000 has passed over the counter of this bar—the largest sum of money that has passed over any bar in the same period of 35 years. The wooden top of the bar was something like eight inches thick when it was first built. Now it is worn down to less than two inches. — Leslie's Weekly.

Scotland Yard.

Scotland Yard, widely known as the headquarters of the London police, is a historical place said to have been the site of a palace where kings of Scotland were received when they came to London. It is located near the banqueting hall, Whitehall. The Scotch kings retained possession of it from 959 till the rebellion of William of Scotland. Milton, Sir Christopher Wren and other notables lived in Scotland Yard.—Detroit Free Press.

She Must Have Meant Brains.

Mr. De Smyth—My darling, my own, unless you consent to wed me, I shall end my miserable existence by blowing out my brains with a revolver.

Miss De Pyth—I didn't know you had any.

"Yes, I bought a new six-shooter to-day."

"I didn't mean the revolver."—Harlem Life.

Government Deer in Alaska.

There are now about 3,500 deer belonging to the government in Alaska, which are leased out among the natives near the missionary stations, to be taken care of under the supervision of government agents. The people who take care of them are allowed to keep the increase, which is about 50 per cent. a year.—Indianapolis News.

Condensing.

Askit—Did you read about that Brooklyn man whom the doctors operated upon and found him afflicted with a folding vermiform appendix?

Tellit—No; but it is easily explained. It is a natural result of flat life.—Baltimore American.

An Emergency Man.

He—Wife, can't you make me a mustard plaster for my lame shoulder?

She—William, there isn't an atom of mustard in the house.

"Well, mix up something with tabasco sauce."—Indianapolis Journal.

There Are Others.

Mrs. Wellment — Don't you know that rum is a destroyer?

Weary Willy—Yes, lady; but so is trolley-cars, and bicycles, and dum-dum bullets, and corsets; but still folks will use 'em.—Puck.

Uruguayan Cattle.

Eighty per cent. of the cattle of Uruguay is used for the purpose of making "tasajo," or jerked beef, for exportation to Brazil, Cuba and Porto Rico.—N. Y. Sun.

Race with the Trains.

A common sight in Cape Colony is a herd of ostriches accompanying a railway train as it speeds on its way.—N. Y. World.

A Rare Trait.

Gratitude is a sublime passion, but like other sublime things it is rare.—Chicago Daily News.

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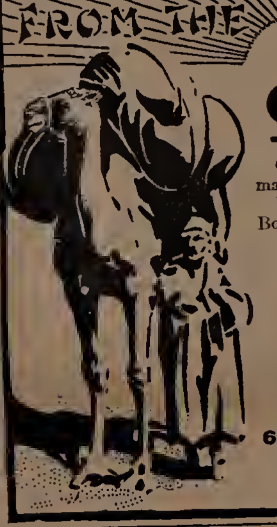

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The railway authorities of the Mexican government have been ordered to use certain safety appliances. All the passenger cars must be so equipped before the end of 1904.

Forty-one gas engines using blast furnace gas are working in Germany, the total horse power aggregating 21,950. The horse power of such engines in Belgium is 3,700, France 3,250, and England 2,060.

London is to have a new street, which will give a great thoroughfare north and south. The new street will begin at Theobald's Road, will cross High Holborn, and will finally reach the Strand by means of two arms which are limited by Somerset House.

The railway mileage of Europe has increased from 83,650 miles in 1875 to 167,439 miles in 1899. The increase has been largest in Russia, amounting to no less than 15,142 miles; then comes Germany, 14,666 miles; and France with 12,990 miles; while England has added only 5,089 miles.

It is said that coal was mined prior to 1113. In the Liege district coal was first found about 1199. In 1214 coal was attracting some attention on the southern side of the Firth of Forth. This was 100 years after the mines in the Worm district are said to have been opened and regularly worked. It is not likely that coal was mined in Great Britain before the thirteenth century.

The fire department of New York city has 94 engine and hook and ladder companies, and 1,375 officers and men in the boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx, and the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens have 80 such companies and 1,029 officers and men. There are also six powerful fireboats in commission. The boroughs of Richmond and Queens have a volunteer service of 1,725 and 2,000 men respectively.

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MR. M'SWAT AS A COOK.

Notwithstanding Explicit Instructions He Makes a Dismal Failure of It.

The McSwat household was thrown into temporary confusion by the sudden adjournment, sine die, of the kitchen lady, a young woman of great force of character, who had learned of a place where the hours of work were shorter and the afternoons out longer and more frequent, and had gone to fill it.

"Now, Lobelia," said Mr. McSwat, as they were preparing to retire for the night, "if your headache isn't any better in the morning don't you hurry about getting up. I can manage the breakfast."

"You!" exclaimed Mrs. McSwat, with the contempt that every experienced housewife feels for the meddlesome masculine being who seeks to thrust himself into the affairs of the domestic cook-shop. "You! Why, Billiger, you don't know any more about cooking a breakfast than an old hen!"

"I'll show you," he retorted. "We have buckwheat cakes every morning, don't we? Well, you tell me how to manage them, and if I don't turn out as good an article of buckwheat cake as you ever put into your system I'll eat the griddle. What is the first thing you do?"

"Well, if you are bound to try your hand at it—but you've got to promise one thing. Will you do exactly what I tell you?"

"Of course I will. What do you take me for?"

"Then the first thing you do after you have got your fire all ready is to prepare the batter. It's in the stone jar on the kitchen table. There's always some left over after breakfast, and it leavens the batter for the next morning. Understand that?"

"Anybody can understand that. Go on."

"Well, I've fixed it for to-morrow morning. All you will have to do will be to thin it, put in a little soda, salt, and New Orleans molasses—"

"What is the molasses for?"

"To make the cakes brown nicely, stupid."

"Don't you call names, madam. What else?"

"Have your griddle on the fire. You'll find the greaser in the little saucedish by the batter jar. Don't use too much grease—"

"How do I thin the batter?"

"I hadn't forgotten that. You take a cup of warm water—not hot, remember—stir in a small teaspoonful of soda, about the same quantity of salt, pour it in the batter, stir it slowly a minute or two, add the molasses—that's in a fruit jar in the pantry—and then bake a trial cake. If it lacks anything you can tell what it is from the way it tastes. Can you remember all that?"

"Remember all that!" said Mr. McSwat, with crushing disdain. "Do you call that anything to remember?"

"There's one thing more. You'll need the cake turner. It is in the drawer of the kitchen table. Now do you think manage it?"

His only reply was a soft snore.

About 6:30 the next morning Mr. Billiger McSwat might have been seen in his great act of getting the breakfast.

He lighted the gas range, hunted up the griddle, put it over the fire, and approached the jar of batter.

Rolling up his sleeves he contemplated it in silence a moment, and then began business.

The first thing he did, after hunting up the necessary groceries in the pantry and greasing the griddle, was to fill a teacup with water from the boiler, which, providentially, was still warm, and stir in a heaping tablespoonful of soda

"I think that's the quantity she prescribed," he said, cheerfully. "If it isn't enough I can put in more."

Then he added a tablespoonful of salt, a teaspoonful of the New Orleans molasses and poured the mixture into the batter jar.

He stirred the batter fiercely. It foamed up at once and ran out over the top of the jar.

"She mixed up too much of the blamed stuff," he muttered, stirring it still more vigorously.

By this time the kitchen was filling with smoke.

Concluding that the griddle was hot enough he hastily lifted the jar, carried it to the stove and poured a quantity of the batter out on the smoking griddle through the spout on the side of the jar.

There was a tremendous sizzle.

"You bet it's hot enough!" he exclaimed. "Now where's the blooming cake turner?"

He could not find it.

"Never mind," he said. "I've seen my mother use a caseknife."

When he had secured a caseknife it appeared to be high time to turn the cake. On the upper side it looked dry and yellowish. But the cake stuck. He sawed the knife under it with desperate haste, however, and finally got it over—in sections—a blackened, frazzled, discouraging semblance of a buckwheat cake.

"I don't believe it needs any cooking on that side," he said, scraping it off the griddle and slapping it on a plate.

"This," he continued, with a ferocious grin, "is the 'trial cake' she was talking about."

He tasted it.

"Ye gods!"

It was all he said.

And then Mr. McSwat took that jar of buckwheat batter, carried it out to the alley and emptied it into the garbage box.

Five minutes later he appeared at the foot of the stairway leading up from the front hall.

"Lobelia," he yelled, "that batter of yours got spoiled last night! I'm going to the meat market for a steak!"—Chicago Tribune.

Not What She Expected.

A young lady of the city who is somewhat noted for her coquetry was talking a few days ago to one of her numerous beaux.

"Oh," she said, in a most pitiful tone of voice, "nobody loves me."

As she paused for reply the young man said with that tenderness which always appeals to the feminine heart:

"I am quite sure that somebody does love you."

Her face brightened very perceptibly as she said with a great deal of interest:

"I wonder who on earth it can be Do you know?"

"Oh, yes," he replied. "God and your mother."—Memphis Scimitar.

Slip of the Tongue.

An irascible old judge, being annoyed by a young lawyer speaking to him about a legal point, in the street, threatened to fine him for contempt of court.

"Why, judge," said the young attorney, "you are not in session."

"I'd have you know," angrily responded the judge, "that this court is always subject to contempt." — Indianapolis Journal.

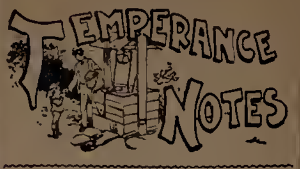
Ohio Village Marvel.

"Who? That man? Yes, I see him What is there peculiar about him?"

"That man, sir, was offered the postmastership of this town, and refused it!"

"Too independent to be willing to hold a government office?"

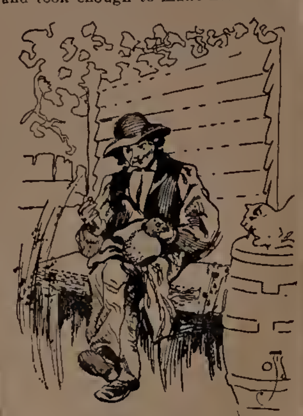
"I don't know about that. The theory here is that he is a little bit crazy."—Chicago Tribune.



THEN AND NOW.

How Sam Lawton Gave Up the Jug and the Blessings That Followed.

Sam Lawton is known as a jolly, easy-going, good-natured man; "too easy by far," has wife says, "for he lets people take advantage of him." Sam laughs at this, but has to half believe her when the remembrance of the adventures of a certain night, followed by weeks of weary waiting, comes to his mind. He tells her that he was too easy once, but now he has his eyes opened. They were opened in this way: In the old days he had been a beer drinker—what he called a moderate drinker—never taking enough to make him stagger, till one night after a barn-raising, when the owner had treated the men to a keg of beer, Sam was urged to drink again and again, and took enough to make his brain so decidedly stupid that when he started for home he lost the road, fell in a ditch and broke his leg. The weary days that followed gave plenty of time for thinking. Good Mollie, faithful wife that she was, never reproached him, but when Sam one day told her that he had done forever with beer, she told him that she was glad he had come to his senses; that all his trouble could be laid to beer, and that it wasn't fit for anybody to drink. They tried to reckon up how much that night's spree had cost him—the time lost from his work, the heavy doctor's bill, the many extras always required in sickness, to say nothing of the pain, weariness and sleepless nights to both. But those days are past, and here sits Sam, talking to himself: "Yes," he says, "we've everything to be thankful for. Here are Mollie and I with a good home, which she keeps as neat as a pin, no debts staring us in the face, no big doctor's bill to keep awake at night thinking how we shall pay it. We fare better, I look better and feel better than I used to, and if anybody asks me what I think about beer drinking, I tell him plainly he is better off without it. With such good milk as old Mooly gives, and cold water from our well, what can a man want better? Fill the pitcher, I say. No jug for me now and forever."—National Advocate.


EVERYTHING TO BE THANKFUL FOR.

TEMPERANCE TIDINGS.

Great Britain is responsible for 70,000 chests of opium sent to China from India.

The devil always scores a point when a good man opposes a good cause.—National Advocate.

The total production of cigarettes last year in this country was 19 per cent. less than the year before.

Nothing is gained for any reform by exaggerated statements or fictitious claims. Present the truth.—National Advocate.

The Tampa (Fla.) Tribune advertises for "three good cylinder pressfeeders," but gives fair warning that "no cigarette smokers or loafers need apply."

The town of Westhofen, in Germany, still enforces an old ordinance which forbids anyone walking in the street with a lighted cigar.

The oldest teetotaler in Great Britain is said to be Mrs. Sampson, aged 97. She was born at King's Lynn, and signed the pledge in January, 1820. She had ten daughters and the eight still living are teetotalers.

It does not pay to give one man, for $15 a quarter, a license to sell liquor, and then spend $5,000 on the trial of another man for buying that liquor and committing murder under its influence.

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Somewhat the Same.

"They who sail with me must be men of iron nerve," said the prospective commander of the arctic expedition.

"Wouldn't a brazen nerve do?" anxiously inquired the applicant; "I was formerly a book agent." — Brooklyn Life.

Setting a Neighbor Right.

"Was that your dog that was howling all night?"

"I guess it was."

"Why in thunder don't you feed him?"

"Heavens, man, it's indigestion that makes him howl!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Base Deception.

Criminal Lawyer—I was deceived in regard to that man whom I defended on a charge of embezzling half a million.

Friend—You found he was guilty?

Lawyer—No, confound it! He was innocent, and didn't have a cent to pay me.—N. Y. Journal.

As Seen by a Child.

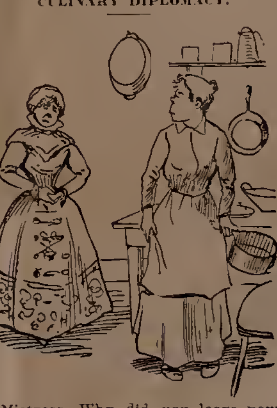
Teacher—Which one of you can tell me who Delilah was?

Johnny Jones—I kin, mum.

"Well done, Johnny; now, who was Delilah?"

"A female barber, mum." — Ohio State Journal.

CULINARY DIPLOMACY.



Mistress—Why did you leave your last place?

Bridget—Yer very inquisitive, mum. I niver axed ye why yer last cook left. —The Cigarette.

Irish Advice.

"Never be critical upon the ladies," was the maxim of an old Irish peer remarkable for his homage to the sex. "The only way that a true gentleman ever will attempt to look at the faults of a pretty woman is to shut his eyes." —Collier's Weekly.

Not the Same.

"You are accused," said the court, "of perjury, bribery, ballot stuffing, petty thievery—"

"Oh, cheese it!" cried the prisoner. "I ain't a candidate for United States senator."—Philadelphia North American.

His Point of View.

She—A married couple should pull together like a team of horses.

He—Yes, and they probably would if, like a team of horses, they had but one tongue between them.—Chicago Daily News.

Warmed Up at Last.

"Wake up!" cried the hall boy, "the hotel is afire!"

"Good!" returned the sleepy guest. "This ramshackle old barn will be heated at last."—Philadelphia North American.

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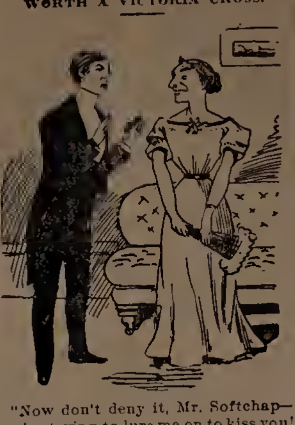

"Now don't deny it, Mr. Softchap—you're trying to lure me on to kiss you! You wild, wicked, rakish young men are all alike—and I suppose I must yield with a good grace!"—Ally Sloper.

How He Remembered.

Chairman (of investigating committee)—I am compelled now to ask how much your campaign cost you.

Victorious Candidate—It cost me $39.73.

Chairman—How does it happen you remember the odd cents?

Victorious Candidate—From the fact that $19.73 is what the new hat cost that I promised my wife in case I was elected.—Chicago Tribune.

Worse Than Horse Races.

Blinkers—Why is it your friend Winkers is always down at the heel? Does he lose his money on horse-races?

Dinkers—He never bets on a horse-race. He loses more money on the human race.

"Eh?"

"He has nine children." — N. Y. Weekly.

Too Risky.

Caller—I want the biggest fire policy you'll write.

Agent—What is your business?

Caller—City employe.

Agent—Too great a risk; you're likely to be fired at any time.—Baltimore American.

Incomprehensible.

Mamma — I wish you wouldn't make so much noise. Tommy Brown's mother won't let him have a drum in the house.

Johnny—My goodness! How can a boy get along without a drum?—Brooklyn Life.

Just in Time.

Old Lady (excitedly)—When is the train due?

Porter—In two hours and forty minutes, ma'am.

Old Lady (with a sigh of relief)—Thank you. I am so glad I am not too late.—Tit-Bits.

Negative Comfort.

"Dear Lord," returned Dorothy, at her morning devotions, "I thank you that you didn't make me a centipede, 'cause then 'twould be awful hard to button up so many shoes before breakfast."—Judge.

A Word to the Doctor.

"Doctor," said Mr. Newpop, "when you send in your bill for this boy, please to remember that he came unfinished. He hasn't a hair on his head or a tooth in his mouth. You ought to throw off at least ten per cent."—Harlem Life.

His Kind Heart.

She—That bad little brother of mine got at the piano yesterday with a hammer and broke six of the strings.

He—May I come to see and console you every evening while it is out of order?—Chicago Times-Herald.

Good Advice.

Mr. Gaylush—Officer. I can—hic!—see two moons up zhere and—hic!—hear 'em talking to each other!

Officer—Ye can, eh? Well, ye don't want to believe nawthing that ye hear, and only half what ye see!—Puck.

Uncle Allen.

"Never boast about what you are going to do, young man," counseled Uncle Allen Sparks. "A sensible hen doesn't cackle in advance of the egg."—Chicago Tribune.

An Accepted Principle.

"I suppose that every army has a censor."

"Oh, yes! In modern war it is recognized that Truth needs a chaperon." —Puck.

An Unkind Wish.

"What's Miss Shriek singing?"

"'My Heart's in the Highlands.'"

"I wish her voice was with it."—

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WRENTHAM.

Mrs. Henry K. Fisher and her two daughters, Florence and Blanche, and son Calvin are at Digby, N. S.——Mrs. Ennis Holmes of Cambridge has been visiting friends in this vicinity.——Mrs. Joseph Heaton of Franklin has been visiting Miss Carrie Thompson.——Miss Sallie W. Frastow has taken an ocean voyage to Norfolk, Va.——Hon. John Hitz, formerly consul-general from Switzerland to the United States, but now head of the Volta bureau for the deaf and dumb at Washington, D. C., is visiting Miss A. M. Sullivan.——F. L. Blatchford is at Newburyport.——Miss Anna Cobb of Kalamazoo, Mich., is the guest of Miss Carrie Thompson.——Mr. Frank P. Brown and family of Boston are at W. D. Smith's cottage.——Miss Anne W. Harris is spending two weeks at New London, Conn.——Charles Walter Poulett left town Saturday for Maine.——Miss Vira Curren of Washington, D. C., is a guest of J. E. Chamberlin at Red farm.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

"To Have and to Hold," the latest of the popular novels, is to be dramatized. Charles Frohman has secured the rights from its author, Miss Mary Johnston.

Tommaso Salvini, the famous Italian tragedian, now 72 years old, is acting in St. Petersburg, his first appearance there for 2[illegible] years. He is said to have created great enthusiasm.

Miss Alice Nielsen's opera for next year will not be a new one, though it never has been seen on this side of the Atlantic. It is by Messenger and is entitled "Fauvette du Temple." Harry B. Smith is adapting the book and the lyrics.

Miss Elsie de Wolfe will be put forward a second time as a star by Mr. Frohman the coming season. It is said the play will be of French origin and that Miss de Wolfe is to go to Paris in May to see it played in its original language.

It is said that the play "The Little Minister," for the time it has been running, has been more profitable than any other ever put on the stage. From the first sentence to the last every word and scene are thoroughly clean and wholesome. And yet it is claimed that the theater could not live unless it appealed to the coarser passions.—Boston Congregationalist.

J. N. Pychowski, a most admirable pianist, though little known to the public, died recently at Hoboken, N. J. He was born in Bohemia in 1848 and began the study of music at an early age, finishing his studies with Tomaschek at Prague. He came to New York in 1850, and since that time has devoted himself mainly to teaching. He was of a singularly retiring disposition and so averse to publicity that he could not be prevailed on to play before a promiscuous assemblage. Among musicians of the higher rank however, he was well known for his exceptional knowledge of music and his conspicuous ability as a virtuoso. He was an honorary member of a large number of European musical societies.

What He Wouldn't Do.

"If you were rich what would you do?"

"I can't be exactly sure as to that," was the reply, "but I know what I wouldn't do.

"What?"

"I wouldn't put in my time trying to convince the poor that they are lucky to escape the nervous strain of handling great wealth."—Chicago Post.

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JOKES FOR DINNER TIME.

"I think I'll try to reduce my weight," said the corpulent grocer. "You've been reducing it too much already," responded the customer with the 14-ounce pound of sugar.

"Yes, sir," said Mr. Winbliddle to a stranger, "I maintain that all the water used for drinking and culinary purposes should be boiled at least half an hour." "You are a physician, I presume?" "No; I am a coal dealer."

"We can only taste imperfectly in the dark," said a lecturer; "nature has intended us to see our food." "Then," inquired a forward pupil, "how about a blind man at dinner?" "Nature, sir," answered the professor, "has supplied him with eye-teeth."

Blivens—"My dear, I'm really alarmed about Tommy's health." Mrs. Blivens—"I suppose you mean you are alarmed about his ill health and future doctor bills." Blivens—"I said health, and I meant it. I was thinking of butchers' bills."

Dean Hole recently told a story of two Indians dining in England for the first time, when one of them took a spoonful of mustard which brought the tears to his eyes. The other said: "Brother, why weepest thou?" and he replied: "I weep for my father who was slain in battle," and he passed the mustard. The other then took a spoonful, and he had a tear trickling down his cheek. Said the first Indian, "Why weepest thou?" and he replied: "I weep because thou wast not slain with thy father."—Chicago Daily News.

WOMEN YOU HAVE HEARD OF.

Gen. Botha's wife was a Miss Emmet, a descendant of a relative of the Irish patriot.

Ex-Speaker Reed's daughter Katherine is one of 48 young women who have just received certificates of the woman's law class at the University of New York.

Mrs. Henry N. Couden is the only person outside of members of congress who is allowed in the speaker's lobby while the house is in session. Her husband, Rev. Mr. Couden, is chaplain of the house, and is blind. He is brought to the house daily by Mrs. Couden, and remains until she comes for him.

The late Ellen Clementine Howarth, who worked at caning chairs to support her family, once wrote thus to a friend: "Excuse me for not answering your kind note sooner. The morning I received it I had made a contract for the caning of a certain number of car seats, and they were to be done by today. By working from five in the morning till 11 at night, I have finished in time." Even thus, the family of nine hungry human beings were not able to satisfy their craving for food.

UP-TO-DATE PHILOSOPHER.

Superstition is other people's vagaries.

A crank is a person you can't turn your way.

The man who takes the world as he finds it doesn't take it by storm.

The brunette should live longer than the blond. She cannot care to dye.

Be careful not to tell people who live in basements that you will "drop in again."

The prodigal's greatest difficulty is to sober up and settle down at the same time.

Don't take the trouble to make it warm for the man who turns you a cold shoulder.

If people lamented their own faults as much as those of others the millennium would soon arrive.

There are times when a man feels that the weakest excuse, if he could think of one, would be a mighty good think.—Chicago Democrat.

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"Isn't it strange," said Mr. Burton, while in a reminiscent mood, "how discoveries are made? Of course, that is a general statement, but to the case in question.

"I wear glasses, as you know, but I found great trouble in keeping them on. They were continually following the laws of gravitation and falling to the floor. The trouble was that I did not have a bridge of size, and I spent money and time experimenting with different kinds of springs and clasps and nose pieces, but all proved failures.

"Now, the other night I had an idea (that's all right; I am guilty of an idea once in awhile) that if I would put some powdered rosin on my nose that would hold 'em for awhile, so I accordingly hunted up my friend, the violinist, and getting some rosin, made a test.

"Was it a success? Why, I can turn a handspring backward and those glasses are still doing business at the old stand."—Richmond Times.

Alcohol, the Skin and the Heart.

A party of Americans in crossing Sierra Nevada encamped at a spot above the snow line. Some of them took a good deal of spirits before going to sleep, and they lay down warm and happy, some took a moderate quantity, and they lay down somewhat but not very cold; others took none at all, and they lay down very cold and miserable. Next morning, however, those who had taken no spirits got up feeling quite well; those who had taken a little got up feeling cold and wretched, those who had taken a great deal did not get up at all; they had perished from cold during the night. Those who took no alcohol kept their hearts warm at the the expense of their skin, and they remained well; those who took much warmed their skin at the expense of their hearts and they died.—Dr Carter.

Because It Was Juicy.

The Waitress—Did you ever see a cake walk, Bridget?

The Cook—Yes, indade, 'n' I've seen a pie run.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Many Millions in Cemeteries.

The cemeteries around London cover 2,000 acres, and the land they occupy represents a capital of $1[illegible],000,000.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Yarmouth, N. S., as a Summer Resort.

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Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by James A. Snow and John H. C. Hadley, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the 19th day of September, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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HINTS FOR THE CYCLERS.

Do not back-pedal more frequently than you can help. If practiced often, back-pedaling will injure the best machine. However, do not risk your neck to save your cycle; the latter can be replaced.

To test a cyclometer, turn your wheel, if it be 28 inches, 70 times. If the indicator be correct it will show one-tenth of a mile. To facilitate the counting tie a small piece of paper round the tire. Differences in cyclometer records are sometimes due to the difference in inflation. A tire which is not blown up hard has a smaller diameter than one that is; consequently the variation.

An odd cycling freak is to trim a piece of brown paper to fit the lens of the lamp and in it to cut eyes, nose and mouth. The effect is certainly startling. It resembles at a short distance the death's head that rustic youths carve from turnips and light up with a candle fixed inside. One can picture the feelings of some nervous person on seeing these terrible features spring, as it were, out of space, and bear down on him, momentarily growing larger and larger.

Many unpleasant experiences and ruffled tempers would be saved if every rider knew how easy it often is to make a lamp which goes out burn. There are several reasons why lamps give trouble, but the most common is that the wick gets clogged with half-dried oil. It is not that part of the wick which is below the surface of the oil that gets into this state, but that part which is out of the oil. What is to be done, then, if the lamp persists in going out and the rider has no fresh wick to put in? Simply turn the wick upside down and at once the defect is remedied.

Bicyclists who ride in muddy weather will find that the machine will take no harm from the mud and that there is no necessity to have it cleaned immediately, providing the owner takes care to keep the metal work in a greasy condition. This may be effected by rubbing all the tubing, spokes, rims, etc., with an oily rag during the cleaning process. Take care not to wipe all the oil off, but leave the metal in a greasy state. The double result will follow that the metal will not be liable to rust from the mud and moisture and the mud will come off readily when the machine is cleaned. It is also a good plan to smear some vaseline over all the lubricating holes, so as to render them impervious to damp.

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The rig will stand all right while he
And sister bill and coo.
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times Herald

A Lullaby.

Sleep, sleep, my little one, sleep!
The oriole has flown to her nest
In maple leaf bower.
The bumble bee has crept to its rest
In the heart of a flower,
And the evening star in the west
Twinkles bright at slumber hour.
Oh, sleep, sleep! my little one, sleep!
—Alice B. Waite, in Springfield (Mass.) Republican

Only Dreaming.

The sleeper stirred uneasily in his slumber. Something was disturbing him. He could hear faraway somewhere the troublous song of a mosquito. He waited and waited. Finally it came nearer and the song was louder. The slumberer carefully and slowly disengaged one arm from under the bed clothes. He raised his hand above his cheek, held it suspended there for a moment and then brought it down with a whack that must have caused the blood to rise to the surface. The song of the mosquito went merrily on. The slumberer had missed it. He tried again, and at an opportune time whacked his forehead with his palm. Still the song of the mosquito went on. Several times did the disturbed dreamer make the attempt to take the life of his tormentor, but it was in vain. At last, rendered desperate, he rose on his elbow, opened his eyes and listened intently. And then he became aware that he had been blaming a mosquito for the tooting of an early-rising ragman that was passing in the street.—Detroit Free Press.

Keeping Up the Average.

Mistress—Jane, this floor doesn't look very clean. Did you sweep it today?

Jane—No, mum—I didn't sweep it to-day, nor yisterday, but I sweeped it three times the day afore that.—Chicago Evening News.

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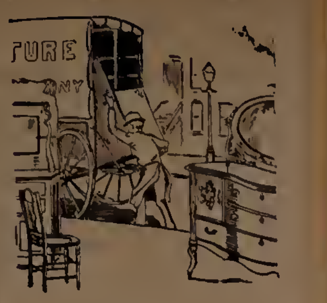

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North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
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HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 05 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Rev. Dr. Sneath and family will return from Onset today.

The banks, postoffice, stores, etc., will be closed on Monday.

The criminal term of court will open at Dedham next week.

Mrs. W. A. Snow of Boston has been visiting friends in town.

Mrs. W. S. Richardson has been visiting friends in Providence.

Our Boys vs. Haywards, Indian Rock park, tomorrow afternoon.

J. H. Hutchinson has been spending a few days in New York city.

Mrs. Walter Darling and son are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Fiske.

Charles McKinnon has returned from a visit with friends in Lawrence.

Dr. A. B. Fletcher is having new plans made of the Union street cemetery.

The selectmen will hold a regular meeting Friday evening of this week.

The staging used by the decorators in the J. G. Ray block has been removed.

Henry Byrnes, who is recuperating at Hanover, N. H., is improving in health.

Rev. Mr. Cook will have charge of the Methodist prayer meeting this evening.

Mrs. Byron A. Truscott of Webster is visiting at J. A. Smith's on School street.

The remaining coal suphly for the schoolhouses is being put in the bins this week.

Judge O. T. Doe has been on a business trip to New York, returning Wednesday.

Miss S. Emma Johnson of Stoughton is visiting her brothers, W. S. and A. H. Johnson.

Mrs. Alfred Farrington and son have arrived from a month's stay at York Beach, Me.

Miss Ella King of Woonsocket is the guest of Miss Catherine Kenney of Cottage street.

D. L. Laubrich and family of Milliken avenue are visiting friends at Manchester, N. H.

Mrs. J. C. Gallison and Miss Lydia Ray are spending a few days at Cottage City and Nantucket.

Miss Belle Murphy of Fisher street retured on Saturday from a two weeks' stay at Newport.

Men are guessing on the local population census and make their figures from from 5,000 to 6,000.

Misses Mattie Fisher, Carolyn Rockwood, Eunice Crocker and Alice Sherman are at Onset this week.

Mrs. Charles Fiske has returned home after enjoying an extended vacation at Plymouth and Cottage City.

A few of the Franklin fraternity attend the races at Narragansett this week, take their choice and pay their money.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Whittemore of New York have been with friends at the Crescent House for a couple of weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. F. B. Sleeper have returned from their vacation fully invigorated for their future church work.

The next regular meeting of Franklin Corps, No. 89, will be held next Monday evening. A full attendance is desired.

Frank W. Guild has removed from Cottage street to the house owned by Mrs. Emily Aldrich on Summer street.

Miss Mae Morey has returned from Intervale, N. H., and is at present with her aunt, Mrs. Hartshorn, in Norwood.

Luke Malley, who recently purchased the property of the late Elijah Leonard on Cottage street, took possession yesterday.

Edward Ferrer of Ruggles street has been called suddenly to Brooklyn, N. Y., on account of the serious illness of his brother.

Mrs. C. R. Parks and Mrs. C. L. Jenks spent Sunday with Mrs T. M. Turner. Mrs. A. J. Turner is also visiting Mrs. Turner.

There will be a dance at Lake Pearl tomorrow evening, with music by the American band orchestra. Go and have a good time.

The basement in the SENTINEL building, formerly occupied by Spence and Granger, is soon to be opened as an Italian grocery.

The six-year-old daughter of John Keefe was bitten by a dog this week. Dr. Hussey cauterized the wound and the owner killed the dog.

The movement for free rural mail delivery seems to hang fire, and probably not much in that direction will be accomplished before early spring.

James O. Chilson has been confined to the house the past week by sickness, but is recovering and expects to be in normal condition within a few days.

Some of the G. A. R. men in this vicinity welcome a change in Memorial day which will make it less secular, but it will not be changed this year.

Daniel McLaughlin has purchased the restaurant business formerly carried on by Frank Tatro on Central square and opened the place for business.

Miss Agnes G. Dinslow of Richmond, Me., a former student of Dean academy, is spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. C. F. Morse, Jr., at Medway.

Rev. Dr. Hodge writes from Lake Placid that he expects to return on Saturday, brown and rested, and will preach at the Universalist church next Sunday.

L. G. Merrifield shows us an apple grown upon one of his trees which measures fourteen inches around and weighs one pound two ounces. It is a handsome apple.

Albert Whitney of Alpine street, formerly a motorman on the M., A. & W. street railway, has removed to Hopedale, where he is employed in the Draper works.

The improvements in Masonic hall will not probably be completed in time for the first regular meeting of the fall, but may be advanced enough for the gathering to be held.

Rev. Mr. Cook and Charles H. Prince landed from their European trip on a Cunarder in Boston yesterday, reaching here last evening, having had a most delightful experience.

Mrs. G. A. Martin has gone to New Brunswick for a two months' hunting and fishing trip. The camp is finely situated for both pleasures and she expects a good deal of sport.

Thomas Coutu, Jr., leaves next Wednesday for Walbrook, Baltimore, Md., where he will begin a college course in St. Joseph's Epiphany College of the Colored Harvest of the South

Manager Enegren has arranged a fine list of attractions for Labor day, and as the season is closing all who desire an outing at this popular place should arrange to go down on Monday.

Miss Anna Kelley, accompanied by Mrs. Norton and niece, Miss May Farrell, left for Brooklyn, N. Y., Wednesday. Miss Kelley is to take a course of study in a training school at that city.

Manager Connolly of Our Boys and Manager McKenna of the Ray team are negotiating for a game at Indian Rock park on Saturday, Sept. 8, when it is proposed to play for a purse of $30.

At the Baptist church next Sunday morning the pastor, Rev. F. B. Sleeper, will preach on "The Manliness of Christ." In the evening his theme, suggested by the morning topic, will be "The Commanding Christ."

The advice of one physician to thin people who wish to put on flesh is to drink water and drink lots of it. If water were only $1 per gallon, said this physician, it would be considered the greatest medicinal agent known.

A trolley party arranged by W. G. Dana and M. J. Costello chartered the illuminated Medway car last evening for a ride to Medfield, where a supper was provided and dancing was enjoyed. The party arrived home about 12, having had an excellent time.

It is eight years since the town had a Labor day celebration and almost beyond the memory of man since there was a local Fourth of July celebration of an official kind. No one seems disposed to undertake the great labor of engineering such things, and no blame can be laid at their door.

The electric car conductors are now the great financial agents to keep the fractional currency in proper circulation and prevent a nickel panic in the commercial centre. Traders say that all the change in town goes for car fares, and so traders go to the conductors for change and the country is preserved.

Three fine bear skins, mounted with the heads on, arrived here this week from Maine for Dr. G. A. Martin. The animals were shot by him and his wife on a recent hunting trip in New Brunswick and were "set up" in Bangor. They are remarkably fine specimens and will be used as floor rugs.

An interesting case was before Judge Doe yesterday. Harold I. Smith of the Boston Advertiser was tried for assault on Dr. Herbert P. Jefferson of Millis, the owner of the farm which Mr. Smith "worked." They had some dispute and the assault was the result. Mr. Smith was fined $1, which he paid.

The remains of Richard Sheahan, a relative of Dennis Sheahan of Washington street, were brought here from Pittsfield for interment in St. Mary's cemetery on Tuesday. The deceased, who was about 30 years of age and at one time a resident here, met his death by falling from a bridge at Pittsfield last week.

The many friends of Mrs. Addie Morey of Dean avenue will be pained to learn that it was found necessary to remove her to the hospital for the insane at Westboro for treatment. Her relatives have the sincere sympathy of all, and it is hoped that with the good care and treatment she will receive at the hospital that she will soon recover.

A lady from Detroit, Mich., is in town this week for the first time whose father was a native, leaving here in boyhood some eighty years ago. She was surprised to find so much of a town in the way of buildings and modern improvements, and mentioned with pleasure among them the street railway to Woonsocket, where she has friends.

The girders have been put in position on the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad in Bellingham, under which the M., A. & W. street railway tracks are to run. No men are at work getting the track ready at the bridge, and from the bridge to Milford the tracks are covered with gravel. The grade crossing on South Main street, Milford, has not yet been put in.

Hoag lake has had one of the finest attractions of the season this week, and that these performances are fully appreciated is proved by the large audiences in attendance. From 600 to 700 attend each matinee performance, and from 800 at Monday evening's performance the attendance increased until it reached over 1,000 at Wednesday evening's performance. On Labor day there will be a fine bill, with performances at 3.15, 4 45 and 8 15.

Postmaster Talbot informs us that a new postoffice rule has gone into effect and is an important matter to bear in mind, as it imposes a penalty of $500 fine or a year's imprisonment on any one who through carelessness or otherwise takes mail not their property from the postoffice and does not return it at once. The rule applies to newspapers as well as to letters. The safe thing to do is to examine all mail received before leaving the postoffice, which act will save a return trip if some one else's mail is found among the lot. This rule takes all blame for careless distribution off the clerks and makes the recipient responsible.

Our Boys and the Hayward nine will play what promises to be an interesting and lively game of ball at Indian Rock park tomorrow afternoon. Our Boys have defeated nearly all the amateur teams that they have played with in Franklin, Woonsocket, Medway and North Bellingham this season and now have a record of nine straight victories to their credit. The Haywards, too, have been playing many games this season and have won the majority of them, but as yet have not played with the clever young ball-tossers who will be their opponents tomorrow, so it is more than likely that the contest will be one of most exciting and well worth journeying to park to see.

At the corner of Main and Emmons streets, upon the grounds of James F. Ray, stands an old buttonwood tree. Under its spreading limbs Rev. Elias Haven, the first minister of Franklin in the order of settlement, built what was later and more famous as the Dr. Nathaniel Emmons parsonage. All vestige of the building has disappeared, but the buttonwood still lives. The great expounder of the oldtime orthodoxy often took off his three-cornered hat and bared his noble brow to the refreshing breeze while studying how to overthrow Universalism and other obnoxious isms, and more than one boy has enjoyed lying on the ground, cooled by its shade in the hot summer day in perfect peace, except the expectation of hearing that direful summons, "Come, boys, let's get in that hay!"

The Public Schools.

All of the schools of the town will commence their fall term next Tuesday, with some changes in the corps of teachers, made necessary by the increase of pupils and the fact that so many of our teachers are desired elsewhere at better salaries. Indeed, it is not infrequently the case that superintendents of other schools are here looking at our teachers with the end in view of securing them to go elsewhere. But it is safe to say that the season will start out under most favorable auspices, and the prospects for a successful school year are most encouraging.

The north roof of the Thayer school has been shingled and the furnace repaired. New and more scientific benches have been added to the laboratory of the Horace Mann, making it one of the best and most useful laboratories of its size in this vicinity. New furniture is to be provided for the commercial department of the high school, so efficiently conducted by Miss Hubbard. The Four Corners school will have remodeled furniture with the Chandler adjustable fixtures, newly tinted walls and a thoroughly renovated building

With ceilings most neatly kalsomined by Artist Geb, with walls painted a soft green most suitable for the eyes, and with floors thoroughly washed and cleaned, the rooms in the Thayer and Nason buildings will present a most attractive and healthful condition. Minor changes have been made also in the other school buildings. For the better protection of property and life, fire extinguishers have been placed in all the buildings.

School Notes.

Everything points to the most successful school year of the past eight.

There will be at least thirty pupils from surrounding towns.

Never had a better corps of teachers.

Mr. Albert I. Oliver, a graduate of Boston university with highest rank, president of his class and student at Harvard last year, succeeds Mr. Wilkins as teacher in first year of Horace Mann.

Mr. J. Ray Wyckoff, a graduate of Dean and a former student at Harvard, will teach in the room to be opened in the Nason school.

Miss Ellen J. Butters, valedictorian of the last class graduating from the Horace Mann, is to act as apprentice teacher in the Unionville school.

Mr. Wyckoff, Miss Butters and Miss Reilly followed courses in the Hyannis normal school the past summer.

Clara E. Ham will return to the science department of the Horace Mann after a most successful session teaching in the Newton summer school.

Mr. Frank H. Wilkins was promoted, because of his successful loyalty to school work, to the principalship of the Plainville high school. A bright future awaits him.

Miss Anne L. Judd, formerly a most successful teacher in the Horace Mann, has been elected to the Holyoke high school—a most merited promotion.

Last year a circular letter was sent to all the parents of children attending the Horace Mann high school, asking their opinions about the school sessions. One hundred and three were returned. Of these, seven preferred two sessions, ninety six one session. The committee therefore, voted one session for all the grades of the Horace Mann for the fall term. The plan cannot succeed unless the parents co-operate and see that the child eats a hearty and suitable breakfast, takes plenty of outdoor work or exercise in the afternoon, studies and retires early in the evening.

The committee also followed what seemed to be the wish of a majority of the parents of school children in the South Franklin district and continued the plan of transporting the children to the schools of the centre. Contracts have been made with A. F. Everett, A. F. Pendleton and J. H. Tyler.

Principal Daniels, who has given so much of his time and thought to the betterment of the schools, has proved the right man for the place, and has received the earnest co-operation of the committee in all his efforts for the improved efficiency of the schools. They have worked hand in hand, and wherever it has been practicable the committee have submitted vexed questions to the parents so as to avoid friction and insure satisfaction. The committee, as at present constituted, is an admirable one, and with the enligbtened assistance of parents, teachers and pupils the schools of Franklin will take no second rank with towns of even larger population and pretension.

Franklin School Officials for 1900-1.

Chairman—Ambrose J. Gallison, M.D.
Secretary—William A. Wyckoff.
Fred P. Chapman.
Superintendent—E. D. Daniels.

Corps of Instructors.

HORACE MANN HIGH SCHOOL.

Ernest D. Daniels, Master.
Grace C. Whiting,
Ruth E. Hubbard,
Clara E. Ham,
Lillian H. Favour,
Francis E. King,
Albert I. Oliver.

WILLIAM M. THAYER SCHOOL.

Isabel M. Reilly, Principal.
Charles F. Frazer,
Lucy B. Connor,
Alice H. Fernald

NASON SCHOOL.

Theresa D. Lewis, Principal
J. Ray Wyckoff,
Pearl L. Jacobs,
Lucy E. Tower.

Brick School—Rebecca Dunning.
Four Corners' School—Bertha A. Hood.
Arlington School—Margaret M. Sullivan.
City Mills School—Mary E. Bright.
Unionville School—Bertha E. Ellis, Ellen J. Butters.

SUPERVISORS

Mrs. Elizabeth T. Hosmer, Music.
Adra R. Mason, Art.

TRANSPORTERS

Mount District—Alfred F. Everett.
North West District—A. F. Pendleton.
South Franklin District—John H. Tyler.

TRUANT OFFICERS.

Nelson E. Newell,
J. Bernard Fitzpatrick.

A Narrow Escape.

An alarm of fire was rung in from box 13 about 12.30 on Wednesday morning, a fire having been discovered in Bresnahan's grocery store in the postoffice block by Charles Spence, who happened to be passing and smelled the smoke. The blaze proved to be in the cellar, near a large kerosene tank containing about 200 gallons of oil, the tank being partially uncovered. The fire burned portions of the tank, the timbers above the tank being burned also. The firemen poured the water in upstairs and gradually worked their way down to where the fire was located and succeeded in extinguishing the flames. Smoke and water did the major part of the damage. The miraculous part of the affair was that the fire did not communicate with the tank, causing an explosion which would have wrecked the building and not unlikely killed the firemen who were at work trying to save it. No one has any idea how the fire might have originated, as everything was in proper shape when the store was closed for the night about 7 o'clock. The insurance adjusters arranged with Mr. Bresnahan in regard to the loss at once and the store continued business with but slight interruption.

M., A. & W. Street Railway Notes.

The property of the M., A. & W. street railway is valued at $527,338.90.

The total mileage is 26 6 miles. The track for three fifths of a mile is 85-lb. girder rails and the rest is 60-lb. T rails. Steam railroad ties, two feet apart, are used.

The company's land and buildings alone are valued at $46,400. The powerhouse and the commodious car barn are of brick, and are suitably equipped in every respect.

The total earnings over about eight and a half miles on a two car service from October 1, 1899, to July 7, 1900, aggregated $19,304 32, and operating expenses were about $9,500. The interest charges were about $5,000.

It owns six open ten bench cars, six open fifteen bench cars, eight closed twenty foot vestibule cars and one Ruggles rotary snow plow. The company is running all of its fifteen-bench cars at the present time, owing to the heavy travel.

The road commenced operations October 1, 1899, running two cars from Franklin to Woonsocket. Near the end of May, 1900, the cars commenced running on the Caryville branch, and also from Wrentham to Lake Pearl, and in the middle of June the through line from Woonsocket to Plainville was opened. The branch to Milford will be in running order within a short time, and will contribute materially to the revenue of the company.

Woonsocket Opera House.

The Bennett & Moulton comedy company opens a week of repertoire at the Woonsocket opera house, commencing Monday evening, September 3, and, commencing Thursday afternoon, matinees will be held daily. This season's company includes many old favorites of the theatre-goers of this place, among them Justin Adams, Orson Dunn, Daniel McClure and Joseph Harris. Among the new faces this season are those of the following people of high reputation: Miss Lizzie Hunt, Madge Tucker, Lizzie Taylor, etc. The orchestra remains the same as last season. A carload of entirely new scenery, painted by Mr. Ansel Cook of the Castle square theatre, Boston, insures magnificent stage settings. Seats now on sale.

Labor Day.

My studio will be open only from 7.45 to 9.30 a. m., except by appointment. Sittings must be previously arranged for.

R. J. CALKIN.

Richardson's Market.

Of course you've got to eat some meat, even if it is hot weather. Try a nice chicken or fowl for Sunday. Our vegetables are received every day fresh from the gardens. Try a can of our ten cent soup with your dinner; all kinds.

Some of the Plays that are Coming.

The Southern war drama, "Brother Against Brother," was to have opened the season at Morse Opera House on Saturday, Sept. 8, but the date has been cancelled owing to the burning of the company's scenery last week. The season will now in all likelihood open Sept. 12 with a musical comedy, "Finnigan's Ball." This is one of Olie Mack's attractions and is up to date in every way. Two of Lincoln Carter's new plays, "Down Mobile" and "The Eleventh Hour," "The Span of Life" and "Monte Christo" are among the fine attractions already booked.

Church Services.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D.D., pastor, will preach at 10.30; subject, "What is the Use of Living?" Y. P. C. U. at 6.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 4 Sunday school at 3. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Baptist church —At 10.30 preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper; theme, "The Manliness of Christ." Sunday school at 12 Young People's meeting at 6 15. Preaching at 7.30; theme, "The Commanding Christ" Short after service in the vestry

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 and 7 30 by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook; morning subject, "Home." evening subject, "The Castle of Truth" Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at the close of morning service. Sunday school at 12. Epworth league at 6 30.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10 30 by the pastor, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath. Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. consecration service at 6.30. Short evening service at 7.30 The pastor will speak upon "Northfield and Onset; a Spiritual Contrast." The communion of the Lord's Supper" will be held in connection with the morning service.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending August 29, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. Frances T. Bowman, Miss Lena Clifford, Mary Comelean, Mrs. Julia Farley, Mrs Ella Fitzpatrick, Mrs. H E. Grose, Mrs. William Hanson, Betsey Brakely.

Gentlemen—Rev. O. W. Adams, H O. Dow, J. F. Sargent.

Foreign—Liscio Poteto di Michele (3).

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Emerson's Market.

Fresh killed chicks and fowls, lamb, veal, pork and tomatoes. Watermelons on ice, shell beans, green corn, gem melons, sweet potatoes, summer squash, lettuce, cucumbers, onions, cabbages, new beets and turnips.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Room wanted, with board if possible. Address Box 302. 31

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

For Sale—A 120 quart milk route, cheap for cash. W. A. Pond. 28

Good wages for a girl to do housework. Inquire at SENTINEL office. 24-tf

Mrs. G. W. Miner, Crescent street, would like a competent girl for housework at once. 24 tf

Wanted.—A ton of horse hay. Will pay for same in carpenter work. F. E. Dudley, Union and Central streets. 14*

To Let.—A tenement of five rooms on Alpine street Inquire at the house or at Mrs. A. E. Burnham's, Peck street. 28 tf

Wanted.—Girl for general housework in family of three. Apply to Mrs. Alfred Farrington, Union street, foot of High street. 31

Mileage books to let on Boston and Maine and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., trip tickets to Boston, Milford and Providence, all at a saving from regular fare. At Calkin's Studio, over SENTINEL office.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. MCKINNON, Agent.

Can While You Can.

If you want nice fruit next winter prepare to can very soon, as fruit is coming on, but don't use your old jars. Our new ones are cheaper, better, and improve the flavor of the fruit. We have the square "Royal" fruit jar, best quality selected glass, with "Lightning" top at 90 cents, $1.00 and $1.25 per dozen. There are none cheaper in the end. Window screens at reduced prices.

HOSIE BROS.

Office Closed.

My patrons are requested to note that my dental office will be closed until further notice during my vacation.

DR. M. E. POND.

Cut flowers, all kinds of funeral designs well made up at Slade's greenhouse. Roses in small or large quantities.

All lovers of music are invited to see the display of pianos and organs at Sanford Bros., Medway. Up to date and prices right.

Two chairs at Ochee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser, William Donovan, now in attendance. Short waits.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

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Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their articles intended for publication as early in the week as possible.

Contributions of local news are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal items.

ADVERTISING RATES.

Space.	1 Wk	2 Wk.	3 Wk.	1 Mo.	2 Mo.	3 Mo.	6 Mo.	1 Yr.
1 In..	1 00	1 25	1 50	1 75	2 50	3 25	6 00	10 00
2 In..	1 75	2 25	2 75	3 25	4 50	5 75	10 00	16 00
3 In..	2 50	3 00	3 50	4 00	6 00	8 00	14 00	22 00
4 In..	3 25	4 00	4 75	5 50	8 00	10 50	16 00	28 00
5 In..	4 00	5 00	6 00	7 00	10 00	13 00	20 00	33 00
6 In..	4 75	6 00	7 50	9 00	12 00	15 00	25 00	39 00
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Business and Professional Cards, to occupy one half inch space, once a week, $5.00 per year, twice a week, $7.50 per year.

FRIDAY. AUGUST 31, 1900.

THE NEXT MEMBER FROM THE ELEVENTH DISTRICT.

There is probably no better constituency in the whole country than the eleventh Massachusetts congressional district. The standards of the people are high in everything that makes for progress along right lines. That such a district should be well represented in congress goes without saying. The voice of their congressman should be heard and his influence felt. In casting about for a representative who will be worthy of this district we, for our part, know of no better way to make a wise choice than by taking a man of whose past we are sure. In Mr. Samuel L. Powers of Newton we are confident that the people cannot be mistaken. He has been weighed in the balance and not found wanting. His professional career has been one of steady growth and has been marked by the success that comes to honest character and intellectual strength. He is trusted by his clients and respected by his professional brethren. He possesses in his own home and wherever else he is known the influence that only men attain whose dealings are honorable and whose sympathies are broad. Mr. Powers is not only an upright man and a good lawyer, but he is a very humane man. His interests are not bound up with those of any coterie in the community in which he lives, and hence he has the confidence of all kinds of men. He is a hard hitter, but a fair one. To borrow an expression from the field of athletics, he is a good sportsman. He never sulks in defeat. There are a good many men in Mr. Powers' own city, and not a few in the rest of the district, who remember with gratitude the loyalty and unselfish support they have received from him in past struggles. They have been hoping for years that the time would come when they could do something for him, and they rejoice that in showing their friendship for Mr. Powers they are able to do their whole duty by the eleventh district.—Hyde Park Gazette.

It is being made manifest to all close observers that the telephone is having various effects on social life that were not at first suspected. **The Telephone in the Country.** But the continuing developments of this character are of a surprising nature. For example, few habits are more ingrained in the commercial and business man than that of meeting on 'change. The practice long antedated railroads, and has been common among all civilized peoples. But now it would appear that having learned to make extensive use of the telephone while at the exchange brokers are neglecting business on the floor and are transacting it more and more directly from office to office by the telephone. It is said that this practice is gaining ground to such an extent that the exchanges in some lines of trade suffer quite appreciably. So much for trade in the bulk. It is also said that the cotton-growers are benefiting by the high prices this year to an unusual extent because of the greater telephonic facilities they are enjoying. This, if true, simply confirms the recent statement as to some transactions in the broom corn district of Illinois. Buyers from outside began to clean up the broom corn at $60 a ton, when a telephone official called up the farmers on his system and told them the market was rising rapidly. The result was that before the season ended they had sold their crop at $24 a ton. Telephones would be cheap at any price anywhere on such terms, and it is a fact that the value and benefit of the service are not yet by any means appreciated.

In a recent case of pneumonia 5,500 gallons of oxygen was used, the sick man was packed in ice, an alcohol bath was given every 25 minutes, and four quarts of milk with three quarts of whisky were administered daily. The Brooklyn paper that tells this story says the patient recovered.

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Why let all your neighbors and friends think you must be twenty years older than you are? Yet it's impossible to look young with the color of 70 years in the hair. It's sad to see young persons look prematurely old in this way. Sad because it's all unnecessary; for gray hair may always be restored to its natural color by using—

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SHOWN IN THE SHOPS.

[Dry Goods Economist.]

Wrought iron bouquet lamps with ruby etched globes.

Girdle-shaped belts finished with a soft Directoire scarf and bow.

Snowflake, cross-stripe, madras, creton and printed Java curtains.

Flowing-end scarfs in fancy light and dark effects for men's wear.

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Rhinestone brooch pins in the form of crescents, sunbursts, stars, hearts, horseshoes and fleur-de-lis.

Duck suitings in figured polka dot and striped designs, together with a complete range of solid colors.

Wide Cluny lace flouncings edged with narrow frills of white chiffon or Valenciennes for trimming dressy costumes.

Short capes of net, guipure, cloth or silk elaborately jetted and finished with frills of chiffon and long scarf ends.

Medallion, Venetian, floral and serpent designs in French gray, gun metal, oxidized and rose-finished gilt belt clasps.

Theorizing.

"Do you believe that men are descended from ourang-outangs?" asked the studious man.

"That's the trouble with [illegible] tists," said Mr. [illegible]. "They [illegible] ize too much. They [illegible]. They get a [illegible] thing [illegible] they stop. I know [illegible] wasn't descended from [illegible] tang. And I [illegible] were. But there are numerous [illegible] about whom [illegible] are just [illegible] our [illegible]."—Washington Star.

The Secret Out.

Quizzles—Scribber's new [illegible] has made a [illegible] hit among the fair sex.

Spacer—[illegible] It must be [illegible] interesting book.

"On the contrary. It's unusually tiresome."

"Then how do you account for its popularity?"

"The last chapter immediately follows the preface."—Chicago Evening News.

Willing to Do Her Best.

Lady of the House—Listen, cook. I am going to give a supper and a dance. Now, you will have to show what you can do, so as to keep up the credit of my establishment.

Cook—With pleasure, ma'am; but I can only dance the waltzes and the polkas. You will have to excuse me from the quadrilles.—Tit-Bits.

A bank cashier says that the ranks of women who know how to indorse a check are slowly filling up.—Philadelphia Times.

A Hopeless Case.

Lawyer—Perhaps we can make out an alibi!

Prisoner—I'se 'fraid not! Dar warn't no pra'r-meetin' dat night, no revival, de Tennyson club didn't meet dat night, nor de Social Purity league—and, besides, dey kotched me comin' right out ob de coop wif de chickens!—Puck.

Obliging.

Mrs. Youngwife—I want five pounds of sugar, please.

Dealer—Yes, ma'am; shall I send it for you?

"No, I'll take it with me if it isn't too heavy."

"I'll make it as light as possible for you, ma'am."—Philadelphia Press.

Too Much Risk.

"Mrs. Wiggins," remarked the minister, "we wish you would let your daughter join the choir."

"Oh, I couldn't think of it," was the reply. "Minnie has such a sweet disposition and I don't want to spoil her."—Ohio State Journal.

Willfully Misunderstood.

Mrs. Strongmind—Women would not be the blind slaves of a party. They would be quite ready to scratch candidates.

Prof. Sneers—Shouldn't wonder. I suppose they would even use hat pins.—Brooklyn Life.

A Clash at Arms.

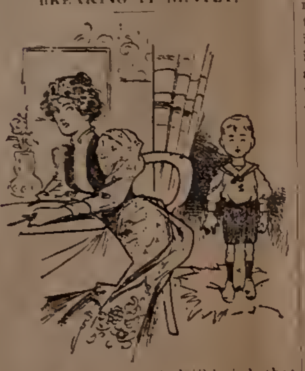
Marie—How d'ye do, Isabel? I would have spoken sooner but I didn't know you.

Young Woman Who Resembles Isabel—Beg pardon: my name's not Isabel, so you don't know me yet.—Chicago Record.

A Disquieting Thought.

The bird sits moping on the bough,
And takes it rather ill
That he, forsooth, is killed to dress
The girl that dressed to kill.
—Detroit Journal.

BREAKING IT GENTLY.



"Mummy is that indelible ink that daddy's got in his studio?"

"No. Why?"

"Because I've spilt it all over the carpet!"—Ally Sloper.

Glorious News

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile of Washita, I. T. He writes "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved—that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co., druggists. Guaranteed.

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Condensing.

Askit—Did you read about that Brooklyn man whom the doctors operated upon and found him afflicted with a folding vermiform appendix?

Tellit—No; but it is easily explained. It is a natural result of flat life.—Baltimore American.

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VARIOUS NOTES OF INTEREST.

The entertainment of royalty costs British society each year fully £2,000,000.

At a recent men's card party, at which poker was the entertainment of the evening, the ices at supper were in hand forms. The hand was set upright in a position to hold cards, and in each one was arranged a good poker hand, real, but small, cards being used.

It is an established fact that the post office department saves the credulous people of this country fully $100,000,000 a year that they would lose by investment in clever swindling schemes but for the care exercised by postmasters and inspectors in the delivery of letters and the payment of money orders.

One of the most important features of the educational exhibit of the United States at the Paris exposition is the two-volume work entitled "Education in the United States," which was planned and edited by Prof. Nicholas Murray Butler, of Columbia university. The work consists of 19 monographs, each prepared by an eminent specialist, and covering every aspect of education in this country.

HINTS FOR HOUSEKEEPERS.

To polish a tortoise shell comb, apply a few drops of olive oil and rub long and thoroughly with a woolen cloth.

A strong solution of alum in hot water applied to furniture and crevices in the wall with a paint brush is sure destruction to insects of all sorts.

Fat mutton is apt to disagree with those of feeble digestion and should be avoided by them. Mutton should not be eaten until the sheep is three years old. The best English Southdown mutton is obtained from sheep six years old.

Do not sacrifice yourself to a false notion of economy. I once knew a farmer's wife who for years did the ironing for a family of six with two irons. Think of the waste of wood and strength and time and temper involved in that little piece of mismanagement! An economy that wears out the mother of a family is dear at any price. It is the pernicious kind that risks breaking the mainspring to save buying a ten-cent watch key.

ARMY AND NAVY.

A Rumford Falls (Me.) veteran has in his possession some of the hardtack composing the last ration dealt out to him in the civil war. It is in a good state of preservation.

There has not been an execution in the American navy since 1849. Of the many soldiers sentenced to death for military offenses during the war with Spain not one has been executed.

Liberia has been deprived of her entire navy by the sinking of one gunboat, the Rocktown, and the capsizing of the other, the Gorronomah. They cost $140,000 and there is no money to replace them.

On a train running between Ghent and Brussels a fierce discussion about the South African war arose among the passengers. An alarm was given the train stopped and the disputants were forced to finish the dispute on the ground.

Agreed Exactly.

The Mistress—Bridget, you must stay until I get another girl.

Bridget—That was my intenshun, anyway. I want her to know the koind ov a woman ye are!—Harper's Bazar.

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The burglar's eye then met.
"I'll take that, too," he said. "All's fish
That comes into my net."
—Chicago Tribune.

Next Door to It.

Farmer Higgins (calling on Farmer Wilcox, whose wife always addresses him as honey)—My wife never actually calls me honey but she comes pretty near it—she calls me old beeswax.—Judge.

Entitled to Her Opinion.

Mrs. Holmes (severely)—I would rather live on bread and water than on charity!

The Tramp—Yessum! There's no disputin' about tastes.—Puck.

His Great Sacrifice.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—You are always talking of sacrifices; pray, what did you ever do for your fellow men?

Mr. Crimsonbeak—Well, I married you, didn't I?—Yonkers Statesman.

Another Version.

"Now, Freddy, tell us about Adam and Eve."

"Adam and Eve was a-eatin' apples in a garden, an' a big snake come along an' chased 'em out."—Chicago Record.

Selecting a Wedding Present.

Jeweler—Why not give them a dozen elegant spoons?

Customer—Oh, there hasn't been any novelty for them in that article in nearly a year.—Jeweler's Weekly.

And Doctors Don't Agree.

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Jewitt—What is the matter?

Hewitt—I don't know yet; I've seen only three doctors so far.

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Due Depositors	$571,100 11	
Guarantee Fund	28,217 86	
Profit and Loss Account	738 99	
Interest Account	767 15	
Real Estate Income Account	16 19	
	$600,700 30	

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,773 32
Railroad Bonds		156,202 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,375 00
" " Mortgages		157,560 00
" " Personal Securities		161,8[illegible] 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		34 97
Bank Furniture		100 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$7,822 25	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	4,095 58	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		12,001 99
Cash on hand		752 37
		$600,700 30

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.
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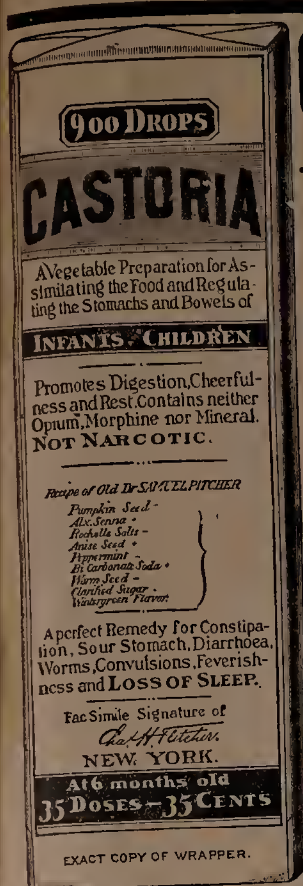
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An American Journalist's Account of Camp Life.

The Dutch Soldiers Have No Discipline or Science, But Are Not Lacking in the Quality of Military Horse Sense.

Jacobsdal was still quiet on December 4. There were not more than 50 guards out on that day, though the English outposts were within about three miles. On the 3d President Steyn ordered all the ammunition and supplies out of the town, and all were busy till late at night moving the wagons, says the London Times.

On the 5th I visited the camps which lie on the north side of the Modder.

The large wagon laagers in these camps present a strange appearance. In some of the larger commands as many as 250 wagons are grouped in a large irregular circle; inside this there are few tents and many large awnings. The wagons are all loaded with supplies and ammunition. In nearly every one there are a number of steel trunks, large and small. In these the burghers carry their spare clothing, and perhaps some luxuries brought from the distant farm.

All the time the roads were crowded with men hastening to the front. Almost all of them had merely the most primitive kind of outfit. The cheap "store saddle," which the majority of them have, has a few paltry bags attached to it in which the rider stores a limited supply of food. All the clothing, boots and blankets the men use are the usual "shoddy" that is sold in the country trading stores. It seems incomprehensible why no provision was made to clothe and mount the men in a serviceable manner, when one thinks of the immense amount of ready money on hand. There appears also to be a great lack of order, and it is surprising that the primitive system has stood the strain so long. It is the marvelous adaptability of the people that upsets a stranger's estimate of what results of their methods are likely to be.

During the time I have been among them I have not heard one man really grumble or refuse duty. The discomforts are accepted as unavoidably incidental to the war, to be borne with equanimity. A considerable proportion of the young men are well educated, and many of them have been to Europe to study or for pleasure. There was a large corps of express riders under Capt. Ficbardt and Capt. Jooste doing splendid work on horse and bicycle around Jacobsdal.

On the morning of the 6th President Steyn returned suddenly to the village from his tour of the camps. Abruptly entering the door of his primitive hotel, he found that the well-filled table left no room for visitors, so he sat outside on a dilapidated bench till the men had finished their breakfast. The president is distinctly democratic. For a conveyance he had an old blue farmer's cart, without a hood or shelter of any kind from the scorching sun. That morning, as he and Mr. Fischer sat on the bench, they received people, read and dispatched their telegrams and attended to all their varied business. When this was done the president visited the hospitals, and, after passing a few cheerful words with the dozen wounded who remained there, he left for Bloemfontein.

During the whole of that day mounted men and wagons kept streaming into Jacobsdal from the front. The general at last seemed to have recognized the necessity of protecting the place, and at the same time using it as a base for attempts on the English rear and on the railway. During these days the English showed no signs of advancing, but kept working at the repair of the railway bridge while they waited for reenforcements.

It was practically impossible to arrive at any reliable estimate of the strength of the Boer army. By the 6th it was perhaps 7,000 men, and constantly increasing in small numbers. It seemed to me impossible for this small number of men to oppose the magnificently equipped army that might attack them at any moment. The English, moreover, retained control of the railway behind them, and thus had constant supplies of all sorts. The Boers, on the other hand, were 100 miles from their base railway, and had to depend on the ox wagon. Nevertheless they seemed to have complete confidence in their ultimate success.

On the 5th about 1,500 men, lustily singing "Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow," started out to take up a position for an attack on the English rear and railway. With them went three cannon and the Scandinavian corps. The Scandinavians were to use the dynamite when necessary. Their corps consisted then of 109 men, speaking nine different languages among them. I heard Danish, Swedish, Norwegian, Russian, Finnish and Polish. They have, together with the Irish brigade at Ladysmith, a great reputation for reckless bravery. A Jew with whom I talked told me he had made his money in the Transvaal, and would fight for it, to show the world that all Jews were not mere cowardly money makers.

ROYALTY AND YACHTING.

Emperor William has designed another palatial yacht for himself. The plans are completed and work upon the construction will be commenced at once.

It is not a little remarkable that, though Queen Victoria has presented one or more cups for racing every year of her reign except the season following the death of the prince consort, she is not the patroness of any yachting organization.

Germany's empress is the only empress or queen who has ever hoisted a racing flag afloat. Her stately schooner Iduna takes part each year in one or two events in the Kiel regatta, upon one occasion securing first honors among 20 large crafts—a record number for German waters.

Empress Eugenie is the only royal woman owning a steam yacht. Her fine ship, the Thistle, is one of the best known pleasure craft on the Mediterranean, the previous owner of the boat, the duke of Hamilton, spending much of his time voyaging about in the Thistle, and consequently having it fitted up in luxurious style.

Archduchess Stephanie of Austria, now Countess Lonyay, and Empress Frederick of Germany are the only royal patronesses of yacht clubs. The former is the head of the Egylt Balaton Fured, while the dowager empress is the august chief of the Nordeutscher Regatta verein, founded in 1868 and having its headquarters at Hamburg. Archduchess Stephanie's club was established at Buda-Pesth in 1884 and flies a handsome flag of royal blue with an imperial crown in the center.

Currency.

She—We discussed the greenback at our study club to-day.

He—Well, what did you decide?

"That government should either issue currency in all the going tints or else not at all!"—Detroit Journal.

THE BLACK WATCH.

Some Services of the Famous Regiment Now in South Africa.

In the battle at Modder river, one of the regiments which suffered severely was the famous "Black Watch." That is not its official name. It figures in the army list as the Royal Highlanders, and it has a record of a century and three-quarters of gallant service. The original Black Watch comprised six companies of picked Highlanders who were enlisted to check the depredations of disaffected Highland clans. They wore the clan tartan of their leaders, consisting mostly of blue and black and green, which gave them the somber aspect from which their popular name originated. Their dark dress was more striking by contrast with the red uniforms of the regular troops.

The regiment first saw foreign service in Flanders, much against its will, for its members had enlisted with the understanding that they would not be sent out of the country. This was in 1743. Thirteen years later it was sent to America, where it took part in the engagements with the French, joined the expedition against Louisburg and fought with great bravery in the battle of Ticonderoga. Later, when war was declared against Spain, a part of the regiment joined in the operations against Havana.

During the present century the regiment has played its part in most of the wars in which England has been engaged—against the French in 1815, in the Crimea, in the Indian mutiny and in Egypt. It carries on its standard such inscriptions as "Egypt," "Pyrenees," "Waterloo," "Alma," "Sevastopol," "Lucknow" and "Telel-Kebir," in commemoration of battles in which it has fought.

When the Black Watch became a regiment of the line, its uniform was a scarlet jacket and waistcoat, a tartan plaid of 12 yards plaited around the middle of the body, tartan hose and a blue bonnet; but in the African service it wears the khaki. It is still made up of men selected for physical strength and courage, who are as proud of the historic marches and battles of their regiment as if they had had a personal share in all its achievements.—Youth's Companion.

The Wonderful Clam.

The clam's body is completely shrouded in the mantle except for two openings, through one of which the foot can be pushed out, while the other is for the siphon—what is commonly known as the "neck" of the clam. In some respects the clam may be better off than other folks; for he has a little brain in his foot. He also has a gland which secretes strong fibers, from which he spins a "byssus," and by it can attach himself to any object he likes. He does not have to search for food, but waits for it to come to him, and it always does. He makes for himself a burrow in the mud or sand and attaches himself to the bottom by this byssus. Then he thrusts his siphon up through the mud and water, and thus maintains communication with his world. The siphon has two tubes, the water flowing through one and out through the other. The clam lives on the minute organisms, animal and vegetable, found in the water—and gets a living that is so satisfactory to him that he has come to be adopted as a type of contentment and happiness.—Rockland Opinion.

LITERARY SMALL TALK.

David Harum has reached its four hundred and thirty-fifth thousand.

The manuscript of Lorna Doone was submitted to eighteen publishing firms before it was finally accepted.

William Dean Howells' first literary workshop, when but a boy, was a small space under the staircase in his father's house. He used it for five or six years.

A lady living in Wilkesbarre, Pa., went to a bookstore in that city and inquired for one of Walter Scott's novels. "Walter Scott?" inquired the young woman clerk dubiously. "Has he published any new books lately?"

It is now announced that Mark Twain will ere long again take up his abode in Hartford, Conn. One of the papers there says, in speaking of Mr. Clemens' return, that "when a man owns a good house in a good town it is a good plan to live in them both."

Mr. Frank Stockton, the novelist, has been living at Morristown, N. J., for a number of years, but has recently purchased a farm near Charlestown, W. Va., where he finds a better climate and greater privacy.

Gen. Lew Wallace's first dedication of Ben Hur was worded: "To the Wife of My Youth." Immediately many letters of condolence (over her supposed death) began to pour in. Then the wording of the dedication was thus changed: "To the Wife of My Youth Who Still Abides with Me."

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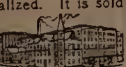

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How It Happened.

"How did you come to sever your engagement with Miss Dashleigh, the heiress?" the poet's friend asked.

"I will tell you," the bard sadly replied. "I wrote a sonnet to her and had it published. In one of the lines I made use of the words 'her plaint.' The printer made it 'her paint.' So you see how little things continue to upset our fondest calculations."—Chicago Times-Herald.

An Annual Disturbance.

Politician—How are things up in your country?

Farmer—Waal, I tell you, the country's likely to be consid'able disturbed most any time now.

Politician—So? Expansion or silver, I suppose.

Farmer—No. Spring plowin'.—Philadelphia Press.

Their Great Feasts.

"Now, boys," said the Sunday School teacher, "can any of you name the three great feasts of the Jews?"

"Yes'm, I can," replied one little fellow.

"Very well, Johnny, what are they?"

"Breakfast, dinner and supper," was the unconsciously logical reply.—Buffalo News.

Imitation.

"I hyub de white young lady say dat she was gwineter cut de yutbuh young lady dat made huh so mad," said Miss Miami Brown.

"It's scan'lous de way dese white folks is actin'," answered Mr. Erastus Pinkley. "Fust dey sings coon songs, den dey does cake walks, an' now dey's gwine in foh carryin' razors."—Washington Star.

Not In Any Danger.

"I don't like to think of building a new house," remarked Mr. Chugwater. "I've noticed that when a man of my age branches out, puts up a new dwelling, and moves into it, he always dies."

"Yes, but you won't," urged Mrs. Chugwater. "You're too contrary to do anything that other men do."—Chicago Tribune.

Looked Like a Failure.

Mrs. Newlywed—I was going to have some sponge cake as a surprise for you, dear, but I confess it is a failure.

Mr. Newlywed—What was the matter?

Mrs. Newlywed—I don't know for sure, but I think the chemist sent me the wrong kind of sponges.—Tit-Bits.

Making Him Glad.

"George," she said, with considerable severity, "this is the last time I shall ask you for money to get my coat made over."

"Good," he exclaimed. "There's another matter out of the way that has been worrying me for a long time."—Chicago Times-Herald.

No Men There.

Mr. Krabby — Thank goodness! there's "no marrying or giving in marriage in Heaven."

Mrs. Krabby (sweetly)—Naturally, my dear. A marriage is impossible without a bridegroom.—Philadelphia Press.

A Life and Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost me $5.00 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and say it never fails to cure throat, chest and lung troubles." Regular size 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason's drug store.

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Young Alfred Vanderbilt, who inherited the bulk of his father's fortune over his brother Cornelius because the latter's marriage did not suit his father, is 23. He has graduated from college and has seen a great deal of society life.

During the next century the Gould fortune will be pretty well cut up, for there are many heirs, the richest of whom will be Kingdon Gould, George Gould's eldest. At present George Gould's rating is $70,000,000. Kingdon, though a mere child, speaks German and French and knows considerable about yachting.

The son of William Waldorf Astor, who lives in England, is 19 and will get the bulk of his father's fortune. At the present time it is estimated that fortune is $200,000,000. John Jacob Astor, of New York, while not so rich as his brother, has over $75,000,000, most of which will go to his nine-year-old son, a bright youngster.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., is heir to more millions than any other young man in the country to-day. He is not yet 25, and his whole life has been a preparation for the enormous task of caring for the estate. Young Rockefeller follows his father in having no taste for club or social life, but devotes his time to business.

Another prospective millionaire is J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr. Like his father he objects to any notoriety, and his name seldom appears in the papers. While he is still less than 30 years of age, he is the manager of his father's London office, and will eventually come into a fortune that will scarcely be less than $150,000,000. A few years ago he was married to Miss Jane N. Grew, of Boston, and the position that he holds in London society is one of the best.

One of the young men who will be among the richest of the rich of the first decade of the twentieth century is Harry Payne Whitney. He is at present the heir of three great fortunes. His father, William C. Whitney, is worth probably not less than $75,000,000; his uncle, Col. Oliver Payne, has nearly as much, and it will go to him. His wife, who was Gertrude Vanderbilt, will receive something like $15,000,000 from her father; so, taking it all in all, Harry Payne Whitney is liable to be one of the richest men in the United States a quarter of a century hence.—N. Y. Telegraph.

Startling Ingratitude.

Mr. Newkid—Uncle Thomas has lost his entire fortune in Wall street!

Mrs. Newkid—Oh! the ungrateful wretch! Right after we had named the baby for him!—Puck.

Speed.

"What? With all your debts you bought an automobile?"

"That's precisely why I bought it. I had to have some way of escaping my creditors."—N. Y. World.

Mysteries of Nature.

She—As a rule, big, strong men are good-natured and jolly.

He—Yes; and as a rule, weak little women are pert and saucy.—Chicago Daily News.

The Usual Way.

Askit—Who is the fellow who is so energetic in discoursing on Jigsby's faults?

Telbit—That's his bosom friend, of course.—Baltimore American.

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The Very Worst.

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Farmer Hayroob—That's a funny name fer a hoss. Why in tunkett do ye call him Filipino?

Farmer Dunk—B'cuz he's always runn'n' away.—Judge.

Wasted Mud.

"Did you ever try mud baths for your rheumatism?"

"No. I once ran for a political office, but that was before rheumatism had asserted itself."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Not for Cape Nome

Higgins—Why don't you go to Cape Nome and get rich this summer?

Wiggins—I don't have to; I've got all the rooms in my summer hotel taken till October.—Detroit Free Press.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Richard H. Dimond, late of Wrentham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by John H Dimond of Wrentham, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, or some other suitable person, the executor named in said will having declined to serve,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the nineteenth day of September, A D 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this twenty [illegible] day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Oliver Everett, late of Wrentham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Elbridge J. Whitaker of Wrentham, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the twelfth day of September A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

au24,31,se7 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Benj. C. Wood and John H. P. Kenyon to George W. Bacon, dated April 4, 1900, and recorded with Norfolk County Deeds, libro 867, folio 534, for a breach of the conditions thereof and to foreclose said mortgage deed, will be sold on the premises in Franklin, in said Norfolk county, at public auction, on

SATURDAY, SEPT. 8, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon standing, containing thirty acres, more or less, situate on the easterly side of Elm street, in said Franklin, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning on said Elm street, at land formerly of George Watson (now Herbert Bartlett) thence running easterly and northerly on land now or formerly of said Watson and land now or formerly of E. N. Ballard and James F. Adams, as the wall and fence now stand, to land formerly of James B. Adams, to land now or formerly of Alfred L. Bodge, thence on said land to said Elm street; thence on said Elm street to the point of beginning, being the same premises as described in a certain deed from the said George W. Bacon to the said Wood and Kenyon, dated March 29, 1900, recorded in Norfolk County Deeds.

Said property will be sold subject to a prior mortgage of $1,000.

Terms made known at sale.

GEORGE W. BACON, Mortgagee.

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Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
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HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
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41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
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Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 05 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Mrs. W. H. Jackson left last week for Chicago.

Alfred Briggs has returned from his outing at Onset.

Editor Johnson is spending a few days with his family at Wellfleet.

Arthur V. Molloy of Boston is visiting Mrs. A. Burgess of Cross street.

The pupils of St. Mary's school resumed their studies this morning.

The fence surrounding the residence of A. D. Thayer was removed today.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Choquette of Worsted street on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith returned from their wedding trip in Vermont Friday.

Frank and Miss Amelia Conti of Buxton were guests at the home of R. Fiorani yesterday.

William G. Cody and family have removed from Union and School streets to Alpine place.

J. P. Bassett and wife of Union street are spending a vacation at a summer resort on the Hudson.

Mrs. Inez Arnold of Boston, for many years a resident of Franklin, is a visitor in town for a few days.

Miss M. J. Burr is visiting friends in Western, Mass., where she went to school in her young days.

The annual meeting of the Cemetery association will be held this evening in the water company's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blake of Providence spent Labor day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oramel Blake.

Miss Mabel Bailey of Woonsocket, who has been the guest of Miss Ida Briggs the past week, has returned home.

The prayer meeting of the First Congregational church will be held on Friday evening instead of Thursday this week.

Flowers for the Alden club can be left with Mrs. T. L. Martin, Miss Craig, Mrs. Solon Abbott and Mrs. Estelle Stewart.

Everett C. Crossman of Union street moves to Worcester this week, where he has secured a permanent position at carpenter work.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Snodgrass spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ledbury of Roslindale and friends in Boston.

The First church held a lawn party last evening on the parsonage lawn. A number of persons were present from Wrentham.

The first regular meeting of the season of Excelsior Lodge, A. F. and A. M., will be held September 3 in their renovated headquarters.

The taxes for 1900 begin to come to the collector and two or three small taxpayers have already responded to the collector's notice.

The Globe Congregational church in Woonsocket will be dedicated on Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock. A number of persons are going from Franklin.

There will be a concert by the Franklin band at Lake Pearl Thursday evening. Dancing will be free. An admission of 10 cents will be charged at the gate.

The name of Miss Mary Bright was inadvertently omitted last Friday from the list of Franklin pupils in attendance at Hyannis Normal school the past summer.

September is the month for the annual school census to be taken. Following so soon after the national enumeration may give some people the impression that they are counted often.

All of the household furniture in the Briggs boarding house on Central street, recently purchased by J. A. Geb, will be sold at auction by D. W. Corson & Co. next Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

The road men have been engaged in cutting brush at the sides of the highways this week, and some of them are paying a good deal of attention to the poison ivy which they have encountered.

Dr. J. Cushing Gallison has not been as well as usual for the past few days. With his brother, Dr. Ambrose Gallison, who arrived from Europe Saturday, he goes to Maine for a very short time to settle their father's estate.

Cornelius J. O'Donoghue, a former well-known resident here, and at present a superintendent of the Metropolitan insurance company at Orange, N. J., returned to Orange yesterday after a brief visit with relatives here.

Some of the engineers want to build a hose house for the hose carriages at the railroad crossing. There is no appropriation for such a purpose, and the appropriation for the support of the department is nearly exhausted.

Miss M. E. Wells and Master Elliot Crossman of Milton, Mr. J. P. Cobb of California, Mrs. C. A. Sanborn and son of Somerville, Mr. Lawrence Fuller and sister of Dorchester have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sanger the past week.

The dry weather of the past summer has had a practical effect on the highways, somewhat like that of the heavy showers a year or two previous. Then the soft places were washed out and holes left, and now the dirt is ground out and blown away in dust.

John A. Geb has purchased from Mrs. H. A. Talbot the property formerly known as the Briggs boarding house on Central street. Mr. Geb is to improve the property, which is a double dwelling, and will occupy a part of it when the alterations are completed.

They are all boys this year, and this peculiarity of the new arrivals leads Aunt Abigail to remark, "It's a sign of war." But Uncle Silas remembers that all signs fail in a dry time, and as for war, it don't need any signs, for the nations are already well into the turmoil of a free fight.

The funeral services of the infant son of Mrs. William White, who died of cholera infantum Wednesday evening, was held Tuesday at the residence of Mrs. Hector McCullough of Chestnut street at 11 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. Guy V. Miner. Burial was in Union street cemetery.

Albert and John Malloy, who are pupils at St. John's training school at Newton Highlands, were visitors with their parents here yesterday. Both are members of the Boys' Working Home brass band of forty pieces, which took part in the Labor day parade in the morning. The boys returned this noon.

The Hayward nine were defeated, 4 to 3, by Our Boys in a close and interesting game at Indian Rock park Saturday afternoon. The contest was hard fought from start to finish, Our Boys being in the lead from the start. The batteries were Feeley and Boucher for Our Boys and Farley and Chilson for the Haywards.

The law relative to naturalization which was passed by the legislature at its recent session, provided that the courts shall do the entire work without any appeal to the town clerk. This means that applicants for papers will not hereafter have to secure a certification from the town clerk. This formerly cost the applicant 50 cents.

There is a great bill at Hoag lake this week and large audiences are present. The attraction is the Rialto company consisting of Gates & Leroy, in a travesty sketch; DeCamo, eccentric juggler; Cora, the canine wonder; Alexander and Morton, in a comedy musical act; Madeline Burdette, a sweet-voiced soprano singer, and Rae and Benedetto in a contortion act on an extension ladder.

Since the law relating to the fitting of freight cars with automatic couplers went into effect, August 1, there have been no cars detained at the local station. All the companies have forbidden the loading of cars which are not equipped according to law, and the result is that few cars are being held on the road. The car shops are crowded with cars, which are being fitted with the automatic couplers as rapidly as possible.

Even the most careless observer is forced to admit the vast difference in number of bicyclists seen now and a couple of years ago. Take it on Sunday two years ago it was no uncommon thing to count a couple of hundred of wheels coming into town from all directions. This year there is not a quarter part of that number. Apparently the popularity of the wheel as a pleasure vehicle has reached its height and the tide is turning the other way.

A new instructor comes to Dean gymnasium department, highly recommended, experienced and capable of maintaining the standard of the institution in that respect. His name is Nathan Pulsifer, of Auburn, Me. He is a graduate of Bates '99 and comes here from Hebron academy. He was also for a time connected with Dummer academy in Byfield. He is an athlete and has captained his nine and eleven both in the baseball and football organizations.

School began today and the mother, the cousins and the aunts have been busy getting the costumes into shape for the campaign. One little miss was bewailing her fate, and thought she could do better with home study, and when pressed for a reason, confessed that she did not expect the teacher would allow her to "cut up" without punishment to follow, a more logical conclusion than many older people comfort themselves with when they cut up.

Did you ever notice while riding in the electric cars of the street railway how polite and obliging the men are in giving their seats to the ladies? They are much more ready here to give up their seats than in the nearby cities where, when a lady enters a car where the seats are all full, the men gaze at one another as if saying "why don't you get up?" Finally one of them gets ashamed of himself and offers the lady his seat, which is of course accepted. We are glad to note the difference here.

It is understood that the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket street railway company has notified the selectmen of Milford, through counsel, that it will insist on its rights through Main, Pearl, Purchase, Dilla and Cedar streets to the Hopkinton town line, and that it will take the case into the courts for settlement if necessary. The company claims that the fact of its having distributed rails along the route and filed plans of construction with the selectmen constitutes the commencement of actual construction work.

It is agreed that newspaper subscriptions are an infallible test of a man's honesty. They will sooner or later discover the man. If he is dishonest, he will cheat the printer some way—declare he has paid when he has not—sent money in the mails which was lost—will take the paper and not pay for it on the ground that he never subscribed for it—or move off and leave it coming to the office he left. Thousands of alleged Christians are dishonest in this particular, at least, and the printer's book will tell fearful tales at the final judgment.

Frank Dennett Blake, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oramel Blake, and for several years a valued employe in the SENTINEL office, was united in marriage to Miss Florence Ellen Hunt at Brunswick, Me., the home of the bride, last Sunday. Mr. Blake is engaged with the Dennison company at South Framingham, where he has been located for the past three years. He and his bride have the best wishes of a large circle of friends here and in South Framingham for unbounded happiness and prosperity at the beginning of their journey through life together. They will reside at No. 6 Alexander street, South Framingham.

The regular meeting of the selectmen was held Friday with Messrs. Gallison and Clark present. In addition to the approval of bills, Everett S. Messenger and Julius Morrill were made special policemen. F. P. Wyman appeared before the board in relation to the work of the street railway company in front of his residence on Central street, but as Mr. McCarthy was not present the matter was carried over. C. Walter Pond of the Wrentham board of selectmen made an informal call upon the Franklin board and was an interested spectator of the work. Two applications for state aid were acted upon and at 9 p. m. the board adjourned for two weeks.

Mr. Lowell Gilmore died in Binghamton, N. Y., Saturday morning, August 31, of heart trouble. Mr. Gilmore was born in Franklin, June, 1821, on the Mount; was a schoolmate of Mr. Partridge. There are five left now living in Franklin who went to school together, all more than 78 years old. Mr. Partridge had just returned from a visit to Mr. Gilmore, and although his health was poor, he was able to be out and enjoy trolley riding every day with Mr. Partridge. He leaves two daughters, Mrs. Emma Curran and Mrs. Grace Henwood. Since the death of his wife he has lived with Mrs. Henwood. He had a picture gallery in Binghamton for thirty years.

These are fish days. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fishman.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Northfield and Onset.

The Congregational church experienced a very auspicious day last Sabbath. A large audience greeted Dr. Sneath in the morning. The church had been most tastily decorated with flowers under the direction of Miss Sarah J. Daniels. The pastor preached from the theme, "God's Providence Is Mine Inheritance," being a motto taken from Hall Caine's "The Deemster." He emphasized the truth that God lives for us, that this is the Divine Providence and that this Providence is our inheritance here and now. The Sabbath school and Y. P. S. C. E. were well attended.

In the evening a large audience came to hear the pastor's contrast of spiritual conditions between Northfield and Onset. He said: Nature has done much for both these places. Northfield is most beautifully located among the hills, and the Connecticut river winds its way through them. Onset is also a charming place, with its hills, bay and islands. Socially, very delightful people are to be met at each place. There are also ample opportunities for recreation. It seemed singular that two such resorts, to which thousands go every year, should not as yet have the advantage of the electric cars. The marked contrast between these two places is evident along spiritual lines. Both use the term spiritual, but in vastly different senses. Onset is one of the great vacation centres for Spiritualists. In contrasting these two places one notes first of all that Northfield is a place of Bibles, while Onset is not. One stray evangelist found his way to Onset and carried his Bible with him. It was the only Bible we saw in public. Nor was the Bible read in public anywhere that we could learn. In Northfield Bibles are visible everywhere—in meetings, on the streets, in the hotel, at the tables—not for ostentation, but for study. A great portion of the conferences are given to Bible study. The Bible is the greatest book in the world. That is a comparatively safe place where the Bible is read. Again, Northfield is ever recognizing the Christ; Onset does not. There are Christian people in Onset who do, but the Spiritualists as a body do not. All prayers are offered to the Great Spirit and other spirits, and always in the name of truth, humanity or love; never in the name of Christ. In Northfield Christ is honored in every service; in the songs, prayers, at morning prayers in the hotels, tents and cottages, at meals—everywhere. It is a Christian conference and Christ is remembered. A conference for spiritual ends without the recognition of Christ cannot make very great progress. Further, Northfield is ever seeking the guidance of the Holy Spirit; Onset, the direction of other spirits. All the meetings at Onset are held ostensibly to receive messages of some kind from departed friends or spirits. These messages in the main pertain to the individual's material welfare. No special efforts are put forth in the interest of man's spiritual welfare here and hereafter. At Northfield the aim sought in all that is said and done is the deepening of the spiritual life. The air is full of consecration to qualify the worker for more efficient service. There is nothing fanatical, but the simple urging of the will to definite decisions for truer living and more faithful service in the church's work. Finally, Northfield seeks primarily the spiritual good of men. Onset would seem to seek primarily their material good. There are mediums, psychics, test readers, magnetic healers, clairvoyants, etc., in great numbers. The objects of all these are healing of body and relieving the mind. There are expressed messages from chieftain spirits and departed friends. There are some excellent moral teachings and psycological suggestions, but no Gospel. There are no preaching services, Sabbath schools or prayer meetings. Sunday is given up to band concerts and "circles." At one meeting a leader suggested singing "Nearer, my God, to Thee," and said, "It may sound churchy, but it will bring us nearer to the spiritual world." Whatever is done at Northfield is in the line of the spiritual. There are daily prayer services, Bible readings, sermons, talks to children, conferences on Christian work, and every part of the day may be given to obtaining an actual experience of "Nearer, my God, to Thee; nearer to Thee." Onset is doing something along educational and philanthropic lines, but there is nothing to compare with the Northfield and Mt. Hermon schools for boys and girls. Mr. Moody's work will endure because he planted it well in Christ and a Christian education. His one foot was on the rock Christ and his other on the Bible. There can be but one conviction. There may be different philosophies, but there can be but "one faith." He who discards Christ and the Bible builds on sandy foundations; while he who follows them builds upon the rock which abides forever.

Office Closed.

My patrons are requested to note that my dental office will be closed until further notice during my vacation.

DR. M. E. POND.

All lovers of music are invited to see the display of pianos and organs at Sanford Bros., Medway. Up to date and prices right.

Labor Day in Franklin.

There was no celebration of Labor day in Franklin yesterday and a goodly proportion of the residents took the cars on both of the electrics for an outing. The majority of the business places were open until noon, but after that time until evening the town was as quiet as it is ordinarily on a Sabbath afternoon. Large crowds made their way to Hoag Lake and Lake Pearl and the trolley cars were packed during the day and evening. The fine attractions at both the resorts proved popular with the great crowds and both managements are entitled to commendation for the good entertainments provided.

There was one sporting event at Indian Rock park in the morning. This was a lively and exciting game of ball between Our Boys and the Victors, which resulted in favor of Our Boys, 12 to 11, after a contest that was in doubt as to the outcome until the last man was out in the ninth. The batteries were Feeley and Boucher for Our Boys and McKenna and Morrell for the Victors. This was the eleventh straight victory for Our Boys.

Reunion of the Adams Family.

Just two hundred years ago John Adams, the first ancestor of the family of James F. Adams of this place, settled in this country. He came over from Crittenden, in Devonshire, England, at the age of fifteen, and settled in South Franklin, where in time he built for himself a home. The two hundredth anniversary of this event was fittingly celebrated last Thursday, when a reunion of the descendants of the first Adams was held at the spacious homes on the farms of Mr and Mrs. James F. and Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Adams, which adjoin the summit of Franklin hill. During the day about 75 guests were entertained, most of whom were relatives. At 1 o'clock in the afternoon a sumptuous collation was served in James F. Adams' home. During the afternoon a party of 30 took carriages and went to South Franklin, where they visited the home and surroundings of the original Adams. The first house built by the original Mr. Adams lasted for over one hundred years, and another one was then constructed upon the same site, and although nearly ninety years old, continued in a marked degree of preservation until last January, when it was destroyed by fire. Another one was then constructed upon the same site.

Four generations of the descendants were present, among whom were the following: Mrs. Robinson of Washington, D. C., aged ninety-one years; Mrs. Clara D. Adams of this place, aged eighty four years; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mann and family of Franklin; Melza W. Allen and family of Walpole; Willard Everett, Alden Mann and Harry Smith, with their families, of Lowell; Mrs. Nathan T. Dyer of Ashburnham, N. H ; Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Allen of Andover, the former a professor at Andover academy; Fred W. Allen, formerly captain of the Yale 'varsity crew and a graduate of that university in the class of 1900; Miss Kate C. Adams of Holliston; Mrs. Hattie Moon of West Medway; Misses Edith and Anna Bigelow of Boston; Mrs. Mary Adams Kendall and daughter of Waltham; Mr. Spalding of Worcester; James T. Adams and family, Hon. Milton M. Fisher, Rev. and Mrs. Drawbridge of Medway. Miss Ellen W. Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Adams, also assisted in the entertainment of the many guests. The party broke up about 9 o'clock, and it was the unanimous expression of those present that this was one of the most successful reunions that the Adams family has ever held. Several of the guests, including Mrs. Robinson of Washington, remained here for short visits.

It is said that certain parties supposed to live less than a thousand miles from Woonsocket have been engaged in catching fish in a certain pond not a thousand miles from Faanklin, and it is further supposed that they may be caught in the pastime, contrary to law made and provided, and suffer an arrest, and perhaps fine, for their defiance of the majesty of legal enactments.

A Surprising Fact.

No president has been re-elected since Grant—that is, in 28 years.

No president has been renominated since Grant except Harrison and Cleveland, and both were defeated for a second continuous term—that is, no president since Grant has had a second continuous term.

In 1888 Cleveland seemed to be absolutely sure of re-election, but he was defeated.

In 1892 Harrison seemed to be sure of re-election, but was defeated.

Will Mr. McKinley furnish a third example and will history repeat itself?

We guess not.

Cut flowers, all kinds of funeral designs well made up at Slade's greenhouse. Roses in small or large quantities.

Two chairs at Oches's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser, William Donovan, now in attendance. Short waits.

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You give him a slight, don't expect to be "cussed;"
Just give the editor your printing.
Your son goes out west, you'd like him "well-sped;"
Then give the editor your printing.
Your daughter gets married, a nice word is said,
'Cause you give the editor your printing.

You're running a show, want the people to go;
Just give the editor your printing.
Take the printing elsewhere, the notice "comes slow;"
So give the editor your printing.
In a word, you want on the right side to keep
Of the editor who does your printing.
Like bread on the waters, a harvest you'll reap
If you give the editor your printing.

—Paper and Type.

Long Ago.

It is not very remarkable, perhaps, but still a coincidence, that the beginning and end of what was formerly the Congregational buildings on the original lot of the parish went up in smoke, the recent burning of the church building owned by the Catholic society being the finishing stroke, and the burning of the horse sheds, which many of the older residents will remember, being the beginning of the end. There was a larger comedy element in the destruction of the horse sheds than in the destruction of the church. In the old days long strings of useful, but not ornamental, sheds for the protection of horses and carriages were on the grounds adjacent to the church edifice.

When the population began to gather more into villages and modern ideas as to the proper thing in landscapes began to enlarge, many people wanted the blots on the landscape removed, but the substantial old burghers, with whom a horse shed and noon house made a part of their material evidence of religious life, scarcely less venerated than the church itself, would not consent to the removal of the material evidences of prosperous church life. The other side, to whom the eternal sacredness of perishing material did not strongly appeal, argued the question for a time, but without avail; and then the things caught fire on a dark night.

It is the impression of the writer that they were afire two or three times before the finish, and the final struggle was aggravated by strange actions on the part of the would-be-savers. Several pails were conveniently at hand, apparently containing water, but, as a matter of fact, having a supply of burning fluid, at that time used in considerable quantities in the straw goods factories. The men working to put out the fire seeing this supply, would seize upon the pails and throw the contents upon the burning wood, and behold with astonishment the increased volume of smoke and flame that would belch forth. However, no one could explain who started the trouble, and the excitement cooled down after a time like the fire. A good many of the participants have left their earthly affairs to executors or administrators and a few are living who knew enough about it not to know nothing.—Woonsocket Reporter.

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OUR exchanges in this congressional district are advancing some very strong arguments in favor of the candidacy of Samuel L. Powers, and indications seem to point to his success in obtaining the nomination. Ranking, as he does, among New England's most prominent and talented lawyers, his character, both public and private, above reproach, and with ability unquestioned, he would indeed make an ideal member of the national house. The bitter warfare being waged against him by certain of his opponents is unjust and indefensible, and will but tend to help Mr Powers cause with all fair minded people.—Sharon Advocate.

Passing of the Skilled Workman

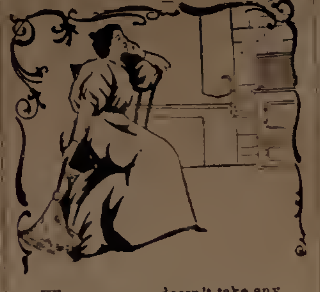
A revolution in the field of industry is going on so quietly that it is noticed by very few and yet the century will see the all-round, thorough mechanic pass out of existence in many branches. Machinery has taken his place. Skilled labor is less in demand now than it was years ago, it will be still less required as machinery is made to do the work formerly performed by man's trained fingers. A mechanic no longer needs to know every branch of his trade but he must be able to handle his machine. A mechanic at the beginning of the century was required to produce perfect work and complete the whole product of his trade, be it a shoe or a watch. At the end of the century the workman in the factory produces day in and day out, one single piece multiplied many times by the aid of the machine. As to the construction of everything else entering into the finished product he very seldom has the slightest idea. He learns to handle one machine and there he usually stops. He can minutely describe the workings of his one machine; of the others he remains profoundly ignorant. In this way he gradually degenerates to a machine, a part of the one he works with. Progress in the field of industry is for him retrogression. He has deteriorated as a mechanic and the machine has changed skilled into factory labor.

Medical Marriage Licenses

There is a vein of good sense in a certain bill now before the Colorado legislature relating to the issue of marriage licenses. The measure provides for the creation of a board of medical examiners in each county, whose duty it shall be to examine all candidates for the wedded estate and make a report on their health. The issuance of license is made conditional upon the production by the parties of proper [illegible] certificates declaring that they suffer from no disease which would be likely to be transmitted to their children. The importance of such a restriction has been brought to the attention of the people of Colorado by reason of the circumstance that many consumptives resort to that state for relief and there contract marriages which result in the propagation of the dread disease. That such marriages are improper is a fact beyond dispute. It is a [illegible] with which to deal. No law on the subject would be necessary if all men and women had a proper sense of their obligations, not only to themselves, but to those yet unborn. However, this can hardly be expected. People will continue going into marriage and [illegible] marriage, even when they know that their children if they have any will in all probability be born to a heritage of suffering. It is argued by the proponents of the Colorado bill that this is where the state should take a hand.

A Kansas paper mentions the death of G. Whizz. He was the gentleman whose name was so universally used by our Christian people as a substitute for the favorite swear words of the sinful class.

The American corn kitchen at Paris will be in charge of a colored woman trained as a cook in Maryland.



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BOOK OF HIS DREAMS.

It Took Quaritch, the Bibliophile, Forty Years to Make Money Enough to Buy It.

Bernard Quaritch, the celebrated London bibliophile, recently deceased, was the son of a German officer, and was born at Worbis, Prussia, in 18[illegible]7.

When he settled permanently in London, 55 years ago, he accepted humble employment under the late Mr. Bohn, the famous bookseller, with the avowed determination to become in time the first bookseller in Europe. Step by step, by perseverance and unremitting toil, he built up a business which made his name and reputation world-wide. Looked at from the point of view of the ordinary bookbuyer, however, Mr. Quaritch was really not a bookseller. He did not deal in current publications, and his great reputation was due, not to the greatness of his sales, but to the limited number of them and to high prices. His exertions were devoted chiefly to supplying libraries and a few private collectors with bibliographical curiosities. He dealt in missals, early Bibles, illuminated books, manuscripts, and similar rarities, wherever they might be found or in whatever language they were printed. He was always found as a competitor whenever a Mazarin Bible or a first-folio Shakespeare or a collection of Alduses or Elzevirs was offered for sale.

Mr Quaritch would scarcely so much as look at a modern collection of first editions, and very few books of the present century had any special attraction for him. He was especially attracted toward early Americana, and in 18[illegible] he sent his son to New York with a noble collection of old books and manuscripts, to dazzle the eyes and gladden the hearts of American bibliophiles. It is related of him that, while still a struggling youth, he formed a firm determination to buy for himself, at whatever price if he should at any time have the opportunity and money, a copy of the "book of St. Albans." It was only after 40 years of patient toil that he had acquired the means, and a sale at Christie's presented him with the chance of carrying out his long-cherished resolve. Then, amidst restless silence the hammer fell to his bid of [illegible] guineas, and at last he bore off his long-desired prize.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

An American Reporter.

They have a reporter on one of the Williamsburg papers who may not be long on style, but for placid nerve [illegible] "get there" he is a wonder. A little while ago he was assigned to a political meeting and asked to give a good report of it. Now, it happened that the festivities were conducted entirely in Polish, a language of which the young man knows nothing. This fact, however, did not phase him a bit. He pushed his way through the hall, pushed up to the platform and sat down with the secretary. For several minutes he industriously took notes, and finally the secretary, turning to him, [illegible] out a volley of Polish.

"I am not in it, dear boy," retorted the young man, as he turned again to listen to the speaker.

The secretary looked surprised. Finally he went out and brought in a man who asked in English:

"Are you a Polish reporter?"

"Nope," was the reply. "I am an American one."

"Do you understand our language?"

"I never heard it before," retorted the scribbler. "But I think I have picked up enough since I have been here to give a rattling good story."

And he did.—N. Y. Press.

ODD FACTS ABOUT ECLIPSES.

From the New York Journal.

An unnatural chill comes into the air.

Chickens go to roost as the darkness approaches.

Birds flutter about in consternation and seek their nests.

Beasts of prey grow ferocious and attack human beings boldly.

People are nervous and excited, while children cling to their mothers in fright.

Dogs run to their masters and cower and whine piteously between their outbursts of yelping.

Such natural sounds as waterfalls and the whistling of the wind seem excessively loud and alarming.

Cows go home from pasture. They stop chewing their cuds and sniff the air as if fearing a great storm.

Ignorant and superstitious people have an abject fear of some great calamity, they know not what.

Horses in harness are frightened at familiar objects, and those loose in the fields run about distractedly.

Trees lose their usual look and color, and the light sifts down through them in fantastic round blotches.

Just before the eclipse becomes total the sun's feeble light seems divided into separate beams that come down quivering and slanting.

The young of all creatures run to their mothers in fear, while the males among the animals seek their mates to protect them.

The sudden changes of light and heat make peculiar electrical conditions which are probably the cause of excitability in all living things.

In the total eclipse of July 29, 1878, in the United States a negro seized with frenzy killed his wife and three children.

During the eclipse of May 15, 1877, in Europe the Turks raised a riot and fired guns and cannon at the sun to deliver it from the claws of the supposed dragon.

While the darkness lasts there is a groaning of illness among all living things except dogs and wolves. These set up a snappish yelping quite different from the ordinary bark or night howl.

At Peking, on January 28, 1888, at the beginning of an eclipse, an uproar occurred like that heard in Chinatown on New Year's day. The mandarins ordered the drums to be beaten to put to flight the celestial dragon that was swallowing the sun.

At the eclipse of August 18, 1868, which M. Janssen, the French astronomer, went to India to observe, a queer incident occurred. The natives whom he had engaged to attend to his apparatus all ran away at the moment the sun began to darken and went into the river to bathe. A heathen religious rite commands them at such times to plunge into water to exorcise the influence of the evil spirit.

SAYINGS OF SAGES.

To the pure all things are pure.—Shelley.

A good laugh is sunshine in a house.—Thackeray.

Children have more need of models than of critics.—Joubert.

He who believes in nobody knows that he himself is not to be trusted.—Auerbach.

Drive prejudices out by the door, they will reenter by the windows.—Frederick the Great.

Minorities lead and save the world, and the world knows them not till long afterward.—John Burroughs.

We sometimes think that we hate flattery, but we only hate the way in which we are flattered.—La Rochefoucauld.

Let us be of good cheer, remembering that the misfortunes hardest to bear are those which never happen.—Lowell.

We are hunted by an ideal life, and it is because we have within us the beginning and the possibility of it.—Phillips Brooks.

All who have been great and good without Christianity would have been much greater and better with it. If there be, amongst the sons of men, a single exception to this maxim, the divine Socrates may be allowed to put in the strongest claim. It was his high ambition to deserve by deeds, not by creeds, an unrevealed heaven, and by works, not by faith, to enter an unpromised land.—Colton.

To the Juvenile Mind.

"Paw," said Tommy, "I don't see why they call it a Turkish bath."

"Why not?"

"Because all the Turks I've ever seen looked as if they never took a bath at all."—Chicago Tribune.

Investigation Proved It.

"When I put my foot down, I'll have you to understand," says Mrs. Najoker, "that there's something there."

On investigation it was found to be a No. 11 shoe.—Tit-Bits.

Not Unique.

Her: Crowded, were you? I thought you went early to avoid the rush.

She: So I did; but about 5,000 other people did the same thing.—Brooklyn [illegible]

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Rep.—Style of weaving in which the surface has a crosswise ribbed appearance as a distinction from "cords" which extend lengthwise in the fabric.

Serge.—Twilled worsted fabric, in weight and texture belonging to the flannel family. Woven in a fine or coarse twill with a worsted warp and a woolen weft.

Suede. — Leather tanned on the wrong or bleached side, or having the thin, glossy undergrain shaved or peeled off, leaving an undressed surface. Usually mocha or lambskin.

Brandenburgs.—A variety of ornamental buttons made in the shape of an oblong, narrow cylinder, smaller at the ends than in the middle. Usually a wooden mold covered with silk or mohair and worn with loops on the front of garments and to fasten men's overcoats. Called frogs on women's garments.—Dry Goods Reporter.

OLD-FASHIONED RECIPES.

Mush, or Hasty Pudding.—A most healthful dish is hasty pudding. It is made by mixing enough water with a pint of Indian meal to take out all the lumps. Add the mixture, a tablespoonful at a time, to a quart of water, kept at boiling point. When this has been thoroughly dissolved, add a sufficient quantity of dry meal to thicken, season with salt and serve.

Sally-Lunn.—A hot breakfast dish that is most palatable is sally-lunn. Take one and a half cupfuls of butter and the same quantity of sugar, five eggs, three cupfuls of sweet milk and a cupful of liquid yeast; add enough flour to form a stiff batter and let rise over night. Bake in small muffin rings, and when sufficiently browned butter and serve hot.

Boiled Indian Pudding.—A boiled Indian pudding is made with one cupful and a half of sour milk, two thoroughly beaten eggs and one teaspoonful of saleratus. Enough corn meal should be sifted in to form a batter, as for fried cakes, and a cupful of dried fruit, such as cherries, etc., should be added. Put the mixture into a pudding bag that has been wrung out in hot water and boil for one hour, being sure that the water is at boiling point when the pudding is put in.—N. Y. Tribune.

Plant Line Popularity.

The following is a sample of unsolicited testimonials frequently received by the Plant line: "My son and wife have just returned from a delightful trip by your line through the provinces. Will you kindly mail me two of the maps or charts showing the route to Charlottetown, etc. I would like that trip very much." It is not only popular with individuals, but with organizations and excursion parties. A Raymond and Whitcomb party of fifty returned to La Grande Duchesse this week, and the Zingari cricket club of Boston and Rhode Island cricket club of Providence left on the same ship Saturday for a tour of Nova Scotia and Newfoundland. The map so highly spoken of will be mailed on receipt of a two cent stamp by J. A. Flanders, N. E. A. 290 Washington street, Boston, or E. H. Downing, Agent, 20 Atlantic avenue, Boston.

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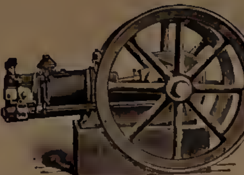

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HUMOROUS.

Young Mother—"Did you notice how quiet the baby is?" The Brute—"Yes. Is he dead?"—Harlem Life.

Somewhat Personal.—"Did you know that every lobster has his name on him when he's born? Queer, ain't it?" "Yes. How long ago did you discover yours?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Professor—"I believe, sir, that you have merely skimmed over this lesson?" Imp Udence '03—"Why, professor? Because I seem to have gotten the cream of it?"—Princeton Tiger.

Last week a policeman was severely blamed for arresting a deaf woman. "It's the best thing that ever happened to her," he answered, "for she will get her hearing at nine o'clock to-morrow morning."—Harvard Lampoon.

"I shall have to crown that tooth," said the dentist, indicating the particular molar. "Yes," assented the victim. "It's a-king rather more than any of the others." Whereupon the dentist mentally decided to make the bill about $2.50 higher.—Ohio State Journal.

"By the way, was that second cousin of yours cured of his fits?" "Pretty near, but he stopped doctoring for them." "Run out of money?" "Naw. A farce-comedy manager saw him when he was in one of them and engaged him on the spot at 300 per."—Indianapolis Press.

"Although you have refused me," sighed Clospenny, "I shall always cherish as most dear the moments I spent with you." "Really!" she asked, with visions of the ice cream and candy and such which she never got, "and since they were so dear will you never regret having spent them?"—Philadelphia Press.

Last week a delinquent subscriber said he would pay up if he lived. He died. Another said: "I will see you to-morrow." He's blind. Still another said: "I'll pay you this week or go to the devil." He's gone. There are hundreds who ought to take warning of these procrastinators and pay up now.—Finley (S. D.) Slope.

The Thought.

Thought is company only for those who are capable of entertaining it.—Chicago Daily News.

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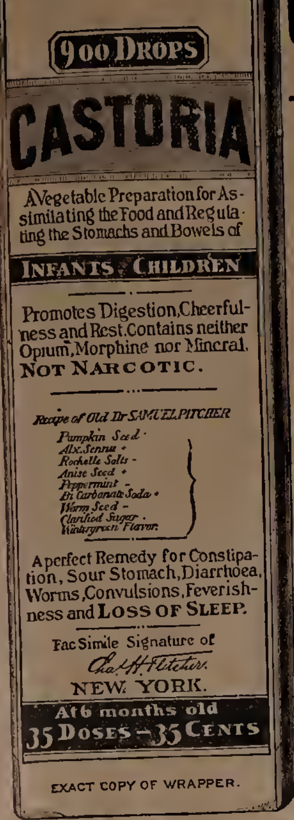
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COTTON MADE SILK.

Accidental Discovery of Process That Made Millions.

The Valuable Find of an English Dyer and Its Subsequent Improvement Has Made Much Money.

A boy sat before the fire and watched his mother's kettle boil. The lid quivered, rose a little, and the boy gave steam power to the world.

John Mercer, an English dyer, filtered caustic soda through a square of cotton cloth. Thence a new verb—to mercerize—in the language, a new fabric on the market, and a new business, engaging millions of capital, to cheer the unemployed.

The story of the boy, John Watt, is old, but Mercer's story is new and interesting. Mercerized cotton, either cotton yarn or cotton cloth, resembles silk absolutely. It has the luster of silk; it will take on, like silk, the richest and most brilliant dyes, and it has the unmistakable soft-harsh, nestling feel which nothing but silk ever had, says the Brooklyn Eagle.

Also cotton, under this process, does not weaken, as might have been feared, but it acquires strength. A skein of cotton yarn in the natural state that will carry 13 ounces without breaking will carry, after mercerizing, 19 ounces. And if you take three coats and line the first with a plain cotton lining, the second with mercerized cotton and the third with silk, the cotton and the silk will wear out, about together, but the mercerized lining will outlast them two or three times over.

Mercerized cotton is used in linings, in underwear, in spindle banding, in stockings, in dress goods, in negligee shirts. There is a profit in mercerizing of from 100 to 200 per cent. In the last year or two many public dyers have added mercerizing machines to their plants, and a good number of mercerizing mills have been established.

Mercerizing began as far back as 1846 in the English town of Accrington, where John Mercer, manager for the firm of Hargreaves, filtered caustic soda through a cotton cloth. Mercer, by accident, kept this cloth by him, happened to test its strength, happened to splash it with a dye. He found that it was about twice as strong and about twice as susceptible to dye liquor as it had been before. Slight savings, in connection with big outputs, come in the long run to astonishing totals. Here was a saving by no means slight. Here, just by running a cotton thread through a liquid as cheap as water, it would come to do the work of two threads, and in being dyed it would save half the quantity of the dye stuff.

Mercer rejoiced. He refused for his secret an offer of $200 000 from a French firm. He had the idea of an immense syndicate, with himself at the head, rolling up millions of profits per annum.

Then it was found that cotton shrunk in the mercerizing. A yard of cloth would save in dyestuffs and in raw stock, say five cents to its manufacturers, but it would come out of the mercerizing bath only three-quarters of a yard of cloth. Against the profit of five cents a loss through shrinkage of about ten cents would have to be set. This is why Mercer never formed his syndicate, why mercerizing was of no commercial importance until latterly.

For the remaining 20 years of his life the man toiled ineffectually on, and he died disheartened. But his name lives. That is because, somewhere around 1890, Horace Lowe, in England, and Thomas and Provost, in Germany, began to try to see if it might not be possible to mercerize a cotton thread and to prevent the thread from shrinking in the process. They more than succeeded.

Mercer had taken his cotton, steeped it for about three hours in caustic soda, then washed it. That is mercerizing in its simplest terms. To the Englishman, Lowe, and the Germans, Thomas and Provost, came simultaneously the idea of keeping the cotton stretched while steeping it in the caustic soda bath. They tied the ends of their cotton threads to sticks and then mercerized them. The sticks did not break, the thread did not even show signs of shrinkage. So easy was it to do what Mercer had been failing at for years and years.

But, more than this, they found that cotton mercerized under tension came out glossy, soft and rustling. To their amazement they found that they had transformed cotton into silk. And ever since the Englishmen and Germans have been fighting over the patents on this wonderful discovery.

The explanation of the luster that cotton, being mercerized, takes on, is simple. The soda and the tension together change the nature of the cotton fiber. The natural fiber is flat, shriveled; the mercerized fiber fills out, becomes round and smooth. And just as a flat, dried raisin has no luster, whereas the full ripe grape catches and throws back the light, so there is no luster to the flat fiber of the natural cotton, but on the mercerized sort the light shines and is reflected just as on the grape.

FEMININE FRILLS.

The Latest in Lingerie and Fashionable Trifles for the Season's Costumes.

Shades of gray are charming in the new woolen materials which are to be seen for the new gowns. There are all sorts of pretty grenadine-like materials, similar to those worn in the sixties—loosely woven materials, but with body enough to drape excellently. Some of them are to be seen with pretty satin stripes, some with little embroidered figures, the small bow knots that never seem to grow old.

With the thought of the war in almost everything done nowadays in England, the bonbon boxes of silver are no longer used to hold various small bonbons, but are filled with "meat lozenges." They are fitted for the pocket, and are supposed to be just the thing for the soldier boy in time of need.

Pretty little handkerchiefs with a pattern woven in them somewhat after the way patterns are woven in damask for the table are now coming in. There are little bowknots, for instance, at intervals through the body of the handkerchief, and the table-linen effect is most noticeable in a damask-like band around the edge, and in which the pattern is set at regular intervals, as in a border.

Most of the shoppers from the big shops who purchase French lingerie are now abroad getting up the new stock, and, this being just about between seasons, it is a good time for bargains in pretty underwear. There are many women who consider underwear their one extravagance. They do not care so much about their outside garments, but there is a certain delightful daintiness in wearing the prettiest and most attractive clothes out of sight. They feel that they dress for themselves, and it gives a certain feeling of self-respect and special pleasure. These women never dare to go near the underwear counters in the big shops when the contents of their purses are at a low ebb, for they simply cannot resist the pretty things displayed.

The drapery effect around the shoulders obtains in many things, especially where yokes are worn. Below the yoke of the opera cape soft material or lace is draped entirely around the shoulders, and in tea gowns the same effect is used with good results.

Not every woman would like or would look well in an Empire wedding gown, but the gowns themselves are charming. One has a puffed yoke and sleeves, while from under the arms two broad pieces of lace are brought and fasten a little to the left of the bust, the ends hanging in soft folds to the lower edge of the skirt. This gown is finished without a collar at the throat, the top of the puffed yoke fitting snugly, with a cord set in.

Long Empire coats which have an air of distinction are kilt-plaited in the skirt and have little jacket effects. In one of these the jacket differs from the skirt, being heavily embroidered, as are the sleeves. The back of the jacket is cut up a little in the center, and comes down in long points in the front.

Much tulle is to be used with straw this coming season, and many hats will be made in alternate rows of straw and tulle. A great deal of tucked taffeta will also be used, as it has been during the winter. The milliners are groaning because Easter comes so late this year. Very few women wear the old-time "Easter bonnet" to church on Easter day; it is not smart to do so, but at the same time Easter is the bonnet season, and its being late or early makes the spring millinery late or early. In good weather many of the smart women are out of town over Easter.—N. Y. Times.

THE HOME WEDDING.

What to Do When the Nuptial Ceremony Is Celebrated at Home.

For the home wedding the house is made bright with flowers. The mother and sisters of the bride receive the guests. The father first appears when he enters the room with his daughter. As the hour strikes the clergyman takes his place, facing the company, followed by the bridegroom and his best man, who stand at his left, awaiting the bride. Two ushers mark off an aisle with broad white ribbons, attaching them at the ends, and they precede the rest of the bridal party, who enter at the farthest corner of the room. The bridesmaid or maids follow the ushers, and the bride comes last with her father. Or, the ushers may precede the best man and the one bridesmaid, and the bride and bridegroom follow. At a house wedding they often have no attendants and rarely any music. At the conclusion of the service the clergyman congratulates the bride and bridegroom and then retires. They then turn to be greeted, first by their parents, next by the members of the two families and near relatives, afterwards by every one present. All wish them happiness. Refreshments are served in the dining-room, and may be simple or elaborate, as one chooses.—Ladies' Home Journal.

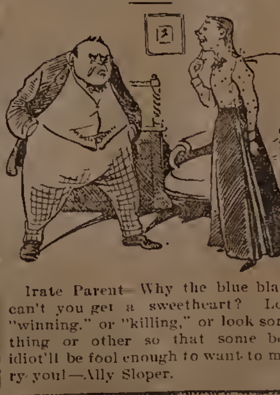
Sausages and Celery.

Pick small sausages several times, so that they will not burst in frying, lay them in the blazer, cover closely, and cook until crisp. Or, if there are cold cooked sausages in the house, they may be heated in the blazer in a little butter or bacon fat. In either case, add to the fat two tablespoonfuls of celery, cut up very small, and let this cook two or three minutes, so that it will be done through, but not cooked enough to lose the distinctive taste of fresh celery. This may be served on toast or crackers. It is also good served on shredded wheat biscuit.—Good Housekeeping.

Don't.

In the town's big business battle,
  In the bargain sales of life,
Be not like dumb, driven cattle,
  Don't go shopping with your wife.
—Judge.

JUDICIOUS ENCOURAGEMENT.



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Had Use for Him.

Barry Sullivan, the Irish tragedian, was playing in "Richard III." some years ago at Shrewsbury. When the actor came to the lines: "A horse, a horse! My kingdom for a horse!" some one in the pit called out:

"Wouldn't a donkey do, Mr. Sullivan?"

"Yes," responded the tragedian, turning quickly on the interrupter. "Please come round to the stage-door."—Tit-Bits.

Willing Martyrdom.

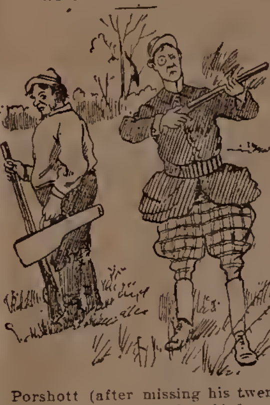
Solicitous Parent—Evelyn, you mustn't ride in this open street car such a cold day as this without your jacket. Put it on, child. You will have pneumonia if you don't.

Miss Evelyn (with supreme contempt)—What of that? Do you suppose I'm going to let Mabel Upjohn see me wearing a jacket that's all out of style?—Chicago Tribune.

On the Stump.

Now doth the wily candidate
About the country's future prate,
Insist the way to save the land
Is with the party true to stand
And thwart the opposition's plan
To choose a most unworthy man;
Urge your support for one that's fit—
And, incidentally, he's it.
—Puck.

NO CAUSE FOR ALARM.



Porshott (after missing his twentieth bird)—I believe the birds are frightened at me.

Gamekeeper—They needn't to be, sir.—Chicago Chronicle.

Life Is Sweet.

"This world is but a fleeting show,"
  And yet there's not a man
But wants to see as much of the
  Performance as he can.
—Philadelphia Press.

Diplomacy for Home Use.

"Oh, yes, I always let my girl go just as soon as the summer fairly begins."

"Why? Do you prefer to do your own work in hot weather?"

"No, but it gives me an excuse to let my husband know that we can't possibly be visited by any of his people."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Seeing Him Twice.

Judge—Have I not seen you twice under the influence of liquor?

Prisoner—If you were in that condition, your honor, you probably did.—Catholic Standard and Times.

Her Fault.

Bob—So you're waiting upon Miss Slowboy lately?

Tom—Lately? I should say so. We never get anywhere on time.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Not by the Piece.

Merchant—No, I tell you, I have absolutely nothing for you to do.

Applicant—Well, I'd be willing to do that, on salary.—Philadelphia Press.

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Don't Tell Lies.

"Where have you been, Mr. Rocky?" demanded the boss.

"Oh, sir!" replied Rocky, mendaciously, "my landlady is a most excellent woman, and she has been so ill that I had to stay at home to nurse her."

This excuse went, and the boss turned away. The following day Rocky felt as if he had sand in his head, and a headache as long as a rainy Sunday in the country developed. He stayed at home, sending the excuse that his landlady was dead and he had to attend the funeral. Later in the day a lady entered the book store and inquired for Mr. Rocky.

"The reason I came here," she explained, "is because I am his landlady, and, not having seen him for a week, I became uneasy and called to inquire about him."

"His landlady!" gasped the boss. "Why, woman, he's attending your funeral this very day, and has been nursing you for a week."

It was a shock to the poor woman to find she was dead, but a shock of another sort struck Rocky when he came back to work. It was his funeral that time.—Louisville Times.

Shells Four Miles in the Air.

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Opportunity Not to Be Missed.

He had called on her several times, and finally mustered up courage and assurance to be somewhat more affectionate than the circumstances warranted, perhaps.

"You must not do that," she said, somewhat nervously.

"Do what?" was the innocent query.

"Put your arm around my waist."

"Why not?"

"My brother might come in suddenly and see you."

"Well, what of that? He couldn't kill me!"

"No, I suppose not; but he would try to borrow some money from you, and I have lost two chances already by his doing that."—Pearson's Weekly.

The Middle Ear.

This story is told of Prof. Pritchard, who recently opened the sixth international otological congress. Reviewing the progress of the last 30 years, the professor referred to "chronic nonsuppurative disease of the middle ear" as being the supreme mystery at present to students of otology. "What is this middle ear?" a lady asked a sage physician. "Madam," he replied, "it is the ear with which we do not listen." In other words, the nose.—N. E. Home Magazine.

A Very Trifling Incident.

A clergyman was called upon to perform a marriage ceremony for a couple in middle life. "Have you ever been married before?" asked the clergyman of the bridegroom. "No, sir." "Have you?"—to the bride. "Well, yes, I have," replied the bride, laconically; but it was 20 years ago, and he was killed in an accident when we'd been married only a week, so it really ain't worth mentioning."—San Francisco Wave.

Rats as Scavengers.

A mining company at Marquette, Mich., has discovered that rats are the best and cheapest underground scavengers. Before the men go to work in its new shaft it wants to have at least the nucleus of a colony of rats in the pit, so that the scraps and fragments of the miners' dinners, which are thrown about underground, may be disposed of.—Indianapolis News.

White Rhinoceros.

The native commissioner at Sebungwe, Africa, reports that the white rhinoceros is still to be seen on the veldt in the districts between the Sanyati and Zambesi rivers. It was generally thought that this gigantic animal was extinct.—N. Y. Journal.

City Sights.

"Uncle Abner, did you enjoy staying at that big hotel in town?"

"Gee—I guess so; I rid up an' down in that there iron fire-escape all day fer nothin'."—Detroit Free Press.

Impossible.

"We can be friends," she said, softly.

"Then we can never be man and wife," he answered, dismally.—Philadelphia North American.

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Mrs. M. A Smith, with her two children, Ashley and Evelyn, are at Westboro.——Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Symonds have been spending a week in Salem.——Mrs. Ella Bonney and daughter Helen have been the guests of Ed Bonney in Foxboro.——Rev. W. B. Allis preached at Medway last Sunday evening.——School commenced today with only a few changes in the teachers.——Miss Nancy Stanley and Miss May Stanley are at David T Stone's.——Mr and Mrs. Elmer Forrest and son Lawrence are at G F Dart's.——Mrs. Ella B Fisher, who has been in camp during August, was taken home Friday, suffering from typhoid fever.——Mr. and Mrs. E. D. McClennan are at their home on Winter street.——Saturday afternoon the hospitable doors of "Red farm," the home of Joseph E. Chamberlin, were closed and the family, together with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dodd and son, left for a carriage drive to Vermont.——Miss Semple of Louisville, Ky., and Miss Blodget of Chicago are at Mrs M. K. Bates'.——A gentleman in town had $500 stolen from his house which has been mysteriously returned after being retained for several days.——Friday the 9.50 train into Boston ran into a freight train through an open switch, and several from this town, who were in the Boston train, were badly shaken up, Mr Ed Fielding being bruised about the head and several teeth loosened.——Miss Sadie Mitchell of Harrisville has arrived in town for the winter.

WORDS WE SAY BACK.

Encouragement for the Little Ones Does Much to Brighten Their Lives.

Little Dorothy came from the kindergarten with her eyes shining, holding in her hand a braided mat of bright-colored paper. The little mat found approving words and admiration in the family circle, and was exhibited when Miss Cary, her mother's friend, came to supper that night.

"It is very pretty," said Miss Cary to Dorothy, "and soon you will be making more pretty things, sewing on cardboard and making bright-colored paper chains. A little boy sent me this word not long ago in his mamma's letter: 'Tell Aunt Beth I've made a chain long enough to reach through two rooms of the house.' "

Dorothy's eyes shone with pleased excitement at the little kindergarten story, and eagerly she asked: "And what did you say back?" The quick question was a revelation. To the little child the success of the story lay in what was "said back."

Words of encouragement are perhaps oftener called for in what we say back than any others, encouragement to begin, to keep on, and to try again, hold within them the kernels of a happy childhood, and successful manhood and womanhood. Let us watch these words we say back to the children, and if possible make them wise with incentives toward future activity.—Constance Conrad, in Woman's Home Companion.

Economical Pudding.

Bake any remains of bread a golden brown and crush them to a fine powder while hot. Of these take four ounces, two ounces of brown sugar or golden sirup, two ounces of raisins or dried cherries, half a pint of milk and the same of boiling water, together with half a teaspoonful of allspice. Pour the boiling water on the crumbs, stir well, and let them soak till soft, then mix in all the other ingredients, and pour the mixture into a dish plentifully rubbed with butter or well clarified dripping, and bake for 20 to 25 minutes.—Philadelphia Press.

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DIVORCE IN MEXICO.

The Republic, by a Recent Decision, Does Not Recognize Divorces Granted in United States.

The laws of Mexico have always been strict in regard to marriages and divorces. Recently a case has been decided in the City of Mexico which attracted attention on account of the plaintiff's prominence in society and the legal points involved. In fact, the civil court found it necessary to establish a precedent, as no case of the same character has been tried in the republic, says the New York Times.

In 1895 an American citizen, Edgar Joseph Hahn, of St. Louis, married a young Mexican lady, Senorita Paz Diez Barrosso. The wedding was a society event and some of the chief dignitaries of the land were present. Mutual disillusionment and a separation followed, a baby girl being left with the mother. The lady in the case is the plaintiff, and, it is said, she desires to marry again.

The rules of the Roman Catholic church do not permit a divorcee to marry. The question of one desiring to do so was not to be considered by the church, and there was no civil law to cover the case. The laws of reform make a civil ceremony necessary to a legal marriage. As Roman Catholics consider marriage a sacrament, both civil and religious rites are the rule, and the former taking place first. In case of annulment of the marriage contract new vows may be taken.

The plaintiff in question claimed to have discovered after her marriage that her husband had a wife living, from whom he was divorced. Therefore, as her church did not allow her to marry a divorced man—or him to marry her—she prayed that the contract be declared null and void. This, it is said, the church was ready to do, but, a civil ceremony being necessary, it fell to the court to decide her real status, and it has taken several months to reach a decision, as it felt the responsibility of establishing a law which, in view of the steady growth of foreign colonies in the republic, may be frequently tested.

If the man had no right to marry, the lady's situation was a peculiar one—though she chose to accept it, if thereby she is allowed to make a new marriage. Fourth Civil Judge Jesus F. Uriate decided the marriage to be null and void, owing to a prior union on the man's part, though he had been divorced from his wife in the United States, where it was a lawful act for him to marry again. As he had acted in good faith in his Mexican marriage, no action against him was taken, and each party had its own costs to pay.

Thus it is clear that, while Mexico recognizes a foreign marriage, she does not recognize a divorce secured in any country as giving a right to marry again within her limits.

The status of the child did not come before the court, it having died a few months ago.

The consensus of opinion among Americans seems to be that Mexico, through her courts, has taken a wise step in endeavoring to preserve the sanctity of the marriage vow.

A Serious Mistake.

"I am very much surprised to hear that they are married. I thought he was merely flirting with her."

"He thought so too." — Collier's Weekly.

With Malice Aforethought.

Phebe—What makes you think you can break the will?

Brief—What makes me think so? Why, I drew it up!—Town Topics.

Her Ruler.

Census Man—Who is the head of this family?

Hen Peck—Mrs. Peck is, on the cook's day off.—Baltimore American.

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An Apt Illustration.

An inspector of schools has been giving in the Humanitarian a selection of the leading "howlers" of his acquaintance. The shrewdest of all the answers came from a very small boy, who was asked to give a text which forbade a man to marry two wives. Without a moment's pause he replied: "No man can serve two masters."—Household Words.

Too Serious.

In a case of an assault by a husband on his wife the injured woman was reluctant to prosecute and give her evidence.

"I'll lave him to God, me lord," she cried.

"Oh, dear, no," said the judge, "it's far too serious a matter for that."—Green Bag.

The Queen's Private Solicitor.

It is not very generally known that the queen, the prince of Wales and other members of the royal family have their own private solicitor. Sir Henry Arthur White has acted in that capacity to the royal family for a good many years.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Facts in the Case.

Timkins—But is your income sufficient to justify you in marrying?

Simkins—I'm afraid not.

"Then what reason have you for taking such a step?"

"I have no reason at all. I'm in love."—Chicago Evening News.

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SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

In Nebraska there are 141 log schoolhouses, 517 built of sod, one of baled straw and one of steel.

The bishop of London, speaking at the Royal Society club, defined a club as a place where the women ceased from troubling and the wicked were at rest.

In chemical work upon cement manufacture at the University of Michigan three advanced chemical students are now engaged in investigation under Prof. E. D. Campbell.

There are 6,750,000 volumes in the libraries of American colleges and universities. Harvard has 500,000 volumes, Chicago university 350,000, Columbia 275,000 and Cornell 225,000.

Experiments made in Baden, Germany, in regard to co-education have convinced the authorities that there is no harm in it, and that it has advantages, especially in the smaller towns.

The Welsh Baptists have 913 houses of worship, with a total of 242,710 sittings. The present membership numbers 101,057. In their Sunday schools there are 10,896 teachers and 111,693 pupils. There are 513 ordained ministers and 550 "lay preachers"—a new species to us in America.

Rev. Dr. N. D. Hillis, in a recent Sunday evening service at Plymouth church, Brooklyn, gave an exhortation of the evangelical type, in which he called on all in the audience who had asked during the year nine non-church-goers to attend service to raise the hand. Not a hand was raised.

The International Order of the Double Cross is a new organization just started in New York to extend Christianity by the combination of religious effort and medical service. The active members are divided into five guilds—physicians, students, nurses, helpers, cadets. They will serve in the army, the navy, and in medical missions the world over.

There Are Such Fools.

"Yes, we had to take Emma out of school, you know. She isn't at all strong, and we feared the application to study was undermining her health. It's never wise to permit a young girl to overexert herself."

It was the fond mother who spoke, and the sympathetic neighbor naturally asked what the invalid was doing to pass away the time.

"Oh, she's getting a great deal of enjoyment out of her bicycle," was the reply. "She made a century run yesterday and another about a week ago."—Chicago Post.

Very Neatly Put.

A city man complained bitterly of the conduct of his son. He related at length to an old friend all the young man's escapades.

"You should speak to him with firmness and recall him to his duty," said the friend.

"But he pays not the least attention to what I say. He listens only to the advice of idiots. I wish you would talk to him."—Tit-Bits.

The Finest.

"Uncle John," remarked Dick, "is the finest after-dinner speaker I know of."

"Why," said his friend, with some astonishment, "I never heard he had any ability in that direction at all."

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of William Colvin, late of Medway, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by James A. Snow and John H. C. Hadley, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the 19th day of September, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
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HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
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Electric Railway Service.

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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Mrs. Walter Cook is visiting friends in Pittsfield.

The fall term at Dean academy opens next Tuesday.

There will be dancing at Lake Pearl tomorrow evening.

Dr. C. F. McCarthy of Arlington was in town Wednesday.

Miss Margaret Halloran of Main street is entertaining relatives.

First Friday services were held at St. Mary's chapel this morning.

The Hayward ball team will play at Bellingham tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Darling of Providence are visiting friends in town.

Patrick McWilliams and family removed to West Newton this week.

Miss Louise Fiorani has resumed her studies at Comer's business college.

The hands at the Bassett Bros.' straw goods factory are busy on felt goods.

The condition of H. M. Bullock of Ruggles street is considered critical.

The Republicans of Norfolk will hold a caucus on Monday evening, Sept. 24.

George W. Wiggin has returned from his annual outing in the Maine Woods.

Miss Minnie Bowers is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Archibald, and husband of Uxbridge.

Miss Minnie Sullivan of Dean avenue is spending a week's vacation at Manchester, N. H.

Miss Alice Bennett spent the past week at the home of Miss Grace Wilmot at Wrentham.

Charles Stewart is out with samples of felt hats to close up the stock on hand at the factory.

Mrs. J. F. Timmerman of Webster is visiting at the home of Walter Cook, on Central street.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Flynn of Brockton are guests of Mrs. John Ford of Beaver street.

Miss Gertrude Bly of Union street has returned home after a few days' vacation at Block Island.

Miss Mary Maroney of Bristol is the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Riordan, of Central street.

A. C. Dana and F. M. Richardson are spending a week at Baltimore, Md., and Old Point Comfort.

The holy communion will be celebrated at St. John's rectory next Sunday morning at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Russell and daughter May of Dorchester are the guests of Mrs. Ervin Holmes of Oak street.

The proposed contest between Our Boys and the Ray nine for a purse of $20 has been declared off.

The High school opened the fall term Tuesday with the largest number of pupils ever registered.

Mrs. Winfred Smith of Woonsocket is the guest of Mrs. Charles Fiske at her home on Central street.

Thomas Flynn and family, formerly residing on Pleasant street, removed yesterday to Woonsocket.

Dr. M. E. Pond returned from his vacation at Ashburnham today and will open his office tomorrow morning.

Edward Young of Milford, formerly a Franklin man, has been visiting old friends here the past few days.

A. F. Pendleton began his northwest line for carrying pupils of the public schools Tuesday and brought in 26.

There will be a special meeting of the Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church at 8 p. m. today. Important business.

Charles Stewart, the straw goods manufacturer, has gone into bankruptcy and a first meeting will be held Sept. 12.

Mrs. J. H. Riordan and child of Central street have returned from a three-weeks' visit with friends at Willimantic, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Walsh of West street have returned home after having spent a short vacation with friends in Natick.

Chester M. Whitney has gone to New York on business connected with his shipments of lumber from Central America.

Herbert and Everett Stewart of King street have returned from a week's visit with their uncle, George C. Stewart, at Providence.

Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Weinschenk, who have been visiting at the home of Rev. I. W. Sneath, returned today to their home in Dorchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Morse of Howard street were made happy Sunday morning by the advent of a 12 pound boy into their home.

Miss A. A. Robinson of Raynham, Mass., and F. S. Thompson of Pueblo Co., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lesure of Central street.

The marriage intentions of Richard Foley and Miss Catherine Williams were announced Sunday for the second time at St. Mary's church.

Mr. and Mrs. William Howard of Mt. Auburn spent Labor day with Mrs. Howard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Maroney of Union street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cannon and two children of South Framingham spent Labor day at the home of the Misses Byrnes, Cottage street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peden and Benjamin and Charles Hutchinson of Arlington street have returned from a vacation with friends in New York.

The proposed street railway from Medway village to Holliston finds many advocates here, as it would give an almost direct line to northern points.

Master Robert Thayer, who arrived from camp yesterday, brought home another prize, having won the junior silver cup in the tennis finals last week.

Miss Alice E. Sherman has returned from Onset, where she and Miss Eunice L. Crocker have been entertained by Miss Amy P. Briggs at "Blake cottage."

A number of Franklin theatre-goers are planning to attend the production of "The Christian" at the Woonsocket opera house next Tuesday evening.

At the Universalist church next Sunday evening the subject of the Y. P. C. U. will be "The Transmission of Power." Mrs. H. B. Haslam, leader.

Miss Annie Rogers and the Misses Ruth and Maggie Byrnes of East Boston, who have been the guests of Mrs. Hugh Rogers of Lincoln street, have returned home.

Mrs. C. Lane and son James of Jersey City, who have been spending the past two weeks at the home of Miss Nellie Lane of Oak street, have returned to their home.

George Keefe, employed in the finishing room at the American woolen mill, had two fingers on his right hand severely crushed in a folder while at work on Tuesday afternoon.

Esther Calkin, a niece of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Calkin, who was stricken with spinal meningitis while visiting here a short time ago, is much improved, we are pleased to note.

Business meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Congregational church this evening at the close of the prayer service. All should be present and assist in the election of officers.

Joseph McInnis of Pond street and Miss Elizabeth Yeomans of Hampton, N. B., were united in marriage at the Baptist parsonage on Wednesday, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper performing the ceremony.

The grounds on the Union street side of the property of Mrs. W. F. Ray are being graded and already present a decidedly improved appearance. Patrick Reynolds is superintending the work.

One family at Grantville furnishes six pupils for the public schools, a small number for old times, when school kept three or four months in the year, but large for degenerate modern days.

S. W. Nickerson, who has been employed as policeman at Lake Pearl during the summer season, has been relieved from duty on account of the approaching end of the picnic season.

Henry Grey of Chestnut street has accepted a position in a piano factory at Concord, N. H., entering upon his new duties this week. His family will continue to reside here for the present.

Charles R. Coombs and Miss Pauline O. LeGassy, both of Boston, were married last evening by Rev. F. B. Sleeper, the ceremony being performed at the residence of E. E. Paine on Summer street.

At the Norfolk county probate court, held at Dedham Wednesday, the tenth, eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth accounts of Samuel Warner and Wm. M. Proctor, trustees of the estate of Thomas Proctor, were allowed.

Antonio Simonelli, who was arrested a few weeks ago and held on the charge of larceny preferred by Louis Malasteta, the Main street fruit dealer, has been indicted by the grand jury. He will probably be tried next week.

Annie, the 7-year-old daughter of Mrs. Mary Gillaney, of Pond street, who has been undergoing treatment at the Massachusetts General hospital in Boston during the past month, has returned, greatly improved in health.

All interested in work for the young men of the town are invited to meet with the Young Men's Christian league next Monday evening, at 7.30, in Music Hall block, front room. Plans are to be considered toward opening a reading room.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the First Congregational church will hold their first monthly supper on next Wednesday evening at half-past six o'clock. The society will meet in its first session after the vacation at 2 p. m. of the same day.

William Nickerson, who has been in Cranston prison awaiting the action of the Rhode Island grand jury on a charge of larceny of silverware from a Cumberland dwelling some time ago, was admitted to bail in the sum of $500 last Saturday.

A horse attached to a coal cart ran away from the depot yard yesterday morning, and after speeding along Depot and Main streets and Dean avenue the animal was stopped by a citizen on the latter thoroughfare before any damage resulted.

Next Sunday there will be a sacred band concert and clam bake at Lake Pearl. Dinner will be served at 2 p. m. Tickets 50 cents. This will be the order for the three following Sundays at the Lake, and no doubt a large number will be present.

The subject of the prayer meeting this evening at the Methodist church will be "A Parable of the Kingdom," Scripture reference, Matt. xiii, 31–32. There will be a meeting of the official board directly after the meeting, and a full attendance of the members is desired.

An excellent audience, considering the season, greeted Dr. Hodge last Sunday morning. The new carpet was in place in the auditorium and chapel, but the work of renovating the church was not complete. Other improvements than the new carpet are in progress.

Frank Whitney, who has for some time held the position of express agent at Branford, Conn., arrived here with his family by carriage last evening, much impaired in health. He will reside for the present with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Whitney, on the Mount.

The manager of the Hayward ball nine says that the statement that Our Boys led throughout the game on Saturday is erroneous, as the Hayward team had the best of the argument until nearly the close. It is probable that the same teams will meet for another game before the season ends.

At the annual meeting of the Franklin Cemetery association, held in the water company's office on Tuesday evening, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President, Austin B. Fletcher; treasurer, Adelbert D. Thayer; secretary, William A. Wyckoff; auditor, Fred H. Bartholomew; trustees for three years, H. E. Ruggles, Alfred Clark, B. M. Rockwood.

The drought begins to show its effects in all directions. Grass land is turning brown, the leaves are turning yellow and fast dropping from the trees, and highways are beds of dust. The prophets are foretelling a severe cold winter to balance the very hot summer, while ordinary folks are getting in the usual supply of coal and attending to business with the least discomfort possible.

The members of Excelsior lodge, A. F. and A. M., met in their partly renovated hall Monday evening. The annual election of officers will be held at the regular October meeting. The new carpet has not yet been put down, but will soon be in place, and with the fresh paint, the hardwood finish platform around the hall and other changes it will give the members a very comfortable place for meetings.

The advance reports of the new edition of Murray & Mack's famous farce comedy, "Finnigan's Ball," is indeed flattering to the management. The performance contains a whole lot of good things foremost of them all being clever comedians especially suited to the different parts assigned them, and pretty and talented girls This play will be given at Morse opera house Wednesday, September 12.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Coates returned today from a few days visit in Haverhill. While there they were in attendance at the annual reunion of the decendants of John White who landed at Plymouth in 1638, and of which Mrs. Coates is a lineal decendant. Representatives were present from many of the states, nearly 200 people being present. The occasion was a most enjoyable one.

The endeavor to clear the debt on the Methodist church is meeting with a pleasing measure of success and already since the return of the pastor several subscriptions have been paid in, and the interest on the principal has been reduced one-half. There is every evidence that the near future will see the completion of the task and the removal of the entire debt through the indefatigable efforts of the pastor.

The steady dry weather has brought the cranberry crop to maturity early in the season, but has also had the tendency to make the berries small and somewhat off color, so that the quality will be poorer than usual. With one or two exceptions, not as much attention is given to this crop in this vicinity as formerly, so that many farms that produced five, ten or twenty bushels annually now produce comparatively nothing like those amounts.

The northern district of the township does not seem to grow with the southern district, or in other words the northern district has fallen off or not increased in the line of buildings and population, while the southern in these respects indicates progress, even if small. With the street railway to Medway this condition ought to change and property in that direction increase in usefulness. Good building locations are plenty where pleasant homes could be made, and the next few years, if the town prospers, ought to witness a substantial growth northward from the centre.

First Car to Milford.

The first car over the Milford branch of the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket Street Railway company was run Tuesday morning from Bellingham Four Corners, Bellingham, to the South Main street crossing of the Grafton & Upton railroad in Milford. The object was to test the roadbed and also to remove obstructions, such as overhanging limbs, etc.

The roadbed was found to be in first-class condition. None of the company's officials were aboard. Regular trips will not be run until the rails arrive for the Grafton and Upton crossing, which will probably be not later than Saturday.

To Form a Y. M. C. A.

Steps were taken Wednesday evening by about 25 young men of the town to form a Young Men's Christian association in Franklin, the meeting being held in Music hall block. George E. Knight, secretary of the Hyde Park Y. M. C. A., was present and delivered an address, encouraging the formation of an association.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. S. A. Cook and afterward remarks were made by Rev. Dr. I. W. Sneath, Rev. F. B. Sleeper, Charles L. Stewart and others, and it was agreed by those present to meet again next Monday evening at the same place, when it is probable the association will be duly formed.

Woonsocket Opera House.

The brief engagement of Liebler & Co.'s magnificent production of "The Christian" will scarcely be sufficient to accommodate the crowds who will flock to see it, but that is all the time that could be provided for it here owing to previous engagements elsewhere. The sale of seats is now in progress, and from present indications the house will be sold out before the performance takes place, on Tuesday, Sept. 11. The cast numbers fifty odd people.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all friends and neighbors who rendered so many acts of kindness during the illness and at the death of our beloved one.

E. A. WOODS,
MR AND MRS. S B. WARE.
Norfolk, Mass., Sept. 4, 1900.

Important.

Mr. E. C. Morse wishes to meet all the members of the Y. P. C. U. at the Universalist parlor at 8 o'clock this evening. He is to make arrangements for the giving of "The Pied Piper of Hamlin"

Please make an effort to be present.

At Present There are Nine Graduates of the Providence Bryant and Stratton Business College, employed in the office department of the Draper Co. of Hopedale This fact proves that business men are pleased with the special training that this school affords. Reopens Sept., 10.

Office Open Tomorrow.

My patrons are notified that my office will be reopened again tomorrow (Saturday) morning, at 8 o'clock.

DR. M. E. POND.

Through Western Norfolk by Trolley.

Have you ever been through Western Norfolk by trolley? If you never have enjoyed the pleasure of the delightful trip you should take a day off some pleasant day and make it, and you will agree with the writer that it is one of the most delightful rides that can be found and enjoyed in this section of Massachusetts. This is the writing word for it. The Norfolk Western system opens up a very interesting locality of Western Norfolk, ripe with history and civilization. The line runs through a charming and delightful section of country from the shire town of the county to its terminus in the beautiful town of Franklin, with its thrifty population of 6,000 inhabitants, famed for its seat of learning and numerous interesting and pretty girls. Now, if you wish to enjoy a refreshing ride, the distance of 20 miles into the wilds of Western Norfolk, take the early car from Dedham about the time the sun rises over Blue hill if the weather is delightful, and you will find yourself soon whizzing along at a good rate of speed up High street, the boulevard of the judicial town, past beautiful residences of millionaires and bankers. Soon, under the safe guidance and care of the motorman, you are flying over Westwood ridge into a beautiful little town of 1,000 inhabitants, a thorough farming community, absent of any judicial air whatever. There is only one street, the principal thoroughfare being High street, running directly through the centre of the town. This beautiful street for a long distance is lined with neat white residences ornamented with clean-kept surroundings, beautiful flowers and clinging vines, the picture typical of New England character. Westwood formerly was a part of Dedham and with a history as old. A few years ago West Dedham applied for a charter, drew the line and became a town, thrifty, prosperous and contented. The ride through Westwood is a delightful one, and especially to those who are fond of traveling by trolley and can now and then get a day off for the pleasure. The scenery is well diversified, with here and there a charming bit of landscape thrown in. Leaving Westwood you are hustled along through quite a stretch of country until Medfield, the gem of Norfolk county, is reached about the time the sun is waking up Bread Meadows for the hay getting. Here the cars stop long enough to give you a chance to blow the fizz from a glass of soda in Ed Snow's fine restaurant Medfield is a beautiful village and a gem in the eye of every visitor. The place contains some very fine residences, indicative of thrift and prosperity, and the people appear to be well groomed, contented and happy. There are a number of old landmarks and places of historical interest within the borders of the town that the Medfieldians are proud of, and they are always ready and willing to enlighten strangers with their knowledge of the town and its history. It has the appearance of being a very quiet place, away from the hurly-burly and bustle of the outside world, with no cares and everything going easy. Leaving the charming village of Medfield you are soon crossing the trestle over the lovely Charles, swinging on its way through the meadows. The next place touched by trolley is Millis The most remarkable thing about this town is that a few years ago a general prosperity boomed the town and for awhile business was successful, but there were reverses and prosperity got busted and the blinds were pulled down. Since then the town has been trying to get on its feet again, and there is a likelihood that it will and business be booming again. Millis is a nice little town, with a good system of water works, good air and nice people. The next place you trolley into is Medway, the town on the hill. In this airy town, with a history of honorable record, resides the Hon. M. M. Fisher, a prominent and well-known gentleman, who for many years has been closely allied with Norfolk county. Here the Milford and Medway finds its terminus, touching the Western Norfolk, both lines running into populated centres. Here the Norfolk Western bends to the left, crossing Charles river near the Sanford woolen mills, and you are soon climbing the long stretch of hill to the level country beyond, where you enjoy a magnificent view of the territory for miles to the north, east and west, with a refreshing breeze tugging at your palm leaf hat. Soon the car is buzzing into the beautiful village of Franklin, where we bid you adieu for the present.—"Fairfax," in Dedham Transcript.

Personal Property at Auction.

All the household furniture contained in the house at No. 61 Central street, formerly known as the Briggs boarding house, will be sold at public auction tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon at 1 o'clock, without reserve; sale will take place rain or shine.

D. W. CORSON & CO., Auctioneers.

Richardson's Market.

Of course you've got to eat some meat, even if it is hot weather. Try a nice chicken or fowl for Sunday. Our vegetables are received every day fresh from the gardens. Try a can of our ten cent soup with your dinner; all kinds.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Honored by the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows.

The annual session of the Grand lodge of Odd Fellows of Massachusetts was held in Boston Thursday and a very large number of representatives were present, there being an attendance of about 700 during the session. The lodges in this vicinity were largely represented. H. E. Ruggles, Esq, of this town, took quite a prominent part in the deliberations. He has been a member for over ten years of the standing committee on appeals, one of the most important committees. At the present session he was appointed chairman of the committee on analysis and distribution of the communication of the grand master, which has in charge new or proposed legislation. He was also re-elected trustee of the Odd Fellows' Home of Massachusetts, at Worcester, for the term of five years. He has been chosen grand representative of the Grand lodge of Massachusetts to the Sovereign Grand lodge, which meets in Richmond, Va., during the week from September 17 to 22 The representatives from New England will leave on the 10th in a special car for Richmond, stopping at Gettysburg, Luray caverns, Washington and other points of interest, and the itineracy is through the beautiful Shenandoah valley. The party is expected to return about October 1.

Fall Meeting N. C. E. U.

Arrangements have been made for the Franklin Christian Endeavorers who desire to attend the fall meeting of the Norfolk union, which is to be held at Foxboro on Saturday afternoon and evening, as follows: By electric to Wrentham, thence by barge to Foxboro. Those going in the afternoon should take the 1.15 car to Wrentham; in the evening the 5.45 car. Barge will leave Foxboro after the services in time to connect with car for Franklin.

The following will be the order of exercises:

AFTERNOON.

2.30—Praise and devotional service.

2.45—Address of welcome, Rev. H. T. DeWolfe.

2.55—Reports of secretary and treasurer and business.

3 10—Talk to juniors, Miss Masters of Brooklyn, N. Y.

3.25—Reports of junior societies.

3.30—Address, "Working and Winning." Rev. W. F. Grant of Mansfield.

4.30—Consecration service.

5.00—Social hour.

EVENING.

7.15—Praise service.

7.30—Reports of societies, unfinished business and election of officers.

8 15—Address, "A Sleeping Giant and How to Awake Him," Rev. J. F. Cowan, D. D., of Boston.

Benediction.

Emerson's Market.

Fresh killed chicks and fowls, lamb, veal, pork and tomatoes. Watermelons on ice, shell beans, green corn, gem melons, sweet potatoes, summer squash, lettuce, cucumbers, onions, cabbages, new beets and turnips.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

Good wages for a girl to do housework. Inquire at SENTINEL office. 24-tf

Wanted.—A girl for general housework. Apply to George C. Daniels, Union street. 4-tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

Wanted—Competent girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. H. E. Batchelor, 14 Dean avenue. 7,11,14

To Let.—A tenement of five rooms on Alpine street. Inquire at the house or at Mrs. A. E. Burnham's, Peck street. 28 tf

I have my usual crop of excellent peaches now ripening, and shall be glad to supply all customers old and new. Send in your order and get some good peaches. Monroe Morse, Medway, Mass. 7,11,14

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor J.B.MCKINNON, Agent.

Save money on your car fare by getting tickets of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office. A ten-trip ticket to Boston for $5.00. Round-trip tickets to Providence and Milford at a saving of 12c from the regular fare. Mileage books to let.

Can While You Can.

If you want nice fruit next winter prepare to can very soon, as fruit is coming on, but don't use your old jars. Our new ones are cheaper, better, and improve the flavor of the fruit. We have the square "Royal" fruit jar, best quality selected glass, with "Lightning" top at 90 cents, $1.00 and $1.25 per dozen. There are none cheaper in the end. Window screens at reduced prices.

HOSIE BROS.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Cut flowers, all kinds of funeral designs well made up at Slade's greenhouse. Roses in small or large quantities.

All lovers of music are invited to see the display of pianos and organs at Sanford Bros., Medway. Up to date and prices right.

Two chairs at Ochee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser in attendance. Short waits.

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1900

The people in the eleventh congressional district are fast finding out that their prominent candidate, Samuel L. Powers, Esq., is one of the ablest men who has been mentioned for the office of congressman for many years. He is essentially the ideal politician in that he is honest, affable, magnetic, earnest and progressive. We defy any candidate or any one else to match him in any particular. He deserves the nomination and we have every reason to believe he will get it.—Hyde Park Gazette.

The legal right of a baby to yell in New York city's limits, whether the neighbors object or not, seems to have been definitely established by the holding, under heavy bail, of a cantankerous old bachelor who assaulted a woman living in his flat because her infant made such vocal disturbance that he was "unable to think," and then caused her arrest as the mother and maintainer of a nuisance. Inasmuch as the average baby will yell when it happens to want to, whether it has any legal right or not, the incident is not important except as it calls for an explanation from those New Yorkers who are always crying aloud the praises of their city as to why a baby born and nurtured amidst the delights of flat life in the great metropolis should ever want to yell.

A man with a genealogical record not easily matched is Moses Chamberlain, of Milton, Pa., born in 1812, the twenty-third child of Col. William Chamberlain, who commanded a New Jersey regiment in the revolutionary war. He was married four times and had seven children by the first wife, four by the second, four by the third and eight by the fourth. Only one survives, though their descendants number over a thousand. The life of the survivor and that of his father reaches back to 1736, when Washington was four years old.

A New York superintendent of schools says: "We have had more cases of corporal punishment to investigate this year than usual. Our boys seem more than ever given to fighting. I think it is due to the way in which most of the newspapers exploit the doings of prize fighters. Not only is a great deal of space devoted to prize fights, but the pugilists and scenes at the ringside are fully illustrated. Now, all this has a bad effect on the boys, and is the cause of most of their disorderly acts."

A young woman whose home is within a few miles of Augusta, Ga., makes a comfortable living for herself and her mother by growing bulbs and selling them to northern seed houses. She inherited about 50 acres of land which the neighbors said was too poor to sprout cowpeas. She bought a mule and went to work clearing up and fertilizing. Now she has a beautiful bulb and flower farm.

A young woman has had the color of the pupil of her eye restored by tattooing with India ink at the Miami (O.) medical college. Years ago an ulcer involving the cornea encroached upon the pupil leaving an unsightly white scar. The patient suffered a three days' ordeal during the process of tattooing.

Prairie dog meat is now said to be "white, tender and delicate," with a "rich, toothsome flavor" superior to that of spring chicken or quail. There has always been a theory that the prairie dog must have been created for some useful purpose but the information as to its food qualities comes late.

In the Illinois house of correction the women prisoners are to be set to work at flower culture for the market in three large greenhouses recently added to the institution. An expert horticulturist will direct the training. The prisoners seem pleased with the new departure.

HAIR HELP

So many persons have hair that is stubborn and dull. It won't grow. What's the reason? Hair needs help just as anything else does at times. The roots require feeding. When hair stops growing it loses its luster. It looks dead.

Ayer's Hair Vigor

acts almost instantly on such hair. It awakens new life in the hair bulbs. The effect is astonishing. Your hair grows, becomes thicker, and all dandruff is removed.

And the original color of early life is restored to faded or gray hair. This is always the case.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

"I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor, and am really astonished at the good it has done in keeping my hair from coming out. It is the best tonic I have tried, and I shall continue to recommend it to my friends."
MATTIE HOLT,
Sept. 24, 1898. Burlington, N. C.

If you do not obtain all the benefits you expected from the use of the Hair Vigor, write the Doctor about it.
DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

FLORAL HELPS AND HINTS.

All the leading florists can furnish books on the cultivation of the mushroom.

Grevillea Robusta.—This plant does very well in a shaded window. Give it a soil of rich loam. See that it has good drainage. Water moderately. Shower as often as possible to keep down the red spider, which greatly injures it if not interfered with.

Sphagnum moss is found in swamps. It is of a grayish green color, grows in thick, compact masses, and is so deep that one often sinks almost to the knees in it. It is something like a sponge in its ability to absorb and retain moisture. Because of this it is much used by florists for wrapping about the roots of plants which are to be sent a distance.

Asplenium Nidus.—The "Bird's-Nest Fern" (Asplenium nidus) is a shade-loving species, and thrives best in a temperature of about 60 degrees. The soil best adapted for the healthy development of this plant is a coarse and fibrous one, largely composed of peat. The plant should not be potted very firmly. Water should be given freely when the plant is making strong growth.

Palms should not be kept in a very shady place. The danger in doing so consists in the bad effect shade has on the soil. It often sours away from the light, and this brings on an unhealthy condition of the roots, which soon shows itself in the foliage. It is a good plan to have two sets of plants for room decoration. Give each set its turn at the light. By this I do not mean that I would put them in strong sunshine. But I would place them near a window where the soil could get the benefit of direct light.—Ladies' Home Journal.

WITTY AND WISE.

Cultivate a love for that which your reason commends.

Cowardice becomes cruelty whenever it gains the power.

A man with plenty of "the dough" can afford to "loaf."

If you make others happy you cannot escape being so.

Knowledge without wisdom is force with nothing to govern it.

Don't hurry, but always try to be moving in the right direction.

The brave are always gentle. The coward is the one who would kill.

The distress of being sick is recompensed by the joy of getting well.

Be as kind to everyone as though you knew it were your last meeting.

If one were to try to sell snuff without a license the police would pinch it.

The heart should be filled with beautiful dreams, the hands with beautiful deeds.

Good listeners are as rare as good talkers. "To talk well is talent, but to listen is a fine art."—Elliott's Magazine.

Reversing the Process.

"He might have been drunk or just having a fit," said the copper. "I own to a doubt and couldn't determine the least little bit, though I cudgeled his brains to find out."—Chicago Record.

Quicker.

He—Now, if you want money while you are away, dear, just write for it.

She—What's the matter with telegraphing?—N. Y. World.

WONDERFUL CAPE NOME.

Capt. Craigie Corroborates the Stories of the Rich Gold Diggings.

In a letter received recently Lieut. Wallace M. Craigie, Seventh United States infantry, now stationed at Cape Nome, Alaska, in charge of an army substation, says:

"Cape Nome, according to the old-timers, will be the greatest mining camp in the world. Nome City, as it is now called, is right on the coast of Behring sea, and extends for some miles along the shore. Along the beach the miners rock out gold and make from $5 to $50 or more a day one man. This sounds like a statement that admits of doubt, but it is a fact. One man told me himself he had worked with three others for 14 days, and they had rocked out just $6,000, all hard-earned gold, but they had it to prove the statement. Then up along the several creeks—Anvil, Discovery, Snow Gulch, etc.—the yield is really enormous. The famous claim here is known as No. 1, on Discovery, and has turned out about $1,000,000. A few days ago a nugget weighing 30 ounces was found, and about a month ago one weighing a little over 19 ounces was taken from the sluice boxes on the same claim. Some men have a centrifugal pump down on the beach below the town, and have sluice boxes running back to the soil, called tundra by the natives, which is filled with fine gold of a very pure quality.

"The thing that impressed me most was that in less than a month after the town started the 'diggings' was the circulating medium, and valued at $16 an ounce, although no official assay had been made. Men go out with their rockers and pans, and come back to town, and eat and drink, and pay for it with the result of the day's diggings. There are numerous propositions to interest men of capital, such as a good water supply system, electric light plants, and the man who can lay a trolley system up to the mines for transporting freight and supplies has the greatest and surest business venture of all. These are now carried by pack trains and freight wagons. Dogs are also used, they being able to carry about 40 pounds each. The town has increased in five months from about 250 to 3,000 inhabitants, and it is thought when navigation opens in the spring there will be 30,000 or 40,000 people here. Coal is $75 a ton, lumber $125 per 1,000; yet people are building and settling here. Our new quarters are very comfortable—frame covered with corrugated iron. We are all nicely settled for the winter. I am told the northern lights as seen here are beyond description, and the moon as bright and clear as crystal, which in a measure will have to make up for no day or sun. If our monthly mail scheme only proves successful there are many worse places than Cape Nome, even though so isolated and distant. We hope for great things in the spring; more United States troops and better facilities for communication with the outside world during the long fall and winter season."

One of the Heirs.

A certain amount of freshness is natural and desirable in youth, but there is a young man in social Washington who is offensively and incurably fresh. One day last week, however, he had a setback, which to most persons would have been ample for all purposes. He was at a tea, and had been presented to a young woman from Ohio who believes in heroic treatment of desperate cases, which she very soon perceived his to be. In the course of the conversation she suggested that something might be learned from the past.

"Oh," he said, "I am the heir of all the ages in the foremost files of time, and I can't waste my precious moments looking back, like Lot's wife."

"At least," she responded, with a sweet insinuation, "the result in the case of Lot's wife could scarcely be possible in yours."

"I don't quite understand," he said, groping for her meaning.

"Don't you remember she was turned into a pillar of salt?"

He understood it then, for a wonder, and somehow afterward the conversation lost interest for him.—Washington Star.

Another War Cloud.

She—Just think, dearest, only two more days and we shall be one.

He—Yes; and I want you to understand right now that I intend to be the one.—Chicago Daily News.

Dares Not Weep.

"She is a girl of very little feeling, I think. I notice that she never cries even at the most pathetic plays."

"No; her complexion won't permit."—Chicago Post.

Her Preference.

Minister—Now, little girl, you want to be a Christian, don't you?

Ethel—No, sir; I'd rather sing in the choir!—Puck.

Piercing Cries.

The air was filled with piercing cries. It was a flock of mosquitoes, with bills unsheathed, buzzing their way to attack a Jersey village.—N. Y. World.

"He That Any Good Would Win"

Should have good health. Pure, rich blood is the first requisite. Hood's Sarsaparilla, by giving good blood and good health, has helped many a man to success, besides giving strength and courage to women who, before taking it, could not even see any good in life to win.

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Having made settlement with the insurance companies, we offer the entire stock of [illegible] which were in our warerooms at the time of our recent fire at great reductions in prices. Many of our finest [illegible] were not damaged at all. All these are included in our special sale. A few pianos were severely damaged. These we shall not offer for sale. Not a single piano will be sold that we do not fully warrant. The stock is the finest in Boston and comprises everything from the largest grand to second-hand squares at $50 to $75. Never has such a stock of pianos of the highest grade been offered at such tempting prices. Every [illegible] on our Rental Purchase Plan if desired, giving two and three years to complete payment. First selections will of course be [illegible]. Pianos purchased at this sale [illegible] delivered in the fall, if desired. [illegible] description by mail if you cannot call.

IVERS & POND PIANO CO.,
114 and 116 Boylston St. Boston.

The Wonderful Clam.

The clam's body is completely shrouded in the mantle except for two openings, through one of which the foot can be pushed out, while the other is for the siphon, what is commonly known as the "neck" of the clam. In some respects the clam may be better off than other folks; for he has a little brain in his foot. He also has a gland which secretes strong fibers, from which he spins a "byssus," and by it can attach himself to any object he likes. He does not have to search for food, but waits for it to come to him, and it always does. He makes for himself a burrow in the mud or sand and attaches himself to the bottom by this byssus. Then he thrusts his siphon up through the mud and water, and thus maintains communication with his world. The siphon has two tubes, the water flowing through one and out through the other. The clam lives on the minute organisms, animal and vegetable, found in the water—and gets a living that is so satisfactory to him that he has come to be adopted as a type of contentment and happiness.—Rockland Opinion.

Difficult Postal Service.

A Yukon mail carrier writes to the general superintendent at San Francisco, telling how he has had to sacrifice "celerity," one of the requirements of the "star" postal service, to "safety" in some recent experiences. On his arrival from the trip up Forty-Mile river he found the Yukon jammed with huge cakes of ice, which it was unsafe to cross because of the great holes through which a man or mail pouch might easily fall. Whenever any mail has gone to the bottom in an ice jam, he says, every man thereabouts feels certain that at least a dozen of his letters were in that particular pouch. So this carrier waited a favorable opportunity, which came on November 6, when his party started forth at daylight. They made ten miles before sundown, having two sleds loaded with 300 pounds each drawn by dogs. The ice was piled so high in some places that they had to chop a passage through it rather than attempt to go over. These are some of the difficulties that Uncle Sam's servants in the postal service have to surmount.—Youth's Companion.

A Good Plan.

Nomunn—I am having an awfully hard time. It's all I can do to keep the wolf from the door.

Cashless—Why don't you let him in and train him to keep your creditors out?—N. Y. World.

Best Part of the Trick.

"Yes," said the great magician, "my wife is much better than I am at making money disappear, but she hasn't learned yet how to make it reappear."—Philadelphia North American.

Discoveries.

Many important discoveries have been made during the present century—but the north pole still persists in remaining undiscovered. — Chicago Daily News.

Self-Inflicted.

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Due Depositors		$511,150 11
Guarantee Fund		78,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		138 99
Interest Account		567 15
Real Estate Income Account		16 19
		$590,090 30

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$87,051 25
Bank Stock		37,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,148 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,875 00
" " Mortgages		151,560 00
" " Personal Securities		109,851 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		34 97
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank..	$7,822 25	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	4,095 58	
Mercantile Trust Co....	84 16	12,001 99
Cash on hand		152 37
		$590,090 30

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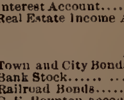
July 31, 1900.



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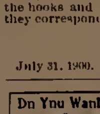

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PROPELLER LOOSE ON DECK.

Runaway Cannon of Hugo's "Ninety-Three" Duplicated on a Tramp Steamer.

The perils of the underballasted tramp, steaming to the westward with head gales lashing the seas into fury, furnish the marine reporters of nearly every Atlantic seaboard city, every winter, with columns of vivid stories. The tramp skipper is undaunted by the appalling dangers of his underpaid profession. The business of following the sea is the only one he knows anything about, and he must either risk starvation on shore or boldly face the manifold dangers of a rover of the oceans of the world, which little notes the loss of a tramp steamship here and there. When a tramp skipper loses his job—he never gives it up—there are a dozen or more applications for it, despite its perils and its meager pay.

All the smaller tramps that visit ports without facilities for providing or repairing machinery, carry usually on the main deck aft or between decks a spare propeller. There have been several instances in which tramps with these extra propellers have just escaped destruction in heavy weather. A little British tramp that came into New York from the Mediterranean several years ago had a spare propeller made fast between decks aft. One night, when she was within a few days of Sandy Hook, plunging and rolling in a cyclone, the propeller broke from its lashings, and began thundering about the deck. The only illumination aboard ship was by means of flickering kerosene lamps. The skipper and several of his crew went down into the gloomy space between decks and made an effort to check the erratic flight of the three-winged iron monster.

They were armed with wooden and iron bars and pieces of dunnage, which they tried to use as levers. It was difficult to keep the ship's head up in the swell. She persisted in dropping off, and every time she rolled the demon of a propeller rumbled across the steel deck, to port or starboard, threatening to smash through the ship's side. The skipper sent one of his men to the bridge to tell the officer in charge to try to keep the ship's head up, the movements of the propeller being less dangerous while the ship was pitching, but she wouldn't answer her helm. The mass of metal stopped at times just long enough to allow the skipper and his adventuresome men to get within reach of it. Then it stirred like a sentient thing, and apepared to spring at them. They saved themselves from injury by jumping aside, or leaping over it. At last, as the ship lurched heavily to port the propeller whirled down the inclined deck and smashed against the side. One of its blades went through a plate; it hung for a moment against a rib of the ship; then, loosening itself as the ship rolled and heeled to starboard, it bowled athwartship again. A fountain of sea water spurted through the hole made by the propeller blade as the tramp rolled to port again, and the propeller slid that way. A few more holes in the ship's side would have caused her to take in so much water that she would have been in danger of foundering, and the skipper began to wish that the propeller had gone all the way through and dropped into the sea.

There was one passenger aboard the tramp, a stout young fellow who had experience as a cowboy on the Texas plains. He had heard the booming of the spare propeller, and he went to the skipper and volunteered to check it in its mad course. At first it revealed itself only dimly to him, a huge, batlike shadow, under the faint and unsteady glow of the kerosene lamps. After the cowboy had become somewhat accustomed to the gloom and had spent a few moments dodging the propeller, he took a lasso, which he made of a hawser, and with the unerring aim of an expert bull puncher, he rung one of the blades with the noose. He made a turn with the other end around a winch, about amidships, and the propeller was subdued. Then the skipper and his men fell upon it as if it were a living thing, and with beams and bars, and chains and ropes they made it so fast that all the storms of the North Atlantic could not have broken it loose again.—Samuel A. Wood, in Ainslee's Magazine.

IN THE SHOP WINDOWS.

Many novelties in the line of lace-striped grenadines.

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Many new ideas in ruchings and rufflings for millinery and dress trimmings.

Oxidized silver and gilt chain girdles with and without chatelaine attachment.

Many evening wraps in pastel shades trimmed with rich lace flouncings in wide widths.

Elaborate displays of figured India and high-grade wash silks for waists and costumes.

Beaded elastic belts in white, black and steel with variously shaped ornamental clasps.

Arabian, Marie Antoinette and renaissance lace curtains in new and effective designs.

White corded lawns, India linens, swisses, bastistes and mulls for midsummer costumes.

Many spring hats made of flexible straw braid trimmed with tissue materials and roses.

Leather-mounted traveling mirrors, flasks, bill books, jewel boxes, desk clocks and portfolios.

Parasols in light and dark colors showing elaborate appliques, of lace studded with steel beads.

Taffeta ribbons showing cannelle stripes, hemstitching, cords, open lace effects and fancy borders.

White, black and colored crocheted cuff links made of silk or cotton to be worn with wash shirt waists.—N. Y. Dry Goods Economist.

SCIENTIFIC MENTION.

The ministry of public instruction in France encourages art by an annual expenditure of $3,600,000. This includes the support of the Ecole des Beaux-Arts and ten other state schools of fine arts.

The Italian government has brought forward a bill authorizing the purchase of all the pictures in the Borghese collection. The government valuation of $700,000 is a very low one and is not at all commensurate with the treasures it contains.

Women physicians have established themselves all over Russia and they have achieved a respected position. Some of them are employed by the government, and since last year are entitled to a pension. Many of them occupy positions as country physicians, school physicians, physicians for the poor and as surgeons for the municipal ambulance system, etc.

Wherever land is valuable for agricultural purposes the fact that wire fences take up little space is becoming more and more recognized. Stone fences are often three to six feet wide, and therefore waste many acres of valuable soil on every farm. The zigzag fence wastes a considerable amount of land. The hedge is also wasteful and they may profitably all be torn down and replaced by wire fences, for the crops which could be obtained from the area thus reclaimed would soon pay for the fence.

Most Considerate Man.

"Yes; I think his marriage showed him to be a most considerate and kind hearted man."

"Considerate and kindhearted! Well I admit that she's not beautiful, but she's worth a mint of money, and wouldn't have suffered for a husband if he had never seen her."

"Oh, I don't mean that he showed consideration for her, but for his creditors."—Chicago Post.

It Looks Suspicious.

"I believe you have been secretly married to young Mr. Noodle," cried the irate father.

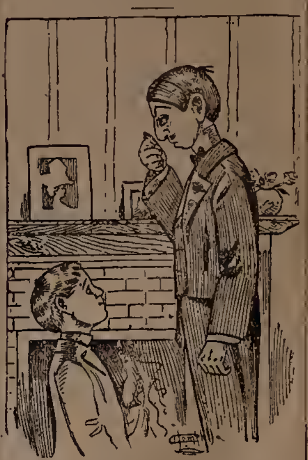
"How ridiculous!" replied his daughter.

"Well," said her sire, "he used to come here at eight o'clock and stay till 11:30, and now he doesn't get here until nine o'clock and leaves at 10:15."—Tit-Bits.

Busy.

It is first a nomination over which he has
to fret,
And next it's on election that his ardent
hopes are set.
And when he gets elected and there's nowhere else to climb,
He hustles to be chosen for the place another time.
In the midst of all these duties which a
statesman cannot shirk
You wonder where he gets the time to do
his office work.
—Washington Star.

TRUTH DEARER THAN GLORY.



"Ah, so youah name is Gawge; named after Gawge Washington, I suppose."

"Yes, a long time after."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

The Mystery Solved.

She never smiles. Has frowning grief
With bonds of iron bound her?
Has care a long, lean finger raised,
To cast some spell around her?
Has one so young the lesson learned,
That true love is oft betrayed?
Ah, no! She never smiles because—
Her front teeth are decayed.
—Chicago Daily News.

A Great Saving.

Aunt Dinah—Whatfoah you weahs brack, Deacon Ebony? You am not a widower.

Deacon Ebony—I is economcial, honey. One brush do me foah a hat brush, ha'r brush, clothes brush, shoe brush and flesh brush.—N. Y. Weekly.

Why He Was Proud.

Magistrate (to prisoner)—You are charged with beating your wife.

Prisoner—Yes, yer honor, an' I'm proud of it.

Magistrate—Proud of it?

Prisoner—Because, yer honor, she weighs 20 pound more'n me.—Tit-Bits.

Unnecessary.

Mrs. Hiram Offen—Dinah, I hope you didn't forget to wash the fish before you put it in to bake.

New Servant—Mah Lan'! Whut fur Ah gwine wash a fish dat's a-libin' in de wahtah all bits life? — Catholic Standard and Times.

He Did Not Count.

"How many free lunches have you had this week, Snodgrass?" asked Skidmore.

"Sir," replied Skidmore, "I am a lunch eater, not a lunch counter."—Town Topics.

Poor Woman!

"Mrs. Jones has become an infidel—an unbeliever."

"Yes, she listened to so many stories from her husband, explaining his late hours, that she lost faith in everything!—N. Y. World.

Not Just What He Meant.

"Her face," he said, desiring to voice his admiration of her frankness and honesty, "is like an open book."

"Yes," replied her dearest friend, "she does talk a good deal."—Chicago Post.

Proved.

Patient — Look here; you've taken out the wrong tooth. This one is perfectly sound.

Dentist's Assistant (triumphantly)—And you distrusted my ability to take out even a loose one!—N. Y. World.

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A Life of Excitement.

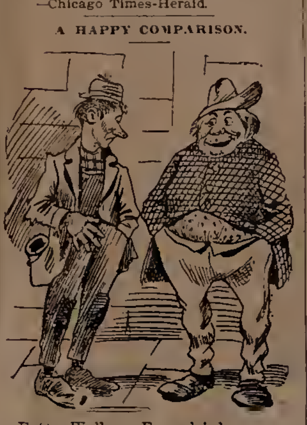
City Cousin—But don't you find it dreadfully dull?

Country Cousin—Dull? The idea! Why, there's the Epworth league one evening; and class meeting, another; and prayer meeting always on Wednesdays; and the Dorcas meeting, and the other means of grace. There's almost always something exciting going on after supper.—Brooklyn Life.

The Fever of Love.

They say that love is a fever,
Consuming night and day;
That from its sweet contagion
No mortal gets away!—
Yes, love's a fever every
Man soon or late endures—
A fever absent treatment
Invariably cures!
—Chicago Times-Herald.

A HAPPY COMPARISON.



Fatty Walker—Ever drink any uv this Pollynarris water?

Slimmy Rhodes—Yep.

Fatty Walker—How did it taste?

Slimmy Rhodes—Jist like yer foot wuz asleep.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

A Discrepancy.

This thing they call money's a mystery
stern.
The study—there's no way of ending it.
It's something that takes days of toiling
to earn,
But a minute's sufficient for spending it.
—Washington Star.

Practical Preaching.

A certain minister during his discourse one Sabbath morning said: "In each blade of grass there is a sermon."

The following day one of his flock discovered the good man pushing a lawnmower about his yard and paused to say: "Well, Parson, I'm glad to see you engaged in cutting your sermons short."—Chicago Daily News.

A Crying Evil.

Mrs. Sparenotrod—Marjorie, it was for your own good that I punished you. There are some things that a mother knows best.

Marjorie (between sobs)—I don't see—I don't see why mothers couldn't all be grandmothers!—Puck.

Accusing the Accuser.

Knox—Your neighbor Jaggers seems to know a good deal of your early history; he says you ran away from home and got married.

Fox—He needn't talk; he got married and ran away from home.—Boston Courier.

The Same, with a Difference.

She—What a fitting token of married life is the wedding ring.

He—It is. A ring has no end; and it also has no beginning. It is absolutely without variety, and is much easier put on than taken off.—Harlem Life.

Teapot of No Importance.

"My cook broke three two-dollar teapots in one month."

"How dreadful!"

"Yes; then I bought a ten-cent one, and it has lasted a whole year."—Indianapolis Journal.

Not That Kind.

"So John is at college?"

"Yes."

"I suppose, then, he's busy sowing his wild oats?"

"No; John is at an agricultural college."—Town Topics.

FOR THE HOUSEKEEPER.

Narrow strips of ticking tied to a piece of broom handle is the best whip to beat upholstered furniture.

In bridal veils two plaited fans of tulle are now used instead of the coronet arrangement. They stand upright upon the head as would an aigrette, and are placed one on either side of a tiny spray of orange blossoms. The fans must not be too tall or stiff.

Peanut butter is the latest of the many uses to which the little nut is put, and is becoming an important commercial product. Peanut butter is made by grinding the nuts very fine and reducing the mass to a pasty substance, a portion at least of the large amount of oil contained being removed. Some salt is added for flavoring, and the result is a cheap and nourishing spread.

To wash white veils take a lined saucepan, and in it make a strong solution of soap and water, put the veil into it and place over the fire to simmer for about 20 minutes; then squeeze the veil in warm soap and water till it is quite clean; rinse in cold water, then again in a little cold water, to which has been added a few drops of blue and one lump of sugar. Shake the veil gently and pin it on a clean towel to dry.

MUSICAL NOTES.

The Musical Record says: "There is the 'cello face, a mask of the deepest gloom. Cannot a man play the 'cello and yet seem, outwardly at least, reasonably happy?"

A novelty in comic opera is an exclusively male chorus, with all but one of the principals women. The book is by W. A. McConnell. This opera may be produced in New York next summer.

A monument is to be erected in Halle, England, to Robert Franz, an influential and highly representative committee, including many leading professors of the university, having recently been formed for this purpose.

A hymn tune, popular in England, is that by Rev. S. J. Stone, rector of All-Hallows church, London Wall, to the words "The Church's One Foundation." A story is told about this tune which involves no less a personage than the archbishop of Canterbury, who, visiting a certain parish in his official capacity was entertained at luncheon by the incumbent, who asked: "May I give your grace a little cold chicken?" Whereupon the archbishop replied, decisively: "No, you mayn't! Wherever I go they sing to me 'The Church's One Foundation,' and want me to eat cold chicken. I hate them both!"

Boom! Boom!

Friend—How's business?

Musician—Booming! I am playing the bass drum in Wagnerian opera.—N. Y. Journal.

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A very quiet wedding was [illegible] at the residence of Mr Henry [illegible] horn Wednesday evening, [illegible] his eldest daughter, Bertha [illegible] Hartshorn, was united in marriage to Joseph Graven Schmadl of North Attleboro. The ceremony was performed at 7 o'clock by Rev F. L. Masseck of North Attleboro, only the immediate families being present. Under a marriage bell of asters, with a background of green and white flowers, the happy pair received their friends from 8 to 10 o'clock. The bride wore a handsome gown of blue and white foulard silk, while the groom wore the conventional black. On the lawn in front of the house a booth had been erected, made of chestnut and maple boughs, where refreshments were served. There was a fine display of presents, a magnificent set of table silver being given by the shopmates of the groom, while from the firm came an equally fine set. Other articles were in china and glass, with many fine pieces of table linen together with $75 in money. After a short wedding journey on the Cape, Mr and Mrs. Schmadl will reside in North Attleboro.——Miss Anna Jelleson and Mr. Arthur B. Patterson were quietly married at their summer cottage at Lake Pearl yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, the ceremony being performed by Rev F. A. Brooks of Boston.

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MARTIAL STRAINS.

New contracts with the United States government allow army surgeons pay during authorized absences.

A skull and crossbones is the somewhat grim emblem adopted by Capt. Montmorency's scouts in South Africa.

Deducting dubious vessels, the completed battleships of England now number 36 and those of France and Russia 38.

For new shops at the Philadelphia naval station $1,000,000 will be expended. Thirty-two structures will be added to the League Island plant, giving facilities to turn out ships of war.

Several new ten-inch guns mounted on disappearing carriages have been placed in the fortifications guarding San Francisco harbor. Experts say the harbor is now proof against anything that may try to steam into it.

Tired Mothers

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His Daily ...

"And they say you drove that rich man to drink?"

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"He made me, sir. I was his coachman."—Harlem Life.

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Church Services.

Universalist church.—Rev Dwight M. Hodge, D D., pastor, will preach at 10.30; subject, "The Judgments of Men." Y. P. C. U. at 6; subject, "The Transmission of Power;" leader, Mrs H. B. Haslam.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 4. Sunday school at 3. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev M. J. Lee, rector.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath. Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30; preaching by the pastor; theme, "Are You Like the Nine?"

Baptist church.—At 10.30 preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper; theme, "The Practical Heroism of the Good Samaritan." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Preaching at 7.30; theme, "Soul Liberty." Short after service in the vestry.

Methodist church.—Preaching at 10.30 and 7.30 by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook; morning subject, "Ambassadors for Christ," evening subject, "The Principle of Accommodation." Sunday school at 12. Epworth league at 6.30; subject, "Our Simple Duty;" leader, J. T. Hutchinson, Jr.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending September 5, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs J. C. Boyington (2), Mrs. Jas. P. Danovan, Mrs. Ella Fitzpatrick, Miss S. J. K. Southworth.

Gentlemen—Rev. G. W. Adams (book), Fred Hans, J. A. Hartingensis, S. Howard, Jason Lowell, James McFarlon.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

The Acorn and the Oak.

"When I heard your son reading his graduation essay I could not help thinking of the mighty oak and the little acorn."

"Why? He didn't mention them anywhere in his paper."

"No. But the grandeur of his style and the way he held himself kept reminding me of the mighty oak."

"And where did the acorn come in?"

"You were there, you know."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Yarmouth, N. S., as a Summer Resort.

One of the most delightful of short sea trips is to Yarmouth, N. S., the western gateway to the Arcadian province. With fine hotels, drives, picturesque scenery and excellent harbor for boating and fishing, Yarmouth is one of the most attractive of summer places. Since the Yarmouth steamship company reduced the round trip rate to Yarmouth to $8 the travel over the Yarmouth line steamers to that port has greatly increased. There are four steamers each way each week, and a trip to Yarmouth in August means that the heat of the Atlantic seaboard is escaped. For particulars inquire at the tourist agencies, 201, 296 or 332 Washington street, or of H. F. Hammond, agent of the Yarmouth line, 43 Lewis wharf, Boston.

Hoag Lake

PARK.

WEEK OF SEPT. 3

Afternoons at 3.15.
Evenings at 8.15.

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GATES and LEROY, In a travesty sketch.
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LITERARY SMALL TALK.

New periodicals to the number of 276 were started in the United Kingdom last year, and 132 publications were discontinued. London's newspapers magazines and miscellaneous periodicals at present number 2,240.

Kate Sanborn, in New York Times, gives a list of nearly 100 women writers for whom she claims the rare quality of humor. The list begins with Lady Ashburton and ends with Kate Douglas Wiggin.

Switzerland, in proportion to the number of inhabitants, produces more books than any other country, the proportion being one book to every 3,000 Swiss. In our own country the proportion is one to every 12,000.

Charles Major, who less than two years ago was a struggling lawyer in the Shelby county (Ind.) bar, and who was made wealthy by his book, "When Knighthood Was in Flower," has just paid $17,000 for a farm near Shelbyville.

"The Battle of the Baltic," "Ye Mariners of England," and "Hohenlinden" are three of the best martial poems ever written. As Sir Philip Sidney said of the ballad of Chevy Chase, they "stir the heart like a trumpet."

A man rumaging around in an old Philadelphia book store a few days ago discovered a couple of first of the century exploration books. They were by MacKenzie, and told of his two journeys to the northwest. He carried them away for 70 cents. He found that the market value of the books is $35.

In view of the celebration in Italy in 1904 of the six hundredth anniversary of the birth of Petrarch, Signor Salvo-Cozzo, principal librarian of the Biblioteca Nazionale, Palermo, is preparing a bibliography of all the poet's own writings and of the various works that have been published regarding him.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Oliver Everett, late of Wrentham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Elbridge J. Whitaker of Wrentham, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the twelfth day of September, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

au24,31,se7 JONATHAN COBB, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Richard H. Dimond, late of Wrentham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by John H. Dimond of Wrentham, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, or some other suitable person, the executor named in said will having declined to serve,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the nineteenth day of September, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this twenty-ninth day of August, in the year nineteen hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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" "	4.40 "
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Milford	6.40 "
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Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9:00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

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HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
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Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 00 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Editor Johnson and family will arrive home this evening.

Miss Alice Keefe of Attleboro visited relatives in town Sunday.

The new engine for the Singleton Worsted company has arrived.

The public library is open regular hours since the August closing.

Mrs. Annie Potter of Howard street is confined to her home by illness.

Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., will hold a regular meeting next Friday evening.

Richard Kennedy of Hopedale spent Sunday with his parents on Main street.

The infant daughter of Mrs. John Creighton of Howard street is seriously ill.

Dean academy opened this morning with a largely increased attendance of pupils.

Mrs. Rathbun and Mrs. Walker of Fall River, spent the Sabbath with Mrs. S. C. Bourne.

The Young Giants defeated the Hayward second nine, 15 to 10, Saturday afternoon.

Chester Cobb, a former Franklinite, is spending a few days' vacation with old friends.

Miss Emma Bradley of Somerville is visiting her sister, Mrs. P. Lennon, of West street.

Miss Lydia Pedan of Arlington street entertained Miss Edith Merwin of Caryville Sunday.

The American band orchestra will furnish music for dancing at Hoag lake on Friday evening.

A goodly number enjoyed the clambake and band concert at Lake Pearl Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Cody of West street is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Sullivan, at Brighton.

Joseph Shay of Salem visited at the home of his brother, Daniel Shay of Cottage street, Sunday.

The Ladies' Social circle of the Universalist church will meet in the church parlor tomorrow afternoon.

Joseph P. Bassett has been chosen to fill the vacancy which existed in the Republican town committee.

The Republican voters will meet in caucus at the town hall on Tuesday, September 25, at 7.30 p. m.

Bouncing twin boys were born to Mr. and Mrs. Dennis W. Coughlin of Washington street Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Hopkins and son of Providence, R. I., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Haslam.

Mrs. Annie Johnson of Rockland is the guest of her son, August Johnson, at his home on Howard street.

Miss Mary McGroary of Pawtucket is enjoying a week's vacation at the home of her parents on Ruggles street.

Miss Minnie Sullivan of Dean avenue, returned home Friday after spending a week's vacation at Manchester, N. H.

The selectmen will hold a meeting on Friday. Dr. Gallis man, is expected back from week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. C turned from Onset, where t a week's vacation at Miss M cottage.

Harry Boocock of Hu will leave town this week for ed visit with friends and re England.

Miss Mary Hutchinson, a the class of F. H. S, 1900, mence studies at Mount Ho this week

Flowers for the Alden left this week with Miss Wiggin, Mrs. Sneath and Stewart.

The Middlesex and Nor grange will hold their nex Norfolk tomorrow morning, 10 o'clock.

The democratic town co applied for the town hall pose of holding a caucus Th tember 27.

Mr. and Mrs. John Murray of Brooklyn, N. Y., are gues Peter McDonald, at her res Winter street.

Walter W. Mack, who has h manager at Hoag lake for the p weeks, has resigned to accept with W. Dinsmore.

Mrs. Mary Holmes has resig position as designer in Bassett' shop. Mrs. Holmes occupied the tion since last October.

The Sullivan family at Caryville charge of the state, have all recover except one daughter, who is not expected to live many days.

There is considerable complaint in regard to the transmission of newspapers through the mails, the delay being at times from 12 to 36 hours.

Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath delivered the address at an open air meeting in Milford, on last Sabbath afternoon, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

Photographer R. J. Calkin will attend the convention of the Photographers' Association of New England, which opens at Copley hall, Boston, tomorrow.

Mrs. William Chilson of Hyde Park and Miss Rose Dorrington of Blackstone were guests of Miss Mary McGroary at her home on Ruggles street Sunday.

The summer time, with the Saturday afternoon holiday at the Bassett Bros.' straw goods factory, changed yesterday to the regular 10 hours a day schedule.

The balance of the furniture in the Briggs boarding house will be disposed of by D. W. Corson & Co. at auction in Opera house block next Friday evening.

The appearance of Maple street is greatly improved by the mowing of the brush on the side of the road, which has been much needed for some time past.

Warren King, who recently returned from a visit in Maine, and who was taken ill while away, is now reported in a critical condition at his home on Chestnut street.

A large delegation of Franklin Christian Endeavorers attended the fall meeting of the Norfolk Christian Endeavor union at Foxboro Saturday afternoon and evening.

The Mendon Conference will meet with the First Congregational church, on Wednesday, October 17. Mr. Sneath is engaged at present in securing speakers for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Blake, who were joined in wedlock at Brunswick, Me., last week, visited at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oramel Blake, on Sunday.

Miss Mary Murphy of Fisher street and Miss Annie Connors of Alpine place have accepted positions in the Hood Rubber company's works at Watertown and left for that place Sunday.

Alex. Ewen, who has been spending the summer in New Hampshire, was in town a short while today, greeting old friends. He enters upon his second year at Amherst next week.

If reports are true a certain young man in town who has been "long" on cotton, reaped a harvest yesterday during the temporary panic occasioned by the terrible news from Texas.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church will meet in the parlor tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Supper will be served at 6 30; tickets at usual price. Social in the evening.

The Epworth league will hold a business and social meeting at the home of Miss Mary Bright, on Central street, Wednesday evening. A committee will be appointed at this meeting to nominate officers for the ensuing year.

A beautiful bouquet of gladiolus adorned the altar of the Methodist church last Sabbath. They were from the farm of J. Warner Clark of Millis. Mr. Clark takes all the first prizes yearly on gladiolas at the horticultural exhibition in Boston.

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The Young La with St. Mary's chu noon at 4 o'clock in was a good attendance and senior branches. juniors will meet with th make one large sodality, whic charge of Sister Vincent. C Sunday will be the first Sunday month.

Miss Lillian Cleveland, daught George R. Cleveland, who was rep as missing last week, has returned to home of her parents. On Friday s left the house ostensibly to go to schoo but instead took an electric car fo Hoag lake. She returned on Saturday and was visiting friends in town when her parents were made aware of her whereabouts.

There is some friction about the transportation of school pupils to the center schools, and some of the parents certainly have an erroneous idea in the belief that the law requires the school authorities to furnish transportation direct from the door of each household. A reasonable distance would be a consideration in the matter, the same as in the location of a schoolhouse.

The first game of the series of three games for a cup, offered by Mr. A. Blakely Smith, of Providence, was played on the links of the Franklin Country club, Saturday afternoon, as follows: Sherman 92, Rathbun 94, C. Ray 95, Bassett 101, Nye 110, Chapman 111, Woodward 111, G. Gilmore 111, Palmer 112, Rockwood 113, Ramsey 114, Thayer 115, W. Ray 117, Stanton 148.

Witty dialogue, catchy songs, charming dances, big novelty acts and up-to-date specialty features are the inducements offered to theatre-goers by Murray and Mack in their famous farce comedy, "Finnigan's Ball," tomorrow evening. The American Band orchestra, with Mrs. Tracy, pianist, are engaged to furnish music, and will play their new and popular airs in connection with the show.

Friends of temperance and especially of the soldiers are startled at the statement made by General Horatio C. King, president of the New York State Board that has control of the Soldiers' Home at Bath, N. Y. In an official letter to Governor Roosevelt, he says that of the more than $100,000 paid last year in pensions to the inmates of that institution, "it is not an overestimate to state that at least 90 per cent. was spent for intoxicants." It seems incredible.

An editor of an exchange says: "If newspaper subscribers would only pay their bills as they do almost any of their other expenses, there would be better papers and more prosperous and happy

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The Proposed Y. M. C. A.

Quite a number of representative business men were present last evening at the adjourned meeting held for the organization of a local branch of the Y. M. C. A. Plans were suggested and discussed, and a committee of three was appointed to draw up articles of association and find suitable rooms for meeting. The committee will report Saturday evening, when it is expected that organization will at once follow.

Two chairs at Ochee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser in attendance. Short waits.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

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...moment too soon. He had galloped out of the courtyard ...several armed men hurriedly into it. Gallet met them at the ...nce. He had seen them a short ...before from his hayloft at the ...when they were preparing for ...eir murderous errand, and whence ...had run to warn his "sweet friend" William. He knew them and their purpose. "Ha, ha!" he cried, with mad glee, "you're late, my sirs; you're late. The duke is gone! William is off! Your stroke has missed! But hark ye: bide a bit. He will pay you! You made him pass a bad night he will make you see an ill day." And then he capered derisively about them. — St Nicholas.

Victim of Strategy.

Wife—George, are you going to the club to-night?

Husband Yes, my love. I really don't care to go, but it is an important meeting, and it would hardly do for me to absent myself.

"What time do you expect to return home?"

"By 11 o'clock at the latest."

"Well, on your way just stop for me at the Weman's Twentieth Century club, on Keener street; I'll be sure to wait for you." —Richmond Dispatch.

Official Indignation.

Quick as a flash the man snatched her purse and was off with it. Directly behind her, not 20 yards away, stood a policeman who had witnessed the crime. She turned to him, crying frantically "Robber! robber!"

In a few moments the policeman stood beside her

"Say!" he cried "Don't you yell 'Robber' at me!"

His indignation was but natural, for wasn't it not his duty, after all, to see just such things? Philadelphia Press

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People in Mild Climates.

...people over 100 years old are ...in mild climates than in the ...er latitudes. According to the ...census of the German empire, of ...population of 555,000,000 only 78 have passed the hundredth year. France, with a population of 40,000,000, has 213 centenarians. In England there are 146, in Ireland 578, and in Scotland 46. Sweden has ten and Norway 23, Belgium 5, Denmark 2, Switzerland none. Spain, with a population of 18,000,000, has 401 persons over 100 years of age. Of the 2,250,000 inhabitans of Servia, 575 have passed the century mark. It is said that the oldest person living is Bruno Cotrim, born in Africa and now living in Rio de Janeiro. He is 150 years old. A coachman in Moscow has lived for 140 years.—Boston Budget.

The Easiest Way.

Stern Papa—So that young whippersnapper, Smith, wants to marry you?

Daughter—Yes, papa. What did you say?

"I didn't say anything. I wouldn't listen to him."

(In tears)—"Oh, papa, when you—"

"Don't you begin now. I won't have it. That's why I shut him up. What do I want to hear a whole lot of promises and prospectus talk and half-page advertising business about what he will do, and all that, for? I don't. Go 'long and get married, if you want to, and the Lord have mercy on you. I'll give you a check for $25,000 on your wedding day, so you can be just as sassy to him as you want to be. Run along now, and don't bother me."—Detroit Free Press.

The Four Most Populous Nations.

For a decade or two longer the United States must be content to remain in the fourth place in point of population among the nations of the earth. China, despite the encroachments upon her territory, still holds the lead, with 402,680,000 men, women and children within her borders; the British empire comes next, with 381,037,874 subjects, including the dusky fanatics of the Soudan, and the Russian empire is third, 129,211,113 persons owing allegiance to the czar.—N. Y. Sun

Curious Wanderings of Smoke.

During the volcanic eruption in the Hawaiian islands last summer the smoke rose to a height of between five and six miles and then drifted away to the northeast. At a distance of 600 miles from Hawaii it settled upon the surface of the sea, and was then carried back by the northeast wind to its place of origin, where it arrived a fortnight after its original departure, and covered the entire group of islands with its heavy pall. Youth's Companion.

Now that the most successful tourist season on record is over, the Plant Line is offering to late vacationists as well as native Provincialists who wish to visit the old home practically half rates during the month of September The points covered are Halifax, Hawkesbury, Charlottetown and Sydney In many respects there is no time equal to the autumn in the Provinces. The air is pure and bracing, yet not too cold, as many imagine One very desirable feature is the general absence of fog along the coast and the autumn foliage makes the scenery all the more grand The ships stop at the various ports sufficiently long to enable passengers to go sight seeing All details may be obtained of J A Flanders, New England agent, 290 Washington street, Boston, or E. H Downing, agent, 20 Atlantic avenue, Boston.

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STRANGE ATLANTIC FISH.

Aquatic Specimens That Were Supposed to Be Extinct Again Making Their Appearance.

Nearly 21 years ago, in May, 1879, Capt. Kirby, of Gloucester, Mass., in command of the schooner William V. Hutchins, was almost directly south of Nantucket seeking hake and cod, when his crew commenced to take great numbers of "a strange and handsomely colored fish." With the conservatism that marks fishermen, most of these strangers were thrown overboard, but Capt. Kirby kept a few and cooked them for his own table. He found it one of the finest fishes he had ever eaten, and determined to keep all that were taken thereafter, so when the schooner came in at Gloucester it brought some 2,000 pounds of the new fish. Messrs. Friend & Son bought the lot and disposed of their purchase in various ways. Capt. Kirby sent one of the fish to the National museum, where Dr. G. Brown Goode and Dr. Tarleton H. Bean examined it and pronounced it a tile fish, but a new genus and species. The fine appearance of the new fish, its delicious taste and bountiful abundance seemed to promise a valuable addition to our food products, and Prof. Baird, then United States commissioner of fish and fisheries, was much interested in this new factor in the resources of the sea.

In 1880 the fish commission steamer Fish Hawk was completed, and the scientific exploration of the bottom life off our coasts was begun with facilities unattainable before. It was found that the coast fell away gradually until the water was about 100 fathoms deep, and then declined very suddenly. To use Prof. Verrill's words, the slope beyond the 100-fathom line is "usually as steep as the side of a great mountain chain and about as high as Mt. Washington." Off the southern coast of Massachusetts this slope is very near the gulf stream, and it has a fauna unsurpassed in the world in scientific interest. The gulf stream brings stragglers from the tropics and the cold arctic currents bring beings whose normal habitat lies in the polar region, and the result is a naturalist's paradise. The tile fishes belong in warm water, and the gulf stream was no doubt responsible for their being so far north.

For three years the tile fish was a source of wealth to the fishermen, and then a sudden catastrophe befell the industry, the exact nature of which may never be known. During March and April, 1882, vessels entering New York and other Atlantic ports reported passing great numbers of dead fish on the northern edge of the gulf stream. They proved to be tile fish, and investigation showed that they covered an area 170 miles long and 23 miles wide. The fish commission chartered the schooner Josie Reeves for an investigating tour, but the vessel returned without having taken a single specimen. This unprecedented destruction of animal life attracted wide attention among the newspapers and scientific journals, and from the data collected Capt. J. W. Collins of the fish commission estimated the number of dead fish at 1,438,720,000, a number that would be sufficient to give every man, woman and child in the country 288 pounds of fish, allowing ten pounds to each fish. Prof. Verrill attributed this destruction to a very severe storm that prevailed at that time and probably drove the icy cold water near shore into the area usually covered by the warm water of the outer margin of the gulf stream. Not a single individual seemed to have escaped, and the tile fish was placed provisionally in the list of extinct animals.

On February 8, 1897, the 78-ton schooner Mabel Kenniston was overtaken by a gale while on Georges bank and was blown about 120 miles to the westward. The exact position is not known, but it was about 140 miles southwest of No-Man's-Land, when haddock trawls were let down in 65 fathoms of water. When these were brought in, 30 tile fish, weighing from five to fifteen pounds each, were taken and were landed in Gloucester a few days later.

In 1898 the fish were taken in considerable numbers, and in 1899 they were almost as abundant as ever, many young specimens being found. This latter point is important, as indicating that the fish are breeding on their old ground and are not mere stragglers.

The extermination and re-establishment of the tile fish is of more than scientific interest. The fisheries are a source of great wealth to our country, and everything that can throw light on them should be welcomed. The mysterious destruction of these fish points to a line of investigation that should be encouraged, in the hope that such catastrophe may be averted in the future.—Boston Transcript.

Incandescent Lamps Used.

What is the annual consumption of incandescent lamps in this country? A recent statement placed the number at 60,000,000, but this is obviously much too high. The carefully prepared estimate of the incandescent lamp business of the United States for the year 1899, which appeared in the New Year's number of the Western Electrician, showed that the volume of business was $2,700,000. Assuming an average price as low as 17 cents a lamp, the number produced is less than 16,000,000. Probably 15,000,000 is very near the exact figures representing the total output of the factories. Similarly the domestic output in 1898 was about 12,000,000 lamps. The number of incandescent lamps imported is so small that it does not affect the calculation to an appreciable degree.—Western Electrician.

ABOUT POSTAGE STAMPS.

It is reported that the one-cent I. R. inverted has been counterfeited in Italy and sent to this country for sale.

The British penny postage stamp has resumed its former red color, in order to comply with the provisions of the Universal Postal union. The half-penny (which corresponds with our one-cent stamp) is green.

In order to keep up with the times—or rather, to be a little ahead of them—the St. Louis post office is now using a cancellation mark which is an oval bearing the inscription: "World's Fair, 1903, Louisiana Purchase."

English Farmer's Gratitude.

A collector of subscriptions for the brass band fund once came across a farmer who was noted for his meanness. To his surprise, the farmer at once consented to subscribe fully as large a sum as any he had yet received.

"Mr. Hardfist," he said, addressing the farmer, "you are surely very fond of music, to give so much?"

"Oh, yes," said the farmer, "they're grand for scarin' the crows from my 'taties when they're practicin', and I'm grateful."—Tit-Bits.

A Boer Patrol.

A Boer patrol consists of three men, a veteran and two youngsters, usually an uncle and two nephews, or a father and two of his sons.—N. Y. World.

Judging by the Umbrella.

It's unwise to judge a man by the umbrella he carries until you find out who owns it.—Chicago Daily News.

VERSES OF EARLY SPRING.

Spring Fever.

Lazy, lazy, lazy!
Hit's de springtime comin' sho',
Hit's put de tiah'dness in mah back
Twell I cain't wuk no mo'.
Lazy, lazy, lazy!
Twell I cain't shovel coal;
But Marfy do de washin'
For de white folks, bress 'er soul.

Lazy, lazy, lazy!
Want to git out in a boat,
En' watch de co'k a-bobbin',
En' jes' lay deh en' float.
Tiah'd, tiah'd, tiah'd!
Hit mus' be in de aih;
En Marfy—she'd be lazy
Ef she had de time to spaih.

Lazy, lazy, lazy!
Jes' es feeble es kin be,
I's mos' too tiah'd to eat de stuff
Dat Marfy cook foh me.
Tiah'd, tiah'd, tiah'd!
I jes' cain't draw mah breff;
When Marfy done dat washin'
She c'n hit home huhse'f!
—Josiah Wink, in Baltimore American.

The Harbor Lights.

When the sweet dusk comes down, and sward and tree
Take its soft dimness, and the dew unlocks
The deep hearts of the flowers and sets them free;
When swift incoming tides rise on the rocks,
Eager to meet the slowly lifting moon
And mirror back her beauty's mystery—
Then harbor lights shine out, across the sea,
Man's friendly greeting with God's blessing blent
In one pure ray. . . . And as the sail grows white
Nearing the shore, passing the guiding light,
To anchor 'neath the headlands, safe and soon,
It seems to musing eyes a vision sent,
A soft dream-picture, imaging the blest
And glad home-coming of a soul to rest.
—Madeline S. Bridges, in Overland Monthly.

Be Strong.

Be strong!
We are not here to play, to dream, to drift.
We have hard work to do, and loads to lift.
Shun not the struggle—face it; 'tis God's gift.

Be strong!
Say not the days are evil. Who's to blame?
And fold the hands and acquiesce—oh, shame!
Stand up, speak out, and bravely, in God's name.

Be strong!
It matters not how deep intrenched the wrong,
How hard the battle goes, the day how long;
Faint not—fight on! To-morrow comes the song.
—Maltbie D. Babcock, D. D., in S. S. Times

A Rain Song.

Don't you love to lie and listen,
Listen to the rain,
With its little patter, patter,
And its tiny clatter, clatter,
And its silvery spatter, spatter,
On the roof and on the pane?

Yes, I love to lie and listen,
Listen to the rain.
It's fairies—Pert and Plucky,
Nip and Nimble-toes and Lucky,
Trip and Thimble-nose and Tucky—
On the roof and on the pane!

That's my dream the while I listen,
Listen to the rain.
I can see them running races,
I can watch their laughing faces
At their gleeful games and graces,
On the roof and on the pane!
—Clinton Scollard, in St. Nicholas.

War.

"From hill to hill he harried me;
He stalked me day and night.
He neither knew nor hated me;
Not his nor mine the fight.

"He killed the man who stood by me,
For such they made his law.
Then foot by foot I fought to him,
Who neither knew nor saw.

"I trained my rifle on his heart;
He leapt up in the air.
My screaming ball tore through his breast,
And lay embedded there.

"It lay embedded there, and yet,
Hissed home o'er hill and sea,
Straight to the aching heart of her
Who ne'er did wrong to me.
—Arthur Stringer, in Ainslee's Magazine.

"Gentle Spring."

At 8 the skies are bright and gay,
At 9 o'clock it snows,
At 10 it's like a summer day,
At 12 a blizzard blows.
The sun returns again at 2
And shines to beat the band,
At 4 the tempest howls anew
And winter rules the land.

And one will keep where'er he goes—
If he's a prudent man—
His winter and his summer clothes,
And overcoat and fan,
His gauze and flannel undersuits,
The flimsy ones and thick,
His outing shoes and fur-lined boots
Where he can grab them quick.
—Elliott's Magazine.

Pearls and Tears.

"What splendid pearls the bride has! How can a man give his bride pearls? They mean tears."

"Oh, that's superstition. Besides, they are imitation pearls."

"Well, if she knows that, the tears will be genuine, at any rate."—Fliegende Blaetter.

French Matrimonial Agents.

A regular business, carried on in France by ladies of the highest standing, is to secure rich American brides for penniless men of title. These matrimonial agents receive heavy fees when they are successful.—Albany Argus.

A Few Words about Pain-Killer

A prominent Montreal clergyman, the Rev. James H. Dixon, Rector St. Judes and Hon. Canon of Christ Church Cathedral, writes:—"Permit me to send you a few lines to strongly recommend PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER. I have used it with satisfaction for thirty-five years. It is a preparation which deserves full public confidence."

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An American Reporter.

They have a reporter on one of the Williamsburg papers who may not be much on style, but for placid, nervy "get there" he is a jewel. A little while ago he was assigned to a political meeting and asked to give a good report of it. Now, it happened that the festivities were conducted entirely in Polish, a language of which the young man knows nothing. This fact, however, did not phase him a bit. He made his way through the hall, pushed up to the platform, and sat down with the secretary. For several minutes he industriously took notes, and finally the secretary, turning to him, pumped out a volley of Polish.

"I am not in it, dear boy," retorted the young man, as he turned again to listen to the speaker.

The secretary looked surprised. Finally he went out and brought in a man who asked in English:

"Are you a Polish reporter?"

"Nope," was the reply. "I am an American one."

"Do you understand our language?"

"I never heard it before," retorted the scribbler, "but I think I have picked up enough since I have been here to give a rattling good story."

And he did.—N. Y. Press.

Taking Census in Porto Rico.

The census enumerator's lot is not wholly happy, even in his and our own land; but compared with that of his brother official in Porto Rico, it is an enviable one. There he not infrequently has to invent or evolve Christian names for those who never had any, or who have forgotten them, if they ever had. And fancy his perplexity when, after asking a woman her age, he is told that so many years have elapsed since she "was pretty"—her particular age when her beauty was conspicuous being a matter of mere conjecture. When the same query is propounded to a man, it is usually followed by a perplexed grin. The omnipresent small boy is of course at hand on these occasions, and beholding him, the relieved native will cheerfully aver, as he points toward him, that he "was as tall as that boy at the time of the 'San Filipe hurricane!'" Thus it happens that in striving to attain approximate correctness in statements of ages, the word "about" is in frequent use in the census records of Porto Rico.—Youth's Companion.

Mount Hope.

Bristol county, R. I., is noted as containing the eminence known as Mount Hope, which is celebrated as the residence of King Philip, the last of the Wampanoags, the Indian chief that carried a long and destructive warfare with New England's early settlers. Philip signed a treaty with the Massachusetts Bay colony in 1671, in the old church at Taunton, but the negotiations were abridged and fierce strife broke out in 1675 and lasted for some time. King Philip's wigwam was fixed near the brow of the hill. Irving wrote his biography, Southey perpetuated his memory in poetry, and Forrest portrayed him on the stage. Mount Hope is nearly opposite Fall River, Mass.—Detroit Free Press.

Cautious Man.

"Are you married?" he asked of the man who sat next to him on the suburban train.

"What's that to you?" was the ungracious retort.

"Oh, no offense meant, no offense at all. I'm a bachelor myself, but I've just been visiting a married sister, and I feel the need of expressing my views on children to some one. If you're married, though, possibly it wouldn't be wise."—Chicago Post.

In French.

Kendrick (who for two months has been studying French)—Say, Sutton, I can write a good letter in French now.

Sutton—H'm! Is that so? Well, you may be able to write a good letter in French, but I don't believe you can write a letter in good French.—Boston Transcript.

Proof.

"Did you say that trusts were the means of raising wages?"

"Certainly," answered Senator Sorghum. "I know the president of a combination who has raised his salary four times in the last two years."—Washington Star.

A Sample Pair.

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Too Much Tinkering.

Mrs. Winks—I see the question of omitting the word "obey" from the marriage service is up again.

Mrs. Minks—Yes, it's perfectly abominable the way they are tinkering at the marriage service. They'll be leaving out "love and honor" next, and bring the beautiful sacrament down to a commonplace civil contract. Well I must be going. I want to take this bundle to the tailor's before his place is shut up. It is some of my husband's duds, which he told me to mend, but I think I see myself. Good-by, dear.—N. Y. Weekly.

A Trunkless Body.

An explorer lately returned from his travels was relating his adventures. "I peered," said he, "into the thicket, and there before me lay a trunkless body." "Nonsense," remarked an interfering critic, "who ever heard of a trunkless body?" "My friend," replied the traveler quietly, "the body was that of an elephant." He then resumed his story.—London Globe.

An Object of Consideration.

"Yassir," said Erastus Pinkley, "when I made my appearance in dat convention, I was de object of mo' attention dan anybody else in de place. Dey riz up to dar seats when dey saw me comin' down de aisle."

"Did you make a speech?"

"No'ndeed; I had a bucket of ice water an' a glass."—Washington Star.

Her Comparison.

Mrs. Meeks—I'm afraid that young man who is courting our daughter doesn't amount to much.

Mr. Meeks—Why do you think that, my dear?

Mrs. Meeks—I really don't know why—unless it's because he reminds me so much of you.—Chicago Daily News.

Honest Means Wouldn't Do.

Visitor—And how is the restoration fund going on, Mrs. Lychgate?

The Rector's Wife—I'm sorry to say it's going on most unsatisfactorily. We've tried every conceivable means of getting the money honestly, and failed, and now the rector says we must try what a bazar will do.—Punch.

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Proprietor—Says fewer of his policy holders die from taking our medicine than any other.—Judge.

Guests.

"I wonders," said Miss Miami Brown, "why dey calls de folks dat hires rooms in dis hotel 'guesses?'"

"I reckons," said Mr. Erastus Pinkley, "dat it's because de landlord looks at 'em an' guesses how much money dey hab, an' den puts it in de bill."—Washington Star.

Hardly to Be Expected.

Mrs. McGorry—Harrity, who was killed by bein' blown two hoondred feet in the air by an ixplosion, left a woife an' noine children, didn't he?

McGorry—He did thot. He bod no toime to make provisions for takin' 'em wid him.—Judge.

Even There.

And so, alas! she died, and when
She'd passed the pearly gate,
She asked a sister-angel there:
"Say! are my wings on straight?"
—Cleveland Plain Dealer

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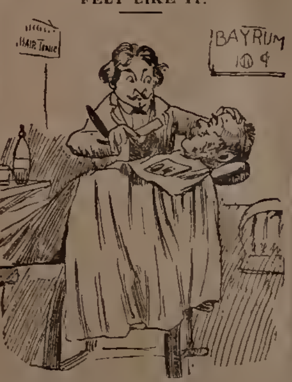

The Victim—They call you a "Knight of the Razor," I believe?

The Barber—Yessir!

The Victim—I didn't know but what you were "The Man with the Hoe!"—N. Y. Journal.

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WRENTHAM.

The summer cottages at King Philip's pond are being rapidly deserted. The entire North Attleboro colony have left for the season and many of the other cottages closed today. Mr. and Mrs. C E. Dupee of Roslindale have closed their cottage and returned home.——H A Cowel has been spending a few days at Salem Willows.——Frank J. Ruggles has lost a valuable dog owing to the extreme heat.——C. E. Brown and F. A. Shepard left Monday for a trip to New York.——A F Bennett has torn down the ell of his residence and is to remodel it with all the latest modern improvements.——B. C. Hardman has sold his farm to Boston parties, who buy for a home and will occupy Mrs. A. J. Philips' house for the winter.——Mrs. Oliver Everett is to sell her residence and move to North Attleboro.——The state mile will be pushed forward so as to be completed by the time winter sets in.——William Everett of Lowell has closed his residence on Gilmore road and returned home.——Rev. and Mrs Winkley are occupying Red farm during the absence of the Chamberlins in Vermont.——The ladies of Trinity church contemplate giving a concert next week.——Joseph M. Philbrick of New York arrived in town Saturday.——Proctor Fisher is in Halifax, N. S.——Fred E. Gilmore and C. A. Gilmore are on a hunting trip in Maine.

SHELDONVILLE.

George Heffron spent a few days in Providence last week.

Mrs. B. N. Wales entertained relatives from Franklin last week.

Mr. and Mrs C. E. Thomas are entertaining friends from Virginia.

Miss Irene Hawes of Riverside, R. I., is visiting at F. N. Sheldons.

Miss Beatrice Provan of West Wrentham spent a week in Peabody recently.

Lyman Parmenter went to Fall River last week where he joined a yachting party. He is to be absent a week.

The Ladies' Aid society were to give a lawn party last Thursday evening on the grounds of L. L. Whiting, but owing to the threatening weather they repaired to the vestry of the church where an enjoyable evening was spent by all who attended.

A forest fire which the origin is unknown raged for several days last week. It started in a meadow a short distance from the village and reaching the woods burned briskly for several days. A large tract of land was covered and much woodland destroyed.

"Cops'" Conversation.

Roundsman Clubbem—They must have a pretty husky set of boys on the police force in South Africa.

Sergt. Kluze—Yes?

"Yes. I see 15,000 British soldiers couldn't hold one kop down."—Baltimore American.

A Canter Shot.

He (with the contempt of a boy of 16)—Girls always giggle more than boys.

She (with the acuteness of 15)—That's because they have to look at boys.—Indianapolis News.

A Lapse of Memory.

Wife—What do you mean by coming home in this condition? Have you any excuse to offer?

Husband—I had one, M'ria, a blame good one, too, but I can't remember it now.—N. Y. World.

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Census Taking in Arizona.

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"Say!" he roared, as the hotel guest moved uneasily. "I am here wid Uncle Sam at me back. I am here to take de census, an' I'm here to do it quick. Gimme de facts in yer career, or I'll have to git it from yer relatives, see!"—Chicago Daily News.

A Theatrical Haunt.

"I suppose in your varied theatrical experience," said the matinee girl, "you have seen life in all the big cities. What is your favorite haunt?"

"Well, really 'haunts' are not my specialty," replied Mr. Barnes-Tormer, "although once I did play the ghost in Hamlet."—Philadelphia Press.

The Flies Are Wary.

Mrs. Goaph—My daughter, you should cultivate a sweeter disposition toward the young men. Remember that "vinegar never catches flies."

Miss Goaph—But, mamma, you always cautioned me not to permit any fly young men to call.—Baltimore American.

An Apple Eater.

During a visit to the south of England a gentleman was met with who related a unique and most interesting experience in dietetics. It was that for the last three years he had lived on one meal a day, and that meal was composed chiefly of apples! Further astonishment was evoked by his reply to my question as to what he drank, when he stated that the juices of the apples supplied him with all the moisture or drink he needed; this, he claimed, was of the purest kind, being in reality water distilled by nature, and flavored with the pleasant aroma of the apple. He partook of his one meal about three o'clock in the afternoon, eating what he felt satisfied him, the meal occupying him from 20 minutes to half an hour. He looked the picture of healthful manhood, and is engaged daily in literary work.—Chambers' Journal.

Ways to Wear the Hair.

Many ladies are wearing their hair parted a little to the side, slightly waved, and a few soft curls straying over the forehead on one side only. Young girls dispense with the waving and fold the hair loosely on either side, so that it falls over in an artistic fashion, but a girl needs to be pretty to wear her hair this way.—Washington Star.

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Hunting Rabbits with a Hose.

Boys in Nebraska, a ferretless country, carry with them when hunting a coil of hose about an inch in diameter, which they pay out down a rabbit-hole until the bottom is reached, meanwhile drawing the mouth of a sack over the hole. A cheerful shout down the hose brings the rabbit out at his best pace plump into the sack. The hose evidently does the business as quickly as the ferret, with no vexatious delays.—Chicago Chronicle.

A Caller for Father.

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at three o'clock p. m., all and singular the following described property

A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon standing, including all permanent fixtures and heating appliances, situated in Medway, county of Norfolk and state of Massachusetts, on the east side of Broad street, bounded and described as follows, to wit Beginning at the northwest corner thereof, on said street, at land of Mary H. Wilder, and thence easterly on a line with said Mary H. Wilder's land one hundred and forty (140) feet to a corner at land of Mrs. Sarah S. Woodward, thence southerly on land of said Woodward to land of Frank A. Henry, thence westerly on a line with land of said Henry parallel with and twenty-one (21) feet distance from northerly side of stable on said Henry's land to a point for a corner on a line parallel with westerly end of said stable, thence southwesterly in a straight line to a point for a corner on a line with rear of grant[illegible] thirty five feet distance therefrom, thence westerly on a line parallel with southerly side of said block [illegible] Broad street, thence northerly on said street to the first mentioned point. Same premises recorded with Norfolk Deeds, [illegible] 613, folio 441, conveyed to grantor by deed from [illegible] B. Stowe, subject to a right of way [illegible] conveyance, and more fully set forth and described in a deed to John McGinnis, [illegible] 1886 [illegible] south[illegible] side of [illegible]

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FIGHTING FOR A "ZOO."

Prof. Langley's Persistent Efforts for the Preservation of Wild Animals at Washington.

In an illustrated article on "The National 'Zoo' at Washington," Ernest Seton-Thompson, the author-artist, tells what hard work Prof. Langley had to do before congress would pass a bill to establish such an institution. In 1887, when the newly-appointed secretary of the Smithsonian institution, Mr. S. P. Langley, who, though an astronomer and a physicist, had been very strongly impressed by the fact that all our largest and most interesting native animals were rapidly approaching extinction, conceived the idea of securing a tract of country, as primitive as possible, that it might be made a lasting city of refuge for the vanishing races. This was the main idea when first Mr. Langley went before congress to urge the establishment of a National Zoological park.

In all ages it has been the custom of potentates to keep a collection of wild animals for their amusement, and the American people, being their own ruler, had numberless precedents before them when urged to make this much-needed collection of animals.

In such a case the advantage of a monarchy is that only one man must be convinced, whereas in a republic the consent of a majority of seventy millions had to be obtained.

This took time. Fierce battles had to be fought with ignorant and captious politicians. One objected that he did not see why people should pay "to have the Nebraska elk and Florida alligator cooped up." If they had to spend money for it they should want things they could not see at home—dog-faced baboons, kangaroos, man-eating tigers, etc. Another, a fervent patriot, objected to any money being spent on exotic species, as it was contrary to the spirit of the constitution to encourage or import foreigners.

Altogether the secretary of the Smithsonian found it no easy bill to carry, though it was indorsed by nearly every scientist and educator in the country.

After three years of persistent effort, involving vastly more worry than the management of the whole Smithsonian institution for three times that period, Mr. Langley succeeded in carrying both houses of congress over the successive stages of ridicule, toleration, and favorable consideration, to the point of accepting and providing for the scheme.

An appropriation was made for a National Zoological park to be established in the District of Columbia for the "advancement of science and the instruction and amusement of the people," as well as a city of refuge where those "native animals that were threatened with extinction might live and perpetuate their species in peace."—Century.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of William Colvin, late of Medway, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by James A. Snow and John H. C. Hadley, who pray that letters testamentary may be issued to them, the executors therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the 19th day of September, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Hattie M Fisher

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HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 19, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
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Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a.m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p.m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 00 till 10.15 p.m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p.m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a.m. and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

The selectmen meet this evening.

Drs. J. C. and A. J. Gallison returned from Maine last evening.

The Elm farm milk company has taken the McGinnis milk route.

The lawn about A. D. Thayer's residence is being regraded.

The elegant Morse house on Main street is advertised for sale.

Dr. Charles F. McCarthy of Winchester was a visitor in town Monday.

Alfred Gore, the veteran soldier, has gone to the home in Togus, Me.

The Our Boys and the Haywards will meet again tomorrow afternoon.

Rev. Dr. Hodge has been confined to the house this week with lumbago.

Mr. and Mrs E. K. Ray are expected home from their vacation this week.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McDermott of West street on Monday.

A regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., will be held this evening.

E. B. Sherman's family are returning from their summer outing at Bellingham.

Alvan I. Fiske, a former resident, now located in Hartford, Conn., is visiting in town.

Patrick Enegren, a former Franklin boy, is visiting at his home on Cottage street.

Mrs. W. F. Ray and family will return from their summer's stay at Lake Pearl next week.

Miss Nellie Gallivan has returned home after having spent a week's vacation at Buttonwood.

Dr. Sneath will preach in the South Franklin meeting house on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

George E. Daniels was head usher at the swell Cushman Sumner nuptials in Milford last week.

Business is good at the Trowbridge piano factory, western orders having been received lately.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Brown of Emmons street are spending a few weeks with relatives in Woonsocket.

There will be dancing at Hoag Lake this evening. The American band orchestra will furnish the music.

W. C. Scott of Elmira, N. Y., left this morning for his home after a ten days' visit at George W. Hosie's.

Manager Enegren has now opened Lake Pearl free to all who desire to come, with dancing Saturday evening.

Mrs. Geo. Stacy and son of Pawtucket spent Wednesday with her aunt, Mrs. D. W. Corson, Emmons street.

Supt. E. L. Blanchard attended the electricians' annual outing at the Pomham club in Providence yesterday.

The road men have done a good job on some of the highways by mowing grass and weeds along the gutters.

There will be dancing at Hoag lake this evening, music being furnished by the American band orchestra.

The subject of the Y. P. C. U. meeting of the Universalist church next Sunday evening will be "Choosing a Master."

Franklin school children have discovered that there are three "R's" in September—reading, 'riting and 'rithmetic.

Conductor Nahum E. Daniels of Perry, Iowa, is on a three weeks' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Jefferson Daniels.

Mrs. Della Mudd, daughter and maid of Denver, Col., have been visiting Mrs. E. S. Judd, who is a cousin of Mrs. Mudd.

James Holmes and family, who removed from here to Braintree nearly two years ago, have returned to Franklin to reside.

The Foresters will entertain members of the North Attleboro court after the regular meeting next Wednesday evening.

Mrs. E. C. Slocumb, who resides with her nephew, D. W. Corson, has gone to visit friends at her former home, Sutton, Mass.

It is reported that the Charles River Woolen company is willing to give free the land for a hose house near Nason's crossing.

The effect of the railway business and textile works at Unionville is seen in an increase in the number of school pupils in that locality.

The ladies of the Congregational church furnished a very appetizing supper on Wednesday evening, receiving generous patronage.

The new mill of the Norfolk Woolen company at Unionville is nearly completed, the interior requiring a little more work to finish.

A brush fire was making good headway on the Whiting land on Fisher street Wednesday when neighbors got to work and extinguished it.

A. B. Chilson is making extensive improvements and alterations upon his house on Dean avenue, Contractor Simonds doing the work.

Mrs. M. L. Hubbard and daughter, Miss Ethel Hubbard, and Miss A. F. Daniels of Wellesley are staying a few weeks at L. W. Daniels'.

Dr. C. B. Hussey and Fred V. Hussey left for London, Eng., on Wednesday. They take with them a host of good wishes from friends here.

A. M. Thayer is still further improving the appearance of his house by adding a box tower, thus giving an impression of greater height to the house.

The attendance at Hoag Lake this week was large. The dancing pavilion was an attraction and the theatrical performance was up to the standard.

This evening a special car will be run on the Medway line for all those wishing to attend the benefit given by the Foresters in Medway in aid of Dudley Durant.

A great many Franklinites witnessed a very fine production of "The Christian" at the Woonsocket opera house Tuesday evening. A late car was run after the play.

The date for the Republican state convention has been set for Thursday, October 4. The Democratic state convention will be held in Faneuil hall, Boston, October 1.

Miss Hattie Tobey, a former Franklin lady, and Mrs. Nellie Porter, both of North Hanover, have been visiting at the home of Miss Mabelle A. Gilmore, Peck street.

"Finnigan's Ball" played to a good-sized house on Wednesday evening, proving a remarkably fine show, with clever people. Manager Partridge has made a good start.

Attorney H. E. Ruggles declines an invitation to be a guest of the Upton Farmers' club at the fair on September 27, having a previous engagement at Richmond, Va.

A forest fire started on wood land off Washington street. near Alfred Clark's residence, Monday afternoon, and burned over a small tract before it was got under control.

All young men are earnestly requested not to forget the meeting for the formation of a Y. M. C. A. in Franklin tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock. See notice in another column.

The trial of the liquors seized last Saturday will take place in about a week; the law requiring a fourteen days' delay after a seizure. The trial will awaken a good deal of interest.

The roof of the new addition built on to the Ray woolen mill is undergoing a coat of tar. The new part will be the dry finishing room. Work was commenced in the room Monday.

Capt. E. E. Paine, the fish man, spent a few days at his former home in Wellfleet recently, where he owns a nice residence. All of his neighbors there have a good word for him.

A Milford paper says that the man who thinks Milford has a government of the people, for the people and by the people, is a fool. Don't worry, neighbor; Milford isn't different from other towns.

Manager Pulsifer of the Dean gymnasium had his young men out for a practice run on Wednesday, attracting no little attention. He proposes to work his material up into fine shape, and he has the reputation of being able to do so.

These delightful September and October days will soon be gone, and all who like the open air should take their trolley rides soon, as the cars will doubtless go on their winter hourly schedule later.

Mrs. M. E. Averill of Bellingham left on Tuesday for a week's trip to Ottawa, Montreal, coming home via Malone and Alburgh Springs, Vt., where her relatives live. She will make a short visit at the latter place.

Now that the schools are open again the streets are filled with happy children, who have been greatly missed during the summer months while they have been away to country and seaside or resting for another year at the books.

Antonio Simonelli, who was found guilty in the Dedham court Monday of stealing $230 and a gold watch from Louis Malatesta, the Main street fruit dealer, was sentenced to one year in the house of correction on Tuesday.

Franklin housewives who desire to be strictly up to date should remember that a dinner for guests should include soup and fish. Indeed, house help characterize the better class of houses as "soup and fish families," even for every-day service.

Rev. Mr. Miner is looking up an eligible location for a parish house in connection with his Episcopal labors here. He has a number of places in view, among them being the Morse lot on School street, which he considers admirably situated for his purpose.

The rehearsals for the "Pied Piper of Hamlin" have commenced. The first rehearsal was held Wednesday and a most successful beginning was accomplished. The second rehearsal will take place this evening. It will probably be ready for the public the second week in October.

Dr. G. A. Martin has been considering an automobile for a long time and is getting to be an expert on the different makes and styles. He inclines to a gasoline motor, and we should not be greatly surprised to see him whizzing about our streets in a vehicle of his own. He wants the best, however.

One of the largest crops of peaches that has ever been harvested in this section is that which is now being gathered from the trees on Monroe Morse's farm. Quite a number of Medwayites are employed picking and packing the fruit, for which a ready market in this and adjoining towns is found.

A calculagraph, which automatically computes and prints the exact length of a conversation, will later be placed on the switchboard in the local telephone office. By its use the operators will be saved considerable work in reckoning time and the patrons will be assured that no mistake has been made.

The Massachusetts campaign is already on, and Samuel L. Powers of Newton, candidate for congress from the eleventh district, in company with Congressman Moody of Massachusetts and Congressman Littlefield of Maine, will speak at Haverhill, Mass., next Monday evening. Mr. Powers may be heard here later.

The electric traffic from Milford to Hoag Lake, Woonsocket and Franklin has been very large over the new line, especially during the afternoon and evening. On several cars 125 fares were taken and on one 147 passengers were registered. This end of the line promises to be a great money winner for the company.

Henry Earle, aged 70, a respected citizen who has lived in Franklin nearly all his life, passed away at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning at his late residence on Summer street. He had been ill for some time. He leaves a widow. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church at 2 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. S. A. Cook officiating.

The Medfield and Medway street railway company have several new eight-wheeled vestibuled electric cars at their car barn which they are getting ready for winter use. Much rivalry exists as to which road should build the electric railway from Holliston to Medway. The Medfield and Franklin and the Natick and Holliston companies both want the route.

The firemen's clubroom at the Emmons street engine house is now open to its members, and donations of books and papers will be thankfully received and called for by notifying John Molloy. The members desire to thank those who kindly donated books and papers last year: E. H. Rathburn, Dr. J. C. Gallison, A. M. Thayer, C. B. Johnson, O. M. Bassett, E. S. Messenger and L. E. Morrissy.

Those who remember the excellent playing of Dan Murphy, of last year's North Attleboro team, will be pleased to know that half a dozen of the big league teams are after him, the Bostons having the first chance at him. He is playing with Norwich this year and Manager Doe wants $1,500 for him. The Bostons offer $1,000. He is a "heady" player with no bad habits, and has a good future before him.

George I. Partridge likes to fish, and when he is not fishing for an attraction for the opera house he fishes for a fry of the finny tribe. But the other day he thought he would go to a little meadow pond in the woods that he knew about and try his luck. He had forgotten how dry the weather had been, and, like Old Mother Hubbard who went to the cupboard, when he got there the pond was bare and fish he had none.

A. L. Pierce, the superintendent and manager of the Wallingford, Conn., municipal lighting plant, was in town Wednesday, en route to attend the annual banquet of electricians at the Pomham club, Providence, yesterday. Mr. Pierce reports the venture of municipal ownership as working very satisfactorily where he is located, and he is doing a vast amount of hard work to make it a success.

Miss Mary Augusta Holbrook, who has resided with Mrs. Alois A. Baker on Main street for several years, was discovered dead in her bed by Mrs. Baker at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning, having passed away some time during the night, the evident cause being heart failure. Miss Holbrook was 81 years of age. Rev. Dr. Sneath conducted funeral services at the Baker residence yesterday morning at 11 o'clock. Interment was at Norfolk.

The Thurber Medical association will hold its annual meeting and banquet at Hotel Willian, in Milford, October 4. The annual address will be given by Dr. W. W. Browne of Blackstone on "Lights and Shadows of a Doctor's Life," and Dr. J. C. Gallison of this place will be anniversary chairman. The prize for the best paper of the year will be decided by vote this month and the prize given the winner at the annual meeting.

Arthur C. Zimmerman has been appointed postmaster at West Wrentham. The former office at West Wrentham was discontinued a few years ago, and since that time the residents of that part of the town have had their mail from the Sheldonville office. The new office will be at the railroad station, about three-quarters of a mile from the location of the former office. Mr. Zimmerman has had charge of the railroad station at that place for several years past.

John Williams, aged 20, living on Ray street, jumped from a moving freight train when opposite the Colonial rubber works Tuesday noon and struck on his head. He was picked up in an unconscious condition and taken to his home. Dr. Elliott was summoned and found the young man suffering from severe injuries about the head and face and a bad fracture of the outer cantus of the right eye, which may lead to concussion of the brain. His condition is considered critical.

Mr. and Mrs. M Gilmore of Cleveland, O., are spending a week or more with friends here. Mr. Gilmore has been away from here for about forty years, though he has endeavored to return as frequently as possible to keep pace with the changes here. This is is his first visit now in five years. For a good many years he was engaged in the hat business and invented a number of machines used in that connection. Of late, however, he has been building straw sewing machines, but sold out just before coming east.

The wise and august judge would not excuse Dr. E. C. Abbott from jury duty, doubtless considering it better for the toothless to eat liquid food a week or two longer rather than have justice delayed, and the influence of Vermont blood is infused into the verdicts. The court has the following list: For sentence or other disposition 24 cases; jail cases, 21; liquor cases, 33; continued from April term, 13; new indictments, 11; new appeals, 25; forfeited bonds, 5; total, 132. Among the cases are three from Medway, two from Bellingham and one from Millis.

The work of grading on the repairs of the part of the cemetery owned by the town at the corner of Union and Central streets has begun, with Charles Rand in charge of the men. The town appropriated $600 for the purpose, and the job is in care of the selectmen and cemetery association. It is the part of the cemetery established by the town in the last century, and contains the remains of many of those who were prominent in the early history of Franklin. The stones will be removed for the grading and then reset. Many of the old ones were either down or partially so, and the change will doubtless greatly improve the appearance of the locality.

Unionville had a little excitement Tuesday afternoon for a short while. About 4 o'clock the drying room of the Norfolk woolen mill, which is situated in a small brick building close by the mill, took fire. The Cataract fire engine, which one inhabitant of the town said had not seen service for 20 years, was called out. That, with the men employed in the mill and the carpenters, painters and masons who were at work on the new addition being built to the mill, succeeded in confining the fire to one room and extinguishing it in the course of an hour. The building was gutted, and had it been a wooden structure, with the high wind blowing, the mill with its new addition would probably have gone up in a short time. The cause of the fire is unknown.

The fierce wind storm of Wednesday was the tail end of the hurricane which devastated and destroyed Galveston. About half the apple crop in this vicinity was blown from the trees, necessitating a heavy loss, especially in winter apples, the Baldwins holding on somewhat better than the Greenings. The wind swept through here at the rate of forty miles an hour and the dust was something unbearable, owing to the dry state of the roads. On Central street, east of the railroad bridge, an electric arc light fell and was smashed. In another part of the town an electric light pole was blown over and the wires were so badly broken that several places were unable to light up until some time after the darkness made it desirable. Supt. Blanchard and his men, however, kept busy repairing the damage until most places were supplied by 7 o'clock. The wind moderated before sundown, but the effects are to be seen in all directions.

One of K. R. Jewett's pigs got out of the pen the other day and eye-witnesses declare that the expressman must have lost, besides his patience, several ounces in weight in his effort to capture it. The pig made its way out on Central street and then into Metcalf's lumber yard, where its owner espied it. Here began a game of tag between the two, with the pig proving most elusive. Several times the expressman thought he had the runaway, but the latter slipped away with apparent ease, and in one instance its owner nearly went sprawling in his effort to hold on, while the pig gave a grunt of evident satisfaction at the fun he was having. The chase went on from the yard to Central street and then back again, until finally help arrived. The pig was then brought to bay, a rope procured and tied to one of its hind legs, when the owner, covered with dust and about exhausted, drove it back to the pen, vowing that he'd build a pen six feet high, if necessary, to prevent the hog getting another chance to perambulate on the street.

The Work of the Trusts.

The Detroit Free Press says that the city of Adrian, Michigan, is feeling very sad over the collapse of the Page Fence Company of that city which had a weekly pay roll of $20,000 and made Adrian a prosperous city. But the company had the temerity to decline an invitation to be swallowed by the American Wire Fence Company. It being the special mission of that great trust to crush out competition, the wire trust, which owns the wire fence trust, proceeded to squeeze the Page company by advancing the price of wire over 100 per cent. So far as the plants comprising the fence trust were concerned, it would make no difference had the raise been a thousand or a million per cent., for the same capital that was selling was buying, and could give its product away to itself or quote it at its weight in gold without making a dollar's difference in the outcome of the business. It was by this process that the Page company, rich in all the vital requirements of a great industrial enterprise, willing to stand or fall upon its own merits and refusing to combine for the purpose of arbitrarily dictating outrageous prices, was driven to the wall. It is one of the most flagrant examples of trust tyranny that has come to the people of this state, and cannot but multiply the number demanding an efficient regulation of these financial cormorants, the only alternative being their complete demolition.

A World Beater.

The opening performance of "Monte Christo" with James O'Neill as Edmund Dantes, at the Boston Theatre, will be given, Tuesday, September 18. Real boats will be seen moving about in the harbor of Marseilles; the castle of the Chateau d'If is wonderful. The most stupendous scene will be the conservatory in Act IV, where two balconies, thronged with real people, will cover three sides of the stage, one above the other. The grand staircase, on which Monte Christo makes his entrance, is 28 feet wide and 50 steps high. When the curtain rises on the Forest of Fontainebleu, in the last act, the audience will behold a forest of crystallized snow. Every leaf on every tree is coated with a new preparation and behind every leaf is an electric bulb. Fairyland will never be brought any nearer than by the effect thus obtained.

Mrs. L. K. Dearborn will return next week and reopen her dressmaking rooms.

Emerson's Market.

Fresh killed chicks and fowls, lamb, veal, pork and tomatoes. We also have shell beans, green corn, gem melons, sweet potatoes, summer squash, lettuce, cucumbers, onions, cabbages, new beets and turnips.

Notice Photographic.

On and after Wednesday, Sept. 12, until further notice, my studio will be closed while I am in attendance at the convention of the P. A. of N. E., where I expect to get the latest in the art for my patrons.

CALKIN, Photographer,
Depot street.

Cut flowers, all kinds of funeral designs well made up at Slade's greenhouse. Roses in small or large quantities.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

TO THE SELECTMEN:—As a taxpayer in town I would respectfully ask the selectmen if it would not be a good move on their part to place a telephone in the town officers' room? Very frequently some one at a distance desires to communicate either with the board of selectmen, the tax collector or the town treasurer, and there being no telephone connection, time is wasted. It is quite likely that the town would get a slight reduction from the regular rate for past favors conferred, and, if not, a telephone is now a necessity instead of a luxury. Put in a 'phone, Messrs. Selectmen, and save our time, your time, and all the time.

A WEARY WALKER.

Franklin, Mass., Sept. 13, 1900.

Come and Help the Cause.

All men, young and old, who are interested in the formation of a Y. M. C. A. in this town are earnestly requested to be present tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock in the room over Fisher's candy store, in Music hall block. The report of the committee which was appointed last Monday evening will be heard and plans of organization will be submitted, and it is expected that organization will follow. That Franklin is greatly in need of an association of this nature is admitted by all, and it is seriously hoped that a large delegation of representative Franklin people will be present, that the right start may be made in this direction along the line of this most important work.

The Home Paper.

The home paper is never appreciated at home as it is when its weekly visits are received by one away from town. This is often spoken of regarding the SENTINEL. Many kind words come to us of that import, and we are always glad to receive them, for it is and always has been the purpose to make the SENTINEL a clean, reliable and complete statement of the local happenings of the week, and to do everything possible toward exerting a healthful moral influence in the town, and to advance its business interests. To please everybody is impossible. Indeed a newspaper or individual that can get along without crossing the grain of somebody amounts to but little. It should not be the purpose to create antagonism, but if in doing duty as it is seen from day to day, antagonisms come, as they are sure to, they should be met manfully, as they carry no discredit with them.

Richardson's Market.

Now that cooler weather is on you are thinking of meat. We have the pick of the market at the right prices. Choice beef, pork, ham, lamb, etc. Our vegetables are from home gardens, received fresh every day. Fowls and chickens for your Sunday dinner, with a can of nice soup for only 10 cents. Best butter in town at the price. Our order team will call.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

To Rent.—A desirable tenement of six rooms; $12 per month. Inquire of O. T. Doe. 14 tf

Two neatly furnished rooms to let at 39 Dean avenue. For information, box 709. 11,14*

These are fish days. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fish man.

Lost—A bunch of keys. Finder will please leave at SENTINEL office and receive reward. 14 tf

Wanted—Competent girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. H. E. Batchelor, 14 Dean avenue. 7,11,14

I have my usual crop of excellent peaches now ripening, and shall be glad to supply all customers old and new. Send in your order and get some good peaches. Monroe Morse, Medway, Mass. 7,11,14

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. MCKINNON, Agent.

Round-trip Boston tickets can be had at $1.05, (less than the five-trip rate), of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office. Also round-trip Providence and Milford tickets at a saving of 12c from regular fare. Mileage books to let.

After a successful season at Hoag Lake the gifted Laura Lee, palmist and inspirational card reader, may be consulted at her residence, corner Garfield and Crescent streets. Ladies, 25 cents; gentlemen, 50 cents. 14*

Wanted.—Local or traveling salesmen, salary or commission, to handle our oils, greases, petrolatum, paints and white lead. Goods guaranteed; prices low. Good freight rates and prompt delivery. Best season of the year for soliciting oil trade. Penn Petrolatum Co., main office and refinery, Coraopolis, Pa.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

All lovers of music are invited to see the display of pianos and organs at Sanford Bros., Medway. Up to date and prices right.

Two chairs at Ochee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser in attendance. Short waits.

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ADVERTISING RATES

Space	1 Wk.	2 Wk.	3 Wk.	1 Mo.	2 Mo.	3 Mo.	6 Mo.	1 Yr.
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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1900.

FOR CONGSESSMAN IN THIS DISTRICT.

For the first time in more than twenty years the city of Newton this year will present a candidate in the Republican congressional convention, with a solid delegation in his favor. Several times in this period Newton has come forward with two or more candidates, with the inevitable result of some more fortunate candidate receiving the nomination. But this year Newton is enthusiastic in the candidacy of Hon. Samuel L. Powers, one of her most prominent as well as popular and able citizens. Newton presents an able man, one upon whose name no scandal of any nature rests, and who has the ability and the strength to fill with honor a seat in the national house of representatives. Mr Powers has but one competitor—Hon F H Williams of Brookline. But a choice must be made by the voters at the coming caucuses, and after looking the field over candidly we feel that for the interests of the Republican party the nomination should go, and by a decisive vote—to Mr Powers. Newton, as we have stated before, has not had a congressional nomination for over twenty years, while during this time Brookline has had four nominations of Hon John W Candler and two of Hon Charles F. Sprague, both of whom made congressmen of ability and merit.—Milford Journal

THE tidal wave of sympathy which goes out to stricken Galveston is not less in volume than the destructive wave which devastated it. There is no south; we are all kin.

RICHARD OLNEY doesn't seem to find it difficult to turn a somersault. Expert politicians have to perform that feat occasionally. But where is his great and good friend Cleveland?

FEW ministers are in a position to refuse a raise in salary of $1,000, as did Rev Dr Lorimer. This disposes of the false though oft repeated slur that ministers work for "what there is in it."

IT isn't strange that accidents like that on Sunday to the steamer John Endicott occur when captains take chances in order to beat competitors. They seem to forget that lives are precious.

Now it transpires that the Corbett McCoy fight was a fake after all, and the latter was slated to lose. How those who lost their bets will kick themselves when they recall how slick they were taken in and done for.

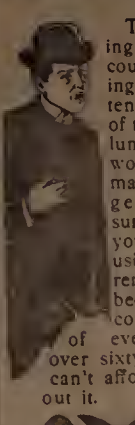
A CLERGYMAN elected to the best paying office in Maine, that of sheriff, is something of a novelty. He proposes, however, either to enforce the liquor law or make his enemies repeal it because enforcement hurts. At present it is a farce.

IN New York state Wednesday the tiger and the lion laid down together, and shortly after there wasn't any lion. Hill and his followers were swallowed up in the capacious jaws of Tammany, which is now in a position to dictate to the entire state. Croker is the Napoleon of the hour, but St. Helena is in sight.

MAINE has spoken, and it is difficult to see how the democrats can get much comfort out of the returns, however little the republicans may jubilate. In a state like that where is nothing at stake except the moral effect the republicans could not be stirred. When the presidential election comes on they will be heard from all right.

REPRESENTATIVE MELLEN's [illegible] his [illegible] tor into the congressional ring and boldly tells John R. Thayer that he considers himself a more popular and a younger man than Mr. Thayer himself. Mellen is never happy unless he's in a good, stiff fight. However, no better man can win in that district, and Walker had no one to thank but himself for losing to Thayer.

THE fight in the eleventh congressional district is practically decided in favor of Mr Powers. With Newton, Watertown, Belmont, Holliston and Sherborn in Middlesex county, Milford and Hopedale in Worcester county, nearly all of the Boston wards and the larger towns in Norfolk county in Mr Powers' favor, there is scarcely anything left for the friends of Mr Williams to build any hopes upon, and they must see that any further work on their part will be of no avail.



Hacking

There is nothing so bad for a cough as coughing. It tears the tender membrane of the throat and lungs, and the wounds thus made attract the germs of consumption. Stop your cough by using the family remedy that has been curing coughs and colds of every kind for over sixty years. You can't afford to be without it.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

loosens the grasp of your cough. The congestion of the throat and lungs is removed; all inflammation is subdued; and the cough drops away.

Three sizes: the one dollar size is the cheapest to keep on hand; the 50c. size for coughs you have had for some time; the 25c. size for an ordinary cold.

"For 15 years I had a very bad cough. The doctors and everybody else thought I had a true case of consumption. Then I tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and it only took a bottle and a half to cure me."

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Oct. 28, 1898. Camden, N Y

Write the Doctor. If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice write the Doctor freely. Address,
DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass

THE FOOTPAD GAYLY LEAVES.

Before Taking His Departure He Apostrophizes the Breezy Lakeside City.

The footpad's athletic figure was bundled in a huge ulster. He carried a grip and an umbrella, and his general appearance was that of a man on travel bent.

"Yes," he said, as he blew the smoke from his cigar in the face of the swell barkeep, "I'm off. To give you the confidential tip, Washington is a poor place for gentlemen of my profession. I haven't done as well here as my talents deserve. I'm dead stuck on the town as a place of residence, however, and when I retire to an honorable, quiet and peaceable life on the fruits of my nightly labors, I am going to buy a house on Mount Pleasant—unless I am brought to an untimely end by a dum-dum.

"What's that? Afraid of whom?" And the highwayman drew himself to his full height, and expanded his broad chest. "The what? The police? Are they on to me? Scared me away? Bless your innocence. The detec's never bother me. I'm an expert at my business, and like a shrinking pansy (say, I'm a sweet little old pansy, ain't I?), I bloom unseen, but not unappreciated by the police. Perhaps I might call myself a night blooming cereus, eh? But I'm off to Chicago. I am.

"List as I apostrophize thee, O Chicago! go!

"Chicago! the queen city of the mighty west. Where the English tourist thinks the prairie wolf howls his midnight howl, the horned owl hoots his taunting hoot, the rattlesnake rattles his rattles and the woolly buffalo wallows in his muddy wallow. Where the wind shaves men better than a barber, and the city aldermen extend the limits regularly every Monday morning after the roll call. Where the citizen, on rising, draws up his bathing water from the middle of Lake Superior and his [illegible] drinking fluid from Milwaukee [illegible]. Where the housemaids throw the dish water by the drainage canal into the back yards of the sad residents of Saint Louie.

"Chicago! the Mecca of the footpad and the burglar; where the high-toned robber gallantly lifts his prey into a cab and searches him at his aristocratic leisure. The city at once the pride and the delight of the wild west and the despair of St. Louis. The abode of the 'I Will' maiden of mature years [illegible] face and [illegible] woman's attitude. Where society gentlemen [illegible] dress suits at noon and the fair divorcee timidly tells her biennial [illegible]. Where millionaires work [illegible] clerk and clerks [illegible] millionaires. The city which will [illegible] the [illegible] Cook county, Chicago."

The footpad returned to Pennsylvania avenue from his apostrophising [illegible], flighting and leaving the barkeep to [illegible] up for the drinks and cigars, made a bee-line for the B. & P. depot.—Washington Star.

The Nature of It.

"They say that mule meat gave the hungry people in Kimberley much better satisfaction than horse meat."

"That isn't strange. Mule meat would naturally make them kick at other food."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

ART FURNISHER'S TRIALS.

The Funny Order That Floated In on a New York Professional the Other Day.

"We have strange orders for decorative work," said an art furnisher. "We are ready to supply everything but plumbing and the way in which our versatility is taxed is sometimes amusing. Of course we furnish special designs for carpets and draperies and we undertake to make ancestral stained-glass windows. You don't know what they are? Well, they are a cross between memorial windows and family portraits. We design puritan windows for New England families and Dutch windows for New Yorkers and Norman windows for Anglo-Americans. If the weakness of the family be ancestors the figures in the windows are usually pointed out to visitors as Peter Van Block, who came to this country in such and such a year, or our ancestor Reginald Sloane. So, who came over in the Mayflower, etc.

"But I was going to tell you about the funny order that floated in the other day. It came from a man who has made a fortune in patent medicines and whose portrait is printed on every bottle. He is as familiar to the public as are the big-typed advertisements of his patent cure-all. We furnished his house for him, not long ago, and as he gave us full sway it is a very decent looking house if I do say it. One feature of the furnishings was his own idea, however, and we humored him and, of course, charged him for it. He insisted upon having his monogram woven into the doormats in large red and blue letters. He was satisfied with the house and it seemed about complete to us. But a few days ago came the order to have a 'portrait rug' woven for him, the portrait, if you please, to be his own! He is not a handsome man, and he is not picturesque, so we 'hedged.' We asked if he meant to have the portrait taken in fancy dress. He said no; he would wear his ordinary turn-down collar and white necktie and his everyday pompadour coiffure.

"Then the art manager of the rug and carpet department took the law into his own hands and said the order could not be carried out. No portrait rugs could be made for at least six months—the artist usually intrusted with such delicate work being on a vacation in Australia. The patent medicine man was displeased and much disappointed in us. I'm afraid, but we must encourage the beautiful and keep down the commonplace in order to live up to our reputation."—N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.

MAN-EATING SHARKS.

A Pacific Mail Steamship Captain Gives a Description of the Monster.

"If Clark Russell or Robert Louis Stevenson had, in one of their sea romances, described the wrecking of a ship, the upsetting of life rafts by shoals of ravenous sharks, and the devouring of 45 of the crew, they would have, indeed, been termed romancers by the public," said a former captain in the Pacific Mail service, "yet this was the unhappy fate of the crew of the British ship Hepuh, wrecked recently in the China seas.

"People here and along the eastern seacoast do not know what sharks are, as compared with the huge and voracious man-eaters of tropical waters. Whenever a good-sized shark is seen off one of the New Jersey coast resorts, it is made a matter of news in the press, and timid people 'won't bathe' in consequence. In the warm waters of the tropical Pacific they flourish to enormous size and, in the harbors, swarm around the Pacific Mail steamers in schools like gigantic minnows. It is actually terrifying to lean over the steamer's rail and watch these bloodthirsty tigers of the sea glide through the still waters, fighting like demons for scraps of ship's refuse thrown overboard by the cooks.

"In the harbor, landlocked and placid, of Acapulco, on the west Mexican coast, they are as thick almost as salmon in the Columbia. The third engineer and a fireman on one of the vessels I commanded were returning to the steamer one afternoon, both a trifle under the influence of stimulants. In some manner they capsized the small boat in which they were rowing, and, before my eyes and those of the crew and passengers on the deck, were sucked down in a whirlpool by the sharks, the straw hat of the engineer alone floating beside the upturned boat to tell the tale of their untimely end. It was a horrifying, pulse-stopping sight. Every sailor on board of Pacific vessels knows that one of the most terrible of deaths awaits him if he falls overboard when the vessel is lying in harbor. In the Atlantic his chances of being saved are good."—Washington Star.

Had Been a Change.

Kansas Man (visiting in the east)—We have lots of near neighbors now.

Friend—Why, I thought your nearest neighbor was 20 miles away.

"Yes; but we've had a cyclone since then."—Harlem Life.

"A Miss is As Good as a Mile."

If you are not entirely well, you are ill. Illness does not mean death's door. It is a sense of weariness, a "tired feeling," a life filled with nameless pains and suffering. In 90% of cases the blood is to blame. Hood's Sarsaparilla is Nature's corrective for disorders of the blood. Remember

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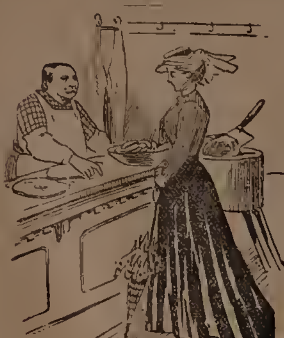
SHE DIDN'T KNOW.



Mrs. Younghusband—I want some lamb.

Butcher — Yes'm. Forequarter of lamb, mam?

Mrs. Younghusband—Well, no; I think three-quarters will be enough.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

How to Brush a Hat.

Some men will buy two or three black derby hats a season, and these will always look rusty and old. Other men will not buy more than one a year, and that will never lose its deep and brilliant gloss. "I'll tell you why it is," said the best dresser in Germantown the other day. "It is because one man brushes his hat with a stiff bristled whisk, and the other rubs his softly with a woollen cloth. The felt of a hat is such a delicate stuff that a stiff whisk applied to it has pretty much the effect that a currycomb or a rake would have on a suit of clothes. It wears the nap off in short order. A piece of woollen cloth, rubbed over a hat with a circular motion that conforms to the grain, doesn't rub off the nap at all but keeps it lustrous and firm and of good color. I buy one two-an'-a-half hat a year, and rub it each morning with a bit of flannel. I guarantee that it outlasts three five-dollar hats that are raked and scraped with whisks every day."—Philadelphia Record.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, }
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FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her, and she writes this marvelous medicine also cured Mr Long of a severe attack of pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and $1 00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason's drug store.

Yarmouth Line's Fall Excursions.

Not to have visited Nova Scotia during September is to have missed one of the most delightful of autumnal tours. During this month the Yarmouth Steamship company will sell excursion tickets, good for thirty days from date of purchase, to all points in Nova Scotia at unusually low rates. You may go to Yarmouth and return for only $7; to Digby and return for $8.50; to Halifax and return for $8.50; and correspondingly low rates to all other places, including south shore ports reached by the steamer City of Monticello from Yarmouth. Yarmouth line steamers leave Pier 1, Lewis wharf, every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 2 p. m. for Yarmouth. Full particulars and tickets at the tourist agencies, 201, 296 and 332 Washington street, or of H. F. Hammond, agent Yarmouth Steamship company, Pier 1, Lewis wharf, Boston.

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Her Experience.

"Have you," he asked, "ever taken a trip through the slums?"

"No," she replied, "but I once walked through a smoking car where the men were spitting on the floor. That was slumming enough for me."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Gratified.

"They say that in time the horse will become practically extinct," said the young woman.

"Well," answered Bronco Bob, "I'm glad to hear it. It'll save a powerful sight o' lynchin's."—Washington Star.

Good Reason.

Grandma—I wouldn't eat that hard apple in that way, Willie.

Willie—I shouldn't think you would, grandma. I wouldn't either if I didn't have no more teeth 'n you got.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Fundamental Principles.

She—Yes, a woman's first duty is to her husband.

He—What's a man's first duty?

She—Why, to become the husband of some nice girl, of course.—Chicago Record.

Cause and Effect.

"I hear the tenor is laid up with a sprained ankle," said the church choir baritone.

"Yes," giggled the soprano, "he slipped up on an organ peal."—Philadelphia Record.

A Stranger in Church.

Struggling Minister—There was a stranger in church to-day.

His Wife—What did he look like?

Struggling Minister—I did not see him, but I found a dollar in the contribution box.—Ohio State Journal.

Gentle Little Hint.

Gerald—What do you think I'm best fitted for?

Geraldine—I think you would make a howling success as an armless wonder.—Town Topics.

A Hard World.

"Friends are always riddy to push ye up," said the janitor philosopher, "but viry few av thim will put a fither bid under ye whin ye fall."—Chicago Daily News.

Different Denominations.

"A man gave over a hundred dollars for a copper cent the other day."

"That's nothing. An English syndicate has just paid $2,000,000 for a woolen mill."—Harlem Life.

So They Do.

"Do people ever have corns anywhere except on their feet?"

"Why, yes; farmers have corn in the ear."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Very Likely.

Fox—Sailors used to believe it was a bad omen to kill an albatross.

De Witt—Yes? No doubt the albatross did too.—N. Y. Journal.

Doubtful Imitation.

"That's imitation coffee you're drinking. Never guessed it, did you?"

"No. I thought it was tea."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Eating and Sleeping.

Food supplies the substance for repairing the wastes of the body and gives strength. Sleep affords the opportunity for these repairs to be made. Both are necessary to health. If you can't eat and sleep, take Hood's Sarsaparilla. It creates a good appetite and tones the digestive organs, and it gives the sweet, restful sleep of childhood. Be sure to get Hood's.

Biliousness is cured by Hood's Pills, 25 cents.

His Request.

Heiress—No, I can never be yours.

Suitor (in desperation)—Then remain engaged to me for one week. I beg of you, so that I may patch up my credit a little.—N. Y. World.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from rectal fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest pile cure on earth and the best salve in the world. 25 cents a box. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co., druggists.

To the Deaf.

A rich lady, cured of her deafness in the head by Dr Nicholson's Artificial Eardrums, gave $10,000 to his institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the ear drums may have them free. Address No 5085C, The Nicholson Institute, 780 Eighth avenue, New York, U.S.A. jl27

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STATEMENT JULY 31, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$571,100 11
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 99
Interest Account		5[illegible]7 15
Real Estate Income Account		[illegible] 19
		$600,700 30

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,719 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 12
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,915 00
" " Mortgages		157,500 00
" " Personal Securities		169,841 18
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Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		34 97
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$7,822 25	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	4,095 58	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		12,001 99
Cash on hand		752 37
		$600,700 30

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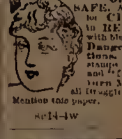

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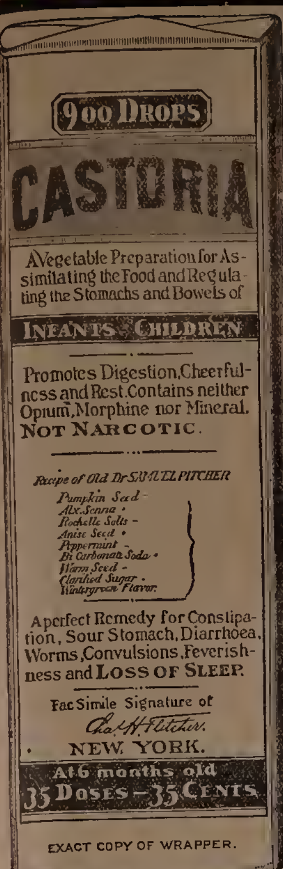

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FOREIGN GOSSIP.

The consumption of cotton per head has more than doubled in Germany since 1875.

The valley of the Amazon still remains almost unexplored. What has been done has been accomplished, in great measure, by Europeans.

Queensland is beng converted into a large orange orchard. The Australian orange ripens at a time when Spain, Italy and California cannot provide the fruit.

The oldest note in the possession of the Bank of England is dated December 19, 1699, for £555. In the bank library is a note for £25 which was not presented for 111 years.

Storms of great severity are common on the Caspian sea, owing to its great size and the fact that its coasts are peculiarly favorable to sudden and violent atmospheric changes.

Malta is one of the most important coaling ports in the Mediterranean, and consequently there are many firms there dealing in coal, of which there is at all times a large stock on hand.

Germany's exportation of ready-made clothing is falling off. In 1898 it amounted to $211,542,000, which was $16,000,000 less than in 1896, and $46,450,000 less than in 1889. The reduction is mainly in shipments to England, Holland and Switzerland.

The maidens of Denmark never experience the pleasure of receiving a diamond engagement ring. They are presented with a plain gold band, which is worn on the third finger of the left hand. On the wedding day the bridegroom changes the ring to the right third finger, which is the marriage finger in that country.

INDIA'S PECULIAR PEOPLE.

This Account Says the Bicycle Has Nearly Emancipated the Parsi Women.

The most peculiar people of India are the Parsis (or "Parsees," meaning "Persians"), who feed their dead to the vultures upon the Towers of Silence. They fled to India from Persia when that land fell into the hands of the Arabs 12 centuries ago. Their men are the first very singular persons the traveler sees on board the ship which takes him to India, their singularity consisting in their long sallow faces and large eyes, their shiny, patent-leather-looking, tubular hats and their long and ugly coats. They are most numerous in Bombay, but one meets them in other cities on "Bombay side," and in Madras and Calcutta on the other shore. They are the richest natives of India, and have made and still make their money in trade.

They are the only Indians who as a body admire and cultivate western progressive ideas, who treat their women fairly well ((according to our ideas), and who permit their widows to marry again. Their first rule of life is to practice benevolence, and no people do this more liberally. They maintain nearly two score charitable institutions in Bombay alone. They are the only people in the world who do not smoke, and this is because they will not trifle with fire, which is sacred in their belief. They never spit, and they will not in any way contaminate the earth or water or defile the trees and flowers. That is why they destroy their dead without burning the bodies.

They have no beggars among them; they are monogamists; they are not caste-ridden (or rotted), like the Hindoos, for they acknowledge but two classes—the priests and the people. They keep New Year day, not only as a religious fete day, but, much as we do, as a day for general visiting. Their women are not imprisoned with their servants or otherwise degraded, but may be met anywhere and everywhere to the same extent as English women in India. So often are these women comely, and so beautifully are they clad—in such soft and exquisitely colored silks—that, as one writer says, "they appear as houris floating about the earth in silk balloons, with a ballasting of anklets, necklaces, earrings and jewelry." It is no more than fair of the Parsi men to let this be as it is, for they are the ugliest men that crawl upon this globe.

An English lady advised me to go and see the rich Parsi young women riding bicycles on the road beside the see at four o'clock of any afternoon. What an idea! The bicycle has so revolutionized young womanhood in England that men who return there after a short absence cannot credit their sense as they note the change in the maidens and their home government. What will it do—or not do—in India? Truly that oddest-looking toy has worked as much of the change in this swift-hooted century as many of our most important inventions. It has proved a steed which leaps the highest hars of prejudice, runs away with the deepest-rooted conventions—even outpaces the plans of women for their own emancipation. I try to fancy what it may do in India, but, after all, it has only a few thousands of Parsis upon whom to work.—Harper's Magazine.

Proof Against Him.

"Why, papa," exclaimed the lovely maiden, "I don't see how you can object to Archibald. He is handsome and brilliant."

"I know that," the gruff old man replied, "but I have no faith in him."

"And he must be very rich, because he told me last night that his taxes for this year were more than $20,000."

"Oho! That settles it. You shan't be his. Now I know that he has no ability as a financier."—Chicago Times-Herald.

A Prize.

Little Wife—See what I have bought you for a birthday present — I got it at an auction — a genuine, antique, old-fashioned boot-jack, such as your colonial ancestors used.

Husband—I haven't worn boots for 20 years.

Little Wife—I know. Won't it look lovely when it's decorated and hung up?—N. Y. Weekly.

Almost One.

"Pa, what's an agnostic?"

"A man who doesn't know."

"Then are you an agnostic, pa?"

"No. Why?"

"'Cause I heard ma saying this morning that you didn't know any more than a pair of old shoes with the strings out."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Bears Them in Mind.

Wiggs—He's very charitable, isn't he?

Waggs—Who, Pincher?

Wiggs—Yes. He says he always remembers the poor.

Waggs—Well, that's all. It's a matter of memory. Philadelphia Catholic Standard.

A Query.

"Come, come!" cried the philosophic mamma dog, who had just chastised one of her puppies. "Can you mend matters by whining in that fashion?"

The puppy continued to whine.

"If not," resumed the mother dog, "whine not?"—Philadelphia Press.

A Serious Case.

Nodd—Is Gilpins really henpecked?

Todd—I should say so. Why, he goes to church with his wife every Sunday.—Town Topics.

One View of Her.

Business Caller (looking at photograph)—This is a picture of Mrs. Peckington, I suppose?

Peckington—Yes; that's her when she is er—getting her picture taken.—Puck.

His Little Joke.

Mrs. Diggs—I wonder if I can get any dye stuff at the corner drug store?

Mr. Diggs—Sure thing. But in order to get the die stuff you'll have to have a prescription from a physician.—Chicago Daily News.

An Assurance.

Voice (from within)—Who is it?

Hans Wursts—Gretchen, I am nobody else. Lock der door open.—Judge.

One Should Be Careful.

Veiled threats often result in an entire mourning costume. Chicago Dispatch.

One View of It.

We always criticise; others find fault.—Philadelphia Times.

After the Catastrophe.

"The cashier confesses that he wrecked the bank."

"And didn't the assistant cashier know anything about what was going on?"

"Certainly! He was assisting the cashier."—Puck.

Mean of Him.

"I peeped into the parlor as I came along the hall," remarked Mr Familiman, "and I saw quite a strange freak of nature."

"Really?" exclaimed Mrs. Familiman. "Edith is there with her young man."

"Yes. I saw two heads on one pair of shoulders."—Philadelphia Press.

In Mitigation.

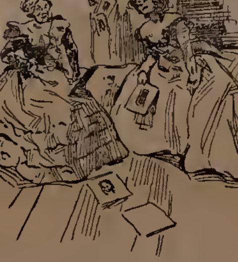
"The complaining witness says you started the quarrel by telling him you would hate to be found dead with such a shirt on as he was wearing."

"So I would, your honor. I'd hate to be found dead any way you could fix it."—Chicago Tribune.

The Useful and the Beautiful.

Oh, merry bird! Your ways almost
Make human life a failure flat.
You cost a dollar served on toast
And twenty on a lady's hat
—Washington Star

FLATTERY WITH A THORN.



"This last photograph of mine is simply atrocious."

"Yes, but an excellent likeness, don't you think, dear?"—The King.

Man's Lost Power.

No wonder that man made his mate
Obey in olden days,
For then the men wore armor plate
That hatpins wouldn't phase.
—Chicago Times-Herald.

After the Honeymoon.

"You argue like an idiot," angrily exclaimed the husband.

"I know it, my dear," calmly replied his better half. "You see, I dont want to take an unfair advantage of you."—Chicago Daily News.

An Unfortunate Case.

Mrs. Bundy—Do you know that when Mrs. Lundy comes to my house I can never find anything to talk about?

Mrs. Grundy—Great heavens! don't you know anyone that she knows?—Town Topics.

Art Distinction.

Fair Amateur—Yes. I painted this. What school of painting would you call it?

Artist (gently)—Boarding school.—N. Y. Weekly.

Theory vs. Fact.

Professor—For anatomical reasons, women cannot stand so long as men.

Young Lady—I guess you never saw a woman having a dress fitted.—N. Y. Weekly.

Not Guilty.

"Do you use tobacco in any form?" asked the bishop of the applicant for work.

"No, sor," replied Pat. "I shmoke storgies."—Town Topics.

Evidently She Failed.

"So she tried to freeze you with a look?"

"Yes; that's what made me so hot."—Chicago Times-Herald.

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Egbert—Isn't he now?

"Oh, no; he's completely turned around."

"What brought about this wonderful change do you suppose?"

"Oh, he owns a little stock in one of the trusts, now."—Yonkers Statesman.

Spring Sounds.

There's a sound in the land like the rub
a-dub-dub
Of the drum when it's calling to war.
But it's only the noise when the dutiful
hub
Is beating out rugs by the score.
—N. Y. World.

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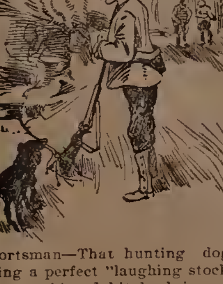

Sportsman—That hunting dog is making a perfect "laughing stock" of me; everything I hit he brings back to me!—N. Y. Journal.

A Spring Song.

Spring is not a feast of blossoms,
Nor of bonnets—on my soul.
Deeper lies its fount of gladness—
Spring is just surcease of coal.
—Chicago Record.

Their Frequent Trips.

"The grand jury must go away frequently," said Mrs. Gaswell to her husband.

"Go away?" repeated Mr. Gaswell. "What do you mean?"

"I often see in the papers a headline which reads: 'Grand Jury Returns.'"—Pittsburgh Chronicle.

Not in a Hurry.

Tramp—Kind lady, kin yer help a pore man wot's lost his wife?

Mrs. Kindheart—Oh, isn't that too bad! Here is some pie that I made myself.

Tramp—T'anks, lady. I ain't anxious ter join me wife jest yet.—N. Y. Journal.

Effect of Travel.

"I suppose your daughter acquired a great deal of manner from her foreign experiences?"

"Oh, no; she lost all her manners and brought home a lot of airs."—Chicago Record.

Story of a Slave.

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Gratitude.

Aunt—I have, my dear boy, formally made you my heir.

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A Worked-Out Mine.

"I am the gas meter inspector," announced the caller.

"Come in," replied the man of the house, "but I don't think you'll find much left. The plumber has just left, and we were visited by burglars during the night."—Philadelphia North American.

A Vivid Idea.

The Preacher—The human mind can form no adequate idea of hell.

The Plodder—Can't, eh? Well, you just let your wife drag you into one of these department stores for a shopping tour.—Kansas City Independent.

Honeymoon Discoveries.

"Daughter, is your husband amiable?"

"Well, ma, he's just exactly like pa; when he gets his own way about everything he's just lovely."—Detroit Free Press.

Love of Change.

Milliner—That hat will last you several seasons, Miss Flyhigh.

Miss Flyhigh—Oh, I don't want that kind of a hat; show me one that won't be fit to seen in about four weeks.—Chicago Record.

No Dainty Morsel.

Tramp (to hired girl)—Could I get a bite here?

Hired Girl—No; we ain't got anything on the place that would bite such a looking object as you are.—Harlem Life.

Unendurable.

Mrs. Buggins—Why did you move in from the country? Did you find it too lonesome?

Mrs. Muggins — Yes; there wasn't even anybody to inquire how much we paid our cook.—Philadelphia Record.

Sartorial Sapiency.

Bobbs—Clothes do not make the man.

Dobbs—No; but many a lawyer has been made by a good suit.—Baltimore American.

What He Preferred.

"Do you take sugar in your coffee?" asked Mrs. Small of the star boarder.

"No, ma'am," replied the latter; "but I would like some coffee in it."—Harlem Life.

Perils of the Sea.

"Yes," said the lady who had been shipwrecked, "we suffered terrible hardships. We drifted for two weeks in an open boat and I lost my pocket mirror the first day."—N. Y. Journal.

Easy to Get Along With.

Yeast—Is your wife hard to manage?

Crimsonbeak—No; not if I let her have her own way.—Yonkers Statesman.

Still Relaying.

"What's become of that fellow who used to ride in the relay races?"

"He's putting down old carpets."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

EASE AND DISEASE.

A Short Lesson on the Meaning of a Familiar Word.

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WRENTHAM.

PHILBRICK—COOK

Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the Congregational church at Wrentham, Miss Amelia Bughee Cook was married to Joseph Matthew Philbrick of New York. The officiating clergyman was Rev. William B. Allis of Plymouth church of Brooklyn, assisted by the pastor of the Congregational church, Rev. William J. Minchin. The church was handsomely decorated. The bride came in on the arm of her brother, Daniel A. Cook, of Boston, who gave her away. She was handsomely attired in white silk and point lace, wearing a veil fastened with lilies of the valley and carried the same flower She was attended by Miss Florence A Fisher, who wore white organdie over white silk and carried pink roses. There were no bridesmaids. The best man was William Alden Paull of Cambridge, cousin of the groom. The ushers were George B Chadwick of Taunton, Frederic P. Fisher of Boston, George W. Gilmore and D. S Farrington of Wrentham, Horace F Pomeroy of New York and Edmund B. Haynes of Andover.

Following the wedding ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride. The house was a bower of loveliness and the grounds were decorated with oak boughs and golden rod The presents were magnificent, including a silver coffee service, tea service and a wealth of cut glass and fine china, together with an elegant lot of silver. A handsome vase was the gift of George Fred W[illegible]ms. Mr. Philbrick is a very able young man, a former resident of Taunton, who was a member of the common council and board of aldermen for several years he also represented his city in the legislature, where he has many friends Mr and Mrs. Philbrick will be at home to their friends the first Tuesday in November at 244 West 138th street, New York city.

Judging by the [illegible].

It's [illegible] to [illegible] by the umbrella he carries un[illegible] find out wh[illegible] Chicago [illegible] News.

Church Services.

Universalist church.—Rev Dwight M. Hodge, D.D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "What the World is Waiting For" Y. P. C. U at 6.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 4 Sunday school at 3. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10 Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, Ph. D; theme, "1 Timothy, ii., 5." Sunday school at 12 Y. P. S C E. at 6 30 Evening service at 7.30; subject of pastor's talk, "The Message of Two Strangers."

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 and 7.30 by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook; morning subject, "Crucified with Christ;" evening subject, "Saving the Lost." Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 3. Epworth league at 6 30; subject, "The Broad Way—The Narrow Way;" leader, Miss T Desire Lewis.

Facts in the Case.

Timkins—But is your income sufficient to justify you in marrying?

Simkins—I'm afraid not.

"Then what reason have you for taking such a step?"

"I have no reason at all. I'm in love."

—Chicago Evening News

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending September 12, 1900.

Ladies—Miss J. F Closson, Mrs. E. P. Hayward, Miss Nellie McKenna, Miss Ada R. Mosar, Mrs Margaret E. Moon, Mrs. Ellen Ryan, Mrs Hugh Smith

Gentlemen—F. B Brightman, George Chaplin, J. Maker, Percy Wildman, H. L. White.

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A Guilty Conscience.

'Rastus—Whad yo' t'ink is de mattah wif me, doctah?

Doctor—Oh, nothing but chicken-pox, I guess.

'Rastus (getting nervous)—I 'clare on mah honah, doctah, I hain't bin nowhar I could ketch dat!—Judge.

Warned.

"I may be a tramp," said Waggles, "but under my ragged coat there is a heart that beats."

"Stranger," said the farmer, "under the fence yonder is a dog that bites."—Philadelphia North American.

Strange, Indeed.

McJigger—That's a funny thing

Thingumbob—What is?

"Miss Passey was an old maid before she married, and now that her husband is dead she has become a young widow."—Philadelphia Record.

Not Always Redcoats.

The British soldier has not always worn a red uniform. White was the prevailing color under Henry VIII., and dark green or russet in the time of Elizabeth.—N. Y. Sun.

Florida and the South.

The Southern railway, with its perfect service, is now handling a very large business for parties destined south and southwest The system operates through sleeping car service from New York to Atlanta, Montgomery, Mobile, New Orleans, Chattanooga, Birmingham, Meridian, Memphis, Nashville, Columbia, Augusta, Savannah, Jacksonville and Tampa; also Pullman tourist sleeping cars from Washington to San Francisco. Dining car service on all through trains. For information regarding the south and its resorts apply to George C. Daniels, N E. P. A, 288 Washington street, Boston.

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REPORT of the condition of the FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK, at Franklin, in the state of Massachusetts, at the close of business, Sept. 5, 1900

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts		$316,943 84
U. S Bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc		48,000 00
Due from National banks not reserve agents		46,615 79
Due from approved reserve agents		14,875 04
Checks and other cash items		127 20
Notes of other National banks		5,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		85 75
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$9,400 00	
Legal tender notes	20,602 00—	30,002 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		5,000 00
Total		$566,649 62

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$200,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	47,986 18
National bank notes outstanding	99,400 00
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	5,025 42
Dividends unpaid	2,214 00
Individual deposits subject to check	161,143 10
Certified checks	750 00
Exchange account	130 92
Total	$566,649 62

State of Massachusetts, county of Norfolk, ss:

I, F. H. Bartholomew, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. H. BARTHOLOMEW, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of September, 1900

ORESTES T. DOE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest

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Contempt.

Two young lawyers were debating in Judge Frazer's part of the Wayne circuit court, and a German witness was on the stand.

"I don't kind understan' gut Anglish," said the witness.

"There is no danger of hearing any," said Judge Frazer.

"It must be that your honor is about to make a speech," put in one of the attorneys and he escaped without a fine for contempt.—Detroit Free Press.

When It Failed.

"Was your Don't Worry club successful?"

"Yes, indeed—that is, up to a certain point."

"What do you mean by that?"

"Why, it was all right so long as all we had to do was to refrain from worrying about other people's troubles, but after awhile we got to some of our own, and that was different, don't you know."—Chicago Post.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Richard H. Dimond, late of Wrentham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by John H. Dimond of Wrentham, who prays that letters of administration with the will annexed may be issued to him, or some other suitable person, the executor named in said will having declined to serve,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the nineteenth day of September, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this twenty-ninth day of August, in the year nineteen hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
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Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 00 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m. and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Our Boys defeated the Haywards on Saturday, 18 to 10.

Charles A. R. Ray returned to Brown university yesterday.

James Hood of East street will begin his freshman year at Tuft's college this week.

Many of the wells around town have gone dry, owing to the continued dry weather.

C. Peter Kimball of Cohassett was in town Friday looking after his real estate interests here.

D. W. Fisher left last night for New York and from there to Philadelphia on a business trip.

Miss Eva Spence is reported critically ill with typhoid fever at the home of her father on Summer street.

Charles J. McDermott has resigned his position as assistant superintendent at the Colonial rubber works.

A grocery store has been opened by Sebastian Mucciarone in the room beneath the SENTINEL office.

Ex-Postmaster M. F. Conroy began work today in the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad ticket office at Milford.

Wesley Fiske has been assisting at the Fairfield lunch wagon during the absence of the regular attendant.

The academy students again add life to the town. Some have been seen here before and others are new to the town.

The American band orchestra will furnish music for dancing at Hoag Lake tonight and Thursday and Saturday evenings.

Capt. Richard, a man of advanced years and a familiar figure in Franklin about ten years ago, is visiting old friends in town.

George E. Croissant has returned to his duties as ticket agent at the station here, after an extended vacation in New York state.

Roadmaster Savage left today to attend the roadmasters' convention held in Saratoga. He will visit in Binghampton, N. Y., before his return.

The Franklin House has been reopened for guests with Duncan B. Ford as manager. Proprietor Briggs, who is at Onset, will return about Oct. 1st.

Saturday evening a theatre car was run from Woonsocket for all those who attended the production of "Faust" at the Woonsocket opera house.

One of our townsmen, who is, by the way, a connoisseur of Belgian hares, has been out of town the past few days looking up some blue ribbon stock.

A large number of Franklin young people attended the benefit dance given in Medway last Friday night, by the Foresters in aid of Dudley Durant.

Mrs. Nellie Martin of School street and Miss Bessie Britain of Milliken avenue have returned home from a two weeks' vacation spent at Springfield.

Harry L. Howard, the popular and obliging clerk of the district court of western Norfolk, has just been admitted to the bar in Norfolk county. His home is in Walpole.

The Foresters will have as guests tomorrow evening a delegation from Sarsfield court of North Attleboro. An entertainment will be provided and a collation spread.

Rev. J. P. Chadbourne has returned to Franklin, where he will remain until Oct. 1, when he enters upon a contract with a publishing company, travelling through the West.

The remains of Mrs. Zoy Vanelette, who died of cerebral apoplexy at her late home on Central street last Friday at the age of 63 years, were taken to Millbury for interment on Saturday.

Arrangements are under consideration for holding a teachers' convention here some time in October. It is about six years since the board of education has furnished an intellectual treat of the kind for Franklinites.

The damage to the apple crop by the blow Wednesday was large, as hundreds of bushels of partially ripe fruit was shaken from the limbs. The abundance will probably create a boom in the cider making industry and create a large demand for casks of the right kind for the product.

Hubbard M. Bullock died at his home Monday noon after an extended illness. The funeral services will be held at the house Thursday forenoon at 10 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Cook officiating. A sketch and portrait will appear in the SENTINEL on Friday.

The first round in the ladies' tournament for the A. Blakeley Smith prize will be played off on the links of the Franklin Country club on Saturday forenoon. The second round of the gentlemen's contest will take place in the afternoon.

Thirty-one years ago Thursday, according to a local historian, the great September blow was on hand, when there was much destruction of property. It only lasted a short time and was accompanied with rain, therefore the blow of 1900 was a day ahead as an annual.

Major J. H. Chadwick, president of the Lead trust and trustee of Boston university, together with R H. Husted, treasurer and also trustee of the same institution, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Fletcher yesterday. Dr. Fletcher is a confrere of these gentlemen upon the board of trustees.

Jacob F. Gebb has purchased of Mrs. Morse-Russell the Morse house on Union street, and will have it altered and painted and papered for a home himself. It is at present occupied by F. P. Bly, who will remove within a few days. It is a valuable property, and will make Mr. Geb a fine residence.

They say that the old Cataract engine worked beautifully at the Unionville fire Wednesday afternoon. The carpenters, the plumbers and the painters were near at hand to help man the brakes, and the machine responded at once with a full stream of water. Her long rest in the engine house had not stiffened her joints.

Attorney J. J. Feeley of Walpole, who is well known here, is organizing a street railway corporation to construct a line from Holliston to Natick via Sherborn. Mr. Feeley is the principal stockholder, being pledged to take 371 of the 500 shares. He is one of the prominent men operating the line from Dedham to Franklin.

The school committee have recently put a commercial telephone into the Horace Mann building and will shortly connect the William Thayer, the Nason street and the High school by a private line, which will be of especial service to Principal Daniels in communicating with his teachers. It will be money wisely expended.

Franklin voters will this year have an opportunity to vote for a county commissioner, register of deeds and county treasurer, each for the three years. The term of James Hewins of Medfield as county commissioner expires, and the other two offices are filled by John H. Burdakin of Dedham and Charles H. Smith of Dedham.

A new invention in the line of ladies' felt hats is having them made of narrow pieces of the material sewed together in the way that braid hats are made, instead of being pressed out of a single piece. They are somewhat heavier than the ordinary felt hat, and as they are a novelty, of course the ladies must have them for a change.

The busy season will open earlier to the man who doesn't neglect his advertising during the dull months, and the man who doesn't have any need of advertising will probably awaken some day to the realizing sense that there are many things he does need. No wide-awake business man wants to be quoted as saying that advertising doesn't pay.

The registrars of voters held their preliminary meeting to revise the voting list last week. There were only 770 names, though it is probable that a good number of additions will be made before the close of registration. As the list now stands the number of voters is as small as at any time during the past few years. It was 1,015 at the close of registration in 1896.

The next rehearsal for the "Pied Piper of Hamelin" will be tomorrow evening. A full attendance is very necessary. All who have thus far rendered their services have taken hold wonderfully, and with a full attendance at the next rehearsal great progress can be made. It is hoped to be ready for the stage by October 11. It is a good thing. Come and help it along.

The Republican voters of Franklin will meet in caucus at Town Hall, Tuesday evening, Sept. 25 at 7.30 to choose three delegates each to Republican state, congressional, councillor, county and senatorial conventions and four delegates to the representative convention of 1900, to elect a town committee for 1901, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the caucus.

Dr. E. C. Abbott was excused by His Honor after serving a few days at the Dedham court. The doctor was made foreman of the juries upon which he served, and enjoyed the experience exceedingly. He says that had he known how valuable an experience was to be gained by jury service he would have endeavored to have arranged his business so it would have have been possible to have remained. The man who refuses to serve is the loser.

The home of Arthur Currie, a student at Dean academy, is at Galveston, Texas, and when the news came of the terrible hurricane there he telegraphed to Galveston inquiring as to the safety of his parents. Receiving no reply to a second and third telegram, he became alarmed and decided to leave for home. Mr. Currie departed on Thursday, and shortly after leaving a telegram came to the academy from the student's parents at Galveston announcing their safety.

Dr. Austin B. Fletcher is preparing a bill for introduction into the legislature which provides that the trust funds of cemetery associations may be deposited with the state treasurer at an annual interest, the same as paid on state bonds. In this way the funds of such associations would be invested in a safe way as long as the state government was alive and all liability to poor investments avoided. So far as the associations are concerned, the idea seems to be an excellent one.

Judge H. E. Ruggles left Saturday to attend the seventy-sixth annual services of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., held in Richmond, Va., September 17 to 22. He will visit Washington, D. C., Old Point Comfort, Harper's Ferry, Antietam and Gettysburg before he returns. The headquarters will be at Jefferson hotel and the sessions will be in Convention hall, on the roof of the building. Judge Ruggles goes as grand representative in the suite of Grand Sire Alfred S. Pinkerton of Worcester, a distinguished honor.

The present indications are that electric railways will soon be so numerous in Massachusetts that no town of respectable size and average population will be left out in the cold. Already it is impossible to walk ten miles toward any point of the compass without tripping over an electric line or over a franchise for a line; the entire community is on the move, and every man, woman and child is ready to invest a couple of nickels for the chance to enjoy a fresh, cool breeze and a refreshing ride to an adjoining town.—Exchange.

The Barrington Courier hopes that in devotion to the modern expanded system of education, the teachers will not forget that readin', 'ritin' and 'rithmetic are important studies, and spelling likewise. Good English is too much at a discount in our modern school methods. Not one high school graduate in fifteen is half the adept in using English that he or she should have been before leaving the grammar department. And there are even common school teachers, and now and then a high school principal or headmaster, whose English is just as faulty.

Candidates for office in Franklin would have an easy time if there were more men who could "deliver the goods," like the one following. "Dear Sir and Fren—Herein that you wur in the Raice fer offie I want to know if you would caire for the voat of my Settlement. As I goes, so goes that Voat. The Settlement Swairs by me, an what I telle 'em to do they does. It is a white and cullored voat mixed, but it is au inteller-gent voat, if I does say it Myself. It is a voat that kin read, rite and count. If you wants that voat, let me know. If you don't want that voat, I know who does."

Tomorrow evening Manager Partridge will have for an attraction at Morse opera house "Peck's Bad Boy." Of all old friends none are more welcome than "Peck's Bad Boy." This good-natured lad and his mischievous pranks will always hold a warm place in the hearts of the old and young. For years he has amused and entertained the American public, and he now comes as full of merriment as ever. A bright galaxy of specialty artists adds to the general excellence of the performance, and nothing but the highest praise is heralded all along the route, and crowded houses testify to the increasing popularity of 'Peck's Bad Boy."

New Quarters.

The telephone exchange is shortly to be removed into more commodious quarters, an all-night service is to be arranged and a lineman will be kept here continually to attend to any difficulties that may arise.

Since the installation of the exchange here it has been in Mason's drug store, but with the advent of new subscribers the management decided upon having the office in a room by itself, and accordingly two rooms have been secured in the Fletcher block, upstairs, in the rear of the Norfolk woolen company's office. A new cable is to be put in from the office to Emmons street and also Central, and it is believed that this cable will result in better service.

Having a lineman here will also please patrons better, thus doing away with exasperating delays incident to getting a repairer over from Milford when a line gets out of repair. The all night service will be thoroughly appreciated, as it will give those having telephone access at night to physicians, the electric light station in case of fires, to neighbors, etc., and really makes an instrument of appreciable value. This new movement can hardly fail to result in the introduction of more telephones in town, as well as better satisfaction on the part of those already using them.

The new manager, D. S. Small, has been looking the field over very carefully since taking charge, and promises that Franklin exchange shall have every possible attention shown in order to make it a success. He is a very pleasant gentleman to meet, and will see to it that his patrons are satisfied if the thing is possible. He is an experienced telephone man, and will give this exchange especial attention.

Continue Their Success.

The Franklin Country club entertained the Cumberland Country club of Woonsocket on Saturday afternoon, providing a friendly contest at golf of interest and pleasure. The Franklin members gave a good account of themselves and defeated their opponents handsomely, notwithstanding the visitors numbered some crack players. A return game will be played later, when the Woonsocket players will endeavor to reverse the score. The Franklin club entertained its guests in a hospitable manner, and they all affirmed that, though beaten, they had enjoyed the visit thoroughly. The wives of nearly all the members of the Cumberland club were present. Among the lady guests were Mrs. Cass, Mrs. Simson, Mrs. G. Carr, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Cole, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. White, Mrs. Boyden, Miss Edwards and Miss Cole.

FRANKLIN.	Up.	WOONSOCKET.	Up.
E. H. Rathbun	10	J. W. Cass	0
L. W. Arnold	3	John Simson	0
G. F. Willett	0	G. A. Carr	0
W. C. Sherman	4	T. V. Carr	0
Chas. A. R. Ray	1	W. A. Robinson	0
J. P. Bassett	5	D. M. Edwards	0
Chas. F. Nye	0	C. E. Thomas	4
Fred P. Chapman	1	Fred P. Cole	0
P. A. Woodward	1	S. G. Smith	0
A. B. Palmer	2	A. F. White	0
Carl Emerson	0	J. R. Boyden	1
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A Good Start.

A number of people interested in organizing an active Y. M. C. A. in town met on Saturday evening, and made plans to provide a reading room and make it an attractive place; to maintain a weekly bible class for the young men on Saturday evening, a 9 o'clock prayer service Sunday morning and a service Sunday afternoon with music and address; gymnasium classes; two or three educational classes; a personal workers' band, etc. A number of available rooms were considered, and officers will be selected at the meeting tomorrow evening. Further plans will be considered, raising of funds, securing equipment, etc. Everyone present felt the need of some such organization, and all interested are invited to come to Metcalf's block on Wednesday evening to discuss the movement further.

No trespass notices are seen in many fields, but in many cases they do not serve to keep trespassers off. In such cases one or two arrests would have a wholesome influence. There are people who have no regard for trespass signs or anything else, and a dose of law is the only thing that will bring them to their senses. One farmer who has recently posted trespass notices says he cares not how much hunting and fishing there is done on his premises, but he seriously objects to having his fences and stone walls torn down by the trespassers, and he does not like the idea of having his cattle killed by hunter's dogs. He has recently had two head of cattle killed by dogs. One of the dogs got within range of his gun and will do no more mischief.

Registrars' Notice.

The board of registrars announces that it will be in session on Wednesday evening, Sept. 19, and on several evenings in October. Those who intend to vote at the caucuses in September, and whose names are not already on the list, should present themselves before the registrars at the meeting next Wednesday evening with a certificate from the board of assessors or a tax bill showing they have been assessed a poll tax or a resident of the town on the first day of May, 1900.

It Is Said

That business will be quiet till after election.

That telephones ought to be cheaper and more of them.

That the electric cars have had a remarkably profitable summer.

That if we managed the rain we should have spread it over a trifle more time.

That the voters are wondering who is to be the political "boss" of the town.

That there is less evidence of liquor about the streets than before the raid.

That our farmers will have only a half crop of apples, but will get double price.

That the electric road to Foxboro ought to be running next spring by some company.

That the town ought to own the lot adjoining the town house for a future possibility.

That no one will regret the money spent upon the cemetery when the work is finished.

That the liquor officer has one more card up his sleeve that is also considered a trump.

That Franklin has many things to be thankful for, considering the condition two years ago.

That coal is going to be high this winter and the barons will get the increase, not the miners.

That if times are good a number of new moderate-priced houses are going up in the spring.

That a man's conscience and not his party ought to control his vote in the coming election.

That the gold democrats in town are remarkably quiet this year, and may vote either way.

That it would be well for our officers to keep an eye on the young men's club rooms this winter.

That those who say a good deal of liquor is being sold will not aid you to detect the offenders.

That a number of automobiles will be seen upon our streets next season and one lady will have one.

That the new postmaster and his assistants are genuine servants of the public and no one is "kicking."

That the ranks of prominent Franklin men have been sadly decimated the past few years, and who will take their places?

That McKinley managers promise a full dinner pail and Bryanites swear to down the trusts. Neither will entirely keep their promises.

That the running time between here and Woonsocket ought to be very much shortened, especially when the hourly schedule goes into effect.

That our district court is a well-managed institution and Judge Doe and his associate, Judge Ruggles, dispense impartial justice, and the county is the gainer.

SAGE T.

Our Solons Grapple with Vital Questions.

At the selectmen's meeting Friday evening, Walter E. Cook was drawn as a juryman for the October civil term at Dedham. C. W. Pond of the Wrentham selectmen was present and stated that the work of the street railway company in Wrentham was very unsatisfactory in the way entrances to many private residences were left, and that the town proposed to take the necessary steps to have a remedy applied, and Franklin was invited to join in the move if so inclined and had cause. The notice of Annie M. Hawes of claim for damage on account of injury while getting off a Medway car nearly opposite the residence of Eugene F. Ware on Main street on August 31 was informally considered by the board and Assistant Supt. Savage of the railway company. It is alleged that Mrs. Hawes and a friend had been to Medway, and when the car stopped the conductor asked them to get off the car on the west side of the track, and that the friend did so, while Mrs. H. alighted on the east side. J. B. McKinnon, chief engineer of the fire department, asked the sanction of the selectmen to the plan of building a hose house near Nason's crossing, and the plan was favorably considered by the board. Cemetery improvement and several minor matters were talked over. A. B. Fletcher of the cemetery association and Mr. McCarthy of the selectmen discussed the details of the work at some length. At 10 p. m. the board adjourned for two weeks.

Pianos Tuned.

I shall be in Franklin during the second week in October to care for my pianos and to attend to new ones. Orders may be left at the SENTINEL office.

J. W. WALKER.

These are fish days. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fishman.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse.

Two chairs at Ochee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser in attendance. Short waits.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

MR. EDITOR:—There has been so much talk about the canteen system in the army and its "good" results that I wish you would publish the following letter, which covers the point exactly. It is a letter from an officer in the army to his mother. He writes:

"I am surprised to be informed by the papers what a means of elevation it is to the soldiers. To me it means a demoralizing establishment. It is a place where men learn to drink—men who have never been regular drinkers—a place where those confirmed in the habit of guzzling can tighten the bonds of their slavery.

"I have had no knowledge of those 'pure' canteens that have broken up the outlying dives and doggeries which this moral institution is recommended for, having seen canteens rather that encouraged wastefulness, drowsiness and beastiality.

"The endless trouble that intoxication causes in army administration is an argument most convincing for a coming policy of demanding total abstinence from our soldiers. The change in the class of men that we now enlist and the intolerance of the man that is frequently seen drunk is the cause of the improvement in the tone of the army—not the establishment of drinking places; a still more rigorous attitude towards this destructive vice should follow.

I have eighty men in my battery at present and I cannot imagine that one of them would be benefited by opening one of the vice "eradicators" here, and I should be ashamed to tell them that I hoped they would come to it and drink for their own good and for the sake of a dividend for their mess fund. We have an exchange here, but sell for drink only soda water, and even that is not entirely satisfactory to me. I do not like to see men spending dollars every month for drinks of any kind when water is accessible and would be much better for them."

D.

Hoag Lake Attraction This Week.

Included in Boom's Manhattan Vaudevilles at Hoag Lake this week are the Carrolls, who give a true representation of the Southern darkey, introducing songs and dances and their trick mule, Pete; Rube Hilton, one of the most daring trick bicycle performers in the business; Steve Hoyt, a comedy acrobat, and Lou Wells, a musical comedian.

The management have taken precautions to provide for the comfort of their patrons at the theatre on these chilly nights and have purchased about 500 yards of extra heavy canvas, which will be used to cover the openings in the side of the building. This will keep out the chilly air and make the hall comfortable for those who attend. The theatre will be kept open until Oct. 1.

"Peck's Bad Boy"

Will be the attraction at Morse Opera house tomorrow evening. There is probably no farce comedy on the road that has lasted so long and given such general satisfaction to the fun loving public as that funny play, "Peck's Bad Boy." This year the piece has been rewritten and brought up to date with new scenery, new costumes, catchy music, graceful dancers, quartets, duets, choruses, medleys, etc. The cast this year is stronger than ever and contains many old and new favorites.

An Explanation.

A misunderstanding seems to exist in this community as to the terms upon which the real estate in Pondville was presented to the King's Daughters and Sons of Norfolk county for a home for the aged of the county. It has been thought by some that Mr. Pond had made a stipulation that the property should revert to the original owner after the lapse of fifty years. This is a mistake. He presented the property for the purposes designated with the understanding that it be used as a home for the aged of Norfolk county for a term of fifty years, after which it is free from all incumbrances. The property was given outright to the organizations in consideration of one dollar, this latter provision being a legal necessity.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Trash wood, ready out for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

To Rent.—A desirable tenement of six rooms; $12 per month. Inquire of O. T. Doe. 14-tf

Wanted.—A girl to do general housework. Apply to G. H. Grant, School street. 18-tf

For Sale—Coal of all kinds and prices right. A. M. Haggart, Central street, near the bridge. 17Ttf

A competent girl can obtain a good situation doing housework by addressing "E," SENTINEL office. 18

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. MCKINNON, Agent.

Round-trip Boston tickets can be had at $1.05, (less than the five-trip rate), of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office. Also round-trip Providence and Milford tickets at a saving of 12c from regular fare. Mileage books to let.

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2 in..	1 75	2 25	2 75	3 25	4 50	5 75	10 00	16 00
3 in..	2 50	3 00	3 50	4 00	6 00	8 00	14 00	22 00
4 in..	3 25	4 00	4 75	5 50	8 00	10 50	16 00	28 00
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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1900.

RIVAL CANDIDATES.

The time for personal attacks in a congressional campaign in this state where the candidates are honorable men, such as Mr. Powers is known to be, [illegible] We firmly believe that Mr Williams and his friends are making a serious mistake, both for themselves and the party, in making the attacks upon the good name and standing of Mr. Powers. The people will not believe that the Republicans of Newton, with its intelligent and high citizenship, would unanimously endorse Mr. Powers for congress were he other than a pure and high-minded man. Personal abuse of a rival candidate is not good policy and is sure to react. We believe Mr. Powers' canvass is growing in strength daily by his dignified manner and words and that he will be the next congressman from this district. He is able, a fine orator, genial in his manner and a thorough gentleman, fitted in every way to make a congressman that will honor our district.—Milford Journal.

Almost all foreign cheese whose consumption warrants the establishment of the plant to make them are now successfully imitated in this country and Canada. Tons of so-called Cheddar, Stilton and double Gloucestershire are exported from the provinces and the United States to Great Britain, where they are sold undetected as the native product. Neufchatel, Gruyere, Gorgonzola and other Swiss and Italian cheese are made here by natives of those countries in such close imitation of the originals that the difference is not noticeable.

A clerical organ of Chili declares that the Chilians sympathize with the Boers, because they hate the United States. "Chili," it says, "has never been bullied or brow-beaten by England, but the treatment she received at the hands of the United States in 1883 and 1891 cannot easily be forgotten, and it is not strange that a feeling should be abroad that the great powers of late years have been coming to feel contempt for the weaker countries, which exposes these small powers to humiliation, and even to oppression."

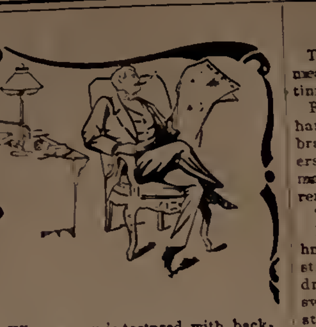
Very young lambs are as like as peas in a pod to everything, except the noses of their mothers, says an agricultural authority. A hundred ewes at pasture, with lambs of the same size, will make no mistake about their children—that is, if the children have once been accepted as their own. Sometimes it happens that for no visible reason a ewe rejects her lamb and cannot be induced to own it. If she has twins she may own one and reject the other.

Sportsmen's shows are a growing attraction throughout the country. One just held in Boston has been highly successful, and another is announced in New York. At Boston there was an extensive Indian village with representatives of a dozen tribes, collections of wild animals, a display of conveniences for camp life and 12 tanks of living fish, one containing lake trout, which not only survived transportation but were in a lively condition.

The new building of a New York cremation company was opened Monday night with an entertainment in the apartments which will be used as chapel. The exercises began with prayer, followed by singing, recitations and performances on the banjo, mandolin and xylophone. Then came a lecture on liquid air and a collation was served before the audience dispersed.

In a vaccination case the supreme court of Indiana has decided that the matter of protection to the public health comes within the police power of the state.

An industrial exchange informs us that [illegible],000 bushels of potatoes will be ground in Wisconsin starch factories this year.



When a man is tortured with backache or lame back he doesn't want to experiment with new and untried remedies.

He realizes that the backache is kidney ache.

The lame back virtually means lame kidneys, and he knows that there's very serious trouble in store if he doesn't get his kidneys to do their duty. In his trouble he naturally turns to

Doan's Kidney Pills

Others all around him have been cured of kidney complaint by this wonderful little remedy. He has the testimony of others to guide him. He KNOWS that Doan's Kidney Pills WILL cure, no matter what form of kidney complaint he may have.

He learns this by reading emphatic evidence like the following:

Mr. H. J. Woodbury, carpenter, of 77 South Chestnut street, Augusta, Me., says:

"I was interviewed in the spring of 1896 by a gentleman who asked me for my experience with and opinions of Doan's Kidney Pills. I told him that I had been greatly annoyed by the action of my Kidneys, that the slightest cold always settled there and produced intense suffering, and that Doan's Kidney Pills had cured me. It is now two years and a half since I was first interviewed, and I can conscientiously say, the longer and more fully you know Doan's Kidney Pills the greater faith you have in them. Everyone, as far as I have heard, speaks in the highest terms of their great value."

Doan's Kidney Pills are for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N.Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

THE LARGEST AFLOAT.

Col. Drexel's New Yacht to Be the Finest Private Ship Ever Built.

Col. A. J. Drexel, of Philadelphia, now enjoys the distinction of owning the largest steam yacht afloat, as the Margarita was successfully launched upon the Clyde. Over a year ago Mr. Drexel commissioned G. L. Watson, the famous British naval architect, to design a yacht for him that would be as nearly perfect as human ingenuity, aided by unlimited freedom as to cost, would accomplish. Expense was nothing to Mr. Drexel so long as the Margarita, when completed, would prove to be the handsomest, most complete as to appointments, largest and safest pleasure vessel afloat.

Mr. Watson did not slight his opportunity. The Margarita's length over all is 323 feet; her load water line length, 272; beam, 36 feet 9 inches; draught, 16 feet 8 inches. A crew of 68 men will be employed on the yacht, which has a continuous double bottom, and will be fitted with Scotch boilers and triple expansion engines. She will have a coal capacity of 550 tons and an indicated horse power of 5,[illegible], the same as that of the White Star liner Britannic.

Her internal arrangements are so designed that every inch of space is utilized to the best advantage. The drawing-room, extending the full width of the ship, will be furnished in the style of Louis XV, the library in empire and the dining-room in Chippendale. The contract calls for a speed of 17 knots over an 80-knot trial course.

LEAKED DIMES AND NICKELS.

A Butte (Mont.) Man's Trunk Creates a Sensation in St. Louis Depot.

A trunk belonging to Charles Lenz, of Butte City, Mont., bulged open the other morning in the Union station baggage room at St. Louis and leaked dimes and nickels. Lenz, who was boarding a train for Vandalia, Ill., was told of the mishap. "That's all right," he said. "Never mind the money; I've got to catch this train to see mother before starting for Cape Nome." Meanwhile John R. Bentley, general baggage agent for the Pennsylvania lines, guarded the trunk and had it placed in the car.

"You see," said Lenz, "I don't care about that trunk. It's full, of course, but the contents are only nickels and dimes. I'm interested in Montana mines. Out there everything costs a quarter. Every time I've received a nickel or a dime I've tossed the coin into that trunk for mother."

The trunk followed Lenz on the next train. It contained a fraction over $[illegible], all in dimes and nickels, according to Mr. Bentley. Lenz certainly showed his faith in the honesty of the railway men, as he did not go near the trunk, but trusted everything to them.

Universal.

Cora—Do you know the one thing that every girl gives up during Lent?

Merritt—The diary she started to keep at the beginning of the year.—Judge.

Well-Matched.

A horsey man and a nagging woman make a well-matched pair.—Chicago Daily News.

Different Effects.

A run on a theater enriches it, but a run on a bank is somewhat different.—Chicago Daily News.

Hit by a Brick from the Sky.

The telegraph operator, who always means to tell the truth, even if he sometimes does fail, tells me this:

Feller was walking along the street hanging onto his head and feeling his brains "sloppin' up against the rafters," as Bill Nye once so soulfully remarked. Feller groaned and finally remarked to himself:

"Oh, I wish I were dead."

He was passing a four-story brick building that was in process of construction. A mason 'way up aloft dropped a brick accidentally. It swooped down through the air and struck Feller on the top of his koko. It didn't kill him—but near it, very near it.

To say the least, the feller was real provoked.

He looked up at the sky—not at the mason. "Can't ye take a joke?" says he.

What if heaven always took us at our word?—Lewiston Journal.

Rouen's Remarkable Bridge.

A bridge in the form of an aerial ferry has just [illegible] at Rouen, on the River Seine. In [illegible] to avoid interference with shipping, it was determined to place no structure in the stream, or near its surface. Instead of a bridge in any of the ordinary forms, a horizontal flooring, sustained by steel towers and suspension cables, was stretched across the river at an elevation of 167 feet. On this flooring run electrically-driven rollers, from which is suspended, by means of steel ropes, a car, which moves at the level of the wharves on the river banks. The car is 36 feet wide and 42 feet long, and is furnished, like a ferry boat, with accommodations for carriages and foot passengers. The ropes that carry the hanging car are interlaced diagonally in such a manner that the support is rigid, and a swinging motion is avoided.—Youth's Companion.

An Embarrassing Alternative.

A lady whose Christian name is Jane, and whose little daughter is named after her, engaged a housekeeper, who is also named Jane.

Thinking that three Janes in one household might occasion confusion, the lady said to the newcomer, who was a tall, angular woman, with a rigid air and an uncompromising cast of countenance: "I think, Jane, it will be better for me to call you by your last name if you have no objection."

"No'm; I have no objection," said the housekeeper, standing stiffly erect, valise in hand.

"Call me 'Darling,' ma'am, if you prefer. That's my name."—Memphis Scimitar.

Status of Birds' Nests.

One of the comicalities of the protective tariff appears in the treasury correspondence, where Assistant Secretary Spaulding instructs the collector at Los Angeles that duty must be assessed on Chinese birds' nests as "unenumerated manufactured articles." Gen. Spaulding says that these birds' nests are "manufactured" in the sense of having been put through cleansing to prepare them for market. If anybody protests, the department will welcome it as a means of getting the question before the courts and having it definitely settled. — Chicago Chronicle.

Communion Plate in Battle.

The soldiers from New South Wales in South Africa carry with them a set of communion plate, which is as historic as it is valuable. When New South Wales furnished its volunteers for Egypt in the '80's the force was presented with a set of communion plate, which went with them to the front. On their return the plate was presented to Christ church, Alexander Bay, Sydney, on condition that if at any time New South Wales soldiers went on active service the communion plate was to be given up. — Chicago Chronicle.

Why She Refrains.

"It is true. My wife never scolds, never scowls, never frowns."

"Do you expect me to believe such nonsense?"

"I do. Why not? I can explain."

"Then explain."

"She doesn't scold because it twists her mouth, she doesn't scowl because it gives her crows' feet, and she doesn't frown because it brings wrinkles."

"Good. But inwardly?"

"Don't ask me. The question is too harrowing." Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Infallible Preliminary.

Nell—Do you know, I really think I will marry Harry. He is good-looking, rich and I am rather fond of him!

Belle—I didn't know you were engaged.

"Oh, it's not formal yet; but he has told me I seem different from other girls."—Puck.

Her Idea of Horseflesh.

"Papa, won't you buy me a pony?" pleaded little Ethel Beechwood.

"What would you feed it?" asked Mr. Beechwood.

"Oh, I'd feed it horse radish and horse chestnuts."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

"Every Man is the Architect of His Fortune."

"An architect designs, and his plans are executed by a builder. The greatest builder of health is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It lays a firm foundation. It makes the blood, the basis of life, pure and strong. Be an architect of your fortune and secure Hood's as your health builder.

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should always be kept in the house for the following reasons:

FIRST—Because, if any member of the family has a hard cold, it will cure it.

SECOND Because, if the children are delicate and sickly, it will make them strong and well.

THIRD—Because if the father or mother is losing flesh and becoming thin and emaciated, it will build them up and give them flesh and strength

FOURTH - Because it is the standard remedy in all throat and lung affections

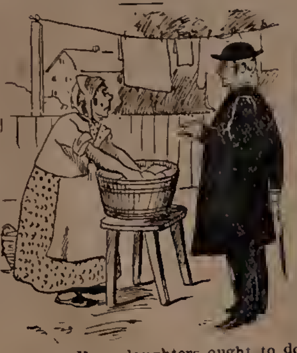
No household should be without it. It can be taken in summer as well as in winter

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Sartor Resartus.

Many a young swell, grandly got-up,
With the ladies makes a hit:
He wears a three-inch stand-up collar,
With no shirt hanging on to it.
—Ally Sloper.

FIT FOR A HIGHER SPHERE.



Vicar—Your daughters ought to do this heavy washing, Betty; you are too old for such work now.

Betty—Ah, and other work, too, sir; I ought to be only for ornament at my age!—Fun.

Answered the Purpose.

A woman whistled at a car,
It stopped with sudden jerk:
Her whistle was a failure—but
Her face got in its work.
—Chicago Daily News

Old Aristocrats.

Mrs. Beaconstreet (of Boston)—Do your new neighbors belong to the newly-rich class?

Mrs. Porkenlard (of Chicago)—Dear me, no! They've had money for over six months.—Judge.

His Preference.

"I don't care for your poem, 'The Song of the Lark,'" remarked the editor. The poet sighed wearily.

"To tell the truth," he replied, "I myself much prefer the lay of the hen."—Philadelphia Record.

Domestic Troubles.

Mistress—Why did you get steak for breakfast when I told you to order pork chops?

New Cook—Shure, ma'am, Oi niver eat pork at all, at all.—Chicago Daily News.

She Was Too Inquisitive.

Castleton—Wasn't your engagement with Miss Splicer broken off rather suddenly?

Clinker—Yes. She insisted upon knowing what my intentions were.—Town Topics

The Old Fallback.

"If wae hod th' same wither always," said the janitor philosopher, "thor'd be a lot av people who wudn't know phwat to talk about."—Chicago Daily News.

Eating and Sleeping.

Food supplies the substance for repairing the wastes of the body and gives strength. Sleep affords the opportunity for these repairs to be made. Both are necessary to health. If you can't eat and sleep, take Hood's Sarsaparilla. It creates a good appetite and tones the digestive organs, and it gives the sweet, restful sleep of childhood. Be sure to get Hood's.

Biliousness is cured by Hood's Pills 25 cents.

A Worked-Out Mine.

"I am the gas meter inspector," announced the caller.

"Come in," replied the man of the house, "but I don't think you'll find much left. The plumber has just left, and we were visited by burglars during the night." Philadelphia North American.

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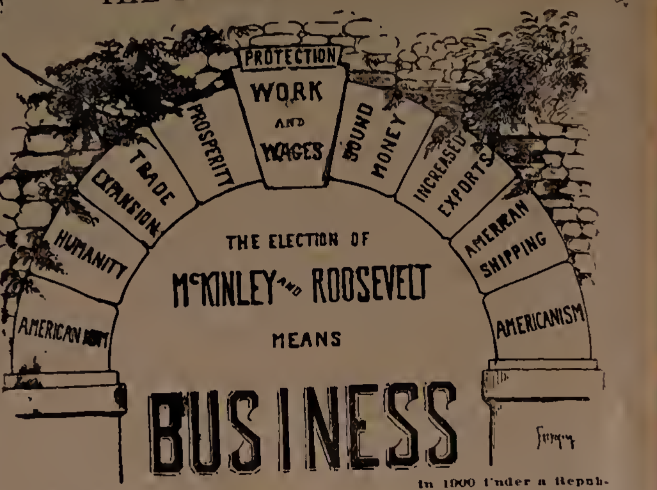


In 1895 Under a Democratic Administration and a Free Trade Tariff:		In 1900 Under a Republican Administration and a Protective Tariff:
$50,000,000,000	Bank Clearings	$105,000,000,000
$1,539,508,138	Foreign Commerce	$2,244,193,543
$793,392,599	Exports of Merchandise	$1,394,479,214
$152,158,617	Customs Receipts	$233,857,958
Deficit, $42,805,223	Treasury Balance	Surplus, $81,229,771
$78,568,200	Balance of Trade	$544,764,885
$226,096,834 (1896)	Failures	(1899) $90,879,889
$2,291,016,000	Wages Paid	$3,056,635,000
38,298,783	Sheep, Number	63,121,881
$65,167,735	Sheep, Value	$246,175,335
6,657,388 (1894)	Pig Iron Production, Tons	(1899) 13,620,703
[illegible]850	Miles Railroad Built	5,100
1893-7 Loss in Value $4,2[illegible],000,000	Farm Products	1897-1900 Increase in Value $6,355,000,000
In 1894-6 Had to Borrow $262,000,000	Uncle Sam	In 1900 Has $300,000,000 in Bank.

AND AMERICANS ARE LENDING MONEY TO ENGLAND.

JUDGING BY EXPERIENCE.

Some Figures Right Here in Massachusetts of Interest to Voters.

During recent years a number of the states have published from year to year from their bureau of labor statistics, information showing the number of persons employed in leading industries, the total wages paid employes and the value of products, etc. In every case where these facts have been published for a sufficiently long time, they show a marked difference between the years of Democratic and those of the Republican administration. In the years of Democratic administration a decided falling off was experienced in business activity, in the number of persons employed, total wages paid, etc.; while during the Republican administrations of Harrison and McKinley there were increases all along the line. The most complete statistics that have been published are those experienced by the state of Massachusetts. During the four years from 1888 to 1892 (Harrison's administration) there was a total increase in Massachusetts of $73,941,880 in the value of the product, $18,244,474 in the total wages paid, and 27,363 in the number of persons employed in the establishments reporting for those years. It was quite a different story under the next four years of Cleveland's administration, with its tariff reform and other Democratic shibboleths. Subtracting the increase of 1894 from the total increase during the other three years, there was a net decrease of $96,916,006 in the value of products, $4,085,252 in the total wages paid, and 16,687 in the number of persons employed. In 1897 and 1898, with McKinley's administration, came again years of prosperity. Once more the same increases are noted all along the line. During these two years, there was a total increase in Massachusetts of $45,300,054 in the value of products, an increase of $4,219,751 in the total wages paid, and of 14,215 in the number of persons employed.

A study of these statistics, plain and homely as they are, ought to furnish an object lesson for the manufacturer, the merchant and laboring men, who are to cast their vote next November either to continue the Republican administration or to have another change. It is a true statement of an eminent statesman: "I know of no other way of judging the future but by the past," and applying this rule to the result of the Republican administration of Massachusetts, ought to convince the most sceptical voter who considers his future welfare in connection with his ballot.

Registration.

The most important work of the political committees of the state at the present time is the matter of registration. It should be the duty of every town committee to carefully compare the assessed list with the last published voting lists, and then use every effort to see that as many names are added to the new voting lists as possible. The importance of this work cannot be underestimated. Here are a few important dates which should be carefully considered by every committee:

Oct. 1. Last day assessment in Boston.

Oct. 4. Evening registration opens in Boston in the several wards, from 4 p. m. to 10 p. m.

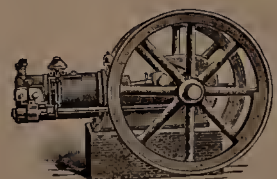
Oct. 7. Last day for regist[illegible] voters in every city and tow[illegible] Boston, to post in each voting [illegible] preliminary alphabetical lists of vo[illegible]

Oct. 17. Last day for regist[illegible] all cities. Upon this day ev[illegible] of voters must be kept op[illegible] o clock noon (in Boston from [illegible] until 10 p. m.

Oct. 27. Registration in tow[illegible] at 10 p. m.

New York Journal, June 1[illegible]

It is hastily assumed tha[illegible] rying of the flag away from h[illegible] "Imperialism." That is a m[illegible] conquer and colonize dist[illegible] the sake of glory and profit [illegible] to secure outposts, the p[illegible] which will better enable us to [illegible] peace and be more efficient f[illegible] when war does come, is anoth[illegible]



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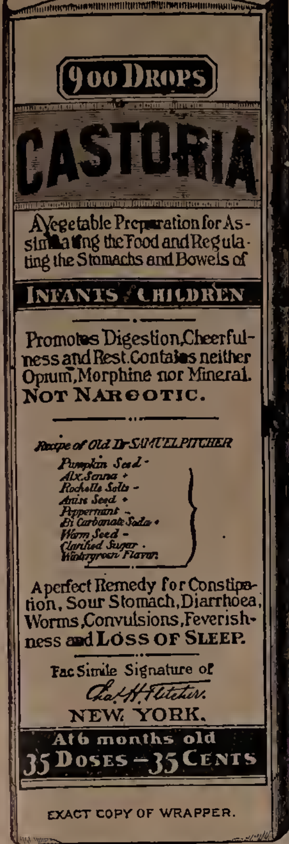
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GOSSIP OF DIPLOMATS.

Twenty-nine countries are represented in the diplomatic corps at the capital of this country—12 of the European nations, including Great Britain; 12 of the Central and South American republics, and five of the oriental countries.

The Russian embassy at Washington has a young and charming mistress. Count Cassini, the ambassador, is a widower, and his grandniece, Mlle. Marguerite, does the honors of the house with the ease and tact acquired as her granduncle's constant companion in his diplomatic posts in all parts of the world.

In a large brick building on the fashionable section of I street, Washington, is the Mexican embassy and its beautiful interior is suggestive of foreign lands. Senora de Azpiroz, the new ambassador's wife, continues the lamented Mme. Romero's custom of holding public receptions, and every other Friday during the season her rooms are thronged.

The Austro-Hungarian legation on Connecticut avenue is one of the show houses of Washington, D. C. It was built by Senator Yule, of Florida, who spent a fortune on it. Just as it was completed he failed of reelection and was obliged to sell it. Baroness Hengelmuller, wife of the minister, frequently called the most beautiful woman of the corps, entertains sumptuously.

For the last three years the Italian embassy has been left in the hands of a charge d'affaires much of the time. Nearly that long ago the Ambassador and Baroness de Fava lost their only son, an unusually gifted young man. The blow almost broke the baroness' heart. They went back to Italy with the body and for many months she felt as though she could not live in America again.

The German embassy property is a fine three-storied brick structure on Highland terrace. As the under officials of the embassy, like their chief, are unmarried, there are no women connected with it. This lack of femininity does not, however, affect the entertainments that are given there. Dr. von Holleben is famous for his dinners and other social functions, on which occasion he usually invites the wife of a brother diplomat to assist him in doing the honors.

EDUCATION AND RELIGION.

The ministers of St. Paul have approved a project of making billiards one of the features of the Young Men's Christian association rooms.

Archbishop Feehan, of Chicago, went to the scene of his present labors in 1852, making the trip from New York by stage and steamboat.

One hundred and twelve pupils of the Indian school at Carlisle, Pa., have been received into the Catholic church. The school has 162 pupils.

The pastor of the Third Moravian congregation in Philadelphia prepared the plans for a new church, supervised its construction and labored on it with his own hands, thus saving the congregation an estimated $2,000.

More than 2,200 German teachers have been taught to become instructors in manual training. Of these 950 were taught in Leipzig and 1,250 acquired training in 33 places in other parts of Germany.

A woman recently asked President Hadley, of Yale—he tells the story himself—what he was teaching. To his reply, "Economics," she said, thoughtfully: "Oh, you teach the students to be economical! That is good. When I was a young woman they never learned to be economical until they got married."—Pittsburgh News.

The homeopathic medical library of the University of Michigan has received, as the gift of Dr. Thomas P. Wilson, of Detroit, 102 volumes. As but few of the volumes are duplicates of those already in the library the addition is a highly valuable one. Dr. Wilson was a professor in the homeopathic department of the university during the years 1880-85.

PITH AND POINT.

An occasional hearty laugh is a wise act.

It is always better to be right than to be consistent.

Money is often used to cover the spots on a man's reputation.

In order to acquire a true friend you must first learn to be one.

The average man has a poor foundation when he stands on his dignity.

Sometimes a man starts out to be a social lion and ends by making a goose of himself.

A hack writer who is obliged to walk when he travels says there is nothing in a name.

There would be no objections to a man riding his hobby if he would only give people an opportunity to get out of his way.

Don't be alarmed if your boy begins to write poetry at the age of seven; there is always a possible chance of his outgrowing it.

A man has reached the age of discretion when he is old enough to know that he doesn't know some things he will know when he gets older.—Chicago Daily News.

SELF-PROPELLED VEHICLES.

An automobile club has been organized in Baltimore.

Queen Victoria has had a handsome automobile regularly attached to her stables.

An automobile race will take place in France during four days of the last week in July.

The Chicago aldermen are considering the advisability of requiring automobile owners to provide their vehicles with fenders.

Pity the Groom.

Pity the groom on his wedding day,
On one the sun ne'er shone,
Of whom the guests had a word to say—
They have eyes for the bride alone.
Pity the groom on the day he's wed,
And a bachelor adds, with laughter.
"He needs it on that day, as you've said,
But pity him ever after."
—Philadelphia North American.

Too Late.

Percy—I feel deuced sorry for poor Jack.

Ethel—Why, what is the trouble? He has only been married a month.

Percy—Yes; and his rich uncle has just died and left him a million, when it's too late to do him any good!—Puck.

Another Mean Man.

"Stimson is a mean man."

"Why so?"

"He's got a way of keeping his wife from going through his pockets for loose change."

"How's that?"

"He spends it all before he gets home."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Bible Chronology.

"Nannie, don't you suppose that Adam and Eve were created in the spring?"

"No, it must have been late in the summer. It was shortly before the fall, you know."—Harlem Life.

A Leading Question.

She—Charley, I heard to-day that diminutive Jack Barnes had made $200,000.

He—Yes; Barnes is a lucky man.

She—Well, but, Charley, why can't you make $400,000? You're twice his size.—Judge.

Issues of the Hour.

Estimates as to the electoral vote give President McKinley 284, Bryan 142, while the following are placed in the doubtful column: Kentucky, 13; Maryland, 8; Colorado, 4; Nebraska, 8. Total, 33. Should Mr. Bryan carry all of these states, his vote in the electoral college would still be less than it was in 1896.

Mr. Bryan is no stronger than he was in July. His anti-imperialism has won him a few votes in eastern states, which even his friends do not hope to carry. Silver is weaker in the west than it was four years ago, and it is impossible to see where Mr. Bryan is making any effective progress with either of his great issues. Let all work for Republican success with diligence and intelligence and determination to secure popular favor for Republican tickets from top to bottom. But let panic be avoided, for it does more to unnerve voters and encourage opponents than its money returns or machine triumphs are worth.—New York Tribune.

"Before Dewey's victory the United States was regarded everywhere in Asia by the common people and by the governing classes as a secondary power. Our commerce and our influence were hampered and checkmated. The glorious achievement of May 1, 1898, and the subsequent occupation of the Philippine islands made America a country respected and treated as a first-class power for the first time in the history of our relations with Asiatic nations. We would have been laggards instead of leaders in rescuing the ministers and missionaries at Pekin, and we would have been the last, instead of the first, power to have led in the protection of life, property and rights in China, if we had not held by moral, as well as material, right, our new possessions in the Philippines. If 8,000,000 Filipinos do not yet understand us, 800,000,000 of other Asiatics have been taught to respect our flag and country."—Hon. John Barrett, ex-minister to Siam.

General Elwell S. Otis says under date of Sept. 1: "The people are growing more conservative every day and are becoming more satisfied. There would be little trouble throughout the islands but for the coming presidential election in this country. Aguinaldo and his lieutenants are hanging on in wild and mountainous places in northern Luzon, hoping that the result of the presidential election may change the attitude of this country. They get newspapers from the United States and keep thoroughly posted as to what is going on here. When their hope is unfulfilled I look for a complete collapse of the opposition to the authority of this country. As a matter of fact, there is comparatively little opposition now. When I left the Philippines, Aguinaldo was in the mountains with about 250 guns. He was on the run all the time. When our troops were not close on his trail and fighting him he was being pursued by the mountain natives. This was in one of the few parts of Luzon not then under complete control by us. This control, however, was far more complete than it ever was under the Spanish regime. In some of the islands there is practically no trouble. Our troops have covered the entire islands, which was never done by Spain. The harvesting of the crops will aid in bringing about a more conservative feeling. The sugar crop will mature in most of the islands in December and will furnish money and employment to the people. A large rice crop is now being planted and will give them employment. The natives are industrious and intelligent. They will, and do, work. There is not an abler body of men in the world than the members of the Philippines supreme court. Many of the natives are educated in Paris and other European cities. They desire peace and are ambitious for their country. They believe in the good intentions of the United States and think that through us will come their salvation. This class of men is increasing in numbers every day, and they are doing much to put down the robber bands and the reckless natives who have been disposed to follow the lead of Aguinaldo and his associates."

Why Timothy Changed.

"I'm with the Republicans' platform and against the Democrats. For some weeks 40,000 Filipinos tried to break through our lines at Manila to cut my throat, and since then I cannot see any particular virtue in the Filipinos.

"I never want to see the American flag pulled down in that glorious city and I'll never vote to have it done.

"No Democrat who was in Manila on Feb. 4, 1899, will vote for Bryan on his new platform."—Timothy W. Coakley, Boston.

"It is a question, whether we are to have prosperity or adversity. It is a question whether William McKinley is going to be President of the United States or Mr. Bryan. It is a question whether the Republican party is to continue to rule as it has ruled the country for 40 years, practically, I mean as to legislation. It is a question whether the Republican party, which is used to legislation, knows how, is progressive, has courage, has intelligence, or the Democratic party shall control the affairs of this republic, the latter party without experience except in one single Dolly Varden piece of legislation, the Wilson bill.—Senator Frye.

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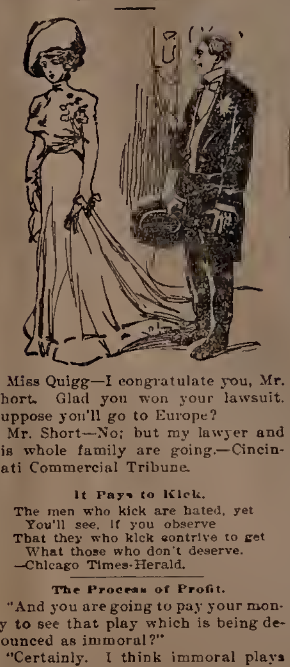
Dreadful Cass.

There once was a man that sang bass,
And whenever he opened his fass
The girls would cry: "Oh!
How lovely! And soh
Artistic! What power and grass!"
—Indianapolis Press.

JUST AS USUAL.



Miss Quigg—I congratulate you, Mr. Short. Glad you won your lawsuit. Suppose you'll go to Europe?

Mr. Short—No; but my lawyer and his whole family are going.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

It Pays to Kick.

The men who kick are hated, yet
You'll see, if you observe
That they who kick contrive to get
What those who don't deserve.
—Chicago Times-Herald.

The Process of Profit.

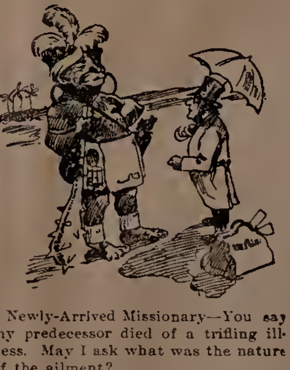
"And you are going to pay your money to see that play which is being denounced as immoral?"

"Certainly. I think immoral plays ought to be denounced. And as a fair-minded person, I feel that I have no right to denounce it until after I have seen it."—Washington Star.

The Wishing Habit.

If all man's wishes were fulfilled
He'd sadly wish away
That he could think of something else
To wish for day by day.
—Chicago Times-Herald.

JUST A LITTLE BOIL.



Newly-Arrived Missionary—You say my predecessor died of a trifling illness. May I ask what was the nature of the ailment?

Chairman of Reception Committee—Oh, nothing much; merely a little boil.—Ainslee's Magazine.

The World.

The world is swingin' in a frame—
A purty frame of blue;
An' all its light, by day an' night,
Is the smile of God to you!
—Atlanta Constitution.

The Verdict.

"Have a cigar, judge," said the young lawyer. "By the way, did you ever try this brand?"

"Yes," replied the judge, "and I regret to say I found it guilty."—Chicago Daily News.

Her Opinion.

He—Then you consider woman more intelligent than man?

Miss New—Decidedly! Man hasn't even intelligence enough to recognize his inferiority.—Puck.

Living Pictures for Diagnosis.

In a certain continental hospital a camera has been adopted to record minutely the action of patients in epileptic fits and similar afflictions, and many "living pictures" have been taken showing the movements in walking of persons afflicted with locomotor ataxia. They are produced slowly on the screen, so that physicians are enabled to study the symptoms carefully. Moving pictures have been taken in Vienna showing operations being performed by great surgeons.—Science Siftings.

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The Perfect Home.

That the possession of wealth is not indispensable to a perfect home life is shown by the late Helen Hunt in these beautiful words: "The most perfect home I ever saw was a little house into the sweet incense of whose fires went no costly things. A thousand dollars served as a year's living for father, mother and three children. But the mother was the creator of the home; her relations with the children were the most beautiful I have ever seen; every inmate of the house involuntarily looked into her face for the keynote of the day, and it always rang clear. From the rosebud or clover leaf, which, in spite of her hard housework, she always found time to put aside our plates at breakfast, down to the story she had in hand to read in the evening, there was no intermission of her influence. She has always been and will always be my ideal of a mother, wife and homemaker."—Good Housekeeping.

Down 12,000 Feet for Gold.

After the unfortunate war in South Africa is over, a scientific problem of much interest will be presented to the engineers of the Transvaal gold mines. Some of the shafts recently opened on the rand are expected to go down 4,000 or 5,000 feet in search of gold-bearing veins, but in the future, Mr. John Yates says, it may be necessary to descend 12,000 feet. That, he thinks, will be about the limit of depth at which men can work, because the temperature there will be at least 100 degrees Fahrenheit. Other engineers think the shafts could be sunk several thousand feet lower through the adoption of devices for cooling the air.—Youth's Companion.

Electric Fans in India.

American ingenuity has upset an ancient custom in India. For centuries every rajah and even the minor potentates have had special men to fan them during their waking hours. These men are known as punkas, and the position was one of honor and profit. Now their situations are gone, for every rajah has bought an American electric fan with a motor to run it. The punkas have told the superstitious people that the fans are worked by a little devil in the motor that turns the wheels. This, no doubt, saves many inquisitive fingers from being amputated, but the rajahs are not scared a bit.—Golden Days.

Traveling German Students.

German students are returning to the medieval notion of wandering about the world. The modern Goliards, however, are personally conducted and know beforehand precisely what their journeys will cost them. Last year they visited Italy; this spring 1,500 of them will go to Constantinople and to Asia Minor. On the way they will fraternize with the Roumanian university students, who are preparing a big "fruhschoppen" for them in Bucharest.—N. Y. Times.

Full Returns.

Edith—All is over between us, sir. Here are your letters, and the little gold locket and the ring you gave me Ch-ch-ch-ristmas.

Cyril—There are some other things I gave you, Edith. You must return all.

"What are they?"

"Eleven thousand, nine hundred and thirty-seven kisses."—Harlem Life.

She Was Boss.

Tommy—Let's play grand opera.

Ethel—All right! I'll be the boss.

"No; it takes a man to be the manager."

"Oh! you can be the manager, but I want to be what they call the bella donna."—Catholic Standard and Times.

How It Looked.

Casey—Costigan got his life insured lasht April and he's dead so quick!

Cassidy—Shure, and he must hov hod a pull wid de insurance company!—Puck.

Not Necessarily.

"The sword swallower must have to pay a lot for board."

"Why?"

"He has such a sharp appetite."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Discreet Constancy.

"We never get tired of baked apples at the place where I live."

"You don't?"

"No; we know if we did we'd get prunes."—Chicago Record.

Never Learn.

Mrs. Henpeck—Why do you say divorce brings only temporary relief?

Henpeck—Because most of them marry again.—Judge.

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"I suffered for thirty years with diarrhoea and thought I was past being cured," says John S. Halloway of French Camp, Miss. "I had spent so much time and money and suffered so much that I had given up all hopes of recovery. I was so feeble from the effects of the diarrhoea that I could do no kind of labor, could not even travel, but by accident I was permitted to find a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and after taking several bottles I am entirely cured of that trouble. I am so pleased with the result that I am anxious that it be in reach of all who suffer as I have." For sale by A. C. Mason, druggist

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WRENTHAM.

Fred E. Gilmore and Charles A. Gilmore have returned from Maine.——An entertainment will be given in the town hall Wednesday evening by the ladies of Trinity church. Among the attractions will be singing by Miss Grace Adams of Franklin and Fred Mills of North Attleboro. A social dance will follow the concert.——Mrs. Charles R. Talbot and daughter Gladys have gone to Red Beach, Me.——Christopher Gore of Auburndale, a grandson of the late Gov. Christopher Gore of Massachusetts, and who built Gore Hall at Harvard, has been visiting D. S. Farrington.——Rev. William B. Allis, wife and two sons have returned to New York.——Miss Adams, daughter of Dr. J. Q. Adams, is visiting Miss E. A. McGaw.——Moses Farnum is making extensive improvements on his property at Elmwood mills.——Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Dodd and son have returned from their carriage drive to Vermont.

SHELDONVILLE.

Mrs. Minnie Thaine of Sheldonville is visiting her brother, Fred A. Brown, of Haverhill.

England's Oriental Resources.

It is estimated that if the laws of German conscription were applied to her East Indian possessions Great Britain would have a standing army of 2,500,000 soldiers, and about 800,000 recruits coming up for enrollment every year.—N. Y. Journal.

Men Wash In Egypt.

The washing in Egypt is usually done by the men. The Egyptian washermen stand on the banks of the Nile and slap the wet clothes on the smooth stones at the edge of the running water.—N. Y. Sun.

Herat.

Herat, to the Moslems, leaving the steppes of Turkestan, presents the effect that Palestine produced on the Hebrews when they approached from the Arabian desert.—Chicago Tribune.

Had Begun to Turn.

The Good One—If he drinks so much he will turn into a sot!

The Other One—Shouldn't wonder. The last time I saw him he was turning into a saloon!—N. Y. Press.

Old Proverb Revised.

There are not as good fish in the sea as some anglers claim to have caught.—Chicago Daily News.

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The Adornment of an Arab Girl.

Arab girls before they enter the harem and take the veils are a curious sight to behold. Their bodies and face are dyed a bright yellow with tumeric. On this ground they paint black lines with antimony over their eyes; the fashionable color for the nose is red; green spots adorn the cheeks, and the general aspect is grotesque beyond description.—"Southern Arabia."

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Wouldn't Be Obstinate.

"We've come ter tell yer, pardner," announced the spokesman of the vigilance committee, "that every cuss in town 'cep'in' yourself has agreed that it's time fer yer ter light out."

"Ef that's the case, gents," replied the facetious bad man, "I'll move ter make it unanimous."—Philadelphia Record.

More Likely.

Mrs. Kindheart—A poor tramp came here to-day who said he had been blown up by dynamite and lived to tell the story. I gave him a dinner and some of your old clothes.

Her Husband—I am afraid, my dear, that he deceived you. He probably tells the story to live.—N. Y. Journal.

Not a Success.

"I tried my poem on a dog, sir, as you advised," said the poet.

"Well," said the editor, "what was the result?"

"I was arrested by an officer of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals."—Harlem Life.

Fire Dogs In Dawson.

Horses are scarce in Dawson City, while dogs are numerous, and so the latter are used by the fire department. They are so trained that at the tap of the fire bell they jump at once into place, so that their collars can be snapped about their necks. Then they go tearing off down the street, as fast as any metropolitan fire department.—Cleveland Leader.

A Time Limit.

Physician—I'm afraid you smoke too much.

Patient—Well, I do smoke almost continuously from morning till night.

"Why do you do that?"

"Because it's the only time I have to smoke. I have to sleep at night."—Chicago Evening News.

Her Chance.

"I must confess to you," he said, in a burst of confidence, "I'm an odd man. I'd like to be different if—"

"This is so sudden!" she cried, throwing herself upon his neck. For she, too, was odd, and she had longed to be even.—Philadelphia Press.

A Jury's Verdict.

A western jury returned the following verdict recently: "We find that the deceased died by the will of Providence, or some other disease unknown to us."—Chicago Daily News.

Size of London.

London is 12 miles broad one way and 17 the other, and every year sees about 20 miles of new streets added to it.—Chicago Chronicle.

The Other Fellow's Love Letters.

A man never realizes what fools men can make of themselves until he reads a love letter written by some other fellow.—Chicago Daily News.

Nature.

Nature not only benevolently guards the rose with thorns, but she endows women with pins.—Chicago Daily News.

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Hard to Understand.

"Did you say he had studied music?" said the gentleman with the long hair, when the soloist had concluded.

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"It's very remarkable!"

"His voice?"

"Yes. If he has studied music I can't understand why he should persist in trying to sing."—Washington Star.

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The Prisoner Was Mixed.

"Prisoner," said the Maryland justice, as the case was closed. "You have been found guilty of stealing a pig belonging to Col. Childers. Have you anything to say before I pass sentence?"

"I has, suh," answered the prisoner, as he rose up. "It was all a mistake, jedge—all a mistake. I didn't dun reckon to steal no pig from Kurnel Chilvers. What I was arter was a hawg belongin' to Majah Dawson, an' how dem two animals got mixed up and de constable found de meat in my cabin am gwine to bodder me 'till I come out o' jail an' lick de ole woman fur not keepin' better watch at de doah!"—Washington Post.

Gift of Tongue.

A female witness, possessed of a rich brogue, was on the stand in Judge Donovan's court the other day. Her tongue moved so rapidly in the narration of her story that her words were quite unintelligible. Finally the court interrupted:

"Hold on. Not so fast! Not so fast! This man (pointing to the court stenographer) can write about 200 words a minute, but you are going at the rate of 400. Give him a chance to catch up."

"Arrah, why don't yez git a good man, jedge? What does yez kape a slow skate fur, at all?" was the ready retort.—Detroit Free Press.

Got What He Asked For.

"So you are looking for a position?" said the merchant to the youth with the high collar and noisy necktie. "What can you do?"

"Oh, any old thing," replied the young man. "Of course, I don't expect the junior partnership at the start, but I want to be sure of an early rise."

"Very well," replied the merchant, "I'll make you assistant janitor. You will rise at four o'clock every morning and sweep the floors."—Chicago Evening News.

Appropriately Named.

"Quite a colony of Englishmen are settling in that new suburban town of ours," said the big real estate operator. "I'm thinking of calling the town 'Shilling.'"

"That sounds rather cheap," protested his partner.

"Well, it's the British quarter, you know."—Philadelphia Press.

Important Notice.

In order to make a few alterations necessary for handling the immense business now offering for Sydney the steamship Florida will omit her sailing from Boston Saturday, Sept. 22, but will be regularly in commission again on Saturday, Sept. 29, 12 noon, for Halifax and Sydney. There will be no change in sailing of the steamship Halifax from Boston every Tuesday at 12 noon for Halifax, Hawkesbury and Charlottetown.

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Goat Caught a Wolf.

A very singular occurrence is reported in a Paris exchange from the village of Chez-Tablot, in the district of St. Cloud. A widow named Sigalard was working in a field. Her goat, a large, fine animal, was grazing a little way off along the edge of the adjacent woods, when suddenly a wolf sprang on the domestic milk purveyor. By some curious hazard the goat must have raised her head at the same moment, for the head of the wolf was caught between her horns and could not be withdrawn. Each animal pulled in a different direction, and the noise of the struggle attracted Mme. Sigalard's attention. Paralyzed from fear and excitement, the woman could not utter a word or call for help. Fortunately, a neighbor happened to pass. He seized the wolf's hind legs, while the widow stabbed it in the side until it was killed. The goat, since its adventure, has been affected with a kind of St. Vitus' dance, but Widow Sigalard serenely accepted the premium of 160 francs given to those who kill a wolf. How much of this she gave to her kind neighbor the French writer does not tell.—Baltimore Sun.

Derivation of Boer.

It is curious to note, in connection with the national designation of our present foes in South Africa, the survivance in Scottish legal and agricultural parlance of the closely allied term "Bower" (pronounced Booer). The expression is properly applied to a person who hires, from the proprietor or principal tenant of a farm, a stock of cows along with the right of grazing them on certain fields. The Bower makes in return a money payment of so much per cow, and trusts to making his profit out of the sale of the dairy produce. The precise legal position of a party who has a "bowing" lease is somewhat indeterminate, being midway between that of a mere manager and that of a subtenant. Instances of this mixed contract of lease of land and hiring of labur are now rare, but it is still to be found in agricultural districts. An instance of it in Arran was the subject of judicial consideration in 1894. The word "bower" is allied to the Gaelic "bo," a cow, and among its numerous cognates in the Aryan languages is included the Dutch term "Boer."—Law Times.

The Ox-Pecker.

These starlings not only rid the animals they frequent of ticks, and other vermin, but they often peck at sores on oxen and donkeys until they form cavities, which measure sometimes 20 inches or more in diameter, and as much in depth; they acually do eat the flesh and drink the blood of these animals. Oxen submit quite placidly to this process of being eaten alive and seem none the worse for it afterward, but donkeys show their objections by trying to rid themselves of the birds by rolling on the ground and running under bushes.—"The Birds of South America."

Youthful Patriotism.

There is a small boy at Islington, whose father is a Frenchman, but who, himself, was born in England, and has lived there all his life. Consequently, he considers himself to be an Englishman. He has recently gone to school and has been taking his first lessons in English history. The other night he looked up from his book, musingly, and said to his father:

"Papa, we licked you awfully at the battle of Waterloo, didn't we?"—Tit-

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in two mortgage deeds given by Lothrop J. Wilder to the Medway Savings Bank, one dated Jan. 17th, 1891, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 649, folio 43, the other dated April 27th, 1893, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 691, folio 618, for breach of the conditions thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on

WEDNESDAY, the THIRD day of OCTOBER, 1900,

at three o'clock p. m., all and singular the following described property:

A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon standing, including all permanent fixtures and heating appliances, situated in Medway, county of Norfolk and state of Massachusetts, on the east side of Broad street, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the northwest corner thereof, on said street, at land of Mary H. Wilder; and thence easterly on a line with said Mary H. Wilder's land one hundred and forty (140) feet to a corner at land of Mrs. Sarah S. Woodward; thence southerly on land of said Woodward to land of Frank A. Henry; thence westerly on a line with land of said Henry parallel with and twenty-one (21) feet distance from northerly side of stable on said Henry's land to a point for a corner on a line parallel with westerly end of said stable; thence southwesterly in a straight line to a point for a corner on a line with rear of grantor's store block and thirty five feet distance therefrom; thence westerly on line parallel with southerly side of said block to said Broad street; thence northerly on said street to the first-mentioned point. Same premises recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 612, folio 441, conveyed to grantor by deed from Elijah B. Stowe; subject to a right of way mentioned in said conveyance, and more fully set forth and described in a deed to John McGinnis, March 1st, 1886. With all rights to well on southerly side of said estate.

Terms at sale.

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Medway, Mass., Sept. 6, 1900.

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Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

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North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
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Milford	6.40 "
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Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
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Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
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Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10. p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 00 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10 30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Mrs. L. K. Dearborn arrived home yesterday.

James O. Chilson has been confined to the house by illness.

Nathan C. Nye returned from Acton, Me., Tuesday.

T. J. Healey has resumed teaching at the City Mills school.

The Dean academy boys are getting into shape for football.

Mrs. Thomas Foley is seriously ill at her home on Cottage street.

Rev. John L. Keedy of Lysander, N. Y., has been visiting Dr. Sneath.

Mrs. Ellen Fiorani has returned from a visit with her sister in Reading.

G. S. F. Singleton is enjoying a few days with dog and gun in Canada.

The proposed Y. M. C. A. will likely be organized next Monday evening.

The trial of the liquors taken in the recent raid will be held Tuesday, Oct. 2.

The frost is holding off well, fortunately for the owners of cranberry bogs.

Rev. and Mrs. Sneath have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Ball of Cambridge.

Edward Ferrer left town Monday for Brooklyn, N. Y., to attend his brother's funeral.

Asa Adams is putting in a well for Nathan A. Daniels at his farm on the Medway road.

F. B. Flanagan and family removed on Wednesday from Cottage street to Pleasant street.

Miss Catherine Connolly of Milford is visiting at the home of D. F. O'Sullivan, Pleasant street.

Rev. Mr. Sneath will preach in the River's End schoolhouse, City Mills, on Sunday at 3 p. m.

The board of registrars held their first meeting at the town officers' room last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. W. H. Burdick of Scranton, Pa., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. S. Ward, in Unionville.

Holy communion will be celebrated at St. John's rectory Sunday next at 8 o'clock in the morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Thayer of Greeley, Col., are enjoying their annual trip East, being guests at "Cobblestone."

The Sullivan girl, in charge of the state at Caryville, has died. She is the last one of the family sick there.

The American band orchestra played at Hoag lake Tuesday evening. A large number of Franklin people attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Marston Sanborn returned this morning from New York, where they have been purchasing fall goods.

Mrs. H. L. Wales of Waterbury, Conn., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Alfred Clark, Jr., and her sister, Mrs. W. S. Johnson.

Charles Knowlton employed at the Heliotype work, is ill with typhoid fever at the home of his mother on Summer street.

Dr. E. S. Elliott, who has been substituting for Dr. A. J. Gallison during the latter's absence in Europe, left for N. H., Wednesday.

Master Robt. Thayer left Thursday for Cornwall-on-the-Hudson, where he enters upon his second year at the New York military academy.

Mrs. Joseph Pothier of New Bedford, a sister-in-law of ex-Mayor Pothier of Woonsocket, is a guest at the home of Hugh Murphy on Fisher street.

W. A. Pond has sold the Henry Davis place at Millis, containing 20 acres, with modern buildings, William Sawyer of Attleboro being the purchaser.

The Sabbath school of the First Congregational church will observe September 30 as Rally Sunday. The day will be observed with special services.

Excursion tickets may be procured at the station here for the Universalist convention in Springfield for $3.80, good from September 24 to 30, inclusive.

It is said that typhoid fever is unpleasantly prevalent, nearly a dozen cases being cared for. By all means keep gardens, cellars and other places cleaned up.

Chester, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George Allen of King street, died yesterday, a victim of spinal meningitis. Two other children in the same family are also ill.

Mrs. Annie Ballard of Lewiston, Me, is visiting friends in town. She is a very successful ladies' tailoress and is considering locating here, which is pleasing to many.

The prizes at the golf tournament of the Franklin Country club tomorrow, consisting of cups for the winning lady and gentleman, are on exhibition in Mason's window.

Dr. Jacoby took dinner with Albert C. Mason one day this week and called on a few old friends in town. He was on his way to the Rangely Lakes, Me, on a hunting and fishing trip.

Liveryman Ware is out with one of the finest rubber-tired hacks ever seen in town, finely upholstered and up to date in every particular. It is indeed a luxury to ride in such an equipage.

Daniel Crowley of Medway was up before Associate Justice Whitaker on Tuesday, charged with maliciously attempting to obstruct a street railway in Medway. The case was assigned for tomorrow.

Charles E. Johnson has begun the foundation for a new house on his Crescent street property. Mr. Johnson is to take time by the forelock and have his place ready for the coming demand for modern tenements.

Work was begun Tuesday on the new hose house of the J. G. Ray hose company, which is to be erected on land donated by the Charles River company on the easterly side of Union street, near Nason's crossing.

John T. Prince, agent of the state educational board, has arranged to hold a teachers' convention here on Wednesday, October 24, and a fine address may be expected. All of the schools of this vicinity have been invited.

James Murray Gallison, son of Dr. A. J. Gallison, has entered Brown university for a four-years' course. He was graduated from Dean academy last year, being the class president and had the salutatory upon graduation day.

Miss Eva Spence, daughter of Harry Spence, passed away last evening at the home of her father on Summer street after a two weeks' illness with typhoid fever. Her sister, Miss May Spence is also ill with the same disease.

The pulpit platform of the First Congregational church has been adorned with large and handsome bouquets of dahlias, the gift of Mrs. T. H. Shepardson of Plainville, in whose gardens are a large number and great variety.

Charles McDougall has resigned his position as superintendent of the Charles River Company's mill at North Bellingham. Mr. McDougall was formerly a resident here and held the position of superintendent of the Ray woolen mill.

The annual children's festival under the auspices of the Alden club will be changed this year to a social reunion at Elm farm in October, where the young people can meet and have plenty of space to swing their arms, run and be joyous.

The Milkmen's association of Bellingham and vicinity held a meeting at Hoag lake on Wednesday, about thirty being present. They partook of one of Caterer Blackmar's famous turkey dinners with "fixin's," and expressed themselves as being highly pleased.

"Peck's Bad Boy" had a fair sized audience at the Opera House Wednesday evening. Except the first act little remains of the original drama, the second and third being mostly vaudeville acts. New situations make the change an improvement and give added interest to the comedy.

Manufacturer Singleton is putting in a large 150 horse power steam engine, displacing a smaller one of 50 horse power. He has recently put in a second pump, run by a Springfield gas engine, which he hopes will furnish him with an abundant supply of water for manufacturing purposes.

The fall session of the Mendon conference is to be held with the Congregational church here on Wednesday, October 17, and N. C. Nye, H. W. Thayer, B. M. Rockwood, Mrs. F. M. Richardson, Mrs. W. S. Richardson and Miss Mabel Ray have been appointed a committee to arrange the details of the affair.

Next week Wednesday, Sept. 26, the closing field meet of the season of the Franklin Farmers' club will be held at Sheldonville. Fred Reed, Horatio Metcalf and Benjamin Guild will be the entertainers, and will probably have good results of the season's work to show, notwithstanding the dry weather.

Col. N. F. Heft, discussing the failure of electric railways, says it has been found that on lines extending to suburban towns a distance of nine miles where a fare of 15 cents has been charged the roads were operated at a loss, but after the fare was reduced to 10 cents the same roads were operated at a profit.

Wednesday morning Arthur Barrows, who is employed at Singleton's mill, fell from a door on the second floor to the ground below, while helping to unload some cases which were being raised to the doorway. His face was badly scratched, his back bruised and he was severely shaken up. He went to his home for treatment, but returned in the afternoon to his work.

Deputy Sheriff Fitzpatrick is paying attention to complaints that have been made concerning loitering and cider drinking in the vicinity of Nason's crossin, and on Tuesday evening, in company with Officer Redpath, paid a visit to that quarter and captured a crowd near the Nason barn on Union street. The names of each one of the party were taken, but no arrests were made.

The Massachusetts Universalist convention meets on Tuesday next at St. Paul's church, Springfield. Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., is the president and will preside at the meetings. Principal A. W. Peirce and James F. Ray are delegates from Franklin. Springfield has three Universalist societies and can easily entertain the convention. A Y. P. C. U. convention follows the one above mentioned.

David L. Stain, now serving a life sentence and whose friends are trying to secure a pardon for him, was a resident of Franklin for several years and was arrested at the shoe store on depot street, where he worked. Several times efforts have been made to secure his release, but without success. During the time he lived here there was nothing that attracted attention toward him as he apparently lived a quiet life.

Last Sunday was the Home Missionary Sunday in some of our churches. The rain and the consequent small audiences led to the postponement of the collection in some churches. Dr. Hodge had faith to try his hand with a small audience, however, and was rewarded by securing the full amount he intended to ask for. It is the faithful attendants who are to be depended on, as a rule, in other things than attendance.

Excelsior Lodge, A. F. and A. M., will receive an official visitation at the hands of the deputy, Jarvis B. Woolford of Holliston, on Wednesday evening, October 24, and Fred M. Estey, deputy of the ninth capitular Masonic district, will visit Miller Royal Arch Chapter on Tuesday, October 9. Deputy Estey will be accompanied by John J. Van Valkenburgh as captain of the host. Past high priests of the various chapters have been invited to be honorary members of his suite.

The report comes from Bellingham that a protest is to be made against a 10 cent fare from North Bellingham to Bellingham center, which, it is alleged, is collected. It is claimed that while there is nothing in the franchise in relation to the matter, the location from the four corners through the center was granted upon the condition that fare from the north end via the four corners should be five cents, and so recorded on the selectmen's records, and which is claimed is the consideration for the franchise.

On Sunday evening next at Tufts college Rev. Dr. Hodge will give the Russell lecture for 1900. An endowed lectureship makes this lecture an annual affair and the lecturer is chosen a year in advance by the corporation of the college. The subject is prescribed and certain conditions are laid down in the bequest establishing the lectureship. Dr. Hodge's topic is "The Importance of Christian Faith and Belief in the Formation of the Character of the Good Citizen and Good Man." Under this prescribed theme Dr. Hodge will speak of "The New Religious Life."

On account of the storm Sunday morning Rev. F. B. Sleeper gave his sermon on "The Rich Fool" in the evening instead of at the morning service. He carefully elaborated four principal thoughts. That the Bible calls a man a fool who makes an idol of worldly thing or wilfully disbelieves in a future existence or does not fill his earthly life with heavenly ambition, or does not seek to incarnate God in his soul and every thought and action. The word fool does not signify an idiot. He may be a man well educated and refined. He may have all the knowledge this earth can afford. But if he harbors sin and rebellion and infidelity in his heart the Lord pronounces him a fool. If he lives only for the earth with no hope of an endless heaven he is acting in the most senseless way possible.

Griffin court, M. C. O. F., entertained about fifty members of Sarsfield court of North Attleboro at their rooms in Opera house block Wednesday evening, the visiting delegation including Deputy High Chief Ranger P. F. Grady, Chief Ranger William Hanbury and Vice Chief Ranger John Joyce. The local court gave their brethren a royal welcome, and a varied programme of vocal and instrumental solos and duets, readings, recitations, etc., was followed by dancing, refreshments being served during an intermission. The affair was a most enjoyable one and the visitors left at an early hour in the morning in a special trolley car, all delighted with the cordial reception tendered by Griffin court.

An alarm was rung in from box 6 at 2 o'clock this morning for a fire at the dwelling owned by John Wilson on the City Mills road. The firemen responded promptly, but when on the way were sent back by a messenger from the scene of the fire, who gave the information that it had been extinguished by neighbors. It would appear, however, that the fire had not been entirely put out, as another alarm was rung at 6.40 o'clock. The firemen went all the way this time, but the blaze had gained considerable headway and soon the dwelling was gutted and practically destroyed. The loss will reach $900, which is covered by insurance. Mr. Wilson is at present in Maine and the house was in charge of a housekeeper, who states that she believes the fire was caused by a cat jumping from a table and upsetting a lighted lamp.

The following brief but very graphic account of the terrible disaster at Galveston has been received by Dr. J. C. Gallison from his old schoolmate and friend, Dr. A. B. Chamberlain of that city, who is the sovereign grand inspector general of the Masonic order in Texas and thirty-third degree Mason. He says, under date of September 10: "Galveston has just passed through the most fearful and destructive storm that ever visited any city. The destruction cannot be described nor the number of killed and wounded now be estimated. Not a house in the city that is not more or less wrecked, and hundreds upon hundreds are gone entirely, and the men, women and children that are lying dead at every turn beggars description. All of our folks are saved, thank God! Occasionally, when some house would fall, crashing down with a terrible noise, my little boy would say, 'I wish the wind would stop blowing.' I put this in the office, but don't know when it will get away. My telegram to you I sent to Houston by boat, the only means of communication for some time."

Y. M. C. A.

There was a goodly number of interested persons at the meeting in Metcalf block on Wednesday evening to discuss the plans for forming an association for the Christian betterment of the young men of the place. Most of those present agreed to join as members, although the plans for the complete organization have not as yet all been formulated. After a full and interesting discussion the meeting adjourned to next Monday evening, when it is expected a speaker from Boston will be present to render assistance and give further impetus to the work.

The meeting will be held in the room over J. R. Hosford's dry goods store, and the room should be filled with earnest workers for the saving of the young men of the place. Come out and assist in the good work, as it must be carried on by some one.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending September 19, 1900:

Ladies—Miss Bessie Beaumont, Mrs. Etta Schofield.

Gentlemen—Alton Handley, Roland McIntyre, Barney McGinnis, W. E. Miller, B. N. Rodgers, Bertram H. Smith, Alfred Thibadeau, Ernest L. Wilson, C. F. Warner, Thayer & Metcalf, B. Salit.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Extra choice candy, Zunino & Gregori's fruit store, Main street. Fancy chocolates, 15c. lb.; French mixed, 10c.; all penny goods, 55c. box.

Emerson's Market.

Fresh killed chicks and fowls, lamb, pork and tomatoes. We also have spinach, shell beans, cauliflower, gem melons, sweet potatoes, squash, lettuce, celery, grapes, onions, cabbages, new beets and turnips.

Hubbard Martin Bullock.

The funeral of the late Hubbard M. Bullock took place yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Cook officiating. Rev. Mr. Chadbourne, a former pastor of Mr. Bullock's, was present and assisted in the exercises. The music was furnished by Mrs. Jenks and Mrs. Stewart, who sang "I Am But a Pilgrim, Stranger," add "Abide With Me" very touchingly. The bearers were Henry R. Jenks, Lewis R. Whittaker, A. P. Woodward and George S. Hosie. They accompanied the body to the train, where it was sent to Oak Grove cemetery, Fall River, for interment.

His illness was of a lingering duration, something in the nature of a stroke affecting him early in the year, from which he rallied sufficiently to be about, but not to attend actively to business. A second stroke came upon him while he was at Dedham doing jury duty and he returned home sick, from which attack he never entirely rallied. The end came peacefully and painlessly on Monday.

HUBBARD M. BULLOCK.

Mr. Bullock was born in Grafton, N. H., Dec. 14, 1833, moving to Fall River at an early age. He was engaged in the grocery and provision business for three years, ill health later compelling him to give up his business career, and he disposed of his store. He then purchased a farm in Bellingham, retiring there to regain his health, which he succeeded in doing. After a rest of two years he again entered active business life, coming to Franklin, where he established a real estate and insurance business, securing many patrons. For the twenty three years in which he has lived here he has been continually interested in the advancement of the town, both materially and morally. He has been one of the trustees of the Benjamin Franklin Savings bank for fifteen years, and prominently connected with the Business Men's association. For more than twenty years he has been an untiring worker in the Methodist church, officiating as its treasurer. His life was one of unselfish devotion to his family and friends, being naturally of a genial obliging disposition. He was an earnest worker in the temperance cause, ever anxious to uphold, defend and protect the good name of the town in this respect. He leaves a widow and four children, Hon. William J. Bullock, representative to the Massachusetts legislature from New Bedford, Mrs. William H. Judd of Boston, Mrs. Frank T. Barton of Providence and Mrs. Albert C. Estey of the same city.

Don't Miss It.

Those who enjoy fine acting and fine plays will be pleased to know that J. E. Toole, the singing comedian, supported by his competent company, will appear at the Opera house two evenings, Sept. 28 and 29. The first evening "Killarney and the Rhine," interspersed with comedy, pathos, original music, songs and dances, special scenery and elaborate costumes, with the same company that has been playing in New York and Boston. The second night Joseph Jefferson's version of "Rip Van Winkle" will be presented. The prices will be for these attractions: Centre orchestra and balcony, 35c.; admission, 25c. Any one wishing to know about this company are referred by the management to A. M. Thayer, the leading lady having been a pupil of the latter.

Team for Sale.

A bay horse, top buggy, harness, nearly new; price reasonable. Inquire of F. A. M., Plainville, Mass.

Pianos Tuned.

I shall be in Franklin during the second week in October to care for my pianos and to attend to new ones. Orders may be left at the SENTINEL office.

J. W. WALKER.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse.

Two chairs at Ocbee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser in attendance. Short waits.

Read the Business Announcements.

A Foregone Conclusion.

Next week the voters of Franklin will have an opportunity to register their preferences in caucus to see who shall represent this congressional district at Washington, taking the place now held by Congressman Sprague, who declines a renomination. There are but two candidates in the field, Hon. S. L. Powers of Newton and Fred H. Williams of Brookline. Few would question the capability of either candidate to fitly represent the district, yet at the same time there is an acknowledged difference in the two men, the superiority clearly resting with Mr. Powers.

It is a fact that Mr. Powers has so impressed himself upon the thinking voters of the district that they have instinctively turned toward him as the proper man for the place. This is shown by the number of prominent men in the various towns of the district who have espoused the cause of Mr. Powers. Mr. Williams has rather querulously complained that his opponent has already secured the promised assistance of many of the strong men of the party, as if that were in itself something reprehensible. The question at once suggests itself, isn't that exactly the result Mr. Williams sought and would have attained had that been possible? Did not the crime of the thing consist mainly in the success? Surely that cannot have been wrong in Mr. Powers which Mr. Williams sought to effect.

It is, therefore, true that Mr. Powers has secured the co-operation of many of the leading men throughout the district, who propose to see to it that the coveted honor to be given to the man who shall adequately fill the requirements of the position. Mr. Powers' prominence in the counsels of his party, his recognized forensic ability, his uprightness of character, the cleanliness of his campaign, all entitle him to the suffrages of the intelligent voters of this district, if they desire to be ably represented in the halls of halls of congress. It has been shown that a gratifying majority of the voters of this district desire thus to honor themselves and Mr. Powers by making him their standard bearer, end in the political parlance of the day. "It is all over but the shouting."

His magnanimity has been shown already in his published statement that he should take off his coat and work for the success of his opponent if he felt that the voters of the district preferred Mr. Williams to himself. He would scorn to "sulk in his tent" simply because he misjudged the wishes of his possible constituents. That is a magnificient testimonial to the character of the candidate, and the sentiment does him decided honor. Knowing Mr. Williams as we do, we think it safe to say that he will do likewise.

John McAuliffe's Stock Company All Next Week.

Commencing Monday night and continuing all the week, with daily matinee, commencing Tuesday, Jere McAuliffe's stock company will present a week of repertoire at the Woonsocket opera house. Tom Edson, the electrician, with an entire scenic outfit; "Southern Chimes," with a sugar crusher and the belfry scene; "All for Gold" and "Camille," with its wealth of magnificent gowns and jewels;" "The Man of-War's Man," the great naval play; "Under Sealed Orders," dealing with a British secret service department: "The Fugitive," the great "Diamond Robbery," made famous by Madame Janauscheck. The system of daily matinees, beginning Tuesday, and the Monday night ladies' tickets will rule during thie engagement.

Freshly Baked Goods.

Everything fresh from the Elkerton bakery may be procured at any time at Crowninshield's bargain store. Hot rolls after 5 o'clock every night.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

Wanted—A girl to do general housework. Inquire of Dr. Geo. King. 21-tf

To Rent.—A desirable tenement of six rooms; $12 per month. Inquire of O. T. Doe. 14 tf

Wanted.—A girl to do general housework. Apply to G. H. Grant, School street. 18-tf

Girl Wanted—A girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. Alfred Farrington. 21 tf

Wanted—A woman to do family washing at her own home. Apply to Mrs. Joseph P. Bassett. 21, 25

A competent girl can obtain a good situation doing housework by addressing "E," SENTINEL office. 18

Wanted.—Competent woman for general housework. Address, stating references, Box 118, Franklin, Mass. 21,25,28

Mrs. Nellie Razee Noyes announces to the public that she will open a dancing school about the middle of October.

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

Round-trip Boston tickets can be had at $1.05, (less than the five-trip rate), of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office. Also round-trip Providence and Milford tickets at a saving of 12c from regular fare. Mileage books to let.

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2 in..	1 75	2 25	2 75	3 25	4 50	5 75	10 00	16 00
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Business and Professional Cards, to occupy one-half inch space, once a week, $5.00 per year, twice a week, $7.50 per year.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1900.

A Crack at Kentucky.

Man born in the mounteins of Kentucky is of fend days and full of virus. He fisheth, fiddleth, cusseth and fighteth all the days of his miserable life says the Martin (Tex.) Democrat. He shunneth water as a mad dog and drinketh much mean whisky. When he desireth to raise a rumpus he planteth a neighbor, and lo! he reapeth twentyfold. He riseth even from the cradle to seek the scalp of his grandsire's enemy, and bringeth home in his carcass the ammunition of his wife's neighbor's wife's cousin's father-in-law, who avengeth the deed. Yes, verily his life is uncertain and he knows not the hour when he may he jerked hence. He goeth forth on a journey half shot and cometh back on a shutter, shot. He riseth in the night to let the cat out, and it taketh nine doctors three days to pick the gunshot out of him. He goeth forth in joy and gladness and cometh back in scraps and fragments. A cyclone bloweth him into the bosom of his neighbor's wife and his neighbor's wife's husband bloweth him into Abraham's bosom before he hath time to explain. He emptieth a demijohn into himself and a shotgun into his enemy, and his enemy's son lieth in wait for him on election day; and lo! the coroner ploweth up a 40-acre field to bury the remains of that man. Woe, woe is Kentucky, for her eyes are red with bad whisky, and her soul is stained with the blood of innocent moonshiners.

Good Results of a Revival.

A strange result of a revival is given by the New York Observer: "A few months ago a Franklin, N. Y., business man inadvertently gave a customer a ten-dollar gold piece for 50 cents change. The customer who received the ten-dollar gold piece observed to another party a few hours after that it was the funniest 5-cent piece he had ever seen. 'Yes,' replied the new arrival, 'but I'll give you two quarters for it.' The fool and the knave closed the bargain; the fool walked off with two silver quarters and the knave with the yellow piece. The loss of the ten-dollar gold piece worried the Franklin merchant, because he could not account for its disappearance. During the recent revival in Franklin, conducted by Rev. H. W. Pope, superintendent of the Northfield extension the men with the ten-dollar gold piece was converted and finally returned the gold piece to the merchant. Justice was thus rendered on all sides. The merchant got back his gold, the converted man got back the half dollar be paid the rustic, and the latter by this time probably has traded his two silver quarters for a jackknife."

There is a plan on foot among the colored people of Omaha to restore the Lincoln car, built at the opening of the civil war, to its original condition and place it in a public building, where it will be kept permanently. The Union Pacific company bought the car soon after the war and used it in the west as a pay car, it being especially desirable for this purpose, as it had within its sides, concealed by upholstering and mahogany, half-inch boiler plates. They were placed there as a protection to prevent President Lincoln from being shot while at the front, where he frequently went in his armored car.

A New York superintendent of schools says: "We have had more cases of corporal punishment to investigate this year than usual. Our boys seem more than ever given to fighting. I think it is due to the way in which most of the newspapers exploit the doings of prize fighters. Not only is a great deal of space devoted to prize fights, but the pugilists and scenes at the ringside are fully illustrated. Now, all this had a bad effect on the boys and is the cause of most of their disorderly acts."

PASSING YEARS

Look in your mirror today. Take a last look at your gray hair. It surely may be the last if you want it so; you needn't keep your gray hair a week longer than you wish. There's no guesswork about this; it's sure every time.

To restore color to gray hair use—

Ayer's Hair Vigor

After using it for two or three weeks notice how much younger you appear, ten years younger at least.

Ayer's Hair Vigor also cures dandruff, prevents falling of the hair, makes hair grow, and is a splendid hair dressing.

It cannot help but do these things, for it's a hair-food. When the hair is well fed, it cannot help but grow.

It makes the scalp healthy and this cures the disease that causes dandruff.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

"My hair was coming out badly, but Ayer's Hair Vigor stopped the falling and has made my hair very thick and much darker than before. I think there is nothing like it for the hair." CORA M. LEA, April 25, 1899. Yarrow, I. T.

Write the Doctor.

If you do not obtain all the benefits you desire from the use of the Vigor, write the doctor about it. Address, DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

Make It Up.

Our temper runs away at times, as everybody knows;
We say things, while we're angry, that we won't say in repose
To show the truest penitence, this little maxim keep:
Just make it up before you go to sleep!

Don't let the darkness find you with a sword of anger drawn
To make some fond heart suffer till the breaking of the dawn.
Come, let your anger vanish, knock your pride into a heap:
Just make it up before you go to sleep!

Who knows where you will wander when the shades of night depart?
Don't enter that dim country with hot anger in your heart!
Don't mind the provocation—as ye sow so shall ye reap:
Just make it up before you go to sleep!
—Rural New Yorker

A Large Undertaking.

How many fishes are there in the seas?
How many sands on the shore?
How many branches are there on the trees?
How many grasses have waved on the leas?
How many stars have shown o'er?

When you have answered these questions of mine,
Then I will earnestly search
And faithfully try in some way to divine
In just how many angles a boy will incline
As he lists to a sermon at church.
—Nixon Waterman, in Woman's Home Companion

Who May with Shrewd Hours Strive?

"Who may with the shrewd hours strive?
Too thrifty dealers they
That with the one hand blandly give,
With the other take away

"And glitters there some falling flake,
Some dust of gold, between
The hands that give and hands that take
Slipped noiseless and unseen.

"Ah, comedy of bargainings!
What gain of years we found
A little sift of golden things
Forgotten on the ground"
—Arthur Colton, in Ainslee's Magazine.

A Sad Case.

She—I suppose, senator, you find the glare of publicity very annoying sometimes?

He—Yes, I frequently become so weary of it that I am almost tempted to run for the vice presidency.—Chicago Times-Herald.

The Simon-Pure Article.

Percy—Have you ever loved before?

Edith—No, Percy! I have often admired men—for their strength, courage, beauty, intelligence, or something like that; but with you, Percy, it is all love—nothing else!—Puck.

May Have Got Something.

"A burglar got into our house last night."

"Did he take anything?"

"The children are all sick, and we hope be got the measles."—Chicago Record

Not the Same.

"I have a unique thing in the book line," said the poet.

"So I have heard," returned the cynic. "The complete first edition of your own book, is it not?"—Harlem Life.

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GEN. ALGER INVESTS.

He and His Associates Pay $1,500,000 for 230,000 Acres of Southern Timber Land.

Ex-Secretary Russell A. Alger and his associates have just completed the purchase of 230,000 acres of choice long leaf yellow pine timber lands, situated in the counties of Escanaba, Conecuh, Monroe and Baldwin, in Alabama, extending from the Alabama river on the north to the Florida state line on the south. The purchase was made from Martin H. Sullivan, the millionaire timber king of the south. The price paid was $1,500,000.

Gen. Alger and his associates will immediately orgauize a corporation to be known as the Alger-Sullivan Timber company. They will build on these lands several fine mills and the necessary railway tracks for carrying on the export timber business to which they will devote most of the lands. The mills will have a capacity of 200,000,000 feet per annum.

From government reports it appears that the forests are fast being depleted, and hence the great wisdom of northwestern enterprise in securing this the last large body of timber land in the south. This land being connected by water with Pensacola, the logs can be floated direct to the mills, while ample railway facilities afford transportation to the wharves for shipping the timber to foreign ports. Included in this purchase by Gen. Alger is the finest wharf at Pensacola, upon which the new company will expend $100,000 in improving and extending. The water is of sufficient depth for the largest ocean-going steamers to come alongside. The South Atlantic squadron, headed by the New York, anchored out in the bay in front of it about three weeks ago.

The American Car company of Detroit, Mich., of which the ex-secretary is one of the largest stockholders, it is understood, will erect extensive works at Pensacola for building cars. They will place in charge some of the most expert workmen in their employ, many of them having 20 or 30 years' experience. The chief object in locating the works and sending the labor south is that the transportation of the timber to the works north is almost as much as the cost of the material itself.

SIAM'S FIRE PROTECTION.

King Interested in American Apparatus and Will Purchase for His Kingdom.

The king of Siam is planning to establish a fire department for his kingdom. His attention has been called to the fact that the fire department of New York city has something called a Siamese hose, and his majesty's curiosity is aroused.

With a view to obtaining the most advanced ideas of fire methods, the king's own representative, the Siamese minister, Phya Prasiddhi, has come to town. One thing he will learn about the "Siamese hose" is that it owes nothing whatever to Siam save the reputation of the Siamese twins.

Phya Prasiddhi has come from Washington with a purpose to spend as much time as may he necessary in an inspection of Chief Croker's department. A communication was received by Acting Mayor Guggenheimer from Isaac Townsend Smith, consul general for Siam, requesting permission for Minister Prasiddhi to inspect the service.

The acting mayor gave him a letter to Commissioner Scannel, and at such time as the Siamese minister may designate his tour of the department will be made with all the courtesies befitting his high rank.

SMOKE SHELLS TO BE USED.

French Officials Decide on an Innovation for the Artillery Service.

An innovation has been introduced in the French artillery service by the decision to furnish the guns with a smoke shell. Hitherto the cannon has been provided with melinite and shrapnel shell only.

This new shell is intended to be launched at an opponent's artillery which, on bursting, will envelop it in a dense cloud of smoke, thus hampering the return fire. The new shell is the outcome of the introduction of smokeless powder.

Formerly, with the old powder, the result now aimed at was brought about by the guns themselves, the firing of which produced a smoke which blinded their own gunners. Experiments show that this invention creates a sort of veil before the enemy's artillery. Both the army and the navy will be supplied with these shells.

AMERICAN OWNERS BARRED.

Cannot Hold Property in the Exclusive Japanese Settlements in Corea.

United States Consul General Horace N. Allen, at Seoul, has been seeking to obtain an interpretation of the treaty regarding the right of non-Japanese to own land in the exclusive Japanese settlements in Corea. The question involved is one of great interest to Americans, as land so situated is very valuable for business purposes. Upon thorough inquiry, Mr. Allen has found that the holding of property in the Japanese settlements is confined to Japanese alone, and that though an American or other foreigner could take a mortgage on such property in the event of enforcing the payment of the debt the property would be sold at auction and only a Japanese could buy it in.

Mortality in Rome.

The mortality in Rome has been reduced within a few years from 25 per 1,000 to 15 per 1,000.

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Secretary Long in his address at Rumford, Me., last week put the case in a nutshell in the following.

"Politics," said he, "ought to be conducted on business principles. It is not a question of parties, but of your own bread and butter. If one of your great industries here should be unusually prosperous during the year, would you consider it good policy to change managers and workmen at the end of the year?

"The Democrats really have no issue. There is no such thing as imperialism; our American institutions will not permit it. There may be a very few honest men who believe in imperialism, as there are some who believe in ghosts. The Democrats use the term to hoodwink the people.

"The great questions are, 'Is labor in good demand with good wages? Is business prosperous? Are our general conditions improving?' If they are, let us keep on."

There has been no time since the destruction of the enemy's fleet when we could or should have left the Philippine archipelago. After the treaty of peace was ratified, no power but congress could surrender our sovereignty or alienate a foot of the territory thus acquired. The congress has not seen fit to do the one or the other, and the president had no authority to do either, if he had been so inclined, which he wes not. So long as the sovereignty remains in us, it is the duty of the executive, whoever he may be, to uphold that sovereignty, and, if it he attacked, to suppress its assailants. Would our political adversaries do less?—President McKinley's letter of acceptance.

New York Journal, Sept. 17, 1898.

We have a duty to perform in the Philippines—a duty to the Filipinos, to ourselves, to republican ideas, to civilization. The American people are perfectly willing to assume all the risks and burdens of that duty. No dishonorable desertion of the rescued people of the Philippines!

New York Journal, Aug. 12, 1898.

The American flag is up at Manila. Let it wave there until the people of the Philippines, under American protection, have grown into capacity for full self-government. That is the just, the American, policy. Nail the flag to the mast!

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Not to have visited Nova Scotia during September is to have missed one of the most delightful of autumnal tours. During this month the Yarmouth Steamship company will sell excursion tickets, good for thirty days from date of purchase, to all points in Nova Scotia at unusually low rates. You may go to Yarmouth and return for only $3; to Digby and return for $6.35; to Halifax and return for $8.50; and correspondingly low rates to all other places, including south shore ports reached by the steamer City of Monticello from Yarmouth. Yarmouth line steamers leave Pier 1, Lewis wharf, every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 2 p. m. for Yarmouth. Full particulars and tickets at the tourist agencies, 201, 296 and 332 Washington street, or of H. F. Hammond, agent Yarmouth Steamship company, Pier 1, Lewis wharf, Boston.

First Senator—It seems this new member paid $500,000 for his seat! It would be a dangerous precedent to accept his credentials.

Second Senator—Decidedly! We cannot afford to countenance any such extortionate price as that!—Detroit Journal.

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Campaign Echoes.

"Let us strive to make the conditions of life such that as nearly as possible each man shall receive the share to which he is honestly entitled and no more, and let us remember at the same time that our efforts must be to build up rather than to strike down and that we can best help ourselves, not at the expense of others, but by heartily working with them for the common good of each and all."—Governor Roosevelt.

"I love liberty, I love equality, and I love justice, and when the party to which I belong is too cowerdly to make a stand for the right, I leave it for good. Given the choice between McKinley and Roosevelt, upon the one hand, and Bryan and Stevenson and the unpatriotic Kansas City and Chicago platforms, upon the other, I shall without hesitation record my vote on election day for William McKinley and for Theodore Roosevelt, whose name and fame are deer to every soldier of the Spanish-American war and every citizen of the United States who venerates courageous, incorruptible American manhood."—Captain William E. English of Indiana.

"I went a government that gives every poor men the hope of becoming rich some day," says Bryan. That is the kind of a government he has always lived under, and personally he illustrates American opportunities. As for getting rich by cutting the value of the dollar, that is a joke.—Milford Journal.

Following is the schedule of wages per hour in Lyons, France, at the present time as furnished by United States Consul Covert: Carpenters, 13½ cents, masons, 12 cents; locksmiths, 11 cents; plasterers and painters, 12 cents; plumbers, 11 to 12 cents; stone cutters, 11 to 12 cents; chimney builders, 11 to 12 cents; layers of mosaic peving, 12 cents; laborers, 9 cents.

"When the peace congress met it concluded in the treaty to buy the Philippines and take chances with them. Many senators among the Republicans were not in favor of ratifying this treaty. Colonel Bryan was the instrument that succeeded in making the Philippines part of our territory. He came to Weshington, and by personal and persistent appeals rallied enough Democratic senators to the support of the treaty to insure its passage, and it is this same William J. Bryan that is now bringing forth this cry of imperialism for a new hobby on which to ride into power."—Senator Hale of Maine.

Expansion.

There is a rank due to the United States among the nations of the world which will be withheld, if not absolutely lost, by the reputation for weakness.—Washington.

Having practiced the acquisition of territory for nearly 60 years, the question of constitutional power to do so is no longer an open one with us.—Lincoln.

I am persuaded no constitution was ever before so well calculated as ours for extensive empire and self-government.—Thomas Jefferson.

I tell you, increase and multiply and expand is the law of this nation's existence.—S. A. Douglas.

I now behold the great American eagle, with her Stars and Stripes, hovering over the Lone Star of Texas, with cheering voice welcoming it into our glorious Union.—Andrew Jackson.

I do not share in the apprehension held by many as to the danger of governments becoming weakened and destroyed by reason of their extension of territory.—Grant.

Who is right, Mr. Bryan or The Fathers?

Averting a Challenge.

The Widower—Life, my young friend, is a duel between love and me.

The Pert Young Thing—But don't expect me to be your second.—Puck.

A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she could not live till morning" writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night. "All thought she must soon die from pneumonia, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, saying it had more than once saved her life, and had cured her of consumption. After three small doses she slept easily all night, and its further use completely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all throat, chest and lung diseases. Only 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason's drug store.

Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are too expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2.65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit. The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save. If your druggist can't supply you, it will be fowarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

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POETIC POESIES.

A Sadje, Sadje Fate.

This is the tale of Peter Gunn,
Who read and talked of "kopje;"
Also of Cronje and the Boers,
Until he could not stopje.

He tacked a "je" to every word,
Or nearly every oneje,
Until his friends and family
Wished war had ne'er begunje.

At evening he was not content
To sit at home and talkje,
But he would ask his wife if she
"Would like to take a walkje."

He hired a man to scoop the snow
Which lay upon his lawnje,
And paralyzed his little boy
By saying: "Come here, Johnje."

He bristled o'er with news of war,
Said: "Buller flew the coopje,"
And backed it up by stating that
"Old White is in the soupje."

He asked a friend if she would sing
"In words of tuneful soundje,
The ballad 'When You Have No Coin
You Needn't Come Aroundje!' "

And thus be went from bad to worse,
Until, what do you thinkje?
He tried to drown Great Britain's woes,
Likewise his own, in drinkje!

And now they have him in a place,
Locked in a padded cellje,
Where every day that awful "je"
With all his words he'll yellje.

Take heed, take heed—this simple tale
Should warn you everyoneje—
Lest you should tempt the fate that met
Our poor friend, Peter Gunnje.
—W. D. Nesbit, in Baltimore American.

The Annual Fever.

We're hunting a house—do you know of one
With bath and a furnace and closets and gas;
Well, cistern and faucets and plenty of sun,
And a plat in front having lots of grass?
A garret where traps can be stored away,
And a nice back yard for Bobby and Sue,
And a barn for the horse and oats and bay,
And a summer kitchen and woodshed, too?

We're hunting a house—and it must be where
The children can easily walk to school;
Not too far out from the courthouse square,
But still the location must be cool.
The paper and paint must be fresh and clean;
The place in the best condition be.
Perchance you've a house that should be seen:
Please tell us where we can get the key.

We're hunting a house—as the one we're in
For fully a year has sheltered us—
Hence now it is time that we begin
To have our annual "moving" fuss.
The season is here and a vague unrest
Has driven the people by hundreds mad,
So we will change to a neighbor's nest—
And others will enter the one we've had.
—Edwin L. Sabin, in Munsey's Magazine.

A Cradle Song.

Hushaby! rockaby! mother's wee darling,
Bright stars are gleaming o'er meadow and lea;
Now close your bright eyes and sweet be your slumber.
Angels will guard both my baby and me

Sweetly the mocking bird sings in the willow;
List to the song that he warbles for thee.
Dream in the happy land 'way over yonder,
Far, far away, o'er the bright slumber sea.

Rockaby! hushaby! full moon is rising,
Peeping her head o'er the line of the sea.
So heave up the anchor, spread out the canvas
And sail away, dearie, like gulls that are free!

Mother will stow thee away in thy cradle,
Rocking it gently while singing to thee.
He, for your pilot, who loves all the children,
Who said: "Suffer them to come unto me."
T. J. NICHOLL.

Sorter Wonderin'.

Sorter wonderin' if you know
That I'm lovin' of you so!
That I want you all day long—
In the sighin', in the song
In the dark an' in the light—
In the blossom an' the blight—
Sorter wonderin' if you know
That I'm lovin' of you so!

Sorter wonderin', when the day
Goes the weepin' twilight's way,
An' the gold is turned to gray
Where the winds kneel down to pray;
When the shadows seem to be
Lengthenin' 'twixt your life an' me—
Sorter wonderin' if you know
That I'm lovin' of you so!

Sorter wonderin'! But I seem
Nearer to you in a dream;
Then no thorny barriers frown;
Then you kiss my eyelids down;
An' the grief that made the day
Drifts in dreams o' you away.
In your dreams, dear, do you know,
That I'm lovin' of you so?
—F. L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.

NOT ENOUGH CADETS.

A Growing Shortage of Men from West Point to Fill Vacancies—Provision for More Appointments.

An importance scarcely second to that of the increase of artillery is attached by the secretary of war to the clause in the pending army bill providing for the appointment by the president of 100 cadets at large to the military academy, at West Point. This year's class at the academy graduates only 54 to supply 130 vacancies in the regular establishment, and after the enlisted men are found to increase the available worthy material perhaps to 80 there will still remain at least 50 vacancies in the grade of second lieutenant. The next class at the academy is now only about 75 strong and will graduate about 60. The vacancies will probably exceed 150, and four years from now the vacancies will amount to 250, with no increase in the properly qualified graduates to fill them.

FASTS FOR FOUR MONTHS.

The Case of a Young Indiana Woman Proves a Puzzle to Physicians.

Miss Paul Curry, the Howard county (Ind.) girl who on the last memorial day remarked to a friend: "On Memorial day next year you can decorate my grave," has now fasted 120 days and is still alive. Her case has puzzled the most eminent specialists in the country. She is evidently determined to make her words come true. The lack of nourishment has produced inflammation of the digestive organs and she could not now assimilate food if it should be forced into the stomach. She refuses to talk of her condition to the doctors and has uttered a very few words only since she began to fast. During all this period she has taken nothing but a little vinegar with lemon juice and a pinch of salt.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN ORE.

Students from the University of Minnesota on a Tour in Colorado Will Study It.

Charles E. Barneceld, professor of mining in the University of Minnesota at Minneapolis, is at Idaho Springs, Col., for the purpose of making arrangements for the accommodation of the class in mineralogy, which is to spend about three weeks at that place. Some 20 of the students will arrive, under the charge of Prof. Appleby. The purpose of the visit is to place the students on a more familiar standing of the mining in the Rocky mountains. They have visited the copper and iron mines in northern Michigan, but find in Colorado a more extensive field for study. They have already visited Aspen.

He (with the contempt of a boy of 16)—Girls always giggle more than boys.

She (with the acuteness of 15)—That's because they have to look at boys.—Indianapolis News.

Politeness.

A man's idea of true politeness is to refrain from consulting his watch during a tedious sermon.—Chicago Daily News.

If Bryan Wins.

H. W. Peabody, a well-known banker of Boston, says "The currency is the leading issue of this campaign" in a recent article. He thus sums up the situation in case that Bryan should win:

"A lapse from the gold basis would occur immediately after Mr. Bryan's election was a known fact. All greenbacks and treasury notes and gold certificates would be presented for payment in gold, so long as the treasury had gold to pay with, when the treasurer would be obliged to stop and the banks would also stop payment of gold.

"This national bankruptcy would destroy confidence of all holders of American securities, which would be thrown upon our market for forced sale, and enormous demands for gold would quickly place it at a premium over our paper currency, as during the Civil war.

"The withdrawal from circulation of United States notes and gold in circulation and in bank reserves, would cause contraction, stringency and panic. We might not be squarely upon a silver basis until free coinage was established by law, and this chance would prevent the utter depreciation of our currency, according to the silver strength of congress. We should be upon a paper basis, with silver certificates, United States notes and bank notes redeemable only in silver, as we should have no other coin. Prices of the necessaries of life would advance according as the gold value of our currency depreciated, and along with the depreciation the deposits in banks and savings institutions, income salaries and wages would shrink as the money they are payable in deteriorated. The election of Mr. Bryan would reverse our prosperity into calamity."

The New York Journal's List.

From the Lewiston (Me.) Journal

On Monday, Aug. 27, the New York Journal, an ardent and industrious (not to say imaginative) advocate of the free silver school of Bryan, published a list of "distinguished Republicans in several states who declare their reasons for forsaking the Republican party, as now controlled." Among the names mentioned is a list from Maine, as follows:

Ex-Justice Clarence Willis, Silas Look, Daniel T Salt, Abraham Piper, Charles Bond, Lewis Fay.

The New York Journal goes widely into this state purely as a sensational newspaper. Its reputation as a political prophet is now and always has been bad, and this but makes it worse. A whole army of names, in black type like the above, adorns the same page as this unique list from Maine. Not one of them from this state ever existed. Every one of them was born in the imagination of the astute political novelist in Mr. Hearst's office, who had to have a list of recalcitrant Maine Republicans because Maine's vote is earliest of all the states

"There is another reason why the people have gone into the city and left the farm. It is because your legislation has been causing the foreclosure of mortgages upon the farms. * * * I cannot understand how a man living upon a farm can be deluded with the idea that the gold standard has anything but misery and suffering for him."—Bryan's speech at Monmouth, Ills.

The gold standard has remained in operation since this assertion, yet the condition of the farmers has been, in the four years since that time, vastly improved, as shown by the value of farm products already quoted; while the speed with which the mortgages complained of have been paid off is illustrated by the figures for Mr. Bryan's own state, which show an increase of 50 percent for the state of Nebraska alone, in the value of mortgages released in 1898 as compared with 1896.

Judge John J. Hunt, who was the leader of the Silver Democrats of Georgia in 1896, has written a letter in strong opposition to Bryan and h's "paramount issue" of imperialism. "For my part," he says, "I do not intend to agree, in the face of all evidence to the contrary, that the American people, or even any respectable political party in America, is capable of making vassals and slaves of the Filipinos, or that the American people or any respectable political party in my country is an alder and abettor in any scheme of conquest." He adds. "Any Democrat has a right to protest against this senseless issue being thrust on a great historic party as a paramount issue, merely because Mr. Bryan, at the expense of the greatest and most glaring personal inconsistency, wishes it done."

While the Democratic party is talking about "paramount" issues Mr. McKinley has met their cry with a better one in his letter of acceptance. He says in reference to the silver question:

"If another issue is paramount, this is immediate. It will admit no delay and will suffer no postponement."

The stability of our national currency is therefore secure, so long as those who adhere to this platform are kept in control of the government. In the first battle, that of 1896, the friends of the gold standard and of sound currency were triumphant, and the country is enjoying the fruits of that victory. Our antagonists, however, are not satisfied. They compel us to a second battle upon the same lines upon which the first was fought and won.—McKinley's letter of acceptance.

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The Democrats are trying to abstract some comfort from the Vermont election returns, but the fact that the 31,000 Republican majority was greater than any of the election prophets had dared to predict and the largest majority, but one, cast in that state for a dozen years puts a face on the Democratic claims that is unanswerable.

In the matter of rallies, "It is the early bird that catches the worm." The Republican state committee are now filling dates for the campaign rapidly, and it is important that early application be made for assignment of speeches.

No; President McKinley will not avail himself of the privilege of talking his opinions into a graphophone. He will leave that circus performance to Candidate Bryan, who ought to make a success of it, in view of his long practice in talking through his hat

By the way, what a funny metallic sound those graphophone speeches of Candidate Bryan will have after the idea of November are past.

Here is what Mr. McKinley says in his letter of acceptance in regard to the trusts:

"Combinations of capital controlling the market in commodities necessary to the general use of the people, by suppressing natural and ordinary competition, thus enhancing prices to the general consumer, are obnoxious to the common law and the public welfare. They are dangerous conspiracies against public good, and should be made subjects of prohibitory and penal legislation."

"We have passed from a bond issuing to a bond paying nation; from a nation of borrowers to a nation of lenders; from a deficiency in revenue to a surplus; from fear to confidence; from enforced idleness to profitable employment."—William McKinley.

Edmunds on Trusts.

Ex-Senator Edmunds is in favor of McKinley for re-election and states his reasons in his usual able and convincing manner.

"In regard to trusts," he says, "the country will be as well off under one party as another. Combinations of men cannot be broken. We may harass them and in a measure control them, but men will continue to combine for mutual interests, and you cannot stop them. The tendency is toward combinations. Men are engaged in bigger enterprises than ever before, and many of these can be effected only by combination. Everything is bigger. Even our locomotives are larger and more powerful," said Mr. Edmunds, as one of them went puffing past the hotel.

"This is not a party question. When business interests are involved all men are of one mind. They may belong to different political parties, have widely varying religious beliefs and disagree on many subjects, but when it comes to business, to the earning of a livelihood, they invariably agree. I think you will find as many Democrats in the trusts as you will find Republicans, and I know that some of the biggest capitalists contribute equally to both parties, and they naturally expect that no matter who is elected, their interests will be protected.

"I would venture to say that, taking all the persons in the large cities worth $100,000 or $500,000, you will find as many Democrats as Republicans.

"No, combination of men for business purposes is not a party question. They will all stay together, just as labor unions vote one way when the interests of their members are involved.

"On the other hand, take, for instance, that dispatch in the morning paper naming Altgeld for the supreme court. I suppose it is a fake, but at the same time it sets one thinking of what is likely to happen. Altgeld may be honest. Bryan may be honest; I believe, for that matter, that the majority of anarchists are honest, but it is the ideas they have and which they may try to carry out that makes them unsafe. They are too visionary."—Ex-Senator Edmunds.

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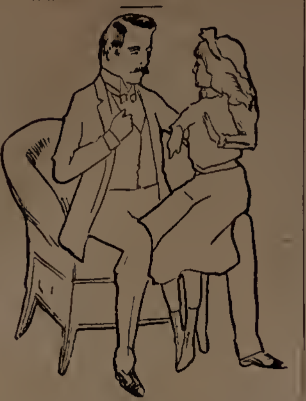

"I want to tell you something, dear! Your former governess, Fraulein Grete, is going to be married soon!"

"Well, I'm thankful, pa, that that stupid thing is going to leave the house. But what numbskull is going to marry her?"

"I am, my dear!"—Der Floh.

Too True.

Some men we know have taking ways,
But, O! alas! alack!
There are but few we know of who
Have ways of bringing back.
—Philadelphia Press.

Interrupted Enjoyment.

"Did you enjoy your vacation?" asked the congressman's friend.

"Not much," answered the member from Cowtrack Crossing. "It's kind o' hard to hear all the folks saying that vacations are good things for the country, 'cause when we're home the public can be sure we ain't doing any damage."—Washington Star.

Taking After Papa.

"Charlie, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins, "the baby is trying to talk again. It's wonderful how he takes after you!"

"What is he talking about?"

"I think it must have been politics. He started very calmly, but in a few minutes he was as angry and red in the face as he could he."—Tit-Bits.

That Awful Child.

Said Mrs. G——, who had come to spend the day, to little Edith: "Are you glad to see me again, Edith?" "Yes, m'm, and mamma's glad, too," replied the child. "Is she?" "Yes, m'm. She said she hoped you'd come to-day and have it over with."—Ohio State Journal.

A Standard of Measurement.

"There's no doubt about it," said the man with a large diamond in his necktie; "that man is a genuine patriot."

"How do you know?"

"Why, he can get up as much enthusiasm over an election as he does over a prize fight."—Washington Star.

The Flaw in His Plan.

Mr. Soaksum—I flatter myself that I can always tell when I've got enough.

The Moralist—Yes, but that's where you lose track of the game. You ought to try to learn to tell when you've got too much.—Chicago Times-Herald.

High Rollers.

Lizzie—Yes, the icemen, the coalmen and the hackmen were all there, but I danced only with the milkmen.

Mayne—Why, Liz?

Lizzie—Because they are the cream of society.—Chicago Daily News.

Weighty Subject.

"Did you notice how the speaker thumped the desk at regular intervals?"

"Yes. I presume he was weighing his words, you know, and every thump was a pound."—Philadelphia Bulletin

Holding Him Off.

Doctor casually)—Well, Mr. Brown, how are you to-day?

Mr. Brown (defensively)—Oh, I'm all right, doctor. There's nothing the matter with me that would be worth $2 to you.—Chicago Record.

An Every-Day Occurrence.

Smith—Chicago has a robber who drives about in a cab.

Brown—That's nothing! I've been robbed by a cab driver many a time. —Town Topics.

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WRENTHAM.

Hiram A. Cowell leaves shortly for Kansas City, to be the guest of Jeremiah Murphy.——A great deal of dissatisfaction is being heard in regard to the fifty-foot limit either side of the switch which the electric road has established in the centre of the village.——The ladies of Trinity Guild gave a successful concert and dance in the town hall Wednesday evening.——Miss Bertha Willard has entered the employ of Daniel Brown as assistant bookkeeper.——Samuel Laughlin of Webster is in town visiting friends.——The Republican town caucus will be held in the Plainville town hall Monday evening, Sept. 24. Among the delegates to be chosen those for congressman seem to be exciting the most interest.——Mrs. Hattie Curtis Merriam is visiting her friend, Mrs. Susan M. Gerould.——A petition is being circulated to the county commissioners asking them to widen East street from the town farm to the Foxboro line.——Rev. J. C. Smith of Everett is preaching at the Advent Christian church in South Wrentham.

A Treat.

Jagway—Did you have a good time at that stag dinner the other night?

Toperly—The greatest time I ever had! Why, I can't remember a thing that happened.—Brooklyn Life.

Explained.

A scientist says the earth is shrinking at the rate of three inches a year. This may account for the anxiety of some people to get possession of it before it dwindles away.—Chicago Daily News.

French Matrimonial Agents.

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Weller—And he has, has he?

"Yes. You remember he used to play the part of the hind legs of the elephant in the pantomime?"

"Yes."

"Well now he's playing the front legs."—Tit-Bits.

In No Danger.

"Some of those old blue laws are very funny," he said. "For instance, it has been discovered that kissing is still against the law in Connecticut."

"But we are not in Connecticut," she suggested.

His call that evening was somewhat longer than usual.—Chicago Post.

Deceptive Environment.

It is not always safe to judge a man
According to the company he keeps,
And pass him underneath the social ban,
Classed with the hot police or common sweeps
He may not have a chance to pick his crowd.
That happens very frequently, as when
A sward [illegible] consorts with the low-browed
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—Chicago Record

Florida and the South.

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Not an Exception.

Little Niece Do you eat tobacco?

Uncle Wayback—No, I only chew it.

"What's the use of chewin' anything if you don't eat it?"

"I—I dunno."

"Seems to me grown peoples never know why they do half the things they do."—N. Y. Weekly.

Church Services.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D.D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "How to Get Rid of Sin." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 4. Sunday school at 3. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 3. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, Ph. D.; theme, "The Contest of Life." Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30; address by the pastor; subject, "How Jesus Spent His Sabbaths."

Baptist church.—At 10.30 preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper; theme, "Preparation for the Second Coming of Christ." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Preaching at 7.30; theme, "Christ Serving His Saints." Short after service in the vestry.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 and 7.30 by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook; morning subject, "The Brother at Fault;" evening subject, "Practical Christianity." Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 3. Epworth league at 6.30; subject, "Tares in Your Field;" leader, Miss Jessie Hosie.

Fell Short of Her Ideal.

When school girls grow confidential with one another they sometimes, I am told, describe the sort of a man who corresponds to what they call their "beau ideal." Did you ever happen to hear what Mrs. Stephen A. Douglas was credited with saying on this topic? "When I was at school," she remarked, "I used to vow that there were three kinds of men I never could be induced to marry. First, I never would marry a man who was younger than I. Second, I never would marry a man who was shorter than I. Third, I never would marry a politician. Well, I kept my vow, except that in marrying Mr. Douglas I married a man who was not quite as old as I, who was not as tall as I, and who was one of the most prominent politicians of his day."—N. Y. Mail and Express.

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Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Fel ey W Thayer of Bellingham, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the 17th day of October, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Also Lost the Train.

The nervous commuter had one minute in which to catch his train. He was hastening exceedingly when the cries of a small boy smote upon his ear.

"Hey! Mister," shouted the urchin, "yer've lost somethin'."

The commuter stopped and hastily counted his bundles. "What have I lost?" he panted. "Why," said the boy, "yer've lost the shine I put on yer shoes yistid'y. I'll gi' yer another fur a nickel."—Philadelphia Press.

Mutual Regrets.

"Your refusal, Miss Quickstep," the young man said, "wounds me deeply, but you cannot deprive me of the recollection of the many happy hours I have passed in your company."

"I shall remember them with pleasure, too, Mr. Spoonamore, believe me," she replied. "No young man of my acquaintance has ever brought me as delicious chocolate creams as you have."—Chicago Tribune.

A Mean Man.

"Ah, well," she sighed—seeing a chance to reach after a compliment—"how can I help being a silly girl, when I was born on the first of April?"

"Still," he replied, "you haven't had a birthday so long that it seems as if you might have outlived the effects of your nativity."—Chicago Times-Herald.

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LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$571,160 11
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 99
Interest Account		567 15
Real Estate Income Account		16 19
		$600,700 30

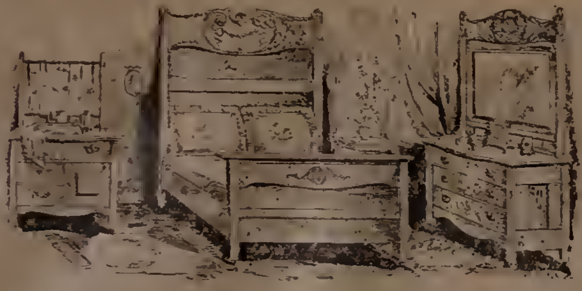
ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,975 00
" " Mortgages		157,560 00
" " Personal Securities		169,891 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		34 97
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$7,822 25	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	4,095 58	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	12,001 99
Cash on hand		752 37
		$600,700 30

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

ADELBERT D. THAYER,
CHARLES STEWART,
Committee of Examination.

July 31, 1900.



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Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
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Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10. p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 09 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Republican caucus tonight, 7.30.

The demand for felt hats continues good.

James O. Chilson is suffering with malaria.

Louis Fiorani is visiting relatives in Reading.

Walter King will shortly return here from Upton.

George M. Dauphinee is building a fine barn for E. S. Cook.

George H. Stowe has removed from Washington street to Boston.

Col. George W. Nason of Boston spent the Sabbath with friends here.

Joseph G. Ray has returned to his studies at Tufts for his junior year.

Miss Florence M. Howard of Worcester is visiting Mrs. H. S. Ward in Unionville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Colby have been enjoying a few days' visit with old friends here.

Monday evening's rehearsal of the "Pied Piper of Hamelin" was a great success.

The Ladies' Social circle of the Universalist church will meet tomorrow afternoon.

The Democratic caucus will be held in the town hall on Thursday evening at 7 30 o'clock.

Miss Alice Dunn of Hyde Park is the guest of Miss Elizabeth Lamont of Arlington street

Miss Viets has returned to again take charge of the millinery department in Sanborn's store.

Miss Amy M. Sanborn and Miss Anna Mae Whipple of Boston spent Sunday at Marston Sanborn's.

Henry R. Jenks has been confined to the house the past few days with a cold and malaria, but is better.

E. C. Judd went into Boston the first of the week with other station agents to arrange for winter suits.

Miss Hattie Smith of Danvers is spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Sanger of Pond street.

The brothers Fiske played with the Medways last Saturday, giving an excellent account of themselves.

The Fuller place of seven acres in Millis has been sold by W. A. Pond to Henry Davis, who buys for a home.

A collection in aid of the Galveston sufferers was taken up at both masses in St. Mary's chapel on Sunday.

Robert Wylie of South Franklin reports his cranberry crop in good condition and the yield about average.

Florist Slade is stocking his greenhouse with English violets, pinks, chrysanthemums, etc., for the winter.

The school census is larger this year than last. The gain is small, but will probably show about 3 per cent.

Dr. J. C. Gallison and family have returned to their house on Dean avenue from their camp in the Long hill woods.

Roy M. Hartshorne is to sing at a concert in Foxboro Thursday evening in connection with the Arion club of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Howard and two children of West Newton have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Stanley.

Word was received from Lowell yesterday to the effect that Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Gilmore were rejoicing over the advent of a little daughter.

Mrs. D. A. Sawyer died at her home here on Sunday afternoon at 5.30, aged 80 years and 11 months. The funeral will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m.

Dr. Jefferson of Millis and some of his house help were fined by Judge Doe in the district court on Saturday for assault on one Smith who had been living there.

The telephone company is putting up a cable containing sixty wires along Main street preparatory to making the proposed changes in the local headquarters.

Earl B. Guild has secured a position in the public market at Providence, where he will shortly move. He will commence his labor in his new field of work on Monday.

D. W. Fisher left for New York and up the Hudson river for the week as far as Albany and Troy. After such a dry time Mr. Fisher has his hands full to keep the dust down.

Our Boys, who up to last Saturday had a record of twelve straight victories to their credit, met defeat at the hands of the Charles-Rivers at North Bellingham, the score being 10 to 6.

Wouldn't it be wiser to clean our streets the last of the week rather than the first? Outsiders coming in on Sunday see a very unsightly looking place. Here is a thought for the road men.

Mrs. W. H. Sanger, Miss M. E. Wells, Mrs. S. A. Bullard of Dorchester, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sanger of Framingham, and Miss M. L. Bates of Washington, D. C., visited Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Sanger last week.

An average of about 30 men, women and children are engaged in picking cranberries at the Miller bog. The berries are in good condition and fair size, some of them lighter than usual, but the bulk of good color.

The next regular meeting of the Women's Relief corps will occur next Monday evening. A full attendance is requested, as important business will be transacted. Also, there will be a short entertainment.

The balance of the coal supply for the schools is arriving slowly, somewhat behind schedule time, as the agreement called for delivery in August in order that it might be put in the bins before the schools opened.

A new milk dealers' association has been organized in Boston, but the producers in this locality will not expect to reap any great advantage from it, yet anything of the kind which comes along will be thankfully received.

The many friends of Rev. Webster Woodbury, pastor of the Congregational church in Milford, will be pained to learn that he has been obliged to resign his pastorate there on account of continued ill-health. He has been there twelve years.

George W. Wiggin, Esq., president of the Massachusetts Fish and Game Protective association, has just issued a pocket annual of the game laws of the state, which will be furnished free upon application to the secretary, 5 Park square, Boston.

The case of M. M. Daniels' estate against the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. company is expected to come up at Dedham at the October civil term. Mr. Daniels was struck by an engine at the crossing of the Providence branch and severely injured and died some weeks later.

There will be a business meeting of the Epworth league of the Methodist church at the residence of Frank Wilbert Willard, on Cottage street, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. It is the annual meeting and officers will be elected for the ensuing year. A full attendance of members is desired.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church will meet in the parlor Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. This is a special meeting for work, and as the society is working for a home missionary family it is hoped that all who are interested will attend the meeting and help on the good work.

Ernest Leonard of Wrentham was taken into custody by Special Officer Cody yesterday afternoon on suspicion of having stolen a quantity of lead which he had in his possession. He was arrested in Hosie's hardware store, where it is said he had endeavored to dispose of the lead. He was locked up to await a hearing.

One section of the Union street cemetery that has been laid out for regrading is nearly completed, and some of the headstones that were taken up in order to accomplish the work have been replaced. In all five sections have been laid out to be improved, but it is not likely that the appropriation will hold out to finish the full number.

Little Miss Grace Rockwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bradley M. Rockwood, entertained four little gentlemen and four little misses last Saturday afternoon at Lake Pearl in honor of her fourth birthday. The little people enjoyed boating, refreshments, etc, and especially the "horseless carriage." Parents were happy in the happiness of their children.

Secretaries of lodges, clubs and societies are reminded that where we do the printing the columns of this paper are open at all times for the publication of items of interest. Reports of annual meetings, installations, visitations and social gatherings are always welcome, as well as other news, the publication of which will tend to promote the growth of local organizations.

Red Men's ball was filled Friday evening with a merry crowd of young people, and the initial social dance of the season under the auspices of the Jolly club can be recorded as a pronounced success. Dancing was indulged in from 8 to 11.30, Prof. J. J. O'Sullivan furnishing music, and the affair was greatly enjoyed by all present. A number from out of town were in attendance.

Edward Filkins had three fingers badly crushed at Singleton's mill yesterday afternoon while assisting in setting up the new 150 horse power engine. A part of the engine was being moved on rollers and the accident occurred while he was replacing one of them. He was taken to the office of Dr. G. A. Martin, who found it necessary to amputate the middle finger at the second joint.

When your grocer raises your price on kerosene oil just wish you were in Russia, where the czar did not do a thing to the oil trust except to appoint an auditor of its accounts, with instructions to allow the trust a "fair profit" on its products and turn the balance into the public treasury. The time is ripening for different methods of dealing with the trusts than those we have adopted.

At the conclusion of the Democratic caucus at the town hall next Thursday evening steps will be taken to organize a Bryan and Stevenson campaign club. There is already an enrollment of over fifty names of voters who have signified their desire to become members, and at this meeting it is intended to either organize or set a date for the formation of the club and the election of officers, etc.

What a howl would go up if the newspapers were to criticise the individuals as freely as many people criticise the newspapers. Every issue of a live and reputable newspaper is a mantle of charity, and the matter left out—truth, not gossip for dames—would often more than equal the matter published. If the editor should get out sometime a cold fact edition and get up a tree and watch the result—Whew! What a panic there would be!—Exchange.

An interesting medical case has just been decided as follows: Where a physician is called by a person to treat him or his wife and he takes charge of the case and attends from day to day, evidently in view of his responsibility for skillful and proper treatment, he must, in the first instance, determine how often he ought to visit the patient, and so long as the person employing him accepts his services and does not discharge him or require him to come less frequently, or fix times when he wishes him to attend, he cannot afterwards be heard to say that the physician came oftener than was necessary and refuse to pay upon that ground.

Athletics at Dean.

The Dean football eleven opened the season at the academy Friday afternoon with the Medway High school eleven, the latter proving weak opponents and being forced from the beginning to give way to the Dean boys. The score was: Dean 51, Medway 0.

Tomorrow afternoon the eleven is to meet the Woonsocket High here.

Captain Thompson has an injured shoulder and will not play in Wednesday's game, but will probably play next Saturday, September 29, in the game game against Attleboro High school at Franklin.

The following is tomorrow's line-up: Patch, r. e.; Stone, r. t.; Burdigen, Bacon and Bassett, r. g.; Echols, c.; Woodward, Williams and Roberts, l. g ; Mitchell, l. t.; Smith and Manning, l. e.; Phipps, q. b ; Forbes, r. h. b.; Pulsifer, Tappan and Peabody, l. h. b.; Kockesparger, f. b.

An Encouraging Outlook.

There was a good-sized and enthusiastic gathering of those interested in the new Y. M. C. A. here in the hall over Hosford's store last evening. Dwight L. Rogers, secretary of the Interstate association, was present and outlined the work, showing its wonderful growth and what it would do in a community. He gave a good deal of helpful and practical advice, answering questions freely. Committees were appointed to solicit funds and secure names as members. The meeting adjourned till next Monday evening at the same place.

Philanthropy and Religion.

Dr. D. M. Hodge delivered the annual Russell lecture at Tufts college on Sunday evening. He said in part:

"The new religious life makes religion itself, as it clothes itself in life and action, a very different thing from what it has been in the past. Religion in the past has been only an element of life. It was a device for saving the soul beyond its known period of existence. Religion was utterly separated from personal endeavor and social conduct.

"We have come to see at last that religion is not simply one element of life, having the purpose of saving the soul beyond the known life of men, but that it has to do with the making of the soul,

"Religion now enters into life. Many of the characteristic features of our time bear testimony to this truth. We see it in the greater purity of personal life of our day. So far as religion goes today it makes men clean. A man who falls into bondage to the senses feels that in doing so he falls out of religious life altogether and out of the church.

"Travelers in China say that while there are individuals there living pure and honorable lives, yet an impure life excites no aversion and is not a bar to the best society. But in a Christian community such a life meets with the severest reprobation and is effectually excluded from society

"One of the most striking features of our time is the almost colossal magnitude of our philanthropies. The great buildings of the fifteenth century were cathedrals. Today in any Christian city the hospitals are equally magnificent.

"In the city of Boston today are over one thousand benevolent institutions and societies. More money is given today for support of benevolent institutions than is given for public worship A Johnstown and a Galveston are destroyed, a people are made homeless, and the purse-strings are loosened in all our towns and cities. There is a famine in India, and it is not too far away to be the concern of every Christian community.

"People say this is philanthropy; it is not religion. But it answers the command that Jesus gave, 'Give to him that asketh thee.' It fulfills the requirement implied in the question of St. John, 'Whoso hath this world's goods and seeth that his brother hath need and shutteth up his bowels of compassion from him, how dwelleth the love of God in him?'

"Another characteristic of the time is the attention, thought and labor given to the elevation and ennobling of human life. In all our towns and cities is coming to be another class of buildings worthy of attention. I mean the public libraries, the college settlement, the people's palaces and the gymnasiums, which are all so many endeavors to elevate and ennoble human life.

"What is the impulse of all this? How did it come about? It is among the effects of the impulse given to the world in the life of Him who went about doing good. It is the very religion of Jesus Christ."

What We Missed.

About 26 years ago the car shops now at Norwood were burned to the ground in Readville, and the railroad company, before rebuilding, wanted the town to exempt them from taxes for a certain term of years. The matter dragged along, the railroad company received no encouragement and Franklin was discussed as a possible location. Meantime Norwood hustled around, agreed to exempt the company from taxes for the time asked and as a further inducement the citizens at their own expense erected the substantial brick shops which are still standing today and which give employment to about 350 hands.

Now Readville is to have a taste of good luck. In a big nearly flat stretch of territory the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad company have found their ideal spot for the immense new car shops to care for the vast amount of rolling stock needed by the road and its myriad connections. The plans are all made and call for six immense buildings, covering many acres of ground. All things point to the fact that the railroad intends to make Readville its most important centre for its rolling stock at this end of its line, and the car shops now at South Boston, Roxbury and Norwood will clasp hands at Readville.

"Pied Piper of Hamelin."

The "Pied Piper of Hamelin" has been adapted to music by E. Channing Morse in the form of an operetta, and will be presented by local talent in Morse opera house in the near future under the auspices of the Y. P. C. U.

The musical adaptation is original with Mr. Morse and independent of any other adaptation which is being produced elsewhere. About one hundred persons will be in the cast, twenty of whom will appear as rats. Mr. Morse has been staging this for two years and has played to crowded houses everywhere.

Freshly Baked Goods.

Everything fresh from the Elkerton bakery may be procured at any time at Crowninshield's bargain store. Hot rolls after 5 o'clock every night.

The Caucus Tonight.

Tonight's caucus seems to have but one especial feature—that of the election of delegates to the congressional convention, which shall select Mr. Powers or Mr. Williams. Friends of both candidates have promised to be out in force, and while the delegates may not be "pledged," yet it is expected that their position will be pretty clearly defined in regard to their preference. Most of the other convention elections will be perfunctory affairs, few caring for the honor. A Republican town committee is also to be chosen, and there is no doubt but that there will be quite a number of names before the caucus, a thing which will appeal to the voters as being especially fair.

A Pretty Contest.

The links of the Franklin Country club presented an animated appearance all day last Saturday, as the ladies and gentlemen were contesting for the A. Blakeley Smith trophies, two handsome prizes. The ladies played in the forenoon, the gentlemen in the afternoon. The scores of the ladies were as follows: Miss King 55, Mrs. E. H. Rathbun 68, Miss Mabel Ray 75, Mrs J. P. Bassett 79, Miss Eisenhardt 86, Miss Stott 86, Mrs. C. F. Nye 101, Mrs. P. A. Woodward 104. The gentlemen's scores were: Sherman 90, Nye 91, Bassett 92, Emerson 92, Rathbun 94, C. Ray 94, Chapman 104, G. Gilmore 108, Palmer 109, Woodward 111, Thayer 111, F. Gilmore 111, Ramsey 120, W. Ray 123, Stanton 127.

The ladies will play the second of the series on Thursday afternoon and the finals on Saturday morning. The gentlemen will play their finals on Saturday afternoon. A good deal of interest is being manifested.

A New Departure.

Dean academy has taken a new departure this year in providing its students with an opportunity to take violin lessons at the academy, and Prof. Peirce has secured Miss Edith Linwood Winn, instructor at Lasalle, Auburndale, and a graduate of Berlin. There are also a number of pupils from out of town who are availing themselves of this opportunity to thus secure the best instruction at home.

Incidentally we note that there is a gratifying increase in the student list this year, over 100 pupils being enrolled and more than 80 in the building. In fact, the boys' department is entirely full, and the school was unable to accommodate a number who applied for admission. Prof. Peirce and his assistants are naturally pleased at the outlook and are making every effort to make this a "star" year in educational advancement.

Of Course You're Going.

Mechanics' hall, Boston, has never been as completely filled as it will be at the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Twentieth Century Exposition, which opens its doors to the public Monday, October 1, and continues for four weeks. Every corner and niche in the great building, including the basements, will contain something of interest to the people. Special and novel features, striking and original, will create a furore of public interest. The music alone will compel an attendance phenomenal even in Boston's annals. Since the great peace jubilee nothing like it has ever been presented in a like space of time. The Seventy first Regiment band of New York, under the leadership of Fanciulli of New York, the eminent composer, will give twelve concerts, afternoons and nights, October 1 to 6, inclusive. Sousa and his band will play here his first engagement on his return from a triumphal European trip, giving twelve concerts, afternoons and nights, October 8 to 13, inclusive. The Pittsburg orchestra, Victor Herbert conductor, will give twelve concerts, afternoons and nights, October 15 to 20, inclusive. Victor Herbert is one of the most eminent composers in the United States. Elegant souvenirs, excelling in artistic excellence any before given away at expositions, will be presented to each of the first two thousand ladies purchasing an admission ticket before noon on every day of the show.

Auction.

A lot of real estate and personal property will be sold on Saturday at the Gilmore place, on the Mount at 1 o'clock. House goods, stable goods, cattle, etc., buildings and land.

Pianos Tuned.

I shall be in Franklin during the second week in October to care for my pianos and to attend to new ones. Orders may be left at the SENTINEL office.

J. W. WALKER.

Studio Opened.

Having returned from my vacation have again opened for business.

R. J. CALKIN, Photographer

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse.

These are fish days. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fish-man.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

Read the Business Announcements.

The Last Gun.

Tonight's caucuses here and elsewhere will decide the fate of S. L. Powers or F. H. Williams as candidates for a seat in the coming congress at Washington. Earnest work has been done by the friends of both parties, though it is conceded that Mr. Powers' adherents, taken together, are a stronger body of men than those Mr. Williams' candidacy has called to his side.

If fitness counts Mr. Powers is entitled to it; if ability to talk counts, the palm must be yielded to Mr. Powers; if acquaintance with men and affairs of importance counts, Mr. Powers stands above Mr. Williams; if comparisons are to be made with other congressmen Mr. Powers will measure well with the rest of them; if a clean campaign counts Mr. Powers can lay claim to having used neither words nor methods of which he need be ashamed; if location counts, then Mr. Powers has everything on his side.

Indeed, the one great and heinous offense urged against Mr. Powers is that he represents the Bell telephone here in Massachusetts, the assumption being that in congress he would be in a position to work harm to the public weal by representing the company there. This is idle talk; it is a ridiculous charge, born of a desire to hang a suspicion upon an intangibility. Since when has it been a crime to be known as interested in the telephone business of this country? Why not include the telegraph, as well? Imagine, if possible, an exigency which could be affected by Mr. Powers' vote in the house of congress. This, then, is the bugbear which is held up before the affrighted eyes of voters, who are supposed to see another Standard Oil monopoly staring them in the face. No; Mr. Powers will in all probability win, and those who may have favored Mr. Williams will be forced to admit that the district is ably and handsomely represented.

Two Fine Entertainments.

On Friday evening, at the opera house, J. E. Toole, the German-Irish comedian, appears in "Killarney and the Rhine," a title which suggests music and song and shillelahs and wooden shoes. The plot is good, the characters are given employment, and there is yet ample opportunity for the songs and dances incident to an Irish and German entertainment. Mr. Toole sings like J. K. Emmet. In his part is to be found the same honest heart beating under the same ragged coat, and the play contains as much wrenching of the emotions as convenient. He is really a clever comedian in his line, and when he is on the stage there is no lack of amusement. He is finely supported and the piece is splendidly staged.

On Saturday evening the play will be "Rip Van Winkle." Mr. Toole is a worthy successor of the original "Rip," Mr. Jefferson Especially is he strong in the last acts, after his awakening from his long sleep. In the earlier part of the play—as the careless, drunken vagabond "Rip"—he brings his well-known dialect into play and captivates the audience. This play holds a high place in popular esteem for its interest on all grounds, and the star on the present occasion is well supported by an excellent company, making the performance a genuine pleasure from first to last.

Tickets at Dana's Tuesday evening. Prices—Reserved seats, orchestra or balcony, 35 cents; admission 25 cents.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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Wanted—A girl to do general housework. Inquire of Dr. Geo. King. 21-tf

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Hygiene in Barber Shops.

New York has been backward in "barbershop hygiene," which the Medical Record has advocated for a number of years. Paris has continued in the praiseworthy reforms started several years ago, and now only metal combs are allowed, and, so far as it is possible, all instruments have to be made of metal, or some substance which can be readily sterilized along with the towels, while the operator himself is expected to keep his hands reasonably clean. Pennsylvania is to be congratulated upon starting a movement in the proper direction, to secure an improvement in the conditions surrounding the barber and his work. The state board of health has circulated a series of recommendations which, if followed, would vastly decrease the chances of spread of contagious disease in this way. Doing away with sponges and powder puffs, not using on one customer after another the same piece of alum to stop bleeding and taking care in the use of cosmetics not to let them serve as media of transmitting disease from one person to another, are all wise suggestions. Missouri has made a stand for scientific and sterile barbering. A board of examiners will see to it that the barber is qualified, among other things, to give a clean shave. Canada is following in the footsteps of France, Austria and Germany. The province of Quebec requires the barber first of all to be himself a healthy subject, free from transmissible affections. Then he must pass an examination in disinfection, and promise to apply his knowledge for the benefit of his patrons. In connection with this important subject it is interesting to learn that Huebener, of Breslau, found pyogenic microbes in the beards of physicians 11 times in 26 examinations. Fugge found that in a bearded subject there was a marked increase in the number of colonies when the beard was left uncovered near agar culture plates. It is not however necessary for us to go into the minutiae of scientific refinement in order to convince the thinking of the necessity for some regulation of the barber's business.

American Corn for All.

The saying that corn is king is shown by the November statement of exports from this country to be something more than a mere rhetorical figure. The figure of this report attest the fact that this wholesome and nutritious product of American soil holds a truly royal place among the food products of the world. It shows that a larger quantity of corn was exported in the 11 months ending with November [illegible], 1899, and at a higher rate per bushel, than in the corresponding months of any preceding year since 1895. The total export for the period named was 185,[illegible] bushels, valued at $74,742,127. In the first 11 months of the year 1894 the total export of corn was only 37,91[illegible], or only about one-fifth as much as during the 11 months of this year. These figures of export relate to shelled corn. To this must be added the export of cornmeal, which amounted during the first 11 months of 1899 to 79[illegible] barrels. Most of the corn exported goes to Europe, where it appears to be growing rapidly in popular favor. The British Islands received nearly one-third of all sent across the seas, and Germany came next. Thus is coming to pass the prophecy of Joel Barlow, the friend and contemporary of Washington, whose famous poem on Indian corn, published nearly a century ago, has never been excelled in gustatory literature. He predicted that the time would come when hasty-pudding and "johnny-cake" would be the favorite and universal food of mankind. It is certain that a more palatable and healthful article of diet could hardly be supplied.

RECORD OF THE PAST

No Stronger Evidence Can Be Had.

Look well to their record. What they have done many times in years gone by, is the best guarantee of future results. Anyone with a bad back; any reader suffering from urinary troubles, from any kidney ills, will find in the following evidence proof that relief and cure is near at hand:

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CANNOT LOCATE GRAVE.

Trouble in Placing the Monument for President Lincoln's Mother.

Recent investigation as to the site of the grave of President Lincoln's mother in Spencer county, Ind., has raised a serious doubt as to whether the exact spot can be located when the time comes for the Indiana commission to erect a monument and improve the grounds, and there is much question as to whether the stone that now marks the grave is really over the grave of Mrs. Lincoln.

Some time after the burial of Mrs. Lincoln the bodies of Dr. Cessna and Mrs. Gentry, pioneers of the county, were buried near the grave of Mrs. Lincoln, but for many years no stone marked any of the graves. When the headstone was placed at one of the graves, supposed to be that of the president's mother, there were conflicting opinions regarding which grave contained the body that it was desired to mark, and the stone was placed in position without a certainty as to the fact.

Since then there has been much discussion of the matter, but no satisfactory conclusion has been reached. Descendants of Dr. Cessna and Mrs. Gentry now live in Spencer and Dubois counties, but none of them are able to say where the bodies were buried, except that the three graves were very close together.

APOLOGIZES TO NETHERSOLE.

Washington Pastor Disclaims Any Intention of Libel on Well-Known Actress.

Rev. Dr. Chalmers Easton, pastor of the Eastern Presbyterian church, Washington, made a statement to his congregation at the close of his sermon the other night with reference to the suit for slander instituted against him a few days ago by Miss Olga Nethersole, the actress. He said in part:

"When I quoted the words 'lewd actress,' in speaking of Miss Olga Nethersole in the role of Sapho, I had reference not to her personal character, of which I have no knowledge, but to the character of the role she is playing. I had not the slightest intention of denouncing Miss Nethersole's personal character, but that of the persons she impersonated, involving, as it does, a widespread and pernicious influence upon society. This explanation is given so as to be as public as the original discourse."

WORK ON WARSHIPS.

Satisfactory Progress Made in Construction of New Vessels for the Navy.

Favorable progress in the construction of naval vessels is shown in a statement just prepared by Admiral Hichborn, chief of the bureau of construction and repair. The battleships Kearsarge and Kentucky at Newport News, the protected cruiser Albany at Armstrong's, England and the torpedo boat Goldsborough, building by Wolff & Zwicker are practically completed, less than one per cent. remaining to be done. Other vessels nearing completion are the battleship Alabama, at Philadelphia, 95 per cent.; battleship Wisconsin, at San Francisco, [illegible] per cent., the torpedo boat destroyers Lawrence and Macdonough, at Fore River, Mass., [illegible] per cent.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a Great Favorite.

The soothing and healing properties of this remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures have made it a great favorite with people everywhere. It is especially prized by mothers of small children for colds, croup and whooping cough, as it always affords quick relief, and as it contains no opium or other harmful drug it may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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A Mummified Fox.

A wonderful old oak fell the other day in the royal forest of Alt-Lietzegoercke. It had flourished for more than 400 years, and there was not in the entire forest another tree quite as stately or robust. The head forester, hearing of its fall, ordered that it be cut into convenient sections and removed. While this was being done the workmen noticed that the base of the trunk was hollow, and a closer inspection showed that there was some kind of an animal within this broad cavity. It proved to be a fox, which had been severely wounded, and had sought shelter in this retreat. As the body has been completely mummified, it is supposed that at least 200 years have passed since the poor animal went into the tree to die. The body, when found, was curled up, and so admirably was it preserved that one would have said Reynard was sleeping.—N. Y. Herald.

A Strip of Virginia.

When the District of Columbia was first established it was ten miles square, and took in the city of Alexandria. After some years Virginia desired to have the part in that state receded, and the part of the square in that state was turned back to the jurisdiction of Virginia. Recently there has been shown a disposition to let part of the old territory in Virginia come back, possibly because the government is likely to expend more money in improvements if it holds the territory than Virginia is ever likely to do. Gen. J. M. Wilson has approved in his official capacity a proposition to retrocede Virginia territory up to two miles of the original Virginia line of the district. This will, if agreed to, put under the jurisdiction of the United States a strip of Virginia which it is desired by several persons to subject to a plan of extensive improvement.—N. Y. Times.

The Universal Meridian.

The meridian of Greenwich is generally accepted as the starting line from which to reckon longitude and time all over the earth. But objections are from time to time raised against the universal adoption of the Greenwich meridian for such purposes. Recently Italian savants have emphasized these objections by pointing out that on the meridian of Greenwich clouds and bad weather are frequent, interfering with astronomical observations. They suggest that the civilized world should agree to adopt the meridian of Jerusalem as a common reference line, because there the skies are clearer and the possibility of making Palestine neutral territory would eliminate political objections.—Youth's Companion.

Had to Be Taught.

Returning from school with a pumpkin seed in her hand, a little girl informed her mother that her teacher had taught her that the seed was white but the pumpkin was yellow. The mother asked: "What is the color of the vine?"

The five-year-old said that her teacher had not taught her that.

"But," said her mother, "you know you have seen the vines in the garden."

"Of course I have, but we are not expected to know anything until we have been taught."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Not Prepared.

An eccentric Maine preacher was recently driving along a country road, and, overtaking a young man tramping his weary way on foot, invited him to a seat in his sleigh. After he was comfortably seated the preacher rolled the whites of his eyes up under the visor of his cap and said, in sepulchral tones: "Young man, are you prepared to die?" With an ear-piercing scream and a back somersault over the back of the sleigh, the young man made for the dense woods, and has never been seen in those parts since.—Boston Globe.

End of a Romance.

She—I haven't seen you for five years, Mr. Barker. How's that little romance of yours with Miss Henderson?

Barker—Miss Henderson is no more.

"What! Dead?"

"No; married."

"Ha! ha! You are still friends, though?"

"No. She married me."—Harlem Life.

His Feeling.

Inquiring Tourist—Tell me, what were your sensations when you were crouching in your cyclone cellar with the terrible tornado raging just above you?

Kansas Farmer—Wa-al, I reckon it's safe to say that I felt sorter under the weather.—Puck.

Stature of Children.

The growth in children degenerates as we go lower in the social scale, as shown by statistics of 50,000 individuals. There is found to be a difference of five inches in average stature between the best and worst nurtured classes.—Indianapolis News.

Simplicity Itself.

Isaacstein—What for did you lick Mr. Callahan yet?

Tim Phelan—If yez wasn't a Jew yez wouldn't ashk sich a foolish question. Why, to kape Callahan from lickin' me av coorse.—Judge.

Too Many Mean Men.

If there weren't so many mean men in this world fewer good men would be under suspicion.—Chicago Daily News.

A Pertinent Query.

How can there be time for everything when so much of it is wasted?—Philadelphia Times.

It Should Be the Other Way.

We are always satisfied with so much less in ourselves than in anyone else [illegible]

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NOW AND THEN.

How the New York Journal Viewed the Expansion Policy Only Two Short Years Ago.

"Lest we forget" some of the bright and true things which young Mr. Hearst's Bryan organ, the New York Journal, said, it will be well to refer to his files.

The chief organ of Bryan and Bryanism in New York in the present campaign is this same New York Journal. Adopting the policy announced by the Democratic candidate himself at Indianapolis, The Journal is now loud and constant in its denunciation of "imperialism" and is doing its utmost to assist in electing the man who has declared that his first act as president would be to call congress together for the purpose of withdrawing our forces and hauling down our flag in the Philippines.

Mr. Bryan's inconsistencies in regard to the Philippine question have been frequently pointed out, and it is in order now to point out the corresponding inconsistencies of his organ, the New York Journal. This can be done very readily and without the slightest difficulty by quoting from the editorial pages of The Journal during 1898 and 1899. The following editorial opinions of The Journal are extracted verbatim from the files of that paper, and serve to show what its present opinions are worth. No comments are appended. No comments are necessary. The public will make its own comments:

New York Journal, Sept. 14, 1898.

Don't give up a foot of the Philippines!

New York Journal, Dec. 16, 1898.

We have demanded from the first the annexation of Hawaii; we demanded the war; we demanded the acquisition of territory in the West Indies and the retention of the Philippines. We now demand the government of our new territories as integral parts of this country.

New York Journal, Aug. 17, 1898.

The capture of Manila has made us masters of the Philippines, and the American diplomat who would give them up would find it advisable to stay abroad for the rest of his life.

New York Journal, Aug. 10, 1898.

American blood has been spilled at Manila. Every drop was a sacrifice to the cause of liberty. No retreat from the Philippines!

New York Journal, July 1, 1898.

Men who use their brains to think with are not to be bullied by phrases. "Imperialism" for instance. That word comes down like a portcullis before a good many minds, and the blows of fact and argument beat against it in vain. The Philippines are in point. A splendid naval victory has made us masters there. Should we keep them or give them up? An "imperialism" which means the spread of American power, free institutions and human happiness is not an "imperialism" to be feared by anybody who has faith in the vitality of this republic and confidence in the democratic principles on which it is founded.

This list of quotations from The Journal before the gammon of the "paramount issue" had struck it, might be continued to double the space given here, but the above ought to suffice to show the sober sense of The Journal when in its right mind.

Campaign Notes.

The first week of October will be a very busy one in the Republican camp. The caucuses will be held Sept. 24 or Sept. 25, and four days later the conventions will begin. The 12 congressional conventions must be held in advance of the state convention of Oct. 4, and probably several of the county, senatorial and councillor conventions will be held the same week. None of the representative conventions can be held before Oct. 10.

Registration will close at 10 p. m., Oct. 16, but don't delay until the last minute. Why not register today, and then see that your neighbor is registered.

The Republican administration keeps its pledges to the soldiers. The expenditures for national homes and disabled volunteer soldiers since 1867 has been $47,[illegible]85,382. The appropriations for maintenance of soldiers' homes for the present fiscal year are $2,510,450. To this is to be added clothing, salaries, incidentals and aid to state homes. The amount paid for army and navy pensions for the year was $139,949,717 35.

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A Love Song.

Who cares for winter wild without,
Who cares for frost and snow,
When all the one he thinks about,
Is where the roses grow?
Her smiles are sweet as sunshine bright;
Her eyes like heaven's own blue;
She fills for me the world with light—
Because she's dear and true!

Who cares for winds that bitter blow,
For sleet or stinging rain,
When he at heart doth surely know—
His love gives love again?
Her whispers are like leaves attune
With wonder of the wind;
Her very presence sweet as June—
Enchanting heart and mind!

—William Brunton, in Good Housekeeping

When You Hear the Robin Call.

You may read it "May" on the calendar,
You may fix your heart on spring,
But until you hear the robin's song
You will find it's no such thing!
For he's sure just when the snow flies,
And he knows spring's secrets all.
You may be quite sure 'tis May-time
When you hear the robin call!

They'll tell you the winter's ended—
You will hear it everywhere
Just for a little sunshine
And a breath of April air,
But you may be sure of one thing:
As sure as that rain will fall,
It is really, truly springtime
When you hear the robin call!

—Agnes Lewis Mitchell, in St. Nicholas.

A Trust Paradox.

Long ere the modern trust had been
This ancient trust began;
And you may own a share therein,
Like many another man.

For though it is as strict a trust
As any trust can be,
It never could, would, should or must
Become monopoly.

And many a man takes stock therein,
To scatter it abroad;
For aeons long its name has been
The Ancient Trust in God'

—Edmund Vance Cooke, in Lippincott's Magazine.

Chance for Athletes.

Farmer—Yes, I want a man. Are you a good jumper?

Applicant—Jumper? Well, yes.

"You could jump a barbed-wire fence without much trouble, I s'pose?"

"Um—I s'pose so."

"Well, that's all right, then; you'll do. You see, some of our bulls is a leetle wild."—N. Y. Weekly.

The railroads of East and West Java, says the Engineer, have recently been united, so that one can now travel from one end of the island to the other in two days.

The new motor fire engine of the Paris municipality is doing excellent work. It rendered valuable assistance at the Trianon theater fire, and at the St. Ouen spirit warehouse fire. The engine carries six men, and travels at the rate of 13 miles an hour.

An Austrian has patented an electric apparatus for preventing a collision between trains, having an automatic brake-operating device on each engine, with wires beside the track, having contacts arranged at intervals to close a portion of the circuit and stop a train following too closely.

Hand brakes, to assist in the stopping of trains were introduced as early as 1849. Twenty years later the air brake was patented, which enabled power from the locomotive to be transmitted through hose simultaneously to the brakes of all the cars in a train—a wonderful invention. In 1863 the coaches were connected by patent couplers, another measure of strength and safety.

Considerable attention, says the Railway and Engineering Review, is being devoted to the project of operating the cross town lines of street cars in New York with compressed air. The present method of using horses is not satisfactory, the trolley is inadmissible and the conduit system thought hardly advisable for these short lines. In consequence, the syndicate, with which Mr. Whitney is connected, is said to have practically decided upon compressed air as the motive power most adapted to the needs of the situation.

The Lessless Age.

"It's a 'lessless' age," remarked Simpers.

"What do you mean?" inquired Gales.

"Here's a couple who entered upon a loveless marriage, drove away in a horseless carriage and received all their congratulations by wireless telegraphy."—Baltimore American.

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Novel Booty Taken by Thieves.

There are some remarkable thefts that the police are called upon to hunt down, but two of the strangest and cheapest robberies that ever came to the notice of the Seventeenth district officers were reported a few days ago. In one case a ragman had pushed his cart up an alley at Seventeenth and Reed streets and left his conveyance, which contained two bags of rags, to enter the rear of a house in search of more rags. When he came out of the house, three minutes later, his two bags of rags were gone. There stood the empty cart. No trace could be found of the thieves. Not a square away, about the same time, there was carried off a tubful of infant's clothes, which had been put out to soak previous to a washing. The thieves took the tub and all, even the water in which the clothes were soaking.—Philadelphia Record.

Men's Hairdressing.

The business of hairdressing was pushed to a ridiculous excess by the late duke of Kent, particularly while governor of Gibraltar. The first person who boarded every ship coming into harbor was his royal highness' hairdresser, and no officer was allowed to land until he had submitted his head to be operated on by this functionary. On the top it was to be cut in a horseshoe form; a string put round the ear and held in the mouth decided the termination (downward) of the whiskers, and such fooleries.—N. Y. Times.

A Conditional Reward.

Woman—My husband has disappeared and may be dead. I want to offer a reward for his body.

Chief of Police—Yes, madam. A description will be needed, and this, with the reward, will no doubt prove effective. He may be alive, you know, in which case we may soon be able to return him to you.

"I shan't pay a cent reward unless he is returned dead, just remember that."—N. Y. World.

Awful Experience.

Hungry Higgins—Wotever you do, don't never let no old jay coax you into gittin' a hard-cider jag.

Weary Watkins—Such a headache?

"Headache? You git plumb bughouse. Time I got roped in on the game, I sawed a half a cord of wood before I knowed what I was doin'."—Indianapolis Press.

Has His Advantages.

Pilson — I don't believe there is much difference between genius and insanity.

Dilson—Oh! yes, there is a heap. The lunatic is sure of his board and clothes.—Columbus (O.) State Journal.

Tit-Bits for Ostriches.

A gimlet was once devoured by an ostrich in captivity and another is said to have swallowed a lighted pipe without experiencing any apparent discomfort or injury. — Indianapolis News.

The Irish of It.

Jagg—Why do you regard the shamrock as something of an Irish bull?

Wagg—Because when Pat starts in to paint the town red he does it with green.—Judge.

Very Annoying.

Bramble—How do you like that deaf mute barber?

Thorne—Not at all. He talks on his fingers while he's shaving.—N. Y. Journal.

When Patience Is No Virtue.

Some people never accomplish anything because they have too much patience with themselves.—Chicago Daily News.

FUN AT A MOCK CONVENTION.

New England Debating Societies Hold a Political Gathering at Boston.

After four hours of the liveliest kind of work and almost continuous laughing and shouting, the mock convention which the debating societies of New England held at Boston Faneuil hall failed to nominate a candidate for the presidency. Six names were presented to a house of 652 delegates, Bryan receiving 187 votes, McKinley, 133; Roosevelt, 120; Olney, 116; Long, 80, and Thomas B. Reed, 21. Dewey's name was not presented.

A republican platform was adopted, the republican party in the convention having far and away the greater strength, but splitting its vote sadly. An organized attempt to stampede the convention for Long was headed by the Washington state and New Hampshire delegations, but was not carried through.

There were 31 debating societies from colleges, high schools, Y. M. C. A.'s and other organizations represented. Each club's delegates represented a state, but in many of the states the vote was all broken up among the various candidates. The nominating and seconding speeches were all well done, and were marvels of comprehension of national issues. A number of fake telegrams were read from the leading politicians of the country, all expressing sentiments exactly contrary to the man's real belief, and some were so personal as to be almost insulting to the people credited as the writers.

Was Sorry He Said It.

There are so many things in this wicked world we would rather not have said. Mean things, spiteful things, unfeeling things, reckless things which trickle over the lips before we realize it. An estimable man in town has a wife who is a good woman, though she can never be a candidate at a beauty show. He admires her, and as he is the one to be pleased, her lack of loveliness is a small matter. One day he was talking with some friends about his disposition.

"No," said he, candidly, "you rarely see me get worked up, nervous and cross. I am the easiest person in the world to please."

"One glance at your wife shows that," responded a dear friend, who is the soul of politeness, and who, poor wretch, really meant to imply she did not have the looks of a nagged or browbeaten woman, and must get on easily with him. But, oh, it didn't sound that way, and that man would gladly have given ten dollars down for a hole in the ground just about that time.—Louisville Times.

Poor English Telephone Service.

In the matter of telephones, England is probably worse served than any civilized country in the world. Switzerland or Sweden can give her points. A telephone monopoly was created, which has worked badly. Quarrels of all kinds with the local authorities have arisen as to way leaves. I know a factory, six miles from the Marble Arch, which has, owing to this cause, for years been vainly applying for the telephone. The other day I wished to send a message to a friend in a very busy little town 15 miles from London. The place did not appear in the telephone directory. Yet in Sweden or Switzerland the smallest village is on the telephone. As for the prices charged by the company, they are extortionate. Parliament has considered the situation, but as party government is mainly concerned with making laws which are not wanted, and neglecting all that conduces to real progress, no adequate measures have been taken to right the system.—National Review.

The Congressional Field.

The importance of electing a Republican congress next November is little less than that of the re-election of President McKinley. Those who believe in the principles of the Republican party should exercise the same care in casting their ballots for representatives in congress and for members of the state legislature that elect United States senators, as they will for the election of presidential electors.

The national house may be very close. If the Democrats make good only a part of their claims, the Republicans cannot afford to elect any Democrats in Republican districts. At the present time there are three Democratic congressmen from New England. The New York Tribune thinks that two of those districts will be redeemed this year.

Those Democratic congressmen all come from Massachusetts. They are Congressman Thayer of Worcester, who represents the Third district, Congressman Fitzgerald of Boston and Concord Junction, who represents the Ninth district, and Congressman Naphen of Boston, who represents the Tenth district.

It is possible with proper care and an intelligent appreciation of the importance of this matter by Republican voters to redeem the Third and Tenth districts, and it is the earnest desire of the party managers, both state and national, that Massachusetts should regain these two districts. The whole organization of the house of representatives may hinge upon the voters of these two districts. With the duty so plain as it is here there ought not to be any question that the Republican voters will get together, and present a united front for success in November.

What Senator Frye Says.

"There was opposition to the ratification of the treaty. Mr. Bryan came to Washington and persuaded his Democratic friends to vote for the treaty, and it was through his influence that the treaty was finally ratified. It then became the duty of the United States to maintain law and order, and protect the lives and property of all residents of the islands, whether native or foreign born. The United States, at the time of the ratification of the treaty, held military possession of Manila, and immediately after such ratification assumed the sovereignty of the islands. The people of the United States, and particularly of the Pacific coast, became entitled to the vast commerce of the Pacific ocean, of which the Philippines furnish the key.

"One Aguinaldo, whose political destiny is the leading factor in the Bryan campaign, had raised a rebellion in Luzon against Spain before the commencement of the Spanish war with the United States. This adventurer had sold out or settled his rebellion with Spain for $400,000 before Dewey set sail for Manila, and as a part of the bargain with Spain, Aguinaldo had agreed to leave the islands and never return. Dewey took the wily agitator back to the islands, supposing, as a matter of course, that Aguinaldo would naturally be an enemy of Spain and a friend to the United States. In this Admiral Dewey was mistaken. Aguinaldo, as soon as he landed on his native soil, organized a rebellion against the United States, which would have been of little consequence if he had not been able to obtain aid and comfort in this country. An organization was formed in the United States, called the Anti-Imperial league, which has, for the last two years, co-operated with Aguinaldo's Tagal junta, with headquarters at Hong Kong, to supply literature and materials of war for Aguinaldo."—Senator Frye at Old Orchard.

Mr. George H. Ellis, an Anti-Imperialist, says: "I do not favor a third party ticket. I shall vote for Mr. McKinley because, while I haven't agreed with many things he has done, I believe he has given us a good administration. In choosing between him and Mr. Bryan, I have no hesitation in selecting Mr. McKinley as the proper candidate to support. I am not altogether satisfied with the president's Philippine policy, but I think that thus far he has handled the situation in China very well."

It is becoming evident that Mr. Bryan does not want much said about free silver before the election. The American people, however, are not so much concerned in what may be said before election as in what will be done after the election.—Barre Telegram.

Victories.

The battles of liberty and right are not all fought with the sword, and the noblest victories are ofttimes peaceful and bloodless ones, but the same heroic attributes are required to win them that sustain the soldier in the hour of battle.—Matthew Arnold.

Taken Literally.

It was only playfully that she referred to her husband as "a regular heathen," but it is always well to label such remarks when made in the presence of children.

The little one who overheard this remark trotted away to Sunday school immediately thereafter, and in some way the subject of attendance at church came up in the class that day.

"My papa doesn't go," volunteered the little one.

"No?" returned the teacher inquiringly.

"Oh, no. He's a heathen, you know."—Chicago Post.

A Few Words about

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A prominent Montreal clergyman, the Rev. James H. Dixon, Rector St. Judes and Hon. Canon of Christ Church Cathedral, writes:—"Permit me to send you a few lines to strongly recommend PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER. I have used it with satisfaction for thirty-five years. It is a preparation which deserves full public confidence."

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Stolen Again.

"The moonbeams were stealing in the henhouse door," read the rustic child with the new story book.

"What were they stealing?" teased the youth in the blue jeans.

"Chickens!" grinned the rustic child.—Chicago Daily News.

The Rival Belles

Mr. Richfellow—I am told that Miss Fineseason took all the prizes at Vassar college. What a wonderful memory she must have.

Miss Twoseason—Indeed she has. And it goes so far back.—N. Y. Weekly.

How He Won Her.

One sent her verses; in that way
His pen was somewhat handy.
The other wooer won the day—
He sent a box of candy.
—Chicago Record.

A MAN OF LETTERS.

"What are you doing, nowadays?"

"I live by my pen."

"And what do you write, if I may ask?"

"Letters to my friends to borrow money!"—Polichinelle.

Life's Bunco Game.

Our strength and our means we expend,
And we venture on many a bold trick,
To find we have gained in the end
Just experience, that ethical gold brick.
—Brooklyn Life.

Covers a Multitude of Faults.

"What made you suppose that old Crossgrain has dyspepsia?"

"Why, I like to take a charitable view of everybody, and dyspepsia is the best excuse I could think of for his disposition."—Puck.

What He Called Himself.

First Tourist—Are you not going to climb this mountain?

Second Tourist—No; it is absolutely too steep and rough for a donkey to climb, so I shall not try to ascend.—Harlem Life.

Great on Charges.

Ford—Your lawyer made some pretty severe charges against the other fellow, didn't he?"

Smallwort—Y-e-e-s; but you ought to see how he charged me.—Tit-Bits

Sometimes a Known Quantity.

"Always let X equal the thing you want to find," softly uttered the wife, as she went through her sleeping husband's pockets and abstracted the needed $10 bill.—Chicago Tribune.

He Realized It.

Wife—A man is a fool to have anything to do with a lottery.

Husband—You hit it, then. I'm still kicking myself for marrying you.—Harlem Life.

Where the Crowd Was.

"Was Mrs. Lumpkins' reception a crush?"

"The parlors weren't half full, but the dining-room was packed."—Chicago Record.

Making Her Happy.

Sunday School Teacher—Have you made anyone happy this week?

Little Girl—Yes'm. Mrs. Highupp has a baby, and it's a awful squally, red-faced little brat; but, w'en I met Mrs. Highupp yesterday, I told her she had the sweetest, prettiest baby I ever saw.—N. Y. Herald.

Why He Didn't Marry Her.

"Oh, no; I'm not a misogynist," said the confirmed bachelor, "but there has been one reason that has always prevented my marrying even the most charming of women."

"What is that?"

"She wouldn't have me."—Town Topics.

Only Apparently Contradictory.

It sounded contradictory, but after all unquestionably there are occasions when one can "give away" and "sell" at the same time.

"She told me," said her dearest friend, "that she never would marry for money, but don't you think she gave herself away when she sold herself to old Bullion?"

And the dearest friend's friend thought she did.—Chicago Post.

Applying a Remedy.

"Tommy doesn't feel like going to school this morning," said Mrs. Tucker. "He says he has a pain in his stomach. He's lying on the lounge in the sitting-room, all humped up out of shape."

"I think," said Mr. Tucker, reaching behind the mirror for a small rawhide, "I can lick him into shape."—Chicago Tribune.

Her Literary Deficiency.

She could talk about the classics in a very
knowing way;
She was fine in mathematics and in art
made some display;
She was cultured and accomplished both in
poetry and song,
But whene'er she read a cook book—well
she somehow got it wrong.
—Washington Star.

HOW HE WON HER.

"But, Mr. Simmons, you are so awfully ugly."

"Yes, but opposites should marry."—Chicago Chronicle.

Good Advice.

Here is a well-known proverb,
Revised to suit, the masses—
If you in a stone house dwell,
Refrain from throwing glasses.
—Chicago Daily News.

An Educational Programme.

"Is your boy's education nearly complete?" asked the friend.

"Yes," answered the man who is nothing if not sarcastic. "He knows the classics and the higher mathematics and logic and philosophy pretty thoroughly. I'm going to see if I can't put the finishing touches on his culture and get him so he can calculate the interest on a 30-day note without getting brain-fog and read the daily news without yawning."—Washington Star.

Ready for Finishing.

Caller—So you have just graduated at Miss Teachem's private academy?

Fair Graduate—Yes. I am now going to a finishing school to study drawing, music, language, sculpture, repoussee work, embroidery, etiquette, etc.

"To what finishing school will you go?"

"Oh, any of the public schools."—N. Y. Weekly.

The Only Way Out.

Chemist's Assistant—Good gracious! I have kept that woman waiting three-quarters of an hour. I forgot all about her prescription.

Chemist—You will have to charge her a good tall price in order to make her think you had a lot of trouble in mixing it up.—Tit-Bits.

And They Never Forget It.

Shank—And, so, Skooper has organized a class in mnemonics. He claims to be able to teach an unfailing method of never-forgetting.

O'Shawe—What is his scheme?

Shank—Why, he induces each member of his class to loan him five dollars. That's all!—Puck.

Circumstantial Evidence.

"Isn't your neighbor, Blinkinoff, a drinking man?"

"I wouldn't like to give an expert opinion on the subject. I'll admit, however, that I saw him the other night trying to drive a spiggot into an ash barrel, thinking that it was cider."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Cat Did the Rest.

Mother—Stop pulling the cat's tail, Reggie.

Reggie—I ain't pullin' it; I'm jes' holdin' it.—Syracuse Herald.

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A Friendly Suggestion.

"Life is really not worth living."
Said the pessimist with a shiver;
"Old man," the optimist replied,
"Go take something for your liver."
—Chicago Daily News.

A Forced Acceptance.

Mr. Aldermann—Young Hikoller just asked me for Mary's hand and I told him to take her and be happy.

Mrs. Aldermann—Oh, John, how could you?

Mr. Aldermann—Confound it, I had to! To-morrow is election, and if I'd kicked him out of the house I'd have lost his vote.—Judge.

Sure Way to Stop It.

"I wish they wouldn't all laugh at me whenever I get up to make a few remarks," said the legislator.

"My dear fellow," returned the wise man, "there is a sure way to stop that."

"How?"

"Try to be humorous."—Chicago Post.

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"Were you ever bribed?" asked the constituent.

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"I'm glad to hear you say that," said the constituent.

"Of course," went on the legislator, "some one occasionally leaves a few thousand dollars in my room or slips a little money into my pocket, but no one would have the hardihood to hand me anything."—Chicago Post.

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"Is he?"

"Yes; whenever I give him a letter to mail he goes and mails it."—Chicago Record.

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"Do you think your sister likes me, Freddie?"

"Yes. She stood up for you at dinner."

"Stood up for me! Was anybody saying anything against me?"

"No; nothing much. Father said he thought you were rather a donkey, but sis got up and said you weren't, and told father he ought to know better than judge a man by his looks."—Tit-Bits.

Parental Diplomacy.

"But what are your objections to the young man?" asked the mother.

"None," answered the other half of the management of the young woman.

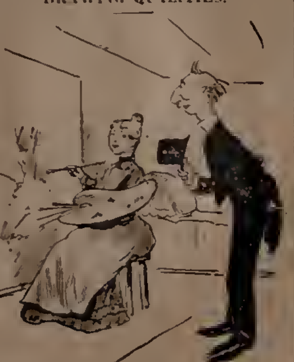
"Then why do you refuse his request for Ethel's hand?"

"Only for the dear child's good. If he have any spirit at all he will go ahead and marry her anyhow, and if he don't she is well rid of him."—Indianapolis Press.

Two Vows.

I've made but two great vows in all my life:
First, at the altar, when I took a wife;
The second, when death eased our mutual pain,
That I would never do the like again.
—Judge.

DRAWING QUALITIES.



Mr. Uglymugg—Do you know, Miss Slopper, I used to draw pretty well myself when I was a boy.

Miss Slopper—You'd draw pretty well now, in a museum.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

True to Himself.

"Do you intend to spend the balance of the century in this same idle, shiftless way, my friend?" asked the philanthropist, who had given him a meager handful of sold victuals.

"I don't like that word 'balance,'" answered Tuffold Knutt, looking at him with a coldly critical eye. "'Rest' is a blamed sight better word."—Chicago Tribune.

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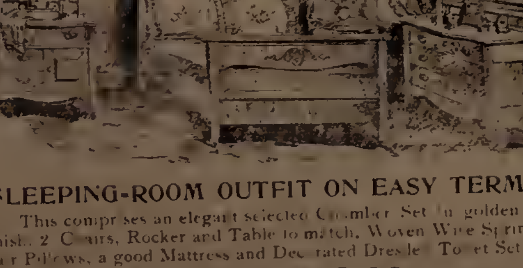
"You don't dare put your arm around Miss Passee's waist."

"I'm not afraid of her—but I'm no lemon squeezer."—Harlem Life.

Game.

"A man who will beat his wife," exclaimed Mrs. Rivers, "is cruel!"

And she upset the chessboard.—Chicago Tribune.



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Dormy—I know it, aunt; to have been my wife's first love would, of course, be a satisfaction; but to be her last is a distinction.—Brooklyn Life.

In Good Hands.

Consumptive (at health resort)—So you make a specialty of caring for invalids.

Landlady—Yes, indeed. I let out furnished rooms, my husband is a doctor, and I have a brother here in the undertaking business.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

A Cold Day.

Mrs. De Silke—I wish to give a memorial of some kind to the church, in memory of a relative. What would you suggest?

Struggling Pastor—A—er—an appropriately decorated — er — new church furnace, madam, and a—a few tons of coal.—N. Y. Weekly.

The Guilty Partner.

Tom—Here's a paper offering a $25 prize for the best answer to the question: "Why have I failed in business?" That's dead easy.

Dick—Well, why did you fail?

Tom—Because I had a partner.—Town Topics.

Wanted the Call Repeated.

Employer (to collector)—See Mr. Owen?

Collector—O, yes.

Employer—Was he annoyed at your calling upon him?

Collector—Not a bit. He asked me to call again.—Ohio State Journal.

Modern Hospitality.

Mr. Potwell—Now do look after the dinner yourself, my dear. You know the Guttletons are coming.

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Positive Proof.

Hogan—Do you believe in dreams, Mike?

Dugan—Faith an' I do! Lasht night I dremt I was awake, an' in the morning me dream kem thrue.—Princeton Tiger.

He Was "Smooth."

"He's a very 'smooth' man," they said, with conviction.

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Of the Same Mind.

The Artist—My dear fellow! I paint a picture in two days, and think nothing of it.

The Friend—I am of your opinion.—Brooklyn Life.

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The regular quarterly meeting of the trustees of the Benj. Franklin Savings Bank will be held at the banking rooms of the bank on

MONDAY, OCT. 1, 1900,

at 2 o'clock, to hear a report of the Treasurer and transact any business legally coming before the meeting.

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Clerk and Treasurer.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage deed given by Mary F. Lavender and George N. Lavender in her own right to the Bowker Fertilizer Company, dated November 11, 1898, and recorded in Norfolk Deeds, book ——, page ——, and for breach of the conditions thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m., all and singular the following described property.

A certain parcel of land situated in Millis, county of Norfolk, being the rear half of a lot conveyed to Mary E. Dean by Cyrus Daniels, by his deed dated August 13, 1892, containing about one half acre of land, and situated on the easterly side of Daniels street, and bounded as follows:

Commencing at the southeasterly corner thereof and running northeasterly on land now or late of Cyrus Daniels 110 5.10 feet to a stake, thence turning at nearly right angles and running northwesterly on land now or late of Cyrus Daniels [illegible] feet to a stake, thence turning at nearly right angles and running southwesterly on land now or late of Mary E. Dean and parallel with the first mentioned 110.5 feet to a stake, thence turning at nearly right angles and running southeasterly on land now or late of Mary F. Lavender [illegible] feet to point of departure. Being the same premises conveyed by Mary E. Dean to Mary F. Lavender, October 20, 1892, and recorded in book [illegible], page 24.

Terms cash.

BOWKER FERTILIZER COMPANY,
By its Treasurer, Henry F. C[illegible], Mortgagee.
Millis, September 25, 1900.
R. G. Fairbanks, Attorney. se25-3t

NOTICE having been received that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the estate of William Colvin, late of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JAMES A. SNOW,
JOHN H. C. HADLEY,
Executors.

Address Medway, Sept. 22, 1900. se25-oct9

Insects and Forest Fires.

There is a close connection and to a certain extent interdependence between the relations of forest fires to insect ravages, and insects to forest fires, diseases of trees to insects and insects to fungous diseases, which are not obvious at first sight. Dr. A. D. Hopkins, in a report on the insect enemies of the forest in the northwest, treats fully of this subject. Trees dying from injury by fires or weakened in vitality offer favorable conditions for the multiplication of vast numbers of destructive insects. Moreover, the trees which have been killed by insects furnish, in their fallen branches and partially decayed trunks and dry bark, a most favorable propagating ground for fires. It is, of course, well known that forest trees weakened by disease contribute to the multiplication of insect enemies to forests; therefore the study of insects associated with unhealthy forest trees should lead to results of economic importance.—Scientific American.

The English Language in Mexico.

The increased knowledge of the English language in Mexico during the last few years is remarkable. No establishment of any size attempts to do business without English-speaking clerks and correspondents. English is now a necessity to the prominent professional men whose practice extends to a large proportion of the important foreign residents of this cosmopolitan old city. English newspapers and magazines are read by a large proportion of the refined and educated native citizens. It will probably surprise many readers of this paper to know that one-third of the Mexican Herald's subscribers in the City of Mexico are Mexicans. The study of English in Mexico is one of the important things that is assisting in closer commercial relations between Mexico and the United States.—Mexican Herald.

A Woman's Discovery.

Isabelle—I used to sacrifice myself for other people.

Belinda—Don't you do it now?

Isabelle—No. I've quit it; people seem to like me just as well, and I know I'm more amiable and better looking.—Detroit Free Press.

Quantity Not Quality.

"Why, you stiff!" cried the first heeler, "when it comes to usefulness to the party I'm worth two of you!"

"Oh! I don't know," replied the other, "I can vote jest as often as you, if necessary."—Philadelphia Press.

Rebuttal Testimony.

The Guest—Isn't your little boy rather nervous, Mrs. Bimm?

Mrs. Bimm—No; I think not.

Little Boy—Yes, I am, ma; when people who come here stay too long it makes me wriggle around and kick my chair.—Chicago Record.

Obeying the Scriptures.

Evelyn (who has just been robbed of a kiss)—Mr. Kurate, how dare you?

Hansom Kurate (meekly)—I beg your pardon, but I was only obeying the Scriptural injunction: "Do unto others as you would have others do unto you."—Judge.

Business Call.

We see her at the telephone,
We note her stormy frown;
She calls her husband up
And then she calls him down.
—Chicago Daily News.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in two mortgage deeds given by Lothrop J. Wilder to the Medway Savings Bank, one dated Jan. 17th, 1891, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 649, folio 43, the other dated April 27th, 1893, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 691, folio 618, for breach of the conditions thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on

WEDNESDAY, the THIRD day of OCTOBER, 1900,

at three o'clock p. m., all and singular the following described property.

A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon standing, including all permanent fixtures and heating appliances, situated in Medway, in county of Norfolk and state of Massachusetts, on the east side of Broad street, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the northwest corner thereof, on said street, at land of Mary H. Wilder; and thence easterly on a line with said Mary H. Wilder's land one hundred and forty (140) feet to a corner at land of Mrs. Sarah S. Woodward; thence southerly on land of said Woodward to land of Frank A. Henry, thence westerly on a line with land of said Henry [illegible] with and twenty-one (21) feet distance from [illegible]erly side of stable on said Henry's land to a point for a corner on a line parallel with westerly end of said stable; thence southwesterly in a straight line to a point for a corner on a line with rear [illegible] grantor's store block and thirty five feet distance therefrom; thence westerly on line parallel with southerly side of said block to said Broad street; thence northerly on said street to the first mentioned point. Same premises recorded with Norfolk Deeds, lib. 612, folio 441, conveyed to grantor by deed from Elijah B. Stowe; subject to a right of way mentioned in said conveyance, and [illegible] set forth and described in a deed to John McC[illegible], March 1st, 1886. With all rights to well on southerly side of said estate.

Terms at sale.

MEDWAY SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee,
By its Treasurer, W. H. C[illegible].
Medway, Mass., Sept. 6, 1900. se11,18,25

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Hattie M Fisher 13Jan01

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
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West and South	5.10 "
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Boston and East	6.40 "
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MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
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Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 00 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Arthur Corey has moved to Blackstone.

George Bacon has moved to Mt. Auburn.

Bernard R. Rockwood has typhoid fever.

The selectmen will hold a meeting to night.

Miss May Spence, who is ill with typhoid, continues to improve.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Richardson are visiting friends in Providence.

Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., will hold a regular meeting this evening.

H. L. Wales of Waterbury is a guest of Alfred Clark and W. S. Johnson.

Mrs. Ballou of Woonsocket, with Mrs Sarah Rockwood on Queen street.

Jacob Quilter has moved from the Ray farm to the Nason house on Union street.

Mrs. H. B. Haslam enjoyed the Universalist convention at Springfield this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lesure have been spending a portion of the week at Reading.

Look in Tuesday's SENTINEL for the synopsis of the operetta, "Pied Piper of Hamelin."

The Republicans are preparing to organize a McKinley and Roosevelt campaign club.

Mrs. Cook of Germantown, Pa., is stopping with Mrs. Lydia Harris on West street.

The game of football between Dean and Attleboro on Saturday promises to be a fine contest.

Manager M. J. Connolly of of the Our Boys baseball team is to organize a football eleven.

Mrs. Walter M. Fisher attended the funeral of Mrs. Sarah Tabor in Providence yesterday.

The expenses in the Sullivan family case at Caryville, a state charge, have been over $1100.

The American band orchestra will furnish music for the dancing at Hoag lake tomorrow evening.

A number from here took in the Bellingham fair Wednesday and pronounced it unusually successful.

The racing at Readville took a number of our sportively inclined men to that popular resort yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Dresser of South Ashburnham have been spending a few days at her former home here.

Word has been received of the safe arrival of Mrs. Waldmeyer and daughter Adele at Baisdel, Switzerland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Estes, two children and maid, are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. H. M. Bullock.

There will be a rehearsal of the ritualistic work of the Woman's Relief corps next Monday evening. Color bearers are requested to be present.

When the solicitor of the new Y M. C A. approaches you, remember his cause and be generous.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Weeks left today for their home in Norwalk, Conn., after a visit with her father, E. M. Pond.

Lancelot T. Farrer, a former employe at the Trowbridge piano factory, was married in Philadelphia on Wednesday to Miss Florence Gengenbach.

Bert Peck has removed from Judge Doe's house on Union street to N. C. Nye's house on the same street, recently vacated by E. S. Crossman.

The teachers' meetings will be resumed October 1, at which time Rev. Dr. Sneath will make an address. The public invited, at 7 o'clock, High school.

F. P. Bly has removed from the Morse house recently purchased by J. A. Geb to W. M. Comey's house on the corner of Pleasant and Alpine streets.

Martin, the 7-year-old son of Daniel Morris, of Thayer street, and Edward, the 11-year old son of John Reilly of East street, are ill with typhoid fever.

David Menard, night operator at the station, is off duty temporarily on account of illness. George Pendergast is the substitute at the station until his recovery.

It is stated on excellent authority that Mrs. A. H. Morse has disposed of her elegant Main street residence to George F. S. Singleton, the worsted manufacturer.

The Mary Warfield Missionary society will hold its annual meeting for the election of officers Friday, October 5, at 2.30 p.m., in the parlor of the Congregational church.

Next Sabbath will be observed as Rally day in connection with the First Congregational church Sabbath school. There will be special exercises together with a review of the lesson and address by the pastor.

The Congregational church is going to try the experiment of burning soft coal for heating purposes this winter. The schools have tried it and find it cheaper than hard coal.

Experts are busy stringing the new cables and setting up the switchboard in the Fletcher building where the telephone office is to be located. They hope to have it ready by Oct. 1.

The ladies played off the second in the series for the golf cup on the Franklin links yesterday. Score later. Saturday morning they will play their finals and the gentlemen finish in the afternoon.

One of the Powers supporters remarked after the reports were all in from the district that Fred Homer Williams was going to remain a "homer," as his opponent evidently had the better staying "powers."

Rev. J. P. Chadbourne left today for Cincinnati, where will be his headquarters in the interests of Scribners. He will cover that territory among the ministers, handling a new dictionary of the bible.

The committee in charge of the coming session of the Mendon conference, to be held with the Congregational church here October 17, are planning for one of the largest gatherings in the history of the conference.

Ernest Leonard of Wrentham, who was arrested Monday afternoon by Special Officer Cody while trying to dispose of some lead at Hosie Bros.' store, had a hearing Tuesday morning before Judge Doe and was fined $5 for drunkenness.

The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the Baptist church Sunday evening. Rev. F. B. Sleeper will give a short discourse on the practical and important theme, "Must Young People's Christian Societies Die?" There will be fine singing.

Monday evening Sheriff J. B. Fitzpatrick and Officer Redpath arrested John Jacobs for assault on Peter Conlon and Harry Bulletin at the Armenian boarding house on the Wrentham road. He was placed in the lockup over night and was given a hearing Tuesday morning. He was fined $10 for assault and battery.

Surely all of Franklin's ladies and business men will be present at the opera house October 11, 12 and 13 to see the rats of Franklin charmed away by the magic forces of the "Pied Piper of Hamelin." Think of the great relief and show your appreciation of the kindness of the Y. P. C. U., under whose auspices he will be present, by your patronage.

The interest in the new Y. M. C. A. is increasing and the membership is already over thirty. It is expected that a fund of $800 can readily be raised to carry on the work, and at the meeting next Monday evening further plans will be discussed, the committee reports will be heard, etc. The furnished reading room will be a decided benefit this winter, and the need of a work among our young men was never greater than it is today.

A theatre party from here saw the magnificent production of "Monte Cristo" at the Boston theatre Wednesday evening, and pronounce it the finest thing in this line they ever saw. The beautiful golden effect in the Hotel de Morcerf in the fourth act is brilliantly contrasted with the silvery aspect of the snow scene in the fifth act, making this production of "Monte Cristo" what one might term a bimetallic spectacle—gold and silver.

After the long and intimate connection of Charles J. McKenzie with Dean academy and the Universalist church, it is eminently fitting that his memory should be honored as it has been by the memorial funds recently given to each of these institutions. All those who have the interest and welfare of the academy and the church at heart will be grateful that Mrs. McKenzie has desired in this way to perpetuate her husband's influence among us.

At the annual business meeting of the Epworth league, held at the residence of F. W. Willard on Cottage street Wednesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Miss Theresa Lewis; first vice, Miss Emma C. Enegren; second vice, Miss Emma Camp; third vice, Charles H. Prince; fourth vice, Miss Lottie Waterman; secretary, Miss Lulu Willard; treasurer, Miss Jennie Hutchinson; pianist, Mrs. Nellie L. Willard

Emory Thayer and Miss Sadie Murphy, well known residents, were united in marriage at St. Mary's rectory at 11.30 yesterday morning, Rev. M. J. Lee performing the ceremony. The bride was attended by Miss Eva Thayer, a sister of the groom, and Albert Murphy of Norfolk was best man. After the ceremony the couple left for New York, where they will spend the honeymoon. The bride is a sister-in-law of ex-Postmaster Conroy and was formerly an assistant in the postoffice. The groom is a conductor on the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad and popular with patrons and fellow employes.

A new switching tower is to be built near Nason's crossing at once and the clumsy method of switching by hand will be done away with. All the tracks will be moved by levers and wire cables from the switch tower, and the switch man will have to be a telegraph operator who will have charge of the station. There are the Milford and Providence branches as well as the main line, so that it will require a clear head and a steady arm to do the work. Just how many levers are to be put in has not as yet been given out, but certainly enough to do all the work required. The system will be an interlocking one, which will be a still further safeguard. The work is to be hurried as rapidly as possible.

One of the valuable relics of old times which Alfred Clark has had quietly stored away for a long time is a pew from the old Dr. Nathaniel Emmons church. One day Dr. J. C. Gallison found that it was in the market, and his appetite for antiques was immediately excited to have it in the same family with the three-legged kettle that hung on the crane in old fireplace times. So he negotiated for it, and the result was that it is now a part and parcel of his Italian villa in Long Hill woods. As a piece of furniture it does not resemble the curves and shine of the modern plush divan, but there is an oldtime solemn impressiveness about it that pleases the doctor and gives him a mental stimulant, and every creak of the time dried boards speaks in a voice tinged with theological toughness mixed with what the leaves whisper overhead, and, well shaken before taken, makes a famous prescription for allaying the pain of feverish existence.

An Encouraging Outlook.

The coming season of the Alden club will open Monday evening, October 8. It is hoped all the former members will be present and many new ones. A rich winter's programme has been prepared by the different committees during the summer, and the executive board feels it will be fully appreciated by the club. It is hoped, also, that more members and gentlemen friends will avail themselves of the wonderfully excellent course of lectures provided and thrown open to the public. Franklin lacks in this every winter, and simply because our citizens either cannot or will not support the effort when it is made. The Alden club has engaged some of the best talent in the field for this winter. Will not our friends show us they realize it as we open our doors and offer our treasures? The executive board will gladly receive names for membership vouched for by a present member. They may be handed in writing to Miss Bertha Hood, corresponding secretary.

Pied Piper of Hamelin.

The "Pied Piper of Hamelin" will be ready for the stage October 11. It will be presented at Morse Opera house two evenings, October 11 and 12, and a matinee, October 13. Wherever this operetta has been given it has scored a great success. Truly, Franklin will have a treat when it is played here. "You will miss it if you miss it."

A Card.

The undersigned desire to take this occasion to return their sincere thanks to all who remembered them so kindly in this hour of their bereavement, trusting that a similar sympathy may be extended to these kind friends when occasion presents itself for a like expression.

MRS. H. M. BULLOCK AND FAMILY.
Franklin, Mass., Sept. 28, 1900.

An Interesting Affair.

The Republican caucus on Tuesday evening proved more interesting than was anticipated, and the ballots were so badly cut up as to necessitate a good deal of work to get them straightened out. The town committee prepared a ticket as usual, giving upon all of the delegations a number of extra names for selection, and in the matter of the town committee there were eighteen names presented, nine of which could be voted for.

There had been a rumor current upon the street during the day that a special ballot would be presented in the interest of Mr. Williams for congressman, and so it proved. The voters had their choice, and H. W. Thayer announced to the caucus that the delegates thereon were interested in the candidacy of Mr. Williams. Mr. Thayer also explained that the ticket had not been prepared in opposition to the town committee ticket, but simply to insure the presentation of a practically "pledged" Williams delegation to the voters, and this appeared to be the simplest way out of the matter. Thereupon C. F. Nye announced that the first three men upon the town committee ticket could be relied upon to stand for Mr. Powers' interest. The voting began and to the surprise of every one the especial Williams ballot ran remarkably well, very nearly equalling in number those prepared by the town committee. The Williams ballot also carried the names of the present town committee, with the additional ones, H. M. Grant and C. E. Woodward.

W. A. Wyckoff, officiating as moderator, announced the closing of the polls, selecting P. A. Woodward, E. D. Daniels, E. F. Lovejoy, H. A. Talbot and C. B. Johnson as tellers. Owing to the fact that the town committee ticket gave such a choice of selections it made the task of counting quite lengthy, as the voters had found it necessary to erase or check against so many names. There were 142 voters checked by the secretary, J. E. Barber, and the counters found the same number of votes cast.

The count showed that the Williams ticket had prevailed by about 15 majority, thus giving him the Franklin delegation in the coming convention. It was asserted by the Powers men that their defeat was primarily due to the fact that their ticket admitted of so great a selection that it scattered the votes which would otherwise have been centered upon three candidates, instead of having been divided among six.

Naturally the Williams men insisted that the two ballots in the field did not affect the will of the voter in the least. Be this as it may, the contest would have been a pretty one had there been three Powers names and three Williams names upon the regular ticket, which would have simplified the issue. It may or may not have affected the result—this opinion, however, depending entirely upon the point of view. The voters for the present having expressed a preference for Mr. Williams, that expression had to stand.

The success of the Williams ballot of course encompassed the defeat of every name upon the ticket prepared by the town committee, a somewhat unexpected consummation, and one that some of the sponsors of the Williams ballot hasten to disown. The very fact that the town committee offered so many names for selection was the deciding factor in bringing about this apparent rejection of their ticket. Indeed, the friends of the committee insist that had there been but the requisite number of names desired upon the ballot, that ticket would have gone through.

There was practically no interest in regard to the other delegations, some of the voters not taking the pains to vote, but allowed their ballots to be counted as blanks. This may be a mistake, as prospective aspirants are already cropping up for the positions of representative, senator, etc., and these delegates may have some strong inducements offered to support particular candidates. This year, however, Franklin is making no claim for anything, so her delegates will be in a position to pay off some of the debts which have been incurred in the past, when our sister towns have stood by us when we needed their assistance. The following is the result:

State convention, Emory S. Judd, Fremont M. Richardson, Edwin C. Mason; congressional, Rev. Dr. Hodge, A. D. Thayer, E. H. Sherman; senatorial, E. C. Abbott, E. N. Thain, G. W. Wiggin; county, L. R. Whitaker, J. R. Hosford, H. W. Thayer; councillor, George King, Dr. A. J. Gallison, F. E. Osborne; representative, G. E. Emerson, Rev. Dr. I. W. Sneath, G. A. Martin, W. A. Fairfield, James Onslow, D. W. Corson; town committee, J. P. Bassett, F. P. Chapman, O. B. Carter, W. M. Fisher, B. M. Rockwood, C. F. Nye, H. T. Hayward, H. M. Grant, C. E. Woodward.

The following was the ticket presented by the town committee:

State convention, H. T. Hayward, G. W. Wiggin, A. D. Thayer, E. K. Ray, O. B. Carter, E. H. Sherman; congressional, H. R. Jenks, N. C. Nye, J. P. Bassett, B. M. Rockwood, E. D. Daniels, E. B. Sherman; councillor, H. W. Thayer, E. C. Abbott, T. G. Thain, P. A. Woodward, O. T. Doe, G. E. Emerson; county, G. W. Wiggin, W. M. Fisher, A. J. Gallison, G. R. Winsor, N. E. Newell, L. R. Whitaker; senatorial, W. A. Wyckoff, James H. Knapp, F. H. Bartholomew, E. A. Mason, M. E. Pond, Marston Sanborn; representative convention, J. T. Hutchinson, Solon Abbott, W. A. Pond, J. R. Hosford, E. N. Thain, Charles E. Woodward, E. P. Chapman, E. F. Lovejoy, J. F. Ray, C. E. Whiting, W. E. Crowninshield, H. W. Hosie; town committee, F. P. Chapman, C. F. Nye, B. M. Rockwood, O. B. Carter, W. M. Fisher, H. T. Hayward, J. P. Bassett, G. W. Wiggin, G. R. Winsor, O. T. Doe, E. S. Judd, H. W. Thayer, Eugene Thain, C. E. Whiting, J. T. Hutchinson, E. C. Abbott, Fred T. Ahrens, Jr., A. M. Thayer.

The Political Pot.

With the holding of the town caucuses candidates are already springing up for the coveted places in the political line, and, strange to say, Franklin is asking for nothing this year. But her assistance will be of great value to the aspirants from the other towns, the understanding being that nearly all of the towns desire a representative to the coming great and general court in Boston.

With the completion of Representative L. L. Burrington's second term and his removal from town, Franklin loses its member. His colleague, Warren E. Fairbanks of Bellingham, has decided not to ask for a second term, so there will probably be two new men from this district.

Medway is already in the field with a candidate—George W. Bullard, one of her solid citizens, receiving the harmonious support of the republican voters at the caucus on Monday evening, at which there were about one hundred present. The Medwayites point to the fact that Franklin and Medway have always "pulled together," and therefore they are counting on her assistance, which is valuable this year.

Wrentham is also presenting a candidate—Selectman W. F. Maintein, a representative business man and member of the board of selectmen. He is a young man of ability and well known here.

Norfolk also has a candidate—Silas E. Fales, who received seven votes for representative at the convention held here last year.

It is understood that Foxboro is also to demand recognition this year—A. F. Bemis, the straw goods manufacturer, being the one to claim the coveted honor.

Thus it will be seen that the convention promises to be an unusually interesting one, though most of the work will be done in advance and "on the quiet."

Later there will be the matter of senator to come up, and again the political pool will be troubled to see who shall receive the coveted prize. The last time it came to Franklin was when the district was represented by the late William F. Ray. He was followed by Fred H. Williams, the present aspirant for congressional honors, and he by the present incumbent, Frank A. Fales of Norwood.

Tonight and Tomorrow.

"Killarney and the Rhine" is a dainty narrative of the experiences and antics of a witty German in good old Erin. There is a very strong element of the melodrama running through its scenes, enlivened here and there with songs of years ago and of today. J. E. Toole's songs are fresh and spontaneous, his dancing is graceful, and his delineation is truthful and filled with those touches here and there of Teutonic humor that always sparkle and never fail to raise a laugh. The play is staged well and the many scenes of the Wicklow county are picturesque and of interest.

On Saturday evening "Rip VanWinkle" is to be heard here for the first time. Rip's famous toast, "Here's to your good helt and your family's good helt, may you all live long and brosper," is never uttered with more warmth and fervor than by J. E. Toole while impersonating the vagabond of the Catskills. His work is artistic throughout, though possibly he excels in the latter portion of the legend. While Mr. Toole has evidently seen and appreciated the worth of Mr. Jefferson's portrayal of Washington Irving's masterpiece, yet here and there he gives indications of originality not to be expected under the circumstances. The supporting company includes a number of well-known artists, fully competent to do the work required of them.

Emerson's Market.

Fresh killed chicks and fowls, lamb pork and tomatoes. We also have spinach, shell beans, cauliflower, gem melons, sweet potatoes, squash, lettuce, celery, grapes, onions, cabbages, new beets and turnips.

Fall Styles in Footwear.

Mothers, bring your children to Irwin's shoe store for their school shoes. Our goods are right, our prices are right and satisfaction is assured.

Studio Opened.

Having returned from my vacation have again opened for business.

R. J. CALKIN, Photographer.

Two chairs at Ochee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser in attendance. Short waits.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

Dean Academy vs. Woonsocket High School.

Dean academy football team played its second game of the season on the home grounds Wednesday, defeating the Woonsocket High school. Score—29 to 5. The features of the day were the magnificent rushing of Pulsifer, Patch and Stone, the former scoring all the touchdowns except one made by Patch. Kockersperger after kicking the first goal was thrown on the 25 yard line, wrenching his ankle and forcing him to retire from the game. The goal kicking of Nowell was also a feature.

DEAN.	Positions.	W. H. S.
Forbes	r. e.	Cook and Barry
Stone	r. t.	Carrol
Berdigan	r. g.	Estes and Stewart
Echols	c.	Normand
Woodward	l. g.	McLoughlin
Mitchell	l. t.	Lyons and Fountaine
Smith and Manning	l. e.	R[illegible] and Walsh
Phipps	quarte	Jones and Clough
Patch	r h. b.	Lord and Williams
Pulsifer	l. h. b.	Mee and Head
Kokespergar, Ba[illegible]on	f. b.	Gilbert

Touchdowns—Dean, Pulsifier 4, Patch 1; W. H. S., Gilbert. Referee—Nowell. Umpire—Baxton. Linesmen—Arnold and Smith. Timekeeper Cassidy.

Democratic Caucus.

The Democratic caucus was held in the town hall last evening. D. F. O'Sullivan, chairman and B. W. McCabe, secretary. The following were chosen delegates to the various conventions:

State convention—D. F. O'Sullivan, J. H. Riordan.

Congressional—B. W. McCabe, L. J, Kelley.

Councillor, County and Senatorial—John B. Collins, C. R. Russell.

Representative—P. P. Doherty, J. A. O'Sullivan, S. Y. Reed.

Town committee—D. F. O'Sullivan, Martin Feeley, M. J. Costello, Daniel Shea, John B. Collins, C. R. Russell.

After the adjournment of the caucus a Bryan and Stevenson club was organized. Sixty five members were enrolled and the following officers chosen: President, C. R. Russell; first vice, L. J. Kelley; second vice, Timothy Healy, Sr.; third vice, B. W. McCabe; fourth vice, W. F. Buckley; fifth vice, Dennis Fitzgerald; sixth vice, S. Y. Reed; secretary, John B. Collins; treasurer, J. A. O'Sullivan.

Woonsocket Opera House.

In the plot of William Gillette's "Secret Service" which is to be presented Wednesday, October 30, the heroine is the beautiful daughter of one of the Confederate Generals, who is loved by two men, Benton Arrelsford and Captain Thorne. The former, piqued because the heroine gives his rival the preference, endeavors to bring into disgrace the hero, who is in the secret service of the United States, and is in Richmond concerned in a plot to bring about its surrender to the North. Although the hero and heroine have differences in sectional sympathy, love finally conquers all.

The greatest production of the season will be "Qua Vadis." Don't fail to see this greatest of all scenic productions. Saturday, October 6. Friday, October 5, Broadhurst's "Why Smith Left Home."

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

Room to Let—Opposite R. G. A. hall on East street. Mrs. McCormier. 28*

To Rent.—A desirable tenement of six rooms; $12 per month. Inquire of O. T. Doe. 14-tf

Wanted.—A good tenement at $8 or $9 per month. Address B, care SENTINEL office. 25tf

Wanted.—A girl to do general housework. Apply to G. H. Grant, School street. 18-tf

Girl Wanted—A girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. Alfred Farrington. 21-tf

Lost—Boy's brown overcoat. Finder please return to Alfred Farrington, Franklin, Mass. 28*

A competent girl can obtain a good situation doing housework by addressing "E," SENTINEL office. 28

Get your round-trip Boston, Providence and Milford tickets of Charles H. Prince at the SENTINEL office.

Wanted.—Competent woman for general housework. Address, stating references, Box 118, Franklin, Mass 21,25,28

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I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J.B.MCKINNON, Agent.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Pianos Tuned.

I shall be in Franklin during the second week in October to care for my pianos and to attend to new ones. Orders may be left at the SENTINEL office.

J. W. WALKER.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse.

Auction.

A lot of real estate and personal property will be sold on Saturday at the Gilmore place, on the Mount at 1 o'clock. House goods, stable goods, cattle, etc., buildings and land.

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1900

Here is a dialogue that recently occurred between two rural members of the Kentucky militia which brings out some of the curiosities of dialect: "We've bin ordered to Frankfort." "I gad, I hain't goin'!" "I gad, you hev to go!" "I hain't and there's lots more that hain't goin', nuther!" "I gad, youns swored you go, and, I gad, you've got to go!" "I gad, we don't got to go! We hain't got no unicorns and we hain't got no guns and we hain't goin, nohow We 'most friz last time, and didn't git nuthin' to eat!" "Well, mebbe youns won't go, but if youns don't you'll git found like hell!"

Three centenarians in Philadelphia are said to be the oldest white persons in North America. They are Mrs. Celestine Nigro, an Italian, aged 110; Mrs. Sarah Doran Terry, born in New Jersey, aged 109, and Michael Mooney of Irish birth, aged 107. The oldest colored person is Jerry Skin, of Rome, Ga., who says he is 140, but his claims have not been verified.

Inoculation against glanders is being performed on every horse and mule shipped to the Philippines or Hawaii from San Francisco by the United States army, as a possible preventive against glanders.

What a Congressman Does. When a St. Louis congressman had looked over his morning mail one day the past week he found that he had these errands to do for his constituents before he could attend the sitting of the house with an easy conscience: War department, to see about the transportation of the body of a soldier who had died in Cuba back to this country; (2) navy department, to see about vacancy of assistant paymaster in the interest of a young candidate from his district; (3) general superintendent of railway mail service to push application of a constituent for promotion, (4) third assistant postmaster general, about refusal to admit publication of a constituent to mail as second-class matter; (5) pension office, to locate a pensioner who had deserted his family; (6) treasury department, to inquire about redemption of a bunch of mutilated currency; (7) geological survey, to ask for charts to be sent to a constituent. These seven miscellaneous requests came in one day's mail In addition, says a Washington correspondent, there were the usual petitions to look after pension cases. The latter range from one to seven daily The seven miscellaneous requests were a rather high average Sometimes a St Louis congressman can discharge this part of his daily routine with less traveling The requests may take him to only two or three departments. These days he considers himself in luck.

The "School of Comparative Jurisprudence and Diplomacy," at Washington, a branch of the Columbian university, is something new in American education, says the Nation. There is a school of diplomacy in Paris, which has been conducted successfully for about years, but this is the first one to be established in America, and the only other one in the world. It will confer the degree of master of diplomacy. It sometimes happens that a supply creates a demand which is a reversal of the ordinary statement. If it should prove true in this case, perhaps a supply of trained young diplomats may create a demand on the part of the United States government for them.

Through the operation of Boston's Sunday cigar law, people who wanted to smoke there on a recent Sunday were compelled to buy a cheap box of matches at a large price, and receive the tobacco, cigar or cigarette as a present.

A shell-fish, known as the pianna, in the Mediterranean has the curious power of spinning a viscid silk, which is made in Italy into a regular fabric. There is a fish that ought to make

HON. SAMUEL L. POWERS

Will be Nominated for Congressman by the Republicans of This District.

HON. SAMUEL L. POWERS.

Mr. Powers has secured an overwhelming portion of the delegates as against Mr. Williams, and will doubtless be made the unanimous choice of the convention. This is a notable victory for Mr Powers, and the district is to be congratulated that it is to have at Washington so able and splendidly equipped a representative.

Mr Powers' campaign has been such as to leave no regrets on his part, and has been conducted with due regard to the dignity of the high office which his friends have selected him to fill. Mr Powers will maintain the splendid position which the eleventh congressional district won when it was honored by the [illegible]

An Ohio girl who was married to a man after an acquaintance of three days complains now because he turns out to be a convict and not the naval captain he represented himself to be. While she undoubtedly has cause to mourn, it is hardly right that she should receive all the sympathy. The man, on his part, ran some risk. He was probably led to believe that he was getting a wife who possessed reasoning powers.

In experiments for testing the memory powers of an equal number of boys and girls at different ages in school and university classes, they were all read a simple story containing 324 words and 152 distinct ideas. The reading required three minutes, after which they immediately proceeded to write what they could remember. The conclusions were that the growth of memory is more rapid in girls than in boys.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

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In the outdoor horticultural exhibits of the Pan-American Exposition will be numerous beds of roses of choice varieties, each containing 500 bushes. Imagine what a brilliant show they will make when all in blossom!

A Fall River Woman.

Fall River, Mass., Sept. 15, 1900.—Mrs. Almira J. Sprague, living at 55 Seventh street, this city, states that had it not been for the well known medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla, she would not now be able to do her work She has taken this medicine to purify her blood and tone up her system, and it has done her a world of good No medicine has ever helped her so much. It has made her feel strong and healthy.

Yarmouth Line's Fall Excursions.

Not to have visited Nova Scotia during September is to have missed one of the most delightful of autumnal tours. During this month the Yarmouth Steamship company will sell excursion tickets, good for thirty days from date of purchase, to all points in Nova Scotia at unusually low rates. You may go to Yarmouth and return for only $3; to Digby and return for $6.35; to Halifax and return for $8.50; and correspondingly low rates to all other places, including south shore ports reached by the steamer City of Monticello from Yarmouth Yarmouth line steamers leave Pier 1, Lewis wharf, every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 2 p. m. for Yarmouth. Full particulars and tickets at the tourist agencies, 201, 296 and 332 Washington street, or of H F. Hammond, agent Yarmouth Steamship company, Pier 1, Lewis wharf, Boston.

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This exposition is open to all products and manufactures of articles known to civilization and there is every reason to expect the attendance of more than a half million visitors to this [illegible] during its four weeks [illegible]

The great show will be in full operation daily from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. Sundays excepted. The most famous Bands and Orchestras that money can secure [illegible] and other special features will add to the general attractiveness and beauty [illegible]

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A Field Day For the Fashionables. Exhibits of Horses of All Breeds. The Interest of Leading Breeders and Associations Enlisted.

A Horse Show of the fashionable kind, with all the embellishments that society can bestow upon it, will be one of the features of the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo next year.

It is planned upon the lines observed in those well known society events of a like nature held annually in Madison Square Garden, New York city. Metropolitan society is regularly thrown into a flutter of excitement as the time approaches each season for these picturesque events, and the great Garden takes on a festive air that is not rivaled again throughout the year.

Society then shines resplendent. Popular conversation is upon the comparative merits of favorite animals. The decorations of the person and of the building and the attire of devotees suggest the horse. The newspapers talk horse and the whole metropolis pays homage to the high bred animals whose proud pedigrees become as familiar as the biographies of statesmen at election time.

It is expected to make the great horse show to be held in the fall of next year at this Exposition quite as spectacular and interesting as those held in New York. On this occasion the finest bred animals of the Americas will be brought together to compete for honors and the favor of the public.

The show will be held in the Stadium, which is to be the great show place of the Exposition, having seats for more than 10,000 and a track a quarter of a mile in circumference.

While a general display of horses will be made at this show, of particular interest will be the animals adapted to the uses of fashionable society, such as saddle horses and ponies, tandem drivers, hunters, jumpers, polo ponies, coupe and coach horses, four-in-hands, trotters and runners. The show will include many costly equipages and novel turnouts that are used with the finely bred animals that will be brought forward to delight the public eye.

Superintendent F. A. Converse of the Live Stock division has planned to accommodate 1,000 horses in the exhibit of American bred animals. The breeds that will be recognized are Standardbred, Thoroughbred, French coach, French trotters, Cleveland bay, Oldenburg, etc., Belgian, Hackney, Morgan, Arabs, Percheron, Clydesdale, English shire, French draft, Suffolk, Punch, Shetland ponies, Jacks and Jennets.

This will be the occasion for bringing together the finest animals bred on the western continent. While the trolley car and the automobile have relieved the horse of much of his drudgery, he continues to occupy a distinctive field of work in the general economy. The tendency of the times, too, is to produce better animals.

The cheap car horse has to a large extent gone out, and scientific breeding is replacing the common stock with horses of higher intelligence and efficiency. The experience of many breeders during the introduction of the trolley car and the flooding of the market with cheap horses was discouraging, and a large number turned their attention to other lines of work.

The situation, however, is considerably improved, and prices are again more nearly what they should be. The interest in breeding is regulated by the pecuniary reward, and the improved demand lends a new attractiveness to the breeding and training of horses. The demand for horses in cities continues brisk particularly for draft animals such as the Clydesdale and the Percheron, and for gentlemen's driving and coach horses.

The Live Stock division of the Pan-American Exposition will offer to breeders an opportunity to place before the public high bred, stylish, good acting horses with a view of showing what particular crosses are advantageous in producing such animals. Experiments have been made with a view of producing large standard bred horses with the most admirable results.

Another feature will be an exhibit of horses adapted for cavalry purposes. The extraordinary demand for cavalry horses within the last few years has brought to the attention of breeders the wisdom of producing a type of [illegible] manifest that the cavalry service requires. Not only has the demand been very large for the United States army, but foreign buyers have frequented the American markets and purchased many animals for the armies of other countries. Several large breeding establishments are already turning their attention to the raising of cavalry horses. With the great number of horses that will be brought together at the Pan-American Exposition the visitor will have an opportunity seldom equaled to make a particular study of this line of breeding.

Superintendent Converse is in correspondence with the entire 28 National Associations whose members are engaged in sheep breeding and wool growing. He reports that every association, without exception, is much interested in the Pan-American Exposition and that it will contribute exhibits to the show which will take place in September.

A strong feature of the sheep exhibit will be in the middle wool class, in which mutton is the first consideration and wool secondary. This class includes Shropshires, Oxfords, Southdowns and like breeds. The exhibits of these breeds will be exceptionally large. The classification of sheep includes some 14 breeds. Some of them are new to America, such as Tunis, Suffolks and the Highland Black Face. These new breeds will be particularly interesting on account of their novelty. The Highland Black Face is a well known breed in Scotland, but in America there are comparatively few flocks.

Wool growing is carried on in nearly every part of the United States, the business being particularly adapted to rough and mountainous districts where the steep hillsides and mountain pastures can be utilized. The exhibit of sheep will therefore come from nearly every state in the Union and will include about 1,500 of the finest bred animals. The exhibits of imported sheep will be made only by American breeders, the rules requiring that the stock shall have been in the possession of exhibitors at least 60 days before the date of the entry.

The display of swine to be made in the latter part of September will include representatives of 12 breeds. Among these will be the new breeds known as Suffolks, Victorias and Tamworths. The Tamworth stock is bred to some extent in Canada, but is practically unknown in the United States. While swine growing on an extensive scale has been confined largely to the corn belt, it is becoming a profitable industry among dairymen. It is particularly so in connection with cheese making, the byproducts furnishing an economic and suitable food for swine.

A special exhibit will be made of breeds adapted for the production of bacon. The secret of "fattening hogs lean" is the one that swine growers are striving to learn, and this exhibit will be judged with special reference to their bacon producing qualities. It is expected that not less than 1,500 animals will be shown in the exhibit of swine.

MARK BENNITT.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with typhoid fever that ran into pneumonia. My lungs became hardened; I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed; nothing helped me; I expected to soon die of consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief; I continued to use it and am now well and strong; I can't say too much in its praise." This marvellous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all throat and lung trouble. Regular sizes 50c. and $1. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store; every bottle guaranteed.

To the Deaf.

A rich lady, cured of her deafness in the head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear drums, gave $10,000 to his institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the ear drums may have them free. Address No. 5095C, The Nicholson Institute, 780 Eighth avenue, New York, U S A. jl27

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Gentlemen:—I must say in regard to GRAIN O that there is nothing better or healthier We have used it for years My brother was a great coffee drinker He was taken sick and the doctor said coffee was the cause of it and told us to use GRAIN O We got a package but did not like it at first, but now would not be without it My brother has been well ever since we started to use it.

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STATEMENT JULY 31, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$571,160 11
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 99
Interest Account		567 15
Real Estate Income Account		16 19
		$600,700 30

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,759 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,043 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,975 00
" " Mortgages		157,560 00
" " Personal Securities		169,891 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		4 97
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$7,822 25	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	4,095 58	
Mercantile Trust Co	84 16	
		12,001 99
Cash on hand		152 37
		$600,700 30

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

ADELBERT D. THAYER,
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July 31, 1900.

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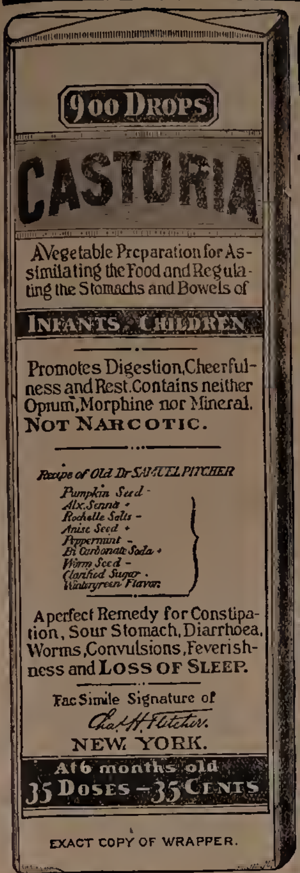

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A Building to Be Devoted to Exhibits of Dairy Appliances, Methods and Products—Milk In All Its Commercial Forms.

It is expected that the live stock, poultry and pet stock exhibits at the Pan-American Exposition next year all told will include about 25,000 individuals. Beginning the latter part of August, Superintendent Frank A. Converse has arranged for a special cattle show, to continue two weeks. The 16 or 17 breeds recognized in this country and Canada, including beef and dairy cattle, will have a place in this division. The classification of beef animals includes the Shorthorns, Herefords, Aberdeen-Angus, Galloways, Devons and Polled Durhams. The National Live Stock, Shorthorn, Hereford and Galloway associations will endeavor to make exhibits exceliing in interest any that they have heretofore brought together. The co-operation of these great associations gives strong assurances of an unqualified success in this feature of the show. The National Live Stock association expects to make a very instructive exhibit, showing the character of animals upon the ranches many years ago along with those of the present day, illustrating the remarkable results of scientific breeding.

The dairy associations are putting forth a special effort to be represented at the Exposition by their best animals, and individual exhibitors are preparing to come in considerable numbers with specimens of very fine dairy stock. The displays of dairy breeds will include Jersey, Holstein, Ayrshire, Guernsey, Brown Swiss, Red Polled, French Canadian and Dutch Belted cattle. Liberal prizes are to be awarded by the Exposition for the best animals of the several breeds. These attractive purses are certain to bring out a fine selection of animals.

So important are the dairy interests of the Americas that a large building will be devoted exclusively to them at Buffalo. The building will be equipped with a complete refrigerating outfit, so that fresh exhibits may be shown throughout the continuance of the Exposition. The many ins and outs of dairy management will be illustrated by means of models of stable appurtenances, ties, water buckets, mangers and appliances of all kinds. Particular attention will be given to the proper manipulation of dairy products.

In this connection will be shown all sorts of churns, separators, vats, bottles, butter workers, cans, creamers, apparatus for sterilizing and pasteurizing and vessels for setting and shipping milk. An exhibit will be made with special reference to the sanitary and hygienic management of the animals themselves, the stables which they occupy and the buildings in which the milk and cream are cared for. It has been found that nearly all diseases to which dairy cattle are subject can be avoided by cleanliness and proper management. The germ theory of the transmission of disease has had a revolutionary effect in dairy management, and the importance of the observance of hygienic rules will be graphically portrayed. The ventilation of dairy buildings, having due regard for the comfort and health of the animals, has been developed upon scientific lines, and present knowledge upon this feature of dairy construction will be shown by means of proper models. The exhibit of dairy products will include milk and cream in all their commercial forms, embracing pasteurized, sterilized and condensed milk, butter and many varieties of cheese.

America has never produced a distinctive breed of beef or dairy animals, but scientific breeding has so improved upon the imported stock that it is said the American product would hardly be recognized in the land of its origin. The effort will be made at this Exposition to bring to the attention of stock growers, dairymen and unscientific breeders of beef and dairy cattle the advantages to be derived from the possession of choicer and more efficient breeds.

It is said that half the dairymen in the United States are milking cows with no profit to their owners, while it is possible for well bred cows, whose milk is marketed at normal prices, to yield a profit of $100 per annum. This lesson in profit and loss concerns every one who devotes any part of his time to dairy work.

The judging of cattle will take place in the Stadium, where the honors will be bestowed and where an audience of 10,000 people may witness these formalities. The live stock buildings will accommodate not less than 1,000 cattle, and their construction is upon plans best adapted for the comfort and convenience of the animals and herdsmen.

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Mary and Her Landlord.

Mary opened a little shop
To help her on life's way,
And honest toil found its reward,
And it began to pay.

"How's biz?" the landlord often asked,
And Mary was imprudent;
Of course she never guessed he was
An economic student.

But Mary's landlord's eagle eye
Was watching how things went,
And when the first of May came round
He doubled Mary's rent.

The imposition staggered her,
But what could Mary do?
Subsistence bare is the tenant's share,
All above is the landlord's due.

So Mary kept on as before,
Improving as time went,
But step by step, with increased trade,
The landlord raised the rent.

And thus the merry game went on
Till Mary's life was spent;
As fast as God could prosper her
The landlord raised the rent.
—Westminster Review.

Exchanging Careers.

It is not always the first profession a man chooses that proves to be the right one. A modern instance is that of four young men who were fellow cadets at the United States Military academy at West Point in the class of '69. They were Arthur Sherburne Hardy, John Brisben Walker, Charles King and John Savage, whose rooms in the barracks adjoined.

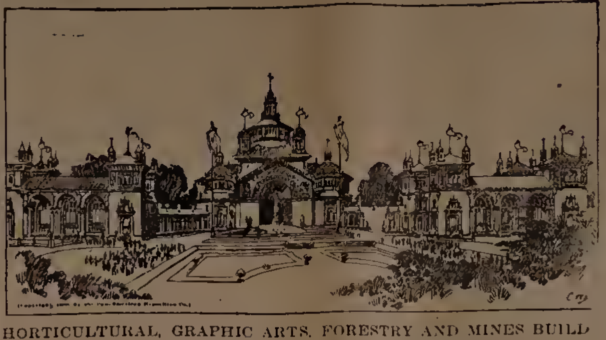
None of the four dreamed of a literary career. Mr. Walker and Mr. Hardy became magazine editors, while Captain King and Colonel Savage became noted authors and writers. On the other hand, General Joseph R. Hawley and General William F. Rogers began life as editors, but won fame after they had exchanged the pen for the sword.

Examples are not lacking in other lines, as is shown by the experience of Francis B. Thurber, who became a lawyer after a long career in business, and in that of William C. Whitney, who abandoned law to become a business man and capitalist. Mental alertness will enable a young man to quickly exchange a career for which he is not fitted for one in which success will await his efforts provided he be made of the right sort of material.—Success.

Preparing the Kansas Exhibit.

Kansas is preparing a grand display of fruits and other products for the Pan-American Exposition. Kansas is popularly looked upon only as a great corn state, but her possibilities in all round farming, stock raising and fruit and vegetable growing are to be shown by means of splendid object lessons in her exhibits at Buffalo next year.

The advance of knowledge upon the subject of irrigation has prompted the management of the Pan-American Exposition to provide for an adequate exhibit showing methods of irrigation and various tools and supplies.



HORTICULTURAL, GRAPHIC ARTS, FORESTRY AND MINES BUILDINGS, PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION.

THE STADIUM.

Magnificent Arena For the Display of Live Stock and For Sports.

While the Stadium at the Pan-American Exposition was designed primarily for athletic and sporting events, it is intended also for the parade and judging of live stock and for the exhibition of farm and road machinery, traction engines, automobiles and other vehicles in motion. It will be the most magnificent arena ever erected in America. The seating capacity is 12,000. It will contain a quarter mile track and abundant space for all the popular athletic games and sports.

It is said that no exhibitor has ever had such a splendid arena in which to make displays of live stock, machinery or vehicles.

The architectural adornment of the Stadium is very simple and beautiful, giving it an aspect of massiveness and durability. The arrangement is that of a vast amphitheater, the seats being under cover and affording comfort to the spectators. The main entrance of the Stadium is a large building whose upper floors will be used for restaurant purposes. This building is 241 feet long by 52 feet wide, with towers 164 feet high. The architecture is very picturesque and appropriate for the use for which it is intended.

The style is that of the Spanish Renaissance in conformity with the general character of Exposition buildings. The lower story is an arcaded arrangement, and the red tile roof has broad eaves. Bright colors will be used in the further decoration of the building, and the old Spanish towers give it a finished beauty and make it one of the most prominent features of the Exposition.

The Stadium is on the east side of the Plaza, opposite the Midway. It is near the great northern entrance to the Exposition, adjacent to the steam and trolley railway stations. The Athletic Carnival to be held in the Stadium is intended to be one of the most important ever held in America. It will bring together many of the most famous specialists in the world, who will entertain the Exposition visitors with their feats of strength, skill and endurance. The Stadium resembles the one built at Athens a few years ago and is intended as a model of what it is hoped some day may be executed in permanent form.

GREAT FOOD EXHIBIT.

A Comprehensive Display From Pan-American Countries at Buffalo.

In the division of Foods and their accessories an exhibit will be made at the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo of a most comprehensive character and covering one-quarter of the large area of the Manufactures and Liberal Arts building.

The division will bring to the attention of the consumers and tradesmen the food resources of Pan-America, showing them that the countries of the western hemisphere produce, and are capable of producing in quantities sufficient for all demands, a great variety of foods that are now imported from the islands and countries of the far East.

It is hoped thus greatly to stimulate Pan-American trade. The division will present a collection of food products and their accessories in such a way as to challenge the interest of every inquiring visitor, and he will be offered valuable instruction upon the nature, origin and use of the various foods.

One group will relate to literature and statistics of food, live plants, vines and trees from all parts of the western world and miscellaneous specimens of trunks, limbs, leaves, seeds, grasses and grains.

Under another will be exhibited such products as coffees, teas, cocoas, chocolates, kola and their substitutes, spices, aromatics, mustards, olives, vinegars and other condiments, herbs, hops, essential oils and flavoring extracts. An interesting collection of confectionery and sweets, including the sugar cane, beet, sorghum, maple, grape, palm, etc., honey and glucose, will be exhibited. Preserves and kindred products will be shown under another group and nuts and dried fruits and vegetables, etc., under another. Prepared cereals, breads and crackers, Indian corn as food for the table, macaroni and preparations of paste and leavening preparations will constitute still another interesting group. Mineral waters and beverages, both alcoholic and nonalcoholic, preserved and packed meats and sea food, gelatin preparations and even machinery used in food preparation processes will be displayed. The food exhibit is under the supervision of Mr. G. Edward Fuller an expert of worldwide reputation in this line of work, who has traveled around the world and into many of its remote corners in search of information upon the subject of foods.

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POULTRY AND PET STOCK.

Mammoth Display of Feathered Favorites to Be Made at Buffalo.

There are some 45 national associations interested in poultry raising in the United States. The Live Stock division of the Pan-American Exposition, of which Frank A. Converse is superintendent, is in correspondence with all of these, and a most cordial co-operative spirit is shown on the part of every one toward making the poultry and pet stock show of this Exposition the greatest of the kind ever held. The displays of poultry will comprise about 100 breeds. To these will be added six breeds of turkeys, 11 breeds of ducks and nine breeds of geese.

As an evidence of their interest in the coming show many of the associations have volunteered to duplicate the prizes offered by the Exposition. It is also proposed by the associations to do all in their power to boom this feature of the Pan-American Exposition at the winter poultry shows to be held in Boston, New York, Philadelphia and other cities. It is estimated that not less than 75 per cent of the poultry associations will offer special prizes.

An important feature of the Pet Stock Show will be the exhibit of Belgian hares. The classification, however, covers all kinds of pet stock. The Belgian hares are being extensively raised in various parts of the country on account of the value of their meat. The fine stock in these animals brings a very high price, and the demand is surprisingly great. The Belgian hare is much heavier than the common rabbit, weighing some seven or eight pounds and quite a different animal. Its flesh is described as a cross between venison and mutton and is highly prized in European countries for food. It breeds rapidly and feeds upon such simple and cheap foods as carrots, white oats, lettuce, clover and tender green food of many kinds. It does not burrow and is very tame. Children are very fond of them as pets.

Aside from their value for food, their fur is in demand for making fine felt. This will be the first noteworthy exhibit of these animals in America and will afford an opportunity for every one to gain useful knowledge concerning them.

Not a Case In Point.

Mr. Goodygirth—Now don't get in too much of a hurry, my dear; haste makes waste, you know.

Mrs. G.—Oh, I don't know; you were never known to be in a hurry, and I'm sure you've got plenty of waist.—Boston Courier.

The Truth of the Matter.

"I understand that Spiffins has resigned the management of that business," said Bloomfield.

"My understanding is that he was fired from the mismanagement of it," added Bellefield. — Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

Unprofitable Game.

City Sportsman—Any game here?

Jerseyman—Plenty o' snipe.

"Snipe! It doesn't pay to hunt them. Too small."

"Too small ter cook?"

"Too small to hit."—N. Y. Weekly.

Shabby.

He—Marry me, darling, and life will be one grand, sweet song.

She—I am not quite sure about the sweetness. On ten per week it could only be a rag-time song. — Chicago Daily News.

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If a man conceals the truth he lies in ambush.—Chicago Daily News.

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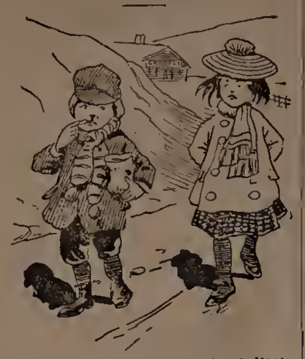

Jimmy (with the peanuts)—A little girl choked to death eating peanuts the other day.

Jane—Well, she'd been livin' yet if she'd known you!—N. Y. World.

Not a Circumstance.

The chilliness of liquid air
Seems more like warmth, 'tis found,
To those who meet that frigid stare
Where Boston girls abound.
—Elliott's Magazine.

The Way It Came About.

He—The woman was the first temptress, you know.

She—Oh, yes. But if the man hadn't had more stomach than conscience or heart he wouldn't have succumbed.—Philadelphia North American.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvet skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run down invalid. Only 50c. at A. C. Mason & Co.'s drug store.

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Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2.65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit. The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save. If your druggist can't supply you, it will be fowarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

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CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 6 05 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m; f12 59, 5 29, 6 13, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

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WRENTHAM.

Daniel Brown leaves Friday for his annual hunting trip in the Maine woods, and Elbridge J. Whitaker, Esq., Selectman William F. Maintein and John Weber start the first of October for their usual hunting near Moosehead lake. They will be gone nearly two weeks.——Hiram A Cowell left town Wednesday for an extended trip throughout the west.——Constable Edgar I Blake is out looking for unlicensed dogs——Misses Ida and Bertha Fuller are visiting friends in Pigeon Cove.——Miss Clara J. Randall, of the primary school, is taking a vacation in New York. During her absence her duties are being attended to by Miss Bertha Fuller——The Republican caucus was held Monday night in the town hall at Plainville and the following delegates chosen: State, A W. Burton, Chas W. Pond; councillor, Daniel Brown, J. H. Shannon; congressional, E. J. Whitaker, Franklin Brown; senatorial, Geo. W. Wood, J E Grant; county, W. H. Nash, D. S Farrington; representative, W F Maintein, W C. Averell, Fred E. Gilmore, Hosmer F. Keeney; town committee, E. J. Whitaker, Franklin Brown, W E. Pond, J. E. Carpenter, W F. Maintein. The delegates to the congressional convention were for Williams Fifty-one votes were cast.

Embarrassing.

Lobbyist—What did you mean by refusing to vote on this measure?

Congressman I had forgotten which way you paid me to vote.—N Y Journal.

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Mr. De Lond I have—er—called, sir, about—er—about your daughter, sir. Will you—er—listen to my suit?

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Church Services.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D.D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "Do We Make Enough Out of Life."

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 4. Sunday school at 3. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, Ph. D.; Sunday school at 12. Rally Sunday, Y P S. C. E. at 6.30. Evening service at 7.30. Address by the pastor; theme, "A Strike for Salvation."

Baptist church.—At 10.30 preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper; theme, "An Unspeakable Calamity." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 6.15. Preaching at 7.30; theme, "Must Young People's Christian Societies Die?" The ordinance of baptism will be administered.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 and 7.30 by the pastor, Rev. S A. Cook; morning subject, "The Spiritual Seed and the Ground of the Soul;" evening subject, "The Great Invitation." Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 3. Epworth league at 6.30; subject, "Our Foolish Excuses"—Luke xiv, 15 24.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending September 26, 1900

Ladies—Miss Katie E. Conners, Mrs. A M. Miller, Miss Annie Kernan, Mrs. S. S Riske, Miss Mary Ryan, Miss N. J Whitaker.

Gentlemen—John Brown, W E. Miller, F C. Wilkie.

Foreign—Andrea Vijoochi, Fiorinto Cotesco.

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LADIES' RAINY-DAY SKIRTS, were $1.98 to $4, this sale, $1.25.

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LADIES' $1.25 and $1.50 WRAPPERS, to close, 97c.
LADIES' $1.00 WRAPPERS, to close, 79c.

SHIRT WAISTS.

SHIRT WAISTS, were 39c., now 15c.
SHIRT WAISTS, were 50c., now 19c.
SHIRT WAISTS, were 87c., now 29c.
SHIRT WAISTS, were $1.00, now 39c.
SHIRT WAISTS, were $1.50 and $2.00, choice 98c.
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BUTTONS MADE FROM YOUR OWN CLOTH.

A Biblical Reason.

Jeweler—Why do you refer to watch cases without movements as faith?

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Very Bad.

Jimmie—How's business?

Cracker—Bad, very bad.

Jimmie—What yer been doin' lately?

Cracker—Robbin' safes.—N. Y. Weekly

What People Never Do.

Folks sometimes take ill what is meant well, but they never take well what is meant ill.—Chicago Democrat.

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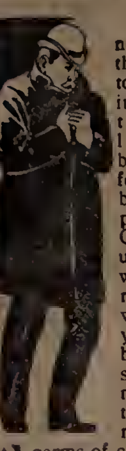

We know of nothing better than coughing to tear the lining of your throat and lungs. It is better than wet feet to cause bronchitis and pneumonia. Only keep it up and you will succeed in reducing your weight, losing your appetite, bringing on a slow fever, and making everything exactly right for the germs of consumption.

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PIERRE CHAPDELAINE.
61s Social St., Woonsocket, R. I.
September 28, 1900. se28,o5,12

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NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles W. Thayer, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to [illegible] Thayer of [illegible] without giving a surety on her bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the 17th day of October, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
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West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

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Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 00 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10 30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

H. R. Jenks is able to be out again.

Selectman J. J. McCarthy has gone to Kentucky.

Miss Olive Glenister of Boston has been visiting friends in town.

A number of the Red Men enjoyed the meeting at Worcester last week.

There will be a regular meeting of the Foresters tomorrow evening.

The hourly timetable went into effect on the Medway street railway Monday.

Miss Kate Shumsky has returned after a week's stay with friends in Providence.

Miss Bessie Sherman of Wayland is visiting her cousin, Miss Alice Sherman.

Mrs. H. O'Donnell and family of Crescent street moved to Watertown yesterday.

Hosie Bros. have just put on a fine new low gear express wagon for use in their business.

Aaron Willard and family have changed their place of abode from Garfield street to Dean avenue.

Mrs. James E. Razee and daughter Hortense are visiting Mrs. Razee's mother at Salem.

The barbers have agreed to hereafter close their shops on Thursday afternoons, beginning this week.

The Franklin Country club contests with the Cumberland club at Woonsocket on Saturday at golf.

Miss Lucy B. Connor has resigned as teacher here, to take effect Friday, for a better position in Natick.

F. H. Bartholomew is preparing for winter by replacing his furnace with a new Plummer steam heater.

Rev. and Mrs. G W. Miner will entertain Lawrence Guild at the rectory Wednesday evening from 7 till 9.

Miss Myrtie Whiting will sing at the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary at West Medway on Thursday.

Richard Costello of West street has accepted a position as telegraph operator at the Parker house, Boston.

George Sneath caught a fine partridge in his hen yard last week. How it came to be there he does not know.

C. E. Whiting is putting a veranda upon the east side of his house, Contractor Crowninshield doing the work.

In the district court Thursday morning Alexander McCullock was sent to the state farm at Bridgewater for drunkenness.

W. A. Pond has sold the G. A. Crockett farm of 30 acres at West Medway, with stock and tools, to Henry Kinkle of Norwood.

Mrs. J. Walrath and daughter Anna Mae of Oswego, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Drown of the Crescent House.

Sylvester G. Buxton is the new pressman at the SENTINEL office, taking Fred Handerson's place, who enters a new business.

The liquors taken at the recent seizure were tried in court here this morning. No claimants appearing, they were ordered forfeited.

Horace P. Sawyer, who was called here from Norway, Me., last week on account of the death of his mother, returned home yesterday.

Joseph G. Ray is one of the full backs at Tufts this year, and the Boston Journal says he "is a hard working man and a good little plunger."

"Peck" Chisolm, a former resident here, is "home from the war" in Manilla. He likes soldiering well enough, but not so far away from home.

On Wednesday evening last J. B. McKinnon and Miss Etta McMillan were married at St. Mary's rectory, Rev. M. J. Lee performing the ceremony.

The first meeting of the Mothers' section will be held on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. A. M. Thayer, when a debate will be enjoyed.

The many press notices of the performance of "The Pied Piper" are very complimentary and our townspeople may be assured of a delightful evening.

Mrs. F. P. Black, wife of the ex governor of New York state, has been here the past few days as guest of her sister, Miss Sara Hamlin, at Dean academy.

Rev. Mr. Sneath will deliver the address of greetings from the Mendon Conference on Thursday at the 150th anniversary of the West Medway church.

W. F. Morey of Milford, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Noyes of Providence and Arthur Jenness of Raynham were visitors at the residence of Mrs. S. T. Razee on Sunday.

October devotions will be held in St. Mary's chapel on Tuesday and Thursday evenings during the month. Masses will be celebrated every morning during the week at 7 o'clock.

The King's Daughters will hold their first meeting of the fall Wednesday evening at 7 30 at the home of Amy Briggs. Will all please come prepared to pay annual dues.

St. John's Guild will meet at the rectory on Crescent street Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. This will be an important meeting, at which all members are urged to be present.

On Saturday evening, at the Congregational parsonage, Dr. Sneath united in marriage Charles E. Ellis and Miss Jennie F. Aldrich, both of Franklin. They will reside on Elm street.

It is quite likely that W. D. Fellows, secretary of the Fall River Y. M. C. A., may be heard here shortly in the interest of the work in Franklin. He is thoroughly in earnest and a fine speaker.

The principal parts in the operetta of "The Pied Piper" will be taken by the following persons: Piper, Mr. Hosford; Mayor, Mr. Leach of Walpole; Gretchen, Miss Grace Adams; schoolmaster, Mr. Desmond.

Some of our warm politicians have been wondering why we are having no political rallies thus far. By the decision of the Republican national committee the speaking campaign does not begin until October 2.

Franklin is really in its youth, when you think of Medfield celebrating its two hundred and fiftieth anniversary next year and the West Medway church enjoying its one hundred and fiftieth anniversary next Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L Wales have returned to their home in Waterbury, Conn. Mr. Wales is a Franklin boy, and has risen through his own pluck and energy to the position of superintendent of the street railway system of that city.

Edward S. Spring has tendered his resignation as superintendent of the Norfolk Western and Medfield and Medway street railways in order to accept a position with the Boston and Lowell street railway company. He will be missed here.

P. B. Whitney of Walpole was in town on Saturday with a new automobile, built upon the lines of the Stanley steam carriage, though with a number of new improvements. It was built at the Plympton works in Walpole. Ye editor enjoyed his first ride in a steam carriage.

The forty-seventh annual meeting of the Thurber medical society, to be held in Milford on Thursday, is to be a notable affair. Dr. J. C. Gallison of this place, is to preside as anniversary chairman, Congressman (to be) S. L. Powers is to speak, and Dr. French of the Medfield insane asylum is to have a paper.

The following children of the Four Corners school were neither absent or tardy during the month of September: Freddie Brogan, Beatrice Copeland, Mildred Dauphinee, Bertha Feeley, Lina Hamilton, George Joyce, Emma King, May Keefe, Chester Ledbury, Louise Richmond, Genevieve Searle, Lora Searle, Raymond Smith, Willard Smith, Robert Winters, Leon Long.

John A. Geb removed yesterday from West street to the house recently purchased by him on West street, and on Saturday his brother, Jacob Geb, moved into the Morse house on Union street, which became his property a few weeks ago. F. P. Bly and family, who formerly lived there, have moved into the residence at the corner of Pleasant and Alpine streets.

Announcement is made of the intended marriage of Miss Emma Frances Bradley of Somerville, formerly a resident of Franklin, a graduate of the High school here and lately a teacher in the Somerville schools, to Joseph Degan of New Haven, Conn., on Wednesday evening, Oct. 10, the ceremony to be performed at the residence of the bride's mother, No. 7 Buckingham street, Somerville.

The telephone company commenced business in its new quarters yesterday morning, the two rooms at the rear of the Fletcher building up stairs being finely fitted up. Miss Tracy is in charge as formerly and a night man will be on duty all night. A pay station has been arranged in Mason's drug store, where patrons can telephone as before, the old room being reserved for that purpose.

The following children of the third grade, Nason street school, were neither absent nor tardy during September: Clarence Arnold, Maud Blackmar, Robt. Carlson, Emma Clark, Alice Cook, Carleton Corbin, Irwin Daniels, Raymond Dean, Sara Doherty, Percy Fairfield, George Geb, Sadie Gormley, Oliver Holmes, James Hutchinson, John Hutchinson, Stella Johnson, Lizzie Joyal, Eddie King, Agnes Landry, Dora Landry, Esmah Metcalf, Anna Morris, George Murphy, Annie Pariseau, George Pendleton, Sadie Pendleton, Henry Petron, Grace Russell, Max Seisel.

There was a large attendance at the baptismal service at the Baptist church Sunday evening. Miss Minnie R. Scott and Mr. Leander Minot were baptized. Rev. F. B. Sleeper gave an interesting and impressive discourse on the great question now being discussed at large, "Must Young People's Christian Societies Die?" The preacher boldly advanced the thought that, except young Christians work continually and ignore the age, live and sweeten in divine grace and become broadly catholic, their societies will die and ought to die. The service closed with the beautiful baptismal ritual.

Contractor J. J. McCarthy, with others associated with him, is one of the bidders on the new Clinton dam, to the extent of $2,217,255. To provide for this immense basin the town of Boylston is practically wiped off of the map. The reservoir is to provide the city of Boston, fifty miles away, with a permanent supply of pure water. The entire work will require eight years, and when completed and all conditions complied with there will be in existence Wachusett reservoir, a lake eight and one-half miles by two miles for its maximum dimensions, of an average depth of forty-six feet, maximum depth of one hundred and twenty-nine feet, and retaining sixty three billion gallons.

Daniel Pendergast, formerly superintendent of the Armour felting industry at Chicago and at present superintendent of the Byfield Felting Co., located at Byfield, Mass., has leased for a term of years the new mill erected by Enoch Waite at South Franklin last spring, and which Mr. Waite had intended to use as a paper mill. Mr. Pendergast will begin the manufacture of shoddy at the plant about Nov. 1, and will be assisted by his brother, William Pendergast, who lives here, the former maintaining his present position and residence at Byfield, while his brother will have charge of the South Franklin factory. It is also intended to manufacture horse blankets as soon as possible after the shoddy industry has been started. A part of the machinery to be used in the shoddy work is already at the mill and the rest will be shipped from Providence to South Franklin and set up during the present month.

C. L. Stewart, H. W. Thayer, J. E. Barber, C. B Johnson, R. J. Calkin and C. H. Prince went to Milford Sunday afternoon to enjoy the exercises of dedication of the new Y. M. C. A building, recently purchased in that place. The address of welcome was made by ex Mayor Fred Fosdick of Fitchburg, and State Secretary Armstrong also spoke. President Miett gave an interesting history of the work since its inception, Secretary Fellows of Fall River read the Scriptures, and Rev. Messrs McGill and Beekman also participated. Excellent music was provided and afterwards the friends enjoyed an inspection of the building. Secretary Davis appears to be just the man for the place and the work will surely be blessed, as the organization now has its own "home" and an impetus to work. In this connection we note that Marblehead held its forty first aniversary Sunday, having paid off its debt of $1350 the past year. The deeds were burned in the presence of the spectators.

Old Folks' Home at Pondville.

A fund of $20,000 is needed in order to start the home. One thousand dollars has been given by one man, and it is the wish of the King's Daughters and Sons here to be the next to pledge $1000. Will those interested in the home bear this in mind? Contributions or pledges of money sent to Miss Amy Briggs or Mrs. Clara J. Marsh, Needham, Mass., will be promptly acknowledged. The society hopes to be able to report at the county convention at East Weymouth on Thursday a small amount at least.

Dean Academy 6, Attleboro High 0.

Dean defeated Attleboro High Saturday afternoon in the cleanest exhibition of football seen on the Dean campus thus far this season by a score of 6 to 0. The game was full of interest, as both teams played a snappy, aggressive game, and one that was entirely free from any objectionable roughness. Attleboro was a little heavier on the line, particularly in the three centre men, but Dean showed the effects of competent coaching and won through their superior team work.

Attleboro kicked off to Dean's 20 yard line and Dean carried the ball back to the 40-yard line. Then followed successive rushes by Pulsifer, Thompson and Patch, all for substantial gains, until Attleboro's 15 yard line was reached. Here Richardson was over-anxious and was off side, Dean receiving 10 yards for this offense. Forbes then took the ball over the line for the only touchdown in the game. Forbes kicked the goal. The rest of the half was played almost entirely on Attleboro's territory.

The second half Attleboro played a little stronger defensive game, holding Dean for downs within a yard of their goal line, thus preventing a second touchdown by Dean. Most of Dean's gains were the results of end runs and plays directed at the tackles. Attleboro made several short gains through Dean's guards, but none of them were for more than three yards.

Pulsifer, Thompson, Forbes and Patch made strong rushes, and with Phipps, who ran the team like a veteran, played the strongest game for Dean. Roberts, the 280 pound centre, Richardson and N. Lamb put up the best game for Attleboro.

The line up was as follows:

DEAN.	Positions.	ATTLEBORO.
Manning (Burdakin)	l. e.	C. Lamb
Mitchell	l. t	Allton
Woodward	l. g.	Briggs
Echols	c.	Roberts
Burdakin, (Roberts)	r. g.	W. White
Stone	r. t.	Read
Patch	r. e.	C. White
Phipps	quarter	Cobb
Forbes	l. h. b.	Roundsvilloe
Thompson, (capt)	r. h. b.	Richardson, (capt.)
Pulsifer	f. b.	N. Lamb

Score—Dean 6, Attleboro 0. Touchdown—Forbes Goal from touchdown—Forbes. Time—15 and 10-minute halves. Umpire—Gilman. Referee—Nowell.

The Prize Winners.

The finals at golf in both the gentlemen's and ladies' classes took place on Saturday, evoking unusual interest in the successful contestants for the beautiful prizes offered by E Blakeley Smith of Providence. As may be seen by the score Carl E. Emerson captured the getlemen's prize and Miss Mabel Ray the ladies' prizes. The awarding of prizes in golf contests may not be generally understood. Players are allowed a credit handicap, which is taken off from their total or gross score, the handicap depending upon their average play. Thus, the larger the credit handicap the better chance a player has to win, as a crack player will have less deducted from his total score than a less expert player, and thus fail to carry off the prize. But that is golf and it "has to go." In the three contests W. C. Sherman went the fifty-four holes in the least number of strokes, as indicated by the score, requiring on his part but 270 strokes. The following is the score:

GENTLEMEN'S MATCH

Player.	Gross.	Handicap.	Net.
Sherman	270	24	246
C. Ray	279	39	240
Rathbun	289	24	265
Bassett	296	36	260
Nye	299	42	257
Emerson	301	60	241
Chapman	313	48	265
Palmer	320	66	254
Woodward	330	66	264
Ramsey	333	72	261
G. Gilmore	347	84	263
Rockwood	351	72	279
H. W. Thayer	358	96	262
Stanton	391	102	289

LADIES' MATCH.

Player.	Gross.	Handicap.	Net.
Miss Frances E. King	166	24	142
Mrs. E. H. Rathbun	197	63	134
Miss Mabel Ray	216	84	132
Mrs. J. P. Bassett	248	96	152
Miss Maud Stott	251	117	134
Miss Florence Elsenhardt	258	117	141
Mrs. P. A. Woodward	292	132	160
Mrs. C. F. Nye	295	132	163

Our Elder Sister.

The programme for the exercises in celebration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the Congregational church at West Medway will be: Wednesday evening, October 3, reception to the pastor, Rev. G. E. Sweet and wife, assisted by all the former pastors and wives. Thursday morning at 9 30, a prayer and praise service, Rev. M M. Cutter of Holliston leader, congregational singing; at 10 30, historical address by Rev. George E. Sweet, pastor of the church, followed by remarks by visiting clergymen; in the afternoon at 2 o'clock, music, after which the original poem written for the occasion by Mrs. Eleanor Spencer, and salutations given from vicinity churches; at 3, Dr. A. Z Conrad of Worcester will preach the anniversary sermon, taking for his subject, "The Angel of His Presence." to be followed by communion; evening service, beginning at 7 o'clock, will include brief addresses by vicinity and resident ministers and an address by Rev. William Byron Forbush.

A Caution.

As a physician and servant of Franklin, I protest against the indiscriminate use of the terms typhoid and typhoid fever in Franklin Our town is one of the most beautiful and healthy towns in the state.

DR. J. C. GALLISON.

Franklin, Mass., Oct. 2, 1900.

Wanted—Men.

Dr. Sneath preached on Sabbath morning at the First Congregationlist church upon the above theme, using Jeremiah v, 1, as a basis of his remarks: "Run ye to and fro through the streets of Jerusalem and see now and know and seek in the broad places thereof if ye can find a man, if there be any that executeth judgment, that asketh the truth" Men were needed in the days of Jeremiah, they were wanted in Diogenes' day, they are needed today. We do not want mere figure-heads, we want men. Mushrooms spring up in a night; so do mush-heads, and the world suffers from their presence. The world needs good, substantial men who seek the truth and defend the right. What is true manhood? What enters into its composition? A subject of great importance and worthy of study! Shakespeare considered it. Pope said it was the proper study of mankind. Har in his guesses at truth declared "the Christian to be God Almighty's gentleman." There is a diversity of opinion as to true manhood, but in Christ we have a clear illustration of it: He is the perfect man. "Once in the flight of ages past there lived a man," and He was it. Jesus was the true standard of man by reason of His sinlessness. In living a sinless life He lived up to the law of His own being. Sin is the transgression of the law of our own being. If we live up to the law of our own being we will not sin. The more we study the life of Christ the more we will learn the law of our own being and be inspired to live up to it. Again, Jesus became the true standard of manhood by the fact that He overcame difficulties and rose above the conditions by which He was hemmed in socially. He rose above the obstacles which came in His way from poverty, environment and the selfishness of the Jews He surmounted all obstacles, and with no family prestige, no social standing, no instruction from noted rabbies and no political influence, He pushed His way upward to the perfect life with the same persistency that the plant forces its way through the hard ground into the light of day. He also became the standard of true manhood by choosing as supreme in His life the highest possible principle of action, viz , love, and by so adhering to this principle as to give to the world the highest example of heroism ever known. He might have made a selfish choice, but He spurned all false inducements and remained firm to the highest principle of right moral action. He was the one matchless hero of history. The pilot of the Galilean lake so piloted His life that it knew but one direction, it had but one compass, it sought but one end. George Macdonald has said, "God never gave a man a thing to do concerning which it were irreverent to ponder how the Son of God would have done it." As Dr. Sheldon puts it, "What would Jesus do?" In seeking true manhood He is our standard. With His teaching and life we can approximate the true manhood be possessed, if we will but try.

Help the Young Men.

The meeting of the Y. M. C. A. last evening was decidedly enthusiastic, and the reports of committees showed a most helpful and encouraging state. Funds are being handed in every day to C. L. Stewart by friends interested in the work, the membership is growing, and it is hoped to raise about $800 so as to do the work this winter as it should be done. A good location is under consideration, where every facility will be had for reaching and helping young men. A constitution has been adopted and at the meeting next week officers will be elected. We shall shortly publish a sketch of the work which it is hoped to accomplish here in Franklin, as earnest, Christian hearts have taken a deep interest in the matter.

"The Choir Invisible."

Henry Jewett, whose sterling worth is appreciated in England and Australia as well as in America, enacts John Gray. He gives the role the artistic conception it merits, and looks the part of the Scotch Irish Kentucky schoolmaster just as well as he plays it. Miss Frances Hastings, the adapter of Jane Lane Allen's story, has so carefully planned the production and her ideas have been so successfully carried out by the producing managers, Liebler & Co., that one lives in far away Kentucky in the post-Revolutionary era, so perfect is the illusion. It is on at the Park Theatre, Boston, where it is having crowded houses.

Household Goods.

Don't forget the sale at Opera House block at 7.30 Friday evening, as some choice furniture, harnesses and miscellaneous articles will be sold.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

These are fish days. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fish-man.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Read the Business Announcements.

Keep Cool.

The political pot is boiling and the canvass will soon be at fever heat. The floods of eloquence, sarcasm, sophistry and logic, not to mention misrepresentation and personal abuse, will ere long deluge the country from Maine to Texas and from the Atlantic seaboard to the Golden Gate. It will be a flood that would turn a Quaker meeting into a pandemonium were it subjected to the affliction. It will be the quadrennial of tongues; the American Babel of speech; the test of equanimity of temper; the fiery furnace of truth and character; the glory of the politicians and the despair of the truthful of spirit. Yet, like the measles, mumps, chicken-pox and the endless variety of diseases which in their turn affect the body physically, it is something that once each four years we must expect and endure. To one and all we tender the sound advice—keep cool! Maintain serenity of temper; keep full control of the vocal organs; cultivate the spirit of charity, especially that which "suffereth long and is kind;" get sound sleep and plenty of it, and above all remember that the conscientious exercise of a freeman's duty to his country will carry any citizen safely past the election crisis—this spectacular presidential football game.—Exchange.

"Ten Nights in a Barroom."

Go to Morse opera house Friday, October 5, if your mind needs relief from the worries of the day and see one of the greatest successes of the age, the beautiful melodrama, "Ten Nights in a Barroom." Did you like "The Old Homestead?" Did "Shore Acres" please you? If they did, then you will be charmed again with this great successor, "Ten Nights in a Barroom." It is a play with well proportioned light and shade, rich in humor, pathos and dramatic incident, ably acted by a capable company, its story, its purpose and the characters concerned in the plot are revealed with clearness and force. The attention which has been given to the details of the action and the scenic accompaniment has made "Ten Nights in a Barroom" an artistic success. It is a play long remembered, not alone because of novelty, but also because of the deep impression it makes upon all who witness it, whether young or old. Tickets on sale at Dana's Tuesday evening—25, 35 and 50 cents.

In Remembrance.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Benj. Franklin Savings Bank, held Monday, October 1, 1900, the following memorial was unanimously adopted:

Since it has pleased our Heavenly Father to remove from our councils our friend and brother, Mr. Charles J. McKenzie, we, the trustees of the Benj. Franklin Savings Bank, hereby express our appreciation of his character and faithful services as a member of this body.

While we mourn his loss and miss his genial presence at our meetings, we do much more miss his wise counsel, his faithful attention to public business and his devotion to every interest of the bank.

We also desire to extend our sympathy to Mrs. McKenzie in her great bereavement, and assure her that our high regard for her late husband prompts us to offer her any assistance in our power if occasion ever requires.

It is the pleasure of this body that this memorial be spread upon the records of the bank and a copy of the same be forwarded to Mrs. McKenzie and also published in the Franklin SENTINEL.

Respectfully submitted,

LESTER L. BURRINGTON,
GEORGE KING,
CHARLES STEWART,
Committee.

Franklin, July 29, 1900.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

To Rent.—A desirable tenement of six rooms; $12 per month. Inquire of O. T. Doe. 14-tf

Wanted.—A girl to do general housework. Apply to G. H. Grant, School street. 18-tf

Girl Wanted—A girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. Alfred Farrington. 21 tf

A competent girl can obtain a good situation doing housework by addressing "E," SENTINEL office. 28

Get your round-trip Boston, Providence and Milford tickets of Charles H. Prince at the SENTINEL office.

To Let.—Five rooms with stable, formerly occupied by Sabin Hubbard, Central street, near Union; call at house 2,9,18

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. MCKINNON, Agent.

Pianos Tuned.

I shall be in Franklin during the second week in October to care for my pianos and to attend to new ones. Orders may be left at the SENTINEL office.

J. W. WALKER.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse.

Two chairs at Ochee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser in attendance. Short waits.

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Secretaries of associations will confer a favor by sending us as early in the week as possible such matters as interest the public—election of officers, entertainments, etc.

Contributors would confer a great favor by sending in their [illegible] lion a [illegible]

Contributors [illegible] thankfully received [illegible] SENTINEL [illegible], such as society, church, [illegible], cultural and personal [illegible]

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TUESDAY, OCTOBBER 2, 1900

A Farmers' Association. One of the most successful but least known cooperative associations is that of the Rockwell farmers, which has just completed the eleventh year of its existence; its report shows that last year was its most prosperous. The association, says the Chicago Tribune, consists of farmers in the vicinity of Rockwell, Ia. Eleven years ago there was a firm of brothers in the neighborhood that grew rich so rapidly by buying the produce of the farmers and selling them supplies that the latter resolved to secure these profits for themselves. They formed a cooperative association, selling stock to $5 farmers in four townships in shares of one dollar each, no man being allowed to own more than three shares. The association built an elevator and began the business of marketing the grain and hogs of its members and selling them their supplies. A unique provision in the constitution has been the bulwark of the association. The members are paid one-fourth of a cent more than is given the seller outside the society, and members are compelled to pay one-fourth of a cent commission on all grain they sell to competitors. The manager pays the highest price possible, based on Chicago quotations, and if any competitor offers higher prices the members sell to him and pay the commission into the association. Thus the association's members always have a market where they can get the highest price or else the competitor must pay more than the market price to the benefit of both the association and its members. As a result, the farmers have actually always received from one-half cent to 1½ cents more for their grain than do the farmers in neighboring counties. The goods sold by the association are at prices from 20 to 25 per cent. less than at regular stores in nearby towns. The association has grown until it new has 5[illegible] members, and did over $5[illegible] business last year. The success of the association is due largely to the excellent management of its affairs and also to the fact that public sentiment prevents a break. The two or three farmers who have sold grain to outsiders without paying the commission have been ostracized socially. Its profits, of course, are due to the fact that the middleman is eliminated and its managers are content to work for merely nominal salaries. The wreck of most cooperative associations has been due to bad management and the lack of sound principles in the conduct of their affairs.

"I came across a colored man who spoke with a German accent, the other day," said a prominent stock broker. "He was a waiter in a restaurant. His accent was so pronounced that I spoke to the proprietor about it, and found that the man was a full-blooded negro, but he had been born and reared in a small town near Reading, and had always associated with the whites, who spoke Pennsylvania Dutch."

Thirty thousand maple trees in Franklin county, N. Y., are owned by a Brooklyn millionaire. He has contracted for a [illegible] sugar [illegible] to consist [illegible] lighted by electricity and provided with concrete or marble floors. Three railroad lines will be used through the woods for the purpose of gathering the sap.

During the past year 76,4[illegible] Italians emigrated to the United States, of which 53,[illegible]46 were males and 22,[illegible]43 females. They carried with them $7[illegible]5. Just 1,445 Italians were refused admittance to the United States.

An eastern Oregon exchange reports that a cattleman of that section lately sold a car load of steers right off the range that averaged $4[illegible] per head. None of these cattle had been fed a pound of hay or grain.

Consumption

is, by no means, the dreadful disease it is thought to be—in the beginning.

It can always be stopped—in the beginning. The trouble is: you don't know you've got it; you don't believe it, and won't believe it—till you are forced to. Then it is dangerous.

Don't be afraid, but attend to it quick—you can do it yourself and at home.

Take Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, and [illegible] every way.

This is [illegible] whatever you may [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

If you have not [illegible] free sample, its [illegible] surprise you.

SCOTT & BOWNE, [illegible] New York
409 Pearl Street,
50c. and $1 [illegible] all druggists.

SOME CHINESE CONUNDRUMS.

[The following questions and answers from an exchange will prove great fun for a party of young people, and incidentally the means of imparting some very valuable and timely information.]

What two letters are most popular in China? Tea and cue.

What couldn't the empress dowager govern? China proper.

What sort of an army ought to reach Peking the quickest? A Russian army.

When the empress makes the emperor cry what would he like to do? Boxer.

There are Chinese politicians that don't care for Earl Li, but who would like what? Old Li Hung.

How is it to be expected that the Chinese will take reverses and victories? Cooly.

What sort of fruit is generally found green and always found rotten in China? Mandarins.

When the powers get hold of the empress dowager, what will they catch? A Tartar.

What sort of a Great Wall are the powers likely to build in the flowery kingdom? A partition of China.

If the Chinese were Spaniards what would they call the stories of American heroism in China? Pig tails.

If you are anxious to go to China what will the government do? Taku. Then what will you be in? Transports.

What is proof that the eyes of the Mongolians are open at last? The Yellow sea. Through what? The open door.

FOOT NOTES.

[By Emma Carlton, in the Philistine.]

Getting famous is not by any means so arduous a task as staying so.

Reputation is a bubble which a man bursts when he tries to blow it for himself.

The heart always pays the highest price for the happiness it has never purchased.

Many persons fancy they are cultured, when, in fact, they are only bookish.

There are no humorists' clubs; humorists cannot exchange ideas without giving away good copy.

Repartee is any remark which is so clever that it makes the listener wish he had said it himself.

When the average man talks of sitting in sackcloth and ashes he always means broadcloth and cigar ashes.

When a woman has an unhappy love affair it adds to her unhappiness that she cannot go around and tell of it.

Some writers are famous for the books they have written. Others for the books they ought not to have written.

CONCERNING THE WEATHER.

Seville's hottest day was August 11, with a temperature of 117 degrees in the shade. Thousands of birds fell dead in the streets and the weather record in the Spanish city was broken.

According to the Sioux Indian weather prophet it is going to be a hard winter. These predictions are based on the fact that the buffalo grass shows a heavy crop of seeds which, the redskins declare, is a sure sign of a severe winter and deep snow.

August last was the hottest on record in New York and Philadelphia, according to weather records. The mean temperature in New York was 77 degrees, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the month [illegible] [illegible]

SAYINGS OF SANCTUM SAGES.

A virtue is more than a vice [illegible] —Ram's Horn.

A [illegible] Quaker [illegible] maketh a [illegible] friend.—Chicago Daily News.

If you missed punishment for your [illegible] don't rejoice. It [illegible] that a rooster's life is spared that he may be saved for the pot another day. —Atchison Globe.

Often the Case.

Askington—Frickesmith is a very versatile chap, [illegible] he?

Tellet—Oh, yes! He makes a different kind of fool of himself every day in the week.—P[illegible]

WHAT THE LAW DECIDES.

An ordinance requiring a license for the sale of cigarettes is held, in Gundling vs. Chicago (Ill.), 48 L. R. A. 230, to be a valid exercise of the police power, and not in violation of the provisions as to due process of law or any other guaranty of rights.

An ordinance prohibiting the sale of any meats, fish or other provisions or any intoxicating liquors in any place of business where dry goods, cloth and other specified goods are sold is held in Chicago vs. Netcher (Ill.), 48 L. R. A. 261, to be in violation of the constitutional guaranties of liberty and the protection of property, and not a valid exercise of the police power. With this case is a [illegible] on legal restrictions upon department stores.

[illegible] [illegible] right of way as [illegible] number of trains that shall be run [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] Davis vs. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] L. R. A. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the land where it [illegible] the chief consideration [illegible] contract and an [illegible] to enforce it against the [illegible] of the railroad [illegible] the grantee [illegible] transfer [illegible]

Conviction [illegible] being [illegible] person under the act of Congress [illegible] to the District of [illegible] held in Stoutenburgh vs. Frazier (D. C.), 48 L. R. A. 220, to be in violation of the constitutional provisions against unreasonable searches and seizures and cruel and unusual punishments when the suspicion on which the procedure is based is wholly undefined and in no manner connected with any criminal act or conduct.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

The island of Guam is 3,500 miles from Honolulu and 1,6[illegible] miles from Manila.

The postal service establishment of the United States is the greatest business concern in the world. The revenue of the post office of New York is more than $[illegible],000 yearly, with a net profit of $[illegible].

The English language heads the list, with the enormous vocabulary of 26[illegible] words, while the Spanish has only 20,[illegible] the German [illegible],000, Italian 75,[illegible], French 30,000, Turkish 22,5[illegible]. Shakespeare's vocabulary is put at 15,[illegible], Milton's at 8,000 and the Bible at rather less.

Japan is the largest consumer of rice in the world, the average being [illegible] pounds per person a year. The Americans use but four pounds per capita. Belgium uses more tobacco in proportion, than any other country about 11[illegible] ounces per capita yearly while Italy uses only 22 ounces.

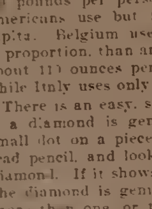
There is an easy, simple way to tell if a diamond is genuine. Make a small dot on a piece of paper with a lead pencil, and look at it through a diamond. If it shows but a single dot the diamond is genuine. If it shows more than one, or the mark appears scattered, it is false, no matter what it cost.

One aspect of the food problem has assuredly been solved by a company in New Haven, Conn., which undertakes to serve hot meals to all and sundry within a radius of 70 miles from its headquarters, and that from 25 per cent. to 50 per cent. cheaper than they can be obtained elsewhere. These meals are sent out in wagons with compartments for each article; the meals are placed in the different compartments smoking hot, and are kept at a high temperature until placed on the purchaser's table.

William W. Evans, of Deal's Island, Del., has a horse which has proved a remarkable investment and has overridden the ideas and records of the average useful life of horses. Twenty-seven years ago Mr. Evans purchased the horse from Scott Covington, who guaranteed at that time that the animal was six years old. Mr. Evans proved to be a good master, and the horse returned the kind treatment by retaining its full activity and energy and now, at 33 years the horse works nearly every day, see and hears well and has an excellent appetite.

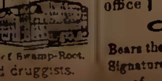
DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.



Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy. It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, bladder, uric acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work, in private practice, among the helpless too poor to purchase relief and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty cent and dollar sizes are sold by all good druggists.



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Architect—About you will have plenty of friends when your new house is done.—N. Y. Weekly.

Abdominal?

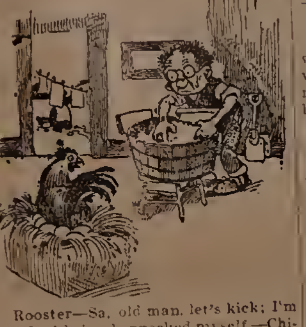
Miss Brown—What's the matter with your husband? Some stomach trouble, isn't it?

Mrs. Malaprop—Oh, worse'n that! The doctor didn't specificate. He just said it was some "severe abominable complaint."—Philadelphia Press.

Similar But Different.

The waves ran mountain high
And drenched the toiling crew;
The captain sadly heaved a sigh—
And the passengers heaved too.
—Chicago Daily News.

A TOUCH OF SYMPATHY.



Rooster—Sa, old man, let's kick; I'm tired of being henpecked myself.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Not a Fault Finder.

"You are not one of these men who find fault with the cooking at home?"

"No," answered Mr. Meekton; "I don't exactly find fault, but occasionally I do feel called on to apologize for the way things taste when Henrietta gets home from the club. You see, I never could learn to make good coffee."—Washington Star.

Touched.

The Parson—Don't you think I touched them rather deeply this morning?

The Deacon—I don't know. I haven't counted up yet.—Indianapolis Press.

A Spartan Father.

Miss Jackson (tragically)—If yo' don't let me marry Jim Loafley, I'll drowned mahse'f!

Papa Jackson—Wall, honey, I's offen heard dat dat wuz an easier death den starvation.—Puck.

Wherein They Differ.

"Papa, what's the difference between a defaulter and a bank robber?"

"One is a respectable gentleman and the other a disreputable scoundrel, my child."—Yonkers Herald.

No Music for Her.

Mrs. Johnsing—Can't stay long, Mrs. Snow; I just come to see ef yo wouldn't join de mission band.

Mrs. Snow—Fo' de lan' sakes, honey, doan come to me. I can't even play on a mouf organ.—Chicago Democrat.

Had His Doubts.

"They say," said the landlady, "that a piece of steak dropped into liquid air can be broken with a hammer."

"Steak like this?" asked the sandy whiskered boarder, in a tone of mild astonishment.—Indianapolis Press.

Now They Are Strangers.

She (seating herself at the piano)—Oh, I do so love good music.

He—So do I. Close the piano and I'll take you to hear the band play in the park.—Chicago Daily News.

The Industrious Commentator.

Cora—Don't you think Browning's poetry is very condensed?

Merritt—Apparently. It takes about three volumes of notes to explain each volume of poetry.—Judge.

The Plant Line cheap return rates, viz: Halifax $7.50, Hawkesbury $8.50, Charlottetown or Sydney $11.00 continue to attract large numbers of excursionists and people are fast learning that the autumn is a delightful time to visit the provinces. If you have not had your vacation or can take a few days off try the greatest trip for the least money on record. Full information of J. A. Flanders, New England agent, 290 Washington street, or E. H. Downing, agent, 20 Atlantic avenue Boston.

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"She did say so."

"But she hasn't done it."

"No. You see, things happen very queerly in this world."

"How is that?"

"Her name, you will recall, was Black, and her husband's name was Hart. She didn't like the combination."—Chicago Post.

The Main Essential.

Hodown—I understand your wife insisted on drawing the plans herself for your new house.

Jigsup—Yes, she's busy over there now.

Hodown—Oh, I thought she had finished. She told my wife she had all the closets laid out.

Jigsup—Yes, but now she's got to put the rest of the house around them.—Philadelphia Press.

The Evolution in Literature.

Jones—A few years ago boys read Indian stories, got false ideas of life, and then ran away from home to fight redskins. This is all changed now.

Smith—Yes; now they read the monthly magazines, and when they run away from home they go to the city to marry the girl in the corset advertisement.—Judge.

Partly Qualified.

"What is his occupation?" asked the warden of the penitentiary, referring to the latest arrival.

"He hasn't any regular occupation?" said the subordinate. "He is nothing but a ward heeler."

"All right," rejoined the warden. "Put him in the shoemaking department."—Chicago Tribune.

Their First Quarrel.

"Well," said Mrs. Cornwallis West after they were fairly started on their honeymoon, "we are partners for life now, aren't we, dear?"

"Yes, darling," he replied, "and you are the senior partner, too, aren't—why, lovey, what's the matter? There, there, little girl, don't cry!"—Chicago Times-Herald.

His Blank Despair.

"Speaking of the races, wasn't it the two-mile dash free-for-all that Binks lost all his money on?"

"Yes. Why?"

"Nothing, only I remember he used about a two-mile dash in expressing himself after it was over."—Chicago Tribune.

Came Near Dying.

"For three days and nights I suffered agony untold from an attack of cholera morbus brought on by eating cucumbers," says M. E. Lowther, clerk of the district court, Centreville, Iowa. "I thought I should surely die and tried a dozen different medicines, but all to no purpose. I sent for a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and three doses relieved me entirely. I went to sleep and did not awake for eight hours. On awakening a few hours ago I felt so gratified that the first work I do on going to the office is to write to the manufacturers of the remedy and offer them my grateful thanks and say, 'God bless you and the splendid medicine you make.'" This remedy is for sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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Gov. Taylor of Tennessee Effectually Ended the Interference of Legislators.

Gov. Bob Taylor, of Tennessee, was just exactly opposite to Gov. Allen, with as tender a heart as a woman, and the way he pardoned out convicts was something awful. He was waited upon by a committee of the legislature, who very flatly and in no uncertain way told him that this "wholesale pardoning must stop."

"Gov'ner Bob" looked at the committee, tapped a bell, asked for his pardon clerk, and when he came, said:

"Make out pardons for every man in the penitentiary."

The clerk bowed and withdrew. Then the governor looked at the committee, who were staring as if they thought he was going mad.

"Gentlemen," he said, finally, "I am governor of Tennessee, and if this committee or any other ever again seeks to interfere with my constitutional right to pardon I'll sign every one of those pardons which the clerk is making out. Good morning."

Paper Walls at Indian Head.

In order to minimize the destructive effects of possible explosions in the government's new powder manufactory at Indian Head all the buildings are provided with "paper" walls at the ends. The theory is that these light walls will be immediately blown aside by the concussion of the explosion, leaving the main walls, which are built as strongly as possible, practically unharmed.

Fond Trustfulness.

"Josiar," said Mrs. Corntossel, "I'm sure you can't find no fault with Josh since we've been to town."

"I can't! He didn't get home till four o'clock this mornin'."

"I noticed it. You know, you told him you wanted him to be sure an' be out o' bed every morning before five o'clock."

"Yes."

"Well, the poor boy's so skeered of you that he's been stayin' up all night, so's to be able to keep his word."—Washington Star.

The Adjustment.

Winkle—After all, the first year of married life is the most unhappy, don't you think?

Todd—Oh, yes. It takes about that long for a man to learn how to conceal things from his wife.—Brooklyn Life.

Curiosities of Fate.

Watts—A man can't really be a gentleman on less than $10,000 a year.

Potts—And when he has that much he doesn't have to be a gentleman.—Indianapolis Press.

A Good Investment.

Father—You have spent a fortune on the races, and what have you realized?

Son—That I am an idiot.—Brooklyn Life.

Proof Positive.

"Do you know, I never dreamed she was a trained nurse."

"How did you find it out?"

"Saw her bill."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Not as Much of Her.

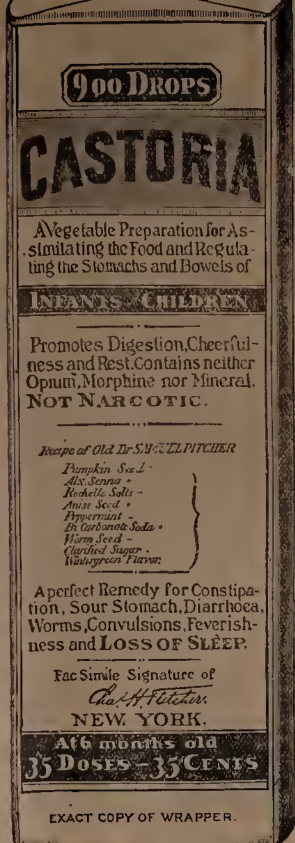
"Does Miss Biffin ride her wheel as much as she did last year? It doesn't seem to me as if I see as much of her."

"No, she's thinner."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Mean Thing.

Mrs. Peckham—I never told you how my husband proposed to me, did I?

Mrs. Deshrm—No; did he propose to [illegible]



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THE VERGE OF CRIME

THERE was a wild, hunted look in the photographer's eye when the first of the day's sitters appeared the other morning. The photographer looked as if he needed a change of air and scene.

"Will they all say it again to-day?" he muttered, gloomily, placing his palm to his fevered brow.

The first sitter was a large, rosy-cheeked man. From the photographer's point of view he looked promising. He was certainly old enough to have sense, and he looked as though he had been engaged in a successful business for a sufficient number of years to have acquired an aversion to the pet expressions that go with each sitting for a photograph. It was with a sense of security that the photographer advanced.

"Well," said the large, rosy-cheeked man, 'you can just be prepared to have your camera broken. How's that, hey? Ha, ha. ha!" and the large, rosy-cheeked man shook merrily all over. "Not so bad, eh? Yes, sir, you can just be prepared to have your camera broken. See the point? Ha, ha!"

The photographer's teeth snapped, but a forced, vacant smile appeared upon his wan features.

"I'd as lief have a tooth pulled any day as to have my picture taken," went on the large, rosy-cheeked man.

The photographer's hands opened and closed convulsively, but he remained calm enough to make two negatives of the large rosy-cheeked man.

"Merciful heaven!" groaned the photographer when the first sitter had departed, "are they all going to say it again today? Am I to be compelled to push my features into gleeful grins every time—"

His agonized reflections were broken by the entrance of the second of the day's sitters. She was young and very lovely, and brimming over with laughter.

"I am afraid your lens will suffer," she said, archly, to the photographer, handing him the ticket the reception-room girl had given her.

"Oh, hardly that," moaned the photographer, forcing another weird grimace to his pallid features.

"Do you know," went on the blithe young thing as he put her head-rest in position, "I really believe that I'd as soon have a tooth pulled as to have my photograph taken," and then she gave vent to peal upon peal of silvery laughter.

"Ha, ha!" hoarsely ejaculated the photographer.

"My mind is giving way!" said the photographer to himself, as he took the two negatives of the lovely young thing to the dark room. "I shall not be able to hold out much longer.

The third sitter was a gay young fellow in a golf suit.

"Just blaze away, old fellow," said the gay young fellow, looking the photographer in the eye and waiting for the latter to go off into shrieks of merriment, "and if I break the glass in that machine o' yours don't tell me that I didn't warn you in advance!"

"Ha!" said the photographer, with the mockery of a smile usually worn by the man who says "That's good!"

"Horrible job, this getting your picture taken, isn't it?" continued the gay young fellow in the golf togs. "I'm not stuck on dentists' parlors particularly, but blamed if I don't believe I'd rather have a tooth pulled than to get photographed."

"Shall I kick him into ribbons where he stands?" muttered the photographer to himself, stepping behind a piece of photographic scenery in order to hold communion with himself. "Shall I take him by his two ears and pound his head on the floor until he is unconscious?"

With difficulty, however, he restrained himself. When he reached the dark room, with the two plates which he had made of the youth in the golf rig, he once more placed his palm to his fevered brow, and by a strong exertion prepared to meet the next sitter, who had already entered the operating-room.

"It's a great risk for you to take with your camera," was the way in which the middle-aged woman greeted him as she handed in her ticket. "I would not insure any camera that was to be used to take a picture of me for the price of it," she continued.

The photographer again mustered his little reserve of courage, and replied that it had run greater risks and survived them, at which the lady laughed.

"A photographer's life must be an awful bore."

"It is madam, it is," assented the photographer, unable to contain himself longer, but his rudeness had no effect upon the sitter.

"Now if no one liked having pictures taken any better than I do," she began again, "I am afraid the photographers would not have very much to do. I always did say that I would rather have the dentist extract a tooth for me than to have a picture taken, but then one is as necessary as the other at times."

But the photographer had not heard the last of her remark before he had escaped to the dark room, where he leaned heavily against the wall for some minutes.

"Well," he finally said, half to himself, "as well now as later on. I haven't got much to live for anyhow. It'll go hard on the wife and children to have me ascend the gallows, but there's no help for it."

Looking furtively around the dark room, he seized a long, gleaming knife from a drawer, and placed it in his hip pocket.

"I don't care if it's man, woman, child or dog," he muttered; "the next animated thing that makes either one of those remarks to me—the one about 'breaking the camera' or about preferring to have a tooth pulled to being photographed—is never going to leave this gallery alive!"

There was an expression of awful determination on his countenance when the photographer emerged from the dark room to receive sitter No. 4. This sitter was a short, squat, smooth-faced man with bovine eyes. He didn't say a word, but merely handed his little ticket to the wondering photographer, with a pleasant smile. The photographer looked at the man in surprise, but the sitter, while he continued to smile pleasantly, appeared to have nothing whatever to say.

"Bust three-quarter or full-length?" inquired the photographer, suspiciously, thinking thus to draw the quiet man on to his terrible fate.

But there was no reply.

"Profile or full face?" asked the photographer.

The squat man made no reply, but, suddenly looking up, he observed that the photographer was addressing him. Then he pointed to his mouth and ears to indicate that he was deaf and dumb.

With a wild shriek of demoniac laughter, the photographer grasped the handle of his long, gleaming knife, handed it hilt foremost to the mute, and burst into a torrent of grateful tears.

"You have saved me from becoming a murderer!" he gasped, just as if the mute could hear him.—Washington Star

A WONDERFUL WATCH.

One in Maryland Known as a Matile Which Aroused Mark Twain's Admiration.

What is perhaps the most wonderful watch in the world is in the possession of a resident of Prince Gregory county, Maryland, says the Washington Times.

This remarkable timepiece, known as the Matile watch, from the name of its maker, was made at Looe, Switzerland about 40 years ago. It formed a feature of the Swiss exhibit at the centennial held at Philadelphia in 1876, and was purchased on that occasion by its present owner. A description of the watch by Mark Twain (S. L. Clemens) is as remarkable for accuracy as it is humorous. The well-known writer thus gives his impressions of the marvelous piece of mechanism:

"I have examined the wonderful watch made by H. L. Matile, and, indeed, it comes nearer to being a human being than any piece of mechanism I ever saw before. In fact, it knows considerably more than the average voter. It knows the movements of the moon, and keeps exact record of them; it tells the day of the week, the date of the month, and the month of the year, and will do this perpetually; it tells the hour of the day, and the minute, and the second, and even splits the second into fifths, and marks the division by stop hands, having two of the latter; it can take accurate care of two race horses that start, not together, but one after another; it is a repeater (wherein the voter is suggested again), and musically chimes the hour, the quarter, the half and the three-quarter hour, and also the minutes that have passed of an uncompleted quarter-hour, so that a blind man can tell the time of day by it to the exact minute.

Such is this extraordinary watch. It ciphers to admiration. I should think one could add another wheel and make it read and write, still another and make it talk; and I think one might take out several of the wheels that are already in it and it would still be a more intelligent citizen than some that help to govern the country. On the whole, I think it is entitled to vote—that is, if its sex is of the right kind."

The watch was sold for $1,400, and it is still performing its complex functions with the greatest regularity.

LILLIAN RUSSELL A CONVERT.

Announces to Her Friends That She Has Become a Faith Curist After Much Study.

After long and diligent study of the religion Lillian Russell has announced to her friends that she is an out-and-out faith curist. She does not subscribe to the doctrines of Mrs. Eddy, of the Christian Science cult, in their entirety, but so strongly is she convinced of the power of the mind over the tendency of the body to become disorderly that she is almost hoping for a severe attack of illness in order that she may give the theory a test.

At the outset it may be said that Miss Russell has never been seriously ill in her life and that her health at the present time is so good that she is almost ashamed of herself. It is hard, indeed, for a woman to work as many as two hours a day on a hot, stuffy stage and be unable to produce a single pain. Even on days when there is a matinee Miss Russell retains her scandalous freedom from bodily aches and pains.

"I have noticed, however," she said the other day, "that when I get headaches I am able to get rid of them by simply concentrating my mind on the proposition that I have no headache.

"Of course I don't believe that I could wish myself a new arm should I have one cut off by a Broadway car, nor do I believe that my mind would be strong enough to equip me with a new lung should I fall a victim to the ravages of consumption. I do not go to those lengths. But I do say that we are too prone to drug ourselves and that the mind is in such supreme control that the ordinary ills of life can be cured by thought concentration.

"This is not a new belief with me," continued Miss Russell. "I have had as much trouble as any woman, but I have found, all through my life, that by persistently concentrating my mind on the bright side of a dark situation—that every cloud has its silver lining, you know—I have been able to live quite placidly. If women could only be brought to the realization of the power of the mind we would have more healthy and happy members of our sex."

Miss Russell is not the only advocate of the faith cure in the profession. Many actresses go to greater lengths in their advocacy of the cult than the prima donna. But it is news at this time that this beautiful woman, with everything that a female heart could desire at her disposal, should come out in advocacy of the theory of the superiority of the mind over matter.

WHERE AMERICANS MAY WIN.

Portugal a Great Field for American Enterprise, Says Our Minister There.

There is a great field in Portugal for American enterprise, writes John N. Irwin, United States minister to that kingdom, in Success. Our manufacturers really ought to "prospect" in that little-known country. In the first place they are made most welcome. The king and the queen, both young and truly regal speak English perfectly and are among our warmest admirers. They reflect the sentiment of their people. In the second place, American goods are needed, and the progressive part of the population would welcome them as a means of advancing the country's prosperity. English-made machinery now used there is of old type and not up to date. In Lisbon the old style of transportation is being changed to the electric system. While English capital is conducting the enterprise, every bit of material, from the smallest bolt to the modern cars, is of American make. Portugal sends us cork, and we send her petroleum and wheat, but in my opinion the balance of trade now in our favor could be materially increased if our manufacturers were to take full advantage of their opportunities in the little kingdom.

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She Had a Smaller One.

It was on a West side cable. The stout Teuton woman with the little boy handed a conductor a two-dollar bill.

"Smallest you have?" inquired the conductor, as he shifted the silver and nickels in his pocket.

She thought he meant the little boy.

"Nein!" she responded. "I haf one home only dree months old alretty."

Then the laugh was on the conductor.—Tacoma News.

Needed an Introduction.

A certain German professor of music, to be met with in English drawing rooms, is an entertaining old gentleman.

To him recently a lady said, when one of his compositions had just been rendered by one of the guests:

"How do you like the rendering of your song, professor?"

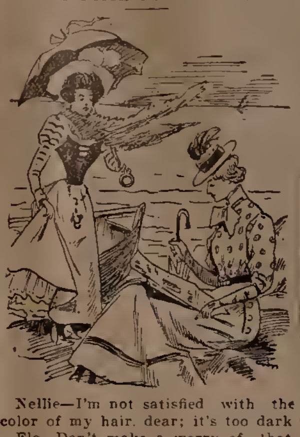
"Vos dot my song?" replied the professor. "I did not know him."—Tit-Bits.

Upon the Ottoman.

When Johnnie Jones and Jennie Smith
 First felt young Cupid's dart
They were upon the ottoman
 And sat thus far apart.

But later on was heard a sound—
 'Twas very like a kiss.
And he upon the ottoman
 They sat somewhat like this.
—Town Topics.

NO CAUSE FOR WORRY.



Nellie—I'm not satisfied with the color of my hair, dear; it's too dark.

Flo—Don't make a worry of that Nellie, dear; it can't be long now before it's gray.—Ally Sloper.

About the Size of It.

The laws of justice seem to bind
 The oppressor with the oppressed;
Those who go to law but little get—
 And the lawyers get the rest.
—Chicago Daily News.

Did Not Blame Him.

"I come from the far west," said one congressman, "and I am proud to proclaim myself a resident of the land of the setting sun."

"Yes," answered the colleague from nearby. "I don't blame you for being a little boastful. I can't help envying you every time I think of the mileage."—Washington Star.

The Connecting Links.

"Dinsmore contends that the lynx is really the missing link," said Fosdick to Keedick.

"Is this a play on words?"

"No, it isn't. Fosdick contends that the lynx connects golfers with human beings."—Town Topics.

That's All.

Daughter—Oh, papa, I've just got the most lovely yachting costume you ever saw.

Papa (busily)—I'm glad you like it.

Daughter—It's too sweet for anything. Now all we need is a yacht.—N. Y. World.

Method in It.

"Mullins always perfumes his paper money," said Cumso.

"Does he think that purifies it?" asked Cawker.

"No; but it adds another scent to every dollar bill."—Town Topics.

Coming Her Way.

"Things are coming my way," she remarked, casually.

Fortunately the two dudes approaching did not hear the remark. But possibly they would not have understood it anyway.—Chicago Post.

Circumstances Alter Cases.

She—I like him because he's so extravagant.

Her Aunt—That isn't the best possible quality in a husband.

She—Of course, not! I'm not going to marry him!—Puck.

Summers Gone Wild.

"You're not fond of mathematical calculation."

"Yes, I get on with figures all right down town, but I get nearly deranged when I have to audit my wife's accounts."—Chicago Record.

A Fall River Woman.

Fall River, Mass., Sept 17, 1900.—Mrs. Almira J. Sprague, living at 55 Seventh street, this city, states that had it not been for the well known medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla, she would not now be able to do her work. She has taken this medicine to purify her blood and tone up her system, and it has done her a world of good. No medicine has ever helped her so much. It has made her feel strong and healthy.

When you cannot sleep for coughing it is hardly necessary that any one should tell you that you need a few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to allay the irritation of the throat and make sleep possible. It is good. Try it. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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Denunciation.

"Yes, sir," exclaimed Senator Sorghum; "I heartily and unreservedly condemn all methods in politics which are not frank, honest, open and above board."

"But—"

"I know what you are going to say. I know some of the tricks myself. But if I could manage to denounce them so loud that the other people would be afraid to use 'em, life would be one grand, sweet, perpetual walk-over."—Washington Star.

Most Decidedly.

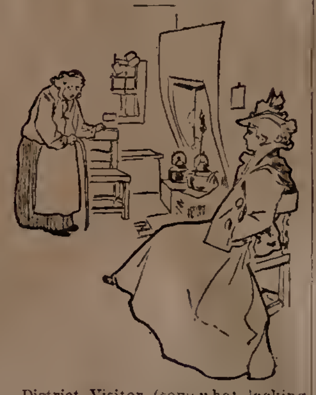
"Pardon me for asking you, madam," said Rev. Dr. Goodman, making a friendly call upon the family who had lately moved into the neighborhood, "but have you any church connections?"

"My, yes!" answered the smiling matron. "Two of my cousins are Baptist preachers, and my aunt married a Methodist class leader." — Chicago Tribune.

Got Even.

He cut his uncle out The maid
 Was willing.
But the rich old fellow laughed to scoff,
And subsequently cut him off
 With a shilling.
—Chicago Tribune.

A LIFE'S LESSON.



District Visitor (somewhat lacking in tact)—And so you're 99 years old?

Sensitive Old Dame (sweetly)—Yes, ma'am. And there's one thing I've learned to do.

District Visitor—And what might that be?

Sensitive Old Dame—To mind my own business.—Sketch.

The Cleanly Hen.

A little girl staying in the country for the first time saw a hen scratching in the garden.

"Oh, mother!" she exclaimed, "here's a hen wiping her boots! Do look!"—Columbus Dispatch.

A New Eye-Medicine.

Miss Smart—How are your eyes now, Mr. Lacking?

Mr. Lacking—Much better, thank you. I have had them examined by an eminent oculist, and he put something in to dilute the pupils.—Judge.

Willing to Be a Laggard.

"We must all die some time," said the sympathizing friend.

"True," replied the invalid; "quite true, but I have noticed that there are some things in which none of us is seeking precedence."—Chicago Post.

It Happened in a Drug Store.

"One day last winter a lady came to my drug store and asked for a brand of cough medicine that I did not have in stock," says Mr. C. R. Gramlin, the popular druggist of Ontario, N. Y. "She was disappointed and wanted to know what cough preparation I could recommend. I said to her that I could freely recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and that she could take a bottle of the remedy and after giving it a fair trial, if she did not find it worth the money, to bring back the bottle and I would refund the price paid. In the course of a day or two the lady came back in company with a friend in need of a cough medicine and advised her to buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I consider that a very good recommendation for the remedy." The remedy owes its great popularity and extensive sale in a large measure to the personal recommendations of people who have been cured by its use. It is for sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m, 12 48, 4 13, 5 15, 6 01, 7 13, 7 30, 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.58 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; t2 50, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 25, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 6 05 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m; f12 59, 5 29, 6 13, f7 24, f9 21 p m, t2 24 a m. S10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 30 a m; 3 50 p m. S . 35 p. m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 [illegible] a m 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

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WRENTHAM.

The members of the Eastern Star whist club of Foxboro held a meeting of the club at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis W. Fisher. Mrs. Charles Pond and L. W. Fisher won the prizes. Salads, jellies, cake and coffee were served by the hostess of the evening.——Mr. Robert McElreath of Halifax, N. S., is visiting Mrs. Henry K. Fisher.——Mrs. Margaret A. White is visiting James E. Huntress in Newton.——The improvements in the I. O. O. F. building will be completed by the end of the week.——Miss Clara J. Randall has returned from New York.——William M. Proctor is now able to be out after suffering for three weeks with an abcess on his knee joint.——David Stanley Stone returned Thursday from his vacation at St. John's, N. B.——Frank Jameson is at Barnstable.——Mr. Edmund Fisher and Miss Bacon of New York are guests at the Buttonwood.——Mr. and Mrs. David T. Stone are guests of Walter Partridge at West Upton.——Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Westboro are at Mrs. M. A. Smith's.——The first meeting of the Social club to plan for the winter meeting of the Holy club was with Mrs. W. K. Gilmore on Monday.

The Crusty Bachelor

Friend—Where are you going?

Crusty Bachelor—To a tea.

Friend—In form al?

Crusty Bachelor—No, infernal.—Syracuse Herald.

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An Explanation.

Nell—Do you mean to tell me that you are engaged to George but don't love him?

Bess—Yes.

Nell—Then why don't you break the engagement?

Bess—Because we were only engaged last night, and he hasn't given me the ring yet.—Chicago Daily News.

An Irish Bull.

"Oi dinnaw phwy it is," observed Shaughnessy, referring to the loyalty of his countrymen in fighting England's battles; "in toimes of pace an Oirishman is always luskin' fer throuble, but give him plenty of fightin' to do an' he's as quiet as a lamb."—Judge.

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You are very cordially invited to attend this opening.

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CONCERNS THE WOMEN.

Worry is worse on looks than anything else, so women should fight the blues.

Women are beginning to find considerable scope to art in the designing of labels for preserving firms, suggesting names for new brands, designing pictures for advertising and arranging displays at fairs and exhibitions.

The Livery Stable, a weekly paper printed in New York, charges the tight check rein and the docked tail horse to "heartless woman," and adds that if ladies will refuse to drive behind docked horses and tight check reins both abominations will soon disappear.

Under the rules of the board of education of Philadelphia a woman, no matter how well she may be equipped mentally and by experience and practical knowledge, is excluded from the supervising principalship of the public schools, except those in which there are girl pupils only or of mixed primary schools. It is claimed in extenuation that women, as a rule, have not as good executive ability as men.

The new German code of civil law defines the rights of a husband as being supreme in most social affairs. He may prescribe the hour for dinner, the manner of serving it, the number of servants, and may limit the quantity of linen to be purchased in the year, but he may not open his wife's letters under any circumstances without her expressed permission. Also he may forbid his wife to write a certain missive or to dispatch it if written, but he cannot prevent her doing so if she is bent thereon. And he has no right to open the letter in order to find out its contents.

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NOTICE TO VOTERS.

The Registrars of Voters will be in session for the purpose of correcting and adding new names to the voting list at the Town Officers' room, in Franklin, on

WEDNESDAY, OCT 10, from 7 to 9 P. M.
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 17, from 7 to 9 P. M.
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 24, from 7 to 9 P. M.
SATURDAY, OCT 27, from 12 M. to 10 P. M.

Registration for the Presidential election will close on SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 27, at 10 o'clock, after which time no new names can be added to the voting list.

BRADLEY M. ROCKWOOD,
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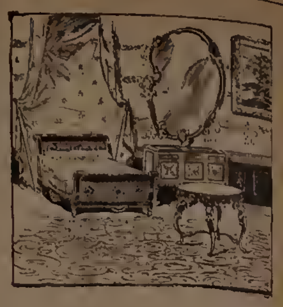

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The great show will be in full operation daily from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. (Sundays excepted).

The most famous Bands and Orchestras that money can produce and other special features will add to the general attractiveness and beautiful surroundings.

Excursions from Everywhere.

ADMISSION - - "A QUARTER."

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage deed given by Mary F. Lavender and George N. Lavender in her own right to the Bowker Fertilizer Company, dated November 11, 1898, and recorded in Norfolk Deeds, book —, page —, and for breach of the conditions thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m., all and singular the following described property:

A certain parcel of land situated in Millis, county of Norfolk, being the rear half of a lot conveyed to Mary E. Dean by Cyrus Daniels, by his deed dated August 13, 1892, containing about one-half acre of land, and situated on the easterly side of Daniels street, and bounded as follows:

Commencing at the southeasterly corner thereof and running northeasterly on land now or late of Cyrus Daniels 110 5-10 feet to a stake; thence turning at nearly right angles and running northwesterly on land now or late of Cyrus Daniels 199.7 feet to a stake; thence turning at nearly right angles and running southwesterly on land now or late of Mary E. Dean and parallel with line first mentioned 110.5 feet to a stake; thence turning at nearly right angles and running southeasterly on land now or late of Mary F. Lavender 199.7 feet to point of departure. Being the same premises conveyed by Mary E. Dean to Mary F. Lavender, October 20, 1892, and recorded in book 682, page 246.

Terms cash.

BOWKER FERTILIZER COMPANY,
By its Treasurer, Henry F. Coe, Mortgagee.
Millis, September 25, 1900.
R. G. FAIRBANKS, Attorney. se25,oc2,9

NOTICE having been received that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the estate of William Colvin, late of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs, all persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JAMES A. SNOW,
JOHN H. C. HADLEY,
Executors.

Address: Medway, Sept. 22, 1900. se25,oc2,9

If you want to buy or sell anything, have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
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Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 00 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10 30 p m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Cyril Cook has resigned his position in A. B. Chilson's market.

The Brockton fair attracted a number of our people this week.

Mrs. Charles J. McKenzie is visiting relatives in Woodstock, Vt.

J. G. Ray Engine company, No. 3, will hold a special meeting this evening.

Artist Geb has secured the contract to renovate the I. O. O. F. hall in Wrentham.

St. Katharine's Guild will meet at the rectory Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The J.G. Ray hose company has moved into its new quarters at Nason's crossing.

The mothers' section of the Alden club will begin winter meetings next week.

John Johnson and family have moved from Worsted street to Washington street.

The wet weather interferes somewhat with steady work in harvesting cranberries.

The Dean football eleven will play the Groton school eleven at Groton tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Thayer are spending a week or ten days in the White Mountains.

Our streets looked better last Sabbath, thanks to the efforts of Supervisor Gowen and his men.

The hand of fellowship will be given to new members at the Baptist church Sunday forenoon.

Mrs. Jeremiah Roberts of Providence is the guest of Mrs. Thomas Killilea of Howard street.

Mrs. W. H. Jackson has returned from an extended visit to Chicago and other places in Illinois.

A number from here were in attendance at the anniversary of the West Medway church yesterday.

Mrs. Hector McCullough of Chestnut street is confined to her home, threatened with typhoid fever.

The funds for the new carpet of Excelsior lodge were very substantially increased by H. T. Hayward.

The Franklin and Cumberland Country clubs will meet on the Woonsocket links tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. A. M. Willard has moved from Garfield street to the house vacated by Mrs. Mowrey on Dean avenue.

The new shoddy mill at South Franklin, to be started next month, is being put in readiness for the machinery.

Beginning next Sunday, and until further notice, St. John's mission service will be held at 3 o'clock, instead of 4.

E. S. Cook has purchased the outdoor meeting grove on Summer street of Alfred Metcalf and will cut off the timber.

The condition of Charles Knowlton, who is ill with typhoid fever, is still very critical and the outcome is as yet uncertain.

The registrars of voters meet each Wednesday evening in October after the first Wednesday for the registration of voters.

The sessions of St. John's Sunday school will be resumed next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Baptist vestry.

Saturday evening John Riley, while getting off of a street car, was thrown down and injured so that a physician was called.

The evening meetings at the Baptist church are showing considerable revival interest. Two rose for prayers Thursday evening.

George E Emerson is out again after an enforced retirement of a few days. His disability was traceable to his recent accident.

Fred S. Hartshorne, son of Engineer F. A. Hartshorne, has just been promoted from water tender to chief yeoman at the Newport navy yard.

Cottage street has been receiving attention at the hands of the roadmen, which will be appreciated by all denizens of that locality.

It is expected that Miss Alice J. Grover, violinist, of Mansfield, will assist in the morning service at the Congregational church next Sunday.

Dr. T. L. Martin is also looking up an automobile, and it is quite likely that the brothers Martin will shortly be possessors of the only gasolene carriages in town.

Mrs. Frank Willard has a fine display of embroidery and needlework on exhibition in Sanborn's window, attracting deserved attention for its excellence and beauty.

Mrs. H. B. Haslam is attending the state convention of the King's Daughters, now in session at Weymouth, having been chosen a delegate by the local society.

Miss Katherine Healy, one of the efficient assistants in the postoffice, left yesterday for a visit with her sister at Winchester and later with relatives in Boston.

Asa Adams is putting in a well for Daniel A. Darling on the Howard place, near the Norfolk line, Pleasant street. The hole promises to give an abundant supply of water.

The members of Griffin court and invited friends will be the guests of Sarsfield court, M. C. O. F., at North Attleboro next Tuesday evening. The trip will be made by special trolley.

Stephen C., the infant son of Mr. and Mrs Daniel McLaughlin of Cottage street, died this morning of congestion of the lungs, aged 3 months and 18 days. Burial at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Frank Foote, who resigned his position at Emerson's meat market Saturday and left for Boston to accept another, was recalled Monday for a few days until Mr. Emerson's recovery from sickness.

A new plate glass has replaced the one in the large front window of the Bresnahan grocery which was broken some ago by the iron frame of the awning. The iron became detached and hit the window.

Gen. Olney Arnold, who was for a number of years a trustee of Dean academy and a generous contributor, died at his home in Pawtucket on Wednesday. The funeral will be held on Saturday at 1 o'clock.

Meeting of Y. M. C. A. next Monday evening at 7 45 o'clock in rooms over Hosford's store. At this meeting the committee on nominations will report and officers be elected. A large attendance is desired.

Announcement is made of the intended marriage of Miss Mary Russell, formerly of Franklin, and John O'Neil, the ceremony to take place on Thursday, Oct. 18, in St. Peter's church, Meeting House hill, Dorchester.

The high school note coming due this year has been paid by the town treasurer, and only one of the ten issued at the erection of the school building remains unpaid. That is due a year hence and bears 4 1 2 per cent. interest.

Passengers on the Medway line miss the half hourly running of cars and are talking about a petition requesting them to be kept on during October, at least. The present arrangement makes connections very unsatisfactory.

We noted on Tuesday that Franklin was behind Medway and Medfield in the matter of anniversaries. Franklin is the middle brother of the group, rather than the youngest, as our 150th anniversary was celebrated here some years ago.

The performance of "The Pied Piper" will take place on the evenings of October 11 and 12 and on the afternoon of the 13th. Tickets already purchased may be exchanged for reserved seats at Dana's on and after Saturday noon.

Daniel McCulloch, son of Alexander McCulloch, about thirteen years of age, has been taken to a home by the state authorities, where it will no doubt be better for him than running the streets and attending school a third or half of the time.

St. John's Guild extends a cordial invitation to the parishioners and friends of St. John's mission to attend a social which the guild will give next Wednesday evening, Oct. 10, from 8 till 10, at the easternmost store in the Morse Opera house block.

Anthony Connor, dog officer, has made returns on the warrant issued to him in July, as the law requires. So far as known all dogs have been licensed and no complaints were made. In several cases the owners neglected to comply with the law until notified that the law would be enforced.

Miss S. Alva Martin graduated from the Hartford hospital on Wednesday as expert nurse. The trustees made an exception in her case, requesting her to read her essay, instead of merely writing one and handing it in. She will locate here. Her sister, Mrs. C. L. Stewart, attended the graduation.

The Alden club opens next Monday evening in the old quarters, Odd Fellows' hall, at 7.45. Program: Club welcome; report of state federation meeting, Mrs. Winsor; report of biennial, Mrs. M. L. Ray; duet, Miss Whiting and Mrs. Stewart; social hour, in charge of hospitality committee, Miss Craig, chairman. A full attendance is desired.

Miss Daisy G. Griffin, formerly organist at St. Mary's church, and who is shortly to remove to Boston, was the recipient of a substantial token of the love and esteem of a party of friends who unexpectedly called at her home on Main street Wednesday evening. After the presentation the visitors were pleasantly entertained, music and refreshments being among the features.

Mrs. Hattie Turner, Mrs. Narcissa Lincoln and Mrs. Minnie Jackson attended a meeting of the Norfolk county association, W. R. C., at Hyde Park on Wednesday. They report a most enjoyable day. Mrs. Turner, president of Corps 89, was installed as conductor and Mrs. Jackson as guard of the association. The next meeting will be held at Norwood the first Wednesday in January.

Excelsior lodge, A. F. and A. M., held its annual election of officers on the new carpet Monday evening: Worshipful master, George R. Winsor; senior warden, Solon Abbott; junior warden, John E. Barber; secretary, Henry A. Talbot; treasurer, Elisha P. Chapman; trustee, Elisha P. Chapman; proxy to grand lodge, Jos. P. Bassett. The newly elected and the appointed officers will be installed next month.

A very pleasant wedding took place Wednesday evening at Atlantic, when our fellow townsman William E. Tower was united in marriage to Miss Barbara E. Vogler. Rev. Dr. Hodge, Mr. Tower's friend and pastor, performed the ceremony. Guests were present from Franklin, Everett and Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Tower will live in Franklin, on Central street. The bride is well and favorably known in Franklin and will be a welcome addition to the society of young people here.

Owing to a disappointment in the arrangements made for the union temperance meeting, that meeting was not held the last Sunday in September. A still further disappointment makes a different programme than had been arranged necessary for next Sunday evening. The meeting will be held at the Universalist church, and Rev. Dr. Hodge will speak of "The New Franklin and What It Requires of Us." A subject of such timeliness and importance ought to be of much interest.

The ever beautiful temperance play, "Ten Nights in a Barroom," will be produced at the Opera house this evening. The play is beautiful because of its simplicity, because of its honest truth and the lesson it brings home to every heart. It is now enjoying the fourth season of its unwavering success. Like "Shore Acres," the oftener one sees it the oftener one wants to see it again. It is refreshing in this day of imported problem and suggestive plays to be able to listen to an American play of plain common folk. Tickets on sale at Dana's—25, 35 and 50c.

A young man employed in Hayward's mill called on Town Clerk Doe Wednesday afternoon and requested a marriage license. He answered all questions in a straightforward manner and said he and his intended wife were of the legal age. The town clerk issued the license. It was not long before the clerk was called upon by the father of the young woman, who told him that she was under the legal age. The father and the clerk immediately repaired to the mill, the latter intending to get from the young man the license which he had issued but an hour previous. The young man saw the clerk first and ran out of the mill and down upon the Milford track. The clerk followed him, but was outdistanced. The young woman is also employed at the mill. The marriage will probably be postponed.

The milk dealers of the town waited upon Edgar K. Ray at Elm farm on Tuesday evening with the object of having him co operate in advancing the price of milk from five to six or seven cents. It is understood Mr. Ray informed the dealers that he could see no reason for putting up the price and could not be induced to join in the movement, incidently remarking that he thought the poor people of the town had enough to contend with at the present time in the way of high prices on many of the necessaries of life without adding that of milk to the list. As Mr. Ray does by far the largest milk business in Franklin the price will undoubtedly remain at the present rate of five cents a quart. He is to be commended for the stand he has taken in the matter and will have the gratitude of the community at large.

St. John's Mission.

St. John's Mission has secured a lot of land from Mrs. LaVancha Russell, fronting 112 feet on School street, and varying in depth from 147 to 160 feet. It is the purpose of the Mission to begin the erection of buildings on this site in the near future. The plan under consideration calls for the construction of three separate buildings so arranged that a handsome and harmonious groupe will ultimately be realized.

The buildings will consist of a parish house, church and rectory; the parish house to be built at about the center and rear of the lot, the church along the western boundary and the rectory along the eastern boundary. It is planned to build these structures one at a time whenever there is money in hand for the purpose. It is contrary to the policy of the mission to build on borrowed money, therefore the construction will proceed only as fast as funds are available

All the buildings planned are to be of rough field stone laid with "wiped" joints. The walls will be low and massive and the architecture will follow that of the English parish type quite closely. It will probably be a good many years before the whole group of buildings is complete but it is hoped that one of them may be begun this fall and occupied within the coming year.

The design of the parish house calls for a large central hall with many smaller rooms to be used for various secular purposes. A "cloister" along the front of the parish house will connect the rectory with the church. The buildings will be so placed that a small square court yard, open to the street, will give an effective setting to the group.

Again in the Toils.

W. S. Nickerson, who has been out on bail, is again in jail for doing a "flim flam" business in Providence. He went on Friday into the shop of John Lewis at 536 North Main street. He appeared to be in a hurry.

"Change this $5 for me?" he asked.

Mr. Lewis was willing and passed out five $1 bills. Nickerson seized them. He passed one of Mr. Lewis' bills back, and saying "That will do," leaped out of the door and sprinted around the corner.

The scheme worked so well that Willie tried it successfully on Anna Stone at 83 Aborn street. He was now $8 ahead of the game. His next victim was Mrs. Harvey D Everett at 335 South Main street. Catherine Keeffe at 136 Ives street met the young man, also, and so did Harvey Wallwork at 253 Plainfield street. Five of his victims told the police about the transactions, and possibly there are others who, after being gulled, would rather stand the loss than be called upon to pass muster at the hands of friends.

The detectives got a good description of the money-snatcher. Detective Nickerson, who disclaims relationship with the prisoner, saw the young man on Orange street at 10 30 o'clock Tuesday night and took him into custody.

Nickerson, the prisoner, denied all knowledge of the charges made against him. He promised all sorts of inconveniences and suits for damages against the detectives. His reputation has been injured, he thought. Later the evidence overwhelmed him, and he is good for a long term for this and his other charge. He was sentenced yesterday to 360 days in jail on five complaints of "flim flamming" and will be sentenced later on the charge of breaking and entering the Fiske house at Cumberland some time ago.

Dancing School

For adults will open Monday evening, October 15, in Central square hall. Instruction, 7 45 to 9.15; social, 9 15 to 12. Music by Miss Razee and Mrs. Tracy. Admission to social, 25 cents.

NELLIE RAZEE NOYES.

Fall Styles in Footwear.

Call and see our stock of fall and winter shoes before purchasing elsewhere, as we have just put in a complete line and our prices are right. We can get you special shoes at any time, at Irwin's.

Emerson's Market.

Fresh killed chicks and fowls, lamb, pork and veal. We also have spinach, sweet potatoes, squash, lettuce, celery, grapes, onions, cabbages, new beets cauliflower and turnips.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Auction tonight, Opera house block, Bargains in choice goods.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

Convention Notes.

Rev. D. M. Hodge, E. H. Sherman and H. W. Thayer, the latter appointed in place of A. D. Thayer, attended the congressional convention in Union hall, Boston, on Wednesday. As foreshadowed by the caucuses throughout the district, Hon. S. L. Powers was nominated as congressman from this (eleventh) district, and Eben S. Draper of Hopedale was chosen as presidential elector. The convention also honored our townsman, Charles F. Nye, present member of the town committee, by re electing him as one of the district committee for the coming two years. Mr. Nye has already served on the committee the past four years.

Emory S. Judd, Fremont M. Richardson and Edwin A. Mason attended as delegates the state convention held in the Boston theatre yesterday. Thirty three cities and three hundred and twenty towns were entitled to a representation of 1890 delegates. There were present 1508. There was no contest except in the matter of auditor, Turner being selected in place of Kimball. The ticket is as follows:

For governor, W. Murray Crane of Dalton.

For lieutenant-governor, John L. Bates of Boston.

For treasurer, E. S. Bradford of Springfield.

For secretary of state, William N. Olin of Boston.

For attorney-general, H. M. Knowlton of New Bedford.

For auditor, Henry E. Turner of Malden.

The representative convention will be held here in Music hall next Friday at 2 o'clock, the Franklinites being George E. Emerson, Rev. Dr. Sneath, G. A. Martin, W. A. Fairfield, James Onslow and D. W. Carson. It is understood that the Franklin delegation will support Silas E. Fales of Norfolk for one of the representatives, the fight being largely upon the other aspirants.

Dr. J. C. Gallison and F. E. Osborne attended the councillor convention in Boston Wednesday as delegates, selecting Arthur A. Maxwell of Boston for the coveted honor.

School Notes.

Rev. S. A. Cook will speak at the Horace Mann High school next Monday evening at 7 o'clock to the teachers and the general public on his recent experiences abroad. All are invited.

At the meeting of the school board last evening Miss Ellen J. Butters was elected to succeed Miss Connors, and Miss Edith N. Daniels was elected as assistant to Miss Ellis at Unionville, where there are an unusually large number of new pupils. Misses Clementine and Caroline Guigon were elected apprentice teachers, serving without pay.

The High school is this year the largest since '93, and the town is receiving $237 for outside tuition for this term alone, which is more than had ever been received for an entire year before.

Notwithstanding one new department has been added to the public schools this fall, all the departments are larger than ever before, owing to the number of new pupils who are attending. This will add somewhat to the expense, as indicated by the bills brought before the board for approval.

The Medway cars, which formerly accommodated the pupils of our schools nicely, are now very unsatisfactory. Pupils from Caryville now are either obliged to leave home at 6.20 or start later and wait fifty-five minutes upon the road. It is hoped this will be remedied in some way.

The first of a course of lectures to be delivered before the teachers of Franklin was given Monday evening by the Rev. Dr. Sneath. His subject was, "The Teachers' Influence." Starting with the thought, "Education alone can never make a man better," Mr. Sneath showed in a practical and thus most helpful way how, by sympathy, by hopefulness, and most of all by example, the teacher is able to mould the characters of his pupils not only intellectually, but aesthetically, socially, morally and spiritually as well.

"Ten Nights in a Barroom."

A play which gives a wholesome lesson, while arousing the sympathies of the spectators and arousing them now to tears, now to laughter, is "Ten Nights in a Barroom," a forceful drama now launched upon another season of success. It is a play for the family, young and old. It is a relaxation from care and worry, a force in character building through exciting such feelings and sentiments as tend to develop and strengthen a man. It is universal in its power to interest, to move and to amuse, for it deals with experience common to mankind, though specialized by a chosen environment. It will be produced by a fine company at the Opera house this evening. There will be a concert by the show band at 7.30 in front of the Opera house.

Richardson's Market.

Of course we keep meat, but we want to call your attention to our carefully selected home made sausage, choice veal and prime beef. Onions 75 cents a bushel. Fancy Jersey sweet potatoes, tender beef liver, with bacon. All the vegetables and soups.

An Interesting Case.

A group of "twelve good men and true" from Dedham, with sheriffs and other court officials, attracted considerable attention here on Wednesday as they were passing through to view the grade crossings on the Providence line, especially the one where the late Maucy M. Daniels received his injuries some months ago. They returned on the electrics and drove to the scene in a barge. The suit is to recover $10,000 damages, and Mrs. Daniels also has a suit to recover $5,000 additional for the death of her husband. Judge Bishop is on the bench; Walter Cook is the juror from here. He was allowed to remain on the panel. The accident occurred August 12, 1899, although Mr. Daniels did not die till some time afterward, recovering sufficiently to be about the house. Quite a good many citizens from here were summoned as witnesses. The case will probably require a week. Expert counsel have been retained upon both sides, which promises an active contest.

"The Pied Piper of Hamelin."

This operetta is arranged by Mr. E. C. Morse, and, as the name suggests, is from Browning's charming poem. This is founded on an old German legend.

The first scene is laid in the market-place of the quaint, medieval city, which is stirred from its lethargy by a plague of rats that are making life a burden. The citizens are trying to rouse the dull old mayor and his equally dull aldermen to some action when a traveling piper arrives and offers to rid the town of the nuisance. The piper is gifted with a wonderful power, which, by the music of his magic flute, compels everything to follow him where he desires. An agreement is made by which he promises to drive out the rats if he shall be given a thousand gold guilders.

The second act shows the piper charming the rats, who follow the magic notes, and thus are led into the river, where they perish. This is followed by festivities, during which several specialties are introduced. The rejoicings are interrupted by the return of the piper, who demands his reward. But now that the pest is gone, the old mayor refuses to pay him and defies him to collect. In revenge the musician again begins to play, and the children, drawn by the magic of his notes, follow him. It is then too late to parley, and the little ones are led into an opening in the side of the mountain, never to return.

The operetta closes with a beautiful tableau representing the piper and the children in the enchanted land whither they had been led.

Woonsocket Opera House.

Monday, October 8, and throughout the week the opera house will be occupied by Mr. Corse Payton's Big Stock Company, with a change of play every night.

The public has been taught that cheap prices for theatrical entertainments do not always necessitate cheap entertainments—or, what would be more proper, bad entertainments. Since Mr. Corse Payton entered the field as promoter of popular priced theatricals he has made a fortune by giving each play in his repertoire with the same careful attention to scenery, furniture, properties and other details as is given by the best metropolitan companies, and by engaging actors of recognized ability to interpret the several characters. This effort on his part has met with public approval, with the result that theatres are crowded at every performance.

Saturday, Oct. 6, a special matinee will be given for the ladies of "Quo Vadis." Prices 25 and 50 cents.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

To Rent.—A desirable tenement of six rooms; $12 per month. Inquire of O. T. Doe. 14-tf

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A competent girl can obtain a good situation doing housework by addressing "E," SENTINEL office. 28

Get your round - trip Boston, Providence and Milford tickets of Charles H. Prince at the SENTINEL office.

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J.B. McKINNON, Agent.

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I shall be in Franklin during the second week in October to care for my pianos and to attend to new ones. Orders may be left at the SENTINEL office.

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A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse.

Two chairs at Ochee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser in attendance. Short waits.

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FRIDAY. OCTOBER 5, 1900

MAKE your local vote as large as possible. Some towns have fallen off in their delegate representation. Bring up your total vote to as great a number as possible.

VOTE for your own interest and you will be on the safe side. If every man will look out for himself the country will not go far wrong, for the average voter will protect his own pocket as far as possible.

LET the west look out for itself. Your responsibility is at home. Vote for your Republican nominees. If the individuals will vote right the nation will vote right. The "right vote" is for the Republican nominees.

HAVING selected your candidates, now support them at the polls. Any man who supports Republican principles and aids in general prosperity is more worthy of support than a candidate whose election would only destroy business confidence and cause industrial paralysis.

DON'T vote for any man just because somebody else does. Vote just as if your one solitary vote was going to settle the policy for the next four years. Unless you honestly believe Bryan would make a president better for the country than McKinley has and will, don't vote for him.

LOOK after the registration and see to it that every Republican in spirit gets his name on the list, and then see that he comes to the polls. His own self-interest will control his vote. Unless he wants fifty cents on the dollar, or one dollar where he now has sixteen (another form of "16 to 1"), he will vote the Republican ticket.

THE practical, common sense view for every intelligent and honest voter is to ask himself if he really believes his own interest would be improved by the election of Bryan and the rule of Bryanism. He may not approve the present condition of things. We all know they could be improved. But unless a man honestly believes he himself and his family would be better off with Bryan as president, he should vote against him.

IF you believe in "16 to 1," vote for Bryan. If you believe in scuttling out of the Philippines, vote for Bryan. If you believe in the 50 cent dollar, vote for Bryan. If you believe in free trade, vote for Bryan. These are all direct, positive issues of the campaign. They are right or they are wrong. Bryan believes one way and McKinley the other. Now be honest. Vote anyway. But think very carefully before you vote. It is a great thing to be able to vote, and it is a great deal greater thing to be able to vote right.

UNDER Cleveland from [illegible] to [illegible] our country's business fell off three million dollars a day, as compared with Harrison's administration. Under McKinley it has gained seven million dollars a day, as compared with Cleveland. Now, sensible men, take your choice. "Business" knows no politics. Men want to make all the money they can, no matter who is president. The cold facts show you can make more money under a Republican administration than under a Democratic. This should be "enough said."

CARL SCHURZ can prate all he pleases about what would have happened if McKinley had not been president. He is only guessing with such problems. He doesn't know any more about it than you do. But you know that with McKinley as president you have had much better times than under Cleveland. There is not the least certainty that the times under Cleveland from 1896 to 1900 would have been a cent better than from 1892 to 1896. Any assertion to the contrary is mere guess-work. We know what we have had under McKinley, and we are going to try four years more of the same administration. "You can't fool all the people all the time."

CONSUMPTION

Do not think for a single moment that consumption will ever strike you a sudden blow. It does not come that way.

It creeps its way along.

First you think it is a little cold, nothing but a little hacking cough; then a little loss in weight; then a harder cough; then the fever and the night sweats.

Better stop the disease while it is yet creeping. Better cure your cough today.

You can do it with

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The pressure on the chest is lifted, that feeling of suffocation is removed, and you are cured. You can stop that little cold with a 25 cent bottle; harder coughs will need a 50 cent size; if it's on the lungs the one dollar size will be most economical.

"I confidently recommend Ayer's Cherry Pectoral to all my patrons. I am using it now in my own family. Forty years ago I feel sure it saved my life." A. S. EIDSON, M. D., Jan. 4, 1898. Fort Madison, Iowa.

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IT is highly important that the Republicans elect just as many members of congress as possible. The change of a few would throw the control on the Democratic side, with the usual result of Democratic administration. The plain, rock-bottom facts are that business, during the memory of any living voter, has never prospered under Democratic administration. If you don't want another dose of it, defeat the Democratic candidates. Admitting that they "mean well," it has been conclusively proven that they "don't know how." The result would be the same either way. The accidental fire is just as hot as the intentional one.

How Success is Won.

After once choosing your occupation, however, never look backward; stick to it with all the tenacity you can muster. Let nothing tempt you or swerve you a hair's breadth from your aim, and you will win, says Success. Do not let the thorns which appear in every vocation, or temporary despondency or disappointment, shake your purpose. You will never succeed while smarting under the drudgery of your occupation if you are constantly haunted with the idea that you could succeed better in something else. Great tenacity of purpose is the only thing that will carry you over the hard places which appear in every career to ultimate triumph. This determination, or fixity of purpose has a great moral bearing upon our success, for it leads others to feel confidence in us, and this is everything. It gives credit and moral support in a thousand ways. People always believe in a man with a fixed purpose, and will help him twice as quickly as one who is loosely or indifferently attached to his vocation, and liable at any time to make a change, or to fail. Everybody knows that determined men are not likely to fail. They carry in their very pluck, grit and determination the conviction and assurance of success.

This is What They Say.

Those who take Hood's Sarsaparilla for scrofula, eczema, eruptions, catarrh, rheumatism or dyspepsia say it cures promptly and permanently, even after all other preparations fail. You may take this medicine with the utmost confidence that it will do you good. What it has done for others you have every reason to believe it will do for you.

Constipation is cured by Hood's Pills 25c.

Yarmouth Line's Fall Excursions.

Not to have visited Nova Scotia during September is to have missed one of the most delightful of autumnal tours. During this month the Yarmouth Steamship company will sell excursion tickets, good for thirty days from date of purchase, to all points in Nova Scotia at unusually low rates. You may go to Yarmouth and return for only $[illegible], to Digby and return for [illegible]; to Halifax and return for $[illegible], and correspondingly low rates to other places, including south shore points reached by the steamer City of Monticello from Yarmouth. Yarmouth line steamers leave Pier 1, Lewis wharf, every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 2 p. m. for Yarmouth. Full particulars and tickets at the tourist agencies, 201, [illegible] and 3[illegible]2 Washington street, or of H. F. Hammond, agent Yarmouth steamship company, Pier 1, Lewis wharf, Boston.

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"The strong, wise, tender-hearted man who guides the nation's destinies today, and who resembles Lincoln more than any president the republic ever had, William McKinley, would have prevented bloodshed if it had been possible with honor. He tried expedient after expedient to compose the Philippines, until the world looked on amazed at his forbearance. He has approved force with reluctance and only when the flag he had sworn to defend was hid by the battle smoke of hostile guns and [illegible] at by the dark hands of insurrection; only when anarchy whirled aloft its torch and civilization gasped at Aguinaldo's order of murder and [illegible]; only then, when honor and humanity commanded, did our great president, dauntless as he is merciful, draw the nation's sword; and William McKinley never draws the sword for show or for parade. In the scabbard is the sword's true place until the peril of the flag calls it forth and then it should leap like lightning unsheathed from its sheath and like lightning strike. President McKinley, in the Philippine problem, has been the same cautious, conciliatory, conservative statesman that he has been throughout this four years of American advance. Patient in the very hour of exasperation, conservative when all the atmosphere was charged with impetuosity, clear eyed when flaming circumstance on every hand reddened the vision of the calmest counsellors, steady when hurricanes of unprecedented events swept the stanchest from their bearings—such is the president of the American republic, the most respected statesman in the world today, and forever fixed as one of the foremost figures of American history. He has risen to the greatness of the hour. The work that Washington began and Lincoln continued, this wise president, in our day of destiny, has taken up and carried on toward that work's great consummation. As Washington prepared the republic to enter the 19th century, so McKinley has prepared the republic to enter the 20th century. And that is why hundreds of thousands of other parties than our own will join in making that mighty majority which will name the nation's noble leader at the end of the 19th century or our leader still at the beginning of the new century now dawning."—Hon. Albert J. Beveridge.

"The golden rule is illustrated by the administration of this country today. Our honored president and our distinguished secretary of state are making immortal history. They are directing the diplomacy of the world. They are leading the movement to save China from disruption and possibly from national extinction. No president since the founding of the government has had so many perplexing international problems as the president of today. When the passions of the hour have subsided he will by common consent take his place beside Washington and Lincoln. Bitter as has been the criticism of the president in certain quarters, it is not one tithe as bitter as was the criticism of both Washington and Lincoln, whom now we all glorify."—Rev. Dr. Robert S. MacArthur.

"I know of no situation so absurd as for Colonel Bryan to stand before an Ohio audience and describe William McKinley as an emperor. William McKinley, who, boy and man, has been your neighbor all his life—has been a good soldier and a good citizen, an able congressman, and a most brilliant president, whose whole life, from the time he enlisted as a boy until today has been at the service of his country and for his country's best interest."—Chauncey M. Depew.

"But it is not by principles alone that the success, the power of the Republican party has been achieved. The best of causes may fail if they have not also the best of representatives. The successful advocate of a cause is so faithful that he would die for it, but so strong that he does not have to, and the rare and almost unbroken fortune of the Republican party has been that whenever the emergency has arisen, no matter how tempestuous the course, there was always a pilot who could steer it and bring the ship to port without throwing the cargo overboard. We have already selected the pilot for the national craft. He has been over the course once. He has steered with such success and skill that even in the turbulence that has surrounded him he has gained the confidence of his fellow-citizens and increased his own renown to a degree almost without example."—Ex-Governor Black of New York.

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"If there has been any imperialism it was in accepting the title to the Philippines and the assertion of our authority and power there in the first instance and all that had the approval of Mr. Bryan. Since this policy was entered upon nothing more has been done than to prosecute it with vigor."—Senator Foraker.

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Speaking of cycling and heart strain, a doctor says that so long as the cyclist can breathe with the mouth shut he is certainly perfectly safe so far as heart strain is concerned.

Cyclists should take warning and not ride behind motor carriages. In England a wheelman was riding behind a horseless carriage; the latter was brought suddenly to a standstill and the cyclist sustained a serious injury to the brain.

A traffic census in Rochester shows that during 12 hours—nine a. m. to nine p. m.—on Wednesday, August 22, 10,543 bicycles passed a given point in the down-town district, to 1,073 loaded wagons, 1,031 empty wagons and 1,019 carriages. Total vehicles—13,657; percentage of bicycles, 77.1.

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Bringing Him to Time.

Mr. Love—Miss Elsie, your clock is awfully slow.

Miss Sweet—Oh, yes; it's going to be a bachelor, I'm afraid!—Jewelers' Weekly.

A Poor Reason.

"Why do you allude to your cousin as Miss Trout when that isn't her name?" asked Hunker.

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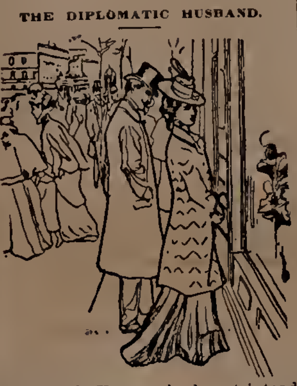

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Doctor—Your wife is very ill, and I have my doubts as to her recovery.

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Too Bad.

Mrs. Minkins—Why didn't you get a divorce?

Mrs. Winkins (sadly)—I found I wouldn't be able to get alimony enough to support another husband.—N. Y. Weekly.

No Exceptions.

Ida—So the Van Biggs had their crystal wedding. I suppose everything was glass?

Maud—Yes, even the diamonds worn by the host and hostess.—Chicago Record.

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AN AMERICAN GIRL.

"O, YOU'RE Mr. Braithwaite's friend. I don't know you, but I've heard you're a nice man. Do come in."

It was very good of Braithwaite to have reported so favorably on me, but the reception was somewhat startling. I hope I looked modest.

"I am all alone, you see, and just as busy. Packing up; I'll never get through. We're off to Cairo to-morrow. Sit down just there, and you can help. Hold this a minute there's a good man."

And she tossed me a tangle of wool.

I began to see the humor of the situation I, a correct Englishman, in a small Paris salon au premier, was holding a skein of wool, which a handsome American girl who didn't seem to consider an introduction necessary, was deftly winding, chatting all the time with a frankness that didn't give me a chance to say a word.

"You do that rather well for a man," she went on; "goodness knows how I should have fixed it alone. You don't look much like an angel dropped in, but that's not your fault. A little slower, O, my friend, if you please. There!"

"Now, Miss Holiday, if you can be ceremonious for just a minute, I'll introduce myself. Braithwaite was unable to come to-day, so he asked me to make his adieux, to give you this packet, and to say you were to be very kind to the messenger, who was his friend."

As I handed her the large box I scarcely remembered that the latter part of the message was fictitious.

"Candy! The lovely man!" said Miss Holiday. "Yes, I've heard a great deal about you, and when we've finished packing I'll be good and motherly to you. Now, Mr. Haskell, from London, you'll be kind enough to help me with this trunk."

Miss Nora Holiday was a magnificent girl, and as she knelt at the other side of the trunk, with a faint glimmer of firelight behind her great mass of brown hair (Parisian anthracite gives a faint gleam toward dusk) —well, even the best bred Englishman has a revelation at times of the artificiality of courtesy, and maybe remembers the wood pigeons, who have no manners.

"Alors, mon ami, you shall put those cotton gloves, for which I gave two francs, next the little packet you're not to look at. Now that traveling pillow and those slippers. These hooks—and there! I guess the lid won't close now. Do you mind?"

I knelt upon the lid, which, after several attempts, we succeeded in catching and Miss Holiday rose, with a handsome flush on her face.

"There," she said, "it's just too bad of me to make you work like that, but you've been very good, and you shall have some tea and some of Mr. Braithwaite's candy."

By this time I was in no hurry to leave This young lady from Salt Lake, with her frank, free manners, her intuitive breeding, and her back as straight and lissome as a sapling, was like a pine-laden breeze, of which one involuntarily breathes deep, and American slang, after all, was no worse than I had been accustomed to hear from irreproachable English ladies.

She spoke of Cairo. I didn't know Cairo O, but I ought to. That, I said, probably explained my ignorance. O, but I must, she replied. I subjected myself to Kismet; did she intend to remain in Cairo long?

"All the winter, I guess, if the men will let me. They're a terrible lot of men. They think every American girl has heaps and heaps of money. They just worry you to death."

I clothed myself in ignorance, and asked in what way?

"O, they make no secret of it," she replied, laughing. "They have embarrassed estates, or 'scutcheons that need regilding They want money. They offer you a mine of affection—but they get no affection of mine."

Miss Holiday laughed at her pun, and went on to tell me of foreign counts, whose endowments in title were their prospect uses; of men who hadn't come into their money; of men who had run through it; of men who had never had any, but who were all anxious for some one else's, even at the expense of having to take the corollary with two laughing brown eyes that were mirroring the lamp-light into mine at the other side of the table. When eyes like those cease to gleam with fun, it is to shine with love.

"Then you anticipate being asked shortly to share five centuries of title and a decayed castle somewhere in Poland?"

"O, no," Miss Holiday replied. "I always tell them I'm a Mormon, and entail a score of mothers-in-law. Of course, it is not true; but they know I'm from Salt Lake, and that puts them off."

If she did not rid me of these two lamp-light reflections, 'twould be a question, I thought, if all King Cadmus' harvest could put me off. But I played the game.

"And will the bearer of a score of quarterings to be afraid of quartering a score of mothers-in-law?" I asked.

"There is no question with mothers-in-law," Miss Holiday retorted, pausing as she opened Braithwaite's box of candy, and making a little moue that passed like a ripple round her mouth, and was lost in the smile that followed.

"But the funniest thing," she continued, "was an old Dutch count, whose estates had been flooded. He wanted to pump them out, or something. Well, he asked Lottie McClellan and Edna Stacey and they said they weren't rich enough. Then he came to me, and I had to tell him I'd just started a scheme for transplanting oysters into Salt Lake, and that till the pearl harvest came I was hard up. That broke him right up, and he told them all at Shepherd's I was mad. Well, after that I swore I'd never let a man propose to me at Cairo again."

"But if one day Cupid came to Cairo?" I asked.

"Then if I were at Cairo, I should be—not at home," she replied.

Now if Miss Nora Holiday thought she could match me so easily as that she was mistaken. I had been a bachelor long enough to know my own mind when the time came; and that the time had come I knew as well as if it had been proclaimed to me by a special revelation.

A whim came into my head. I rose to take my leave, reached my hat and at the door turned.

"Miss Holiday," I said, "do you bet?"

"Why, what do you mean, Mr. Haskell?"

"This," I replied. "I will bet you a dozen of gloves against a tete-a-tete supper the next time we meet in Paris, that before you've been in Cairo a week, Salt Lake or no Salt Lake, some man will have asked you to marry him. I don't insist on the title or the Dutch submarine estate, but poor he will be. Within a week, mind. Do you take me?"

"It's a gamble," said Miss Holiday, taking my hand.

"Then good-by."

"Good-by."

On my way home I called on Braithwaite.

"I've come to bid you farewell," I said.

"Farewell?" said Braithwaite, "where the deuce are you going?"

"Off to Cairo in the morning," I replied.
—Lady's Pictorial.

"O! Wad Some Power."

I have some self-esteem. I know
It is no more than meet.
But why should all my neighbors show
Such asinine conceit?
—Philadelphia Press.

Oil Engines in Palestine.

According to an English consular report oil engines are rapidly advancing in favor in Palestine for the purpose of drawing water from the deep wells to irrigate the orange gardens. Hitherto the water was pumped by animal power. There was a large water wheel and from four to eight mules were required to revolve it, according to the size of the wheel.

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PROSPERITY IN THE WEST

Has Rapidly Advanced Under the Administration of President McKinley.

The Republican national committee, in order to secure some up-to-date facts of interest relative to financial conditions in the great agricultural sections of the United States west of the Alleghany mountains, sent out letters to several hundred business men in the large cities and in country towns of these sections.

"This county is 25 percent ahead of four years ago in general prosperity."—Union National bank, Grand Forks, N. D.

"Both savings and commercial deposits have increased with us about 50 percent, respectively, during the last four years; while credits of this district have increased about 25 percent. The improvement in the condition of the debtor class has been very material. Our merchants report vast improvements in collections."—M. S. Williams, Commercial National bank, Michigan.

"The agricultural interests in this whole community have improved to such an extent as is really remarkable, and contentment and plenty are shown on all hands, and only political disturbances occur. We only hope that four years more of such prosperity can be attained, for this community has never before been in such a prosperous condition."—S. C. Murray, president American National bank, Louisville, Ky.

"Ten farm mortgages are now paid off to every one that goes on record, while then (four years ago) none were paid off, and great quantities went on record."—C. S. Oleson, Security bank, Howard, S. D.

"Four years ago our sheep interests, which comprised almost wholly our borrowing class, were heavily in debt. Today, while they have not become loaners of money, they are far less in debt, and as a general rule are carrying increased flocks. If their flocks were reduced to the average of four years ago they would probably be out of debt."—H. H. Matteson, First National bank, Great Falls, Montana.

"I never knew a time when commercial paper was paid more promptly than today; our notary complains that he has no protesting to do. The rates of interest are now very low; this no doubt is due to the additional currency issued under the new law, the enormous production of gold in this country and more prosperous times generally."—J. R. Walsh, president Chicago National bank, Chicago, Ills.

"A number of our people in mercantile pursuits, who had borrowed money and were unable to pay four years ago, have largely reduced or wiped out their debts. Some who were in good financial condition have become very much better off. We do not know of any merchants of business capacity who have not very materially improved their position."—J. H Dwight, First National bank, Duluth, Minn.

"I have incidentally discussed the political situation with many business men from Kentucky, most of whom are Democrats. They almost without exception indicate a purpose to vote the Republican ticket, as they are satisfied to let well enough alone, and they do not approve of the platform upon which the Democratic party stands." Charles A Hirsch, Fifth National bank, Cincinnati.

"Borrowers of five years ago have, to a considerable extent, become lenders of money Many persons practically bankrupt four years ago have been enabled to realize on property which could not have been sold in 1896. Farm mortgages have decreased nearly one-half since 1896. The principal reason therefor is the universal prosperity brought on by a wise and judicious administration." Ira P. Nye, First National bank, Eureka, Kas.

"Unless I am greatly mistaken, there will be a very material change in the political results in this state this fall I make it a point to talk with farmers coming from different precincts, and from different sections of the state, and almost without an exception they tell me they know of many in their different localities who are going to let well enough alone and vote for McKinley. Many of them voted for Bryan four years ago. The general feeling here is that the Republicans can elect a governor, carry the legislature, and secure the electoral vote for McKinley."—S. H. Burnton, president First National bank, Lincoln, Neb.

REPUBLICAN ISSUES.

Boiled Down. They Will All Be Found In the Full Dinner Pail.

"Our issue is the prosperity of the American people and the honor of the American nation. They are menaced by free silver at home and free rioting in the Philippines. Under the Republican party the country has been raised from dire depression to boundless prosperity, and the good name of the republic has been kept unsullied. Common sense tells you that if you preserve prosperity and the public faith, you must support the party which has created and maintained them. The record of the Republican party is the pledge of the election of McKinley and Roosevelt."—President Schurman of Cornell university.

"My fellow-citizens, you have heard a great deal of talk of late about the paramount issue. This issue, whatever it is, is yours. I saw it a moment ago among the trees—a full dinner pail. You may talk about expansion, anti-trust, silver, government by injunction, the constitution following the flag, and all the rest of it, but, fellow-citizens, I want to tell you that this whole issue boiled down is in that dinner pail. If this is a great nation, it is great because of its people. If it is a successful nation, it is so because of the industry of its people. What, my friends, is the object of the Democratic party in bringing in collateral issues, except to distract your attention from the very fact that you are prosperous, and that every promise of the Republican party made at St. Louis has been fulfilled; that every proposition has come to pass, and that you are reaping the benefits of those prophecies and promises. Now, it is a game of politics only to inject into the campaign those issues that are simply collateral."—Senator Hanna.

THE TRUST QUESTION.

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"Talk about the sincerity of the Democratic party on the trust question. Why, at Kansas City they put a plank in their platform denouncing trusts, but ignored Grover Cleveland, who once said, 'Public office is a public trust.' (Laughter.) The Democratic party in the city of New York has turned public office into an ice trust. There they are gouging the poor people out of their hard-earned wages for what to them is a necessity of life, while the very conspirators who formed the ice trust were gathered in Saratoga denouncing it."—Lieutenant Governor Woodruff.

"The Democrats referred to trusts in a single line in the Wilson bill. That's all they have done against trusts. Think of Croker and Van Wyck and all that crowd with their pockets bulging out with trust stock, putting in the platform 'We condemn the ice trust!' They come up with all the courage of that 'wicked flee when no man pursueth.'"—Congressman Paine.

"A word as to trusts. Beyond a question the great industrial combinations which we group in popular parlance under the name of trusts have produced great and serious evils. There is every reason why we should try to abate those evils and to make men of wealth, whether they act individually or collectively, bear their full share of the country's burdens, and keep as scrupulously within the bounds of equity and morality as any of their neighbors But wild and frantic denunciation does not do them the least harm, and simply postpones the day when we can make them amenable to proper laws. Hasty legislation of a violent type is either wholly ineffective against the evil, or else crushes the evil at the expense of crushing even more of good One of the first things to obtain is publicity. We must be able by law to find out exactly what each corporation self will effect something toward remedying many evils. Moderation combined ing many evils Moderation combined with resolution can alone secure results worth having."—Candidate Roosevelt.

President Schurman of Cornell university "Mr Bryan is the biggest boomer of bogies in the United States, but, as Lincoln remarked, you can't fool the people more than once. Our prosperity under the gold standard has pitilessly unmasked Mr Bryan, but there is no escape for him from the silver issue to which he has pledged himself His other issue is that of imperialism. I don't know of any one-man power here, except in Tammany hall."

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Rather Enjoyed It.

Mrs. Smith—Mrs. Blobson has had such an experience. Arrested for shoplifting All a mistake, of course.

Mr. Johson—I suppose she must have been very much annoyed?

Mrs. Smith—Not at all. The papers all said she was of "prepossessing appearance."—Tit-Bits.

Choice of Two Evils.

"I see that the latest fashion in men's shirt waists is to have them button up the back."

"So? In that case every man will be compelled to have a valet."

"Or get married."—Buffalo News.

His Dear Wife's Cooking.

Bixby—I'm going to take this cake to my room.

Mrs. Bixby—What for?

Bixby—I want it to exercise with; I've let a fellow take my dumbbells.—Town Topics.

Just a Way He Has.

The loafer sits down by the way
And seems to have no sorrow;
He tells you as he rests to-day
Of things he'll do to-morrow
—Chicago Daily News.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, bronchitis, hoarseness and all diseases of the throat, chest and lungs are surely cured by it. Call on Albert C. Mason & Co., druggist, and get a trial bottle free. Regular size 50c and $1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded.

To Hide It.

Hewitt—What are you raising whiskers for?

Jewett—Well, I don't mind telling you that I am wearing a necktie my wife gave me.—Harper's Bazar.

Red Hot From the Gun

Was the gun that bit G. B Steadman of Newark, Mich, in the Civil War. It caused horrible ulcers that no treatment helped for 20 years Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Cures cuts, bruises, burns, boils, felons, corns, skin eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co, druggists.

Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2.65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, disolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit. The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save If your druggist can't supply you, it will be fowarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

DAVID CITY, NEB., April 1, 1900.
Genesse Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.:

Gentlemen:—I must say in regard to GRAIN-O that there is nothing better or healthier We have used it for years. My brother was a great coffee drinker. He was taken sick and the doctor said coffee was the cause of it and told us to use GRAIN-O We got a package but did not like it at first, but now would not be without it My brother has been well ever since we started to use it.

Yours truly, LILLIE SOCHOR.

Jell-O, the New Dessert, pleases all the family. Four flavors: Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. At your grocers, 10c.; try it to day.

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JUNE 10, 1900.

PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE. (DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAYS, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.)

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

BOSTON—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex.) 6 05, 9 38 p m; Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, 8 30 m; 12 04, 3 39, 4 34, 5 19, 6 22, 6 57, 8 17, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 19 a m, 5 19, 7 10 p m.

BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 48, 4 13, 5 15, 6 01, 7 13 7 30, 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.58 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 6 05, 9 33 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 25, 6 10, f5 21, 9 18 p m, 12 21 a m S 10 26 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 6 05 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m; f12 59, 5 29, 6 13, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM 9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 35 a m, 3 30 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD 9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

NEW YORK, all rail—9 15 a m, 4 25 p m. Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

New York, via Norwich Line, 7 15 p m. Return New Pier 36, North River, 6 00 p m.

Providence Extension.

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

PROVIDENCE—7 03, 9 03 a m; 1 05, 4 26, 7.03 p m., S 8 58 a m, 8 13 p m. Return, 8 04, 8 10, 12 04 a. m 4 50, 6 06 p m. S 7 35 a m, 7 05 p m

MILFORD BRANCH.

Trains leave Franklin for

MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 38, 6 55 p m, S 6 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.

ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

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Can be prevented to a great extent by the use of the

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One gallon every week day, per month......$1 00
" " three times per week............ 50
Single Gallon............ 05

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We advise an **Elastic Belt Truss** because it wears longer than the spring truss, fits better and is far more comfortable. We have had a long personal experience with all styles of trusses. Throw your old spring truss away and get one of our **Elastic Belt Trusses.** We can fit you. Double and single at moderate prices.

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DANA BLOCK, FRANKLIN.

WRENTHAM.

An attempt was made recently to break into Lewis W. Fisher's stable, but after nearly demolishing the window the thief left.——Miss Ida Moore of Saulsbury Center, N. Y., is visiting Mrs. R. F. Hemenway.——The first regular meeting of the Holly club will be held November 6. Prof. Thomas Whittimore of Tufts will deliver an address.——Miss Ouida Stone is visiting in Bristol.——The registers of voters will be at the postoffice, Sheldonville, October 6, from 7 to 8. Plainville, October 8, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock; town hall, October 10, from 12 m. to 10 p. m.——Mrs. Frank Cobb of Chicopee is visiting George F. Barnes.——Alderman Robert McElreath of Halifax, N. S., is visiting Mrs. Henry K. Fisher.——Charles H. Bishop, F. P. Redding and A. Willard are going into the Belgian hare industry.——John J. Bleik is ill with the grip.——Chas. Quirk collided with Alden White, and he was thrown from his wheel and badly bruised about his head and face.——An alarm of fire was sounded from the whistle at Daniel Brown's factory, which proved to be at Glenwood mills. A new building, 30 feet square, was destroyed, with a loss of $400 on building and stock. The fire was caused by a spark in the rags.

Church Services.

Congregational church—Preaching at [illegible] by the pastor, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, Ph. D. Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at [illegible]; high mass at 10.45, meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D.D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "Men Without Bits and Bridles." Union temperance meeting at 7. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6.

Baptist church.—At 10.[illegible] preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper; theme, "The Religion Needful for Adults." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45. No evening preaching service on account of union temperance meeting.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 and 7 by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook; morning subject, "The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper as a Covenanting Act," followed by the administration of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper and the receiving of new members; evening subject, "The Royal Banqueting House." Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 3. Epworth league at 6.00, led by Charles Enegren; subject, "Rich Toward God."

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending October 3, 1900.

Ladies—Mrs. Edith M. Felt, Miss Mary Goddard, Mrs. Henry Elmer Kimball, Miss McQueeny, Miss Belle Williams.

Gentlemen—Odber A. Andrews, Joseph Foster, F. G. Taylor, W. A. Wadsworth.

Foreign—Sig. Liscio Potiti di Michile (3), M. Lornur Copske.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

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NOTICE TO VOTERS.

The Registrars of Voters will be in session for the purpose of correcting and adding new names to the voting list at the Town Officers' room in Franklin, on

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 10, from 7 to 9 P. M.
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 17, from 7 to 9 P. M.
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 24, from 7 to 9 P. M.
SATURDAY, OCT. 27, from 12 M. to 10 P. M.

Registration for the Presidential election will close on SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 27, at 10 o'clock after which time no new names can be added to the voting list.

BRADLEY M. ROCKWOOD,
JAMES W. DESMOND,
MICHAEL J. COSTELLO,
ORESTES T. DOE,
Registrars of Voters.

Franklin, Mass., Sept. 24, 1900. oc2-1oc26

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You are very cordially invited to attend this opening.

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"Hunting and Fishing in the South," A book descriptive of the best localities in the South for various kinds of game and fish. The game laws of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Kentucky, Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee and Mississippi, the states penetrated by the Southern railway. For all information apply to George C. Daniels, N. E. P. A., 228 Washington street, Boston.

The best that money can buy should be your aim in choosing a medicine, and this is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cures when others fail.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Simeon A. Pickering, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Mary S. Pickering of Bellingham without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty fourth day of October, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this fourth day of October, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

oc5,12,19

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the next-of-kin and all others interested in the estate of Abigail D. Dean, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, Henry A. Talbot, the administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented to said court for allowance the first and final account of his administration on said estate, and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the widow and next-of-kin of said deceased,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the 24th day of October, A.D. 1900, at ten o clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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If you want to buy or sell anything, have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

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The Coal Dealer,
DEPOT STREET.
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A small payment at time order is given and a little every week will pay for all your Furniture needs.

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Suit complete, including Mattress, Springs and Toilet Set, $26.50
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CHAS. W. STEWART, Clerk and Treasurer.

Dividends declared the first Monday in January and July, payable on and after the 15th of said months.

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STATEMENT SEPT. 29, 1900.

LIABILITIES.		
Due Depositors		$565,502 99
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 29
Interest Account		4,027 82
Real Estate Income Account		184 48
		$598,672 44
ASSETS.		
Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,975 00
" " Mortgages		157,760 00
" " Personal Securities		174,269 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		522 22
Tax Account		572 73
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$3,028 14	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	1,304 95	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		4,417 25
Cash on hand		741 27
		$598,672 44

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

WALTER M. FISHER,
HORACE W. HOSIE,
Committee of Examination.

Sept. 29, 1900.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the next-of-kin and all others interested in the estate of Chloe P. Dean, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Henry A. Talbot, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court for allowance the first and final account of his administration on said estate, and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the next-of-kin of said deceased,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-fourth day of October, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles W. Thayer, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Betsey W. Thayer of Bellingham, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the 11th day of October, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

se21,28,oc5

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Felix Auclaire, late of Bellingham, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and appointing Jules Berard of Blackstone, county of Worcester, state of Massachusetts, his agent, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.

PIERRE CHAPDELAINE,
618 Social street, Woonsocket, R. I.
September 28, 1900. se28,oc5,12

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Hattie M Fisher 1Jan01

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HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
5—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire.

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 05 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every half hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Charlie Knowlton is no worse—about holding his own.

The board of registrars will meet to morrow evening.

Tickets are selling well for the "Pied Piper of Hamelin."

Report of Dr. Hodge's temperance sermon in Friday's issue.

Mrs. Mima Holmes of Somerville has been here a short time.

Lester Grant broke his wrist in the foot ball game against Dean last Friday.

Mrs. Harry Corson and daughter have gone to New York for a couple of weeks.

Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. A. H., will hold a regular meeting next Friday evening.

Thursday evening, October 11, is the opening night of the "Pied Piper of Hamelin."

Miss Baron of Dean academy will read at Thursday's production of the "Pied Piper of Hamelin."

Dean football team plays Tufts varsity tomorrow there and Pomfret Saturday at the latter place.

The Ladies' Social circle of the Universalist church will meet in the church parlor tomorrow afternoon.

B. M. Rockwood and family have returned from Lake Pearl for the winter' after a very pleasant season.

Dean second eleven and a picked team waged a fierce contest at football last Friday, the latter winning 22 to 6.

Monday evening, October 15, at Morse opera house, the very funny musical comedy, "What Happened to Jones." Sixteen people and a fine orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Prince of Danielson, Conn., have been visiting their son, C. H. Prince, of the SENTINEL office.

The representative convention takes place in Music hall on Friday at 1 30. It bids fair to be an interesting session.

H. W. Thayer and Editor Johnson attended a banquet tendered the state ticket at the Parker House yesterday.

The directors of the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket street railway held a meeting at the office of George W. Wiggin Saturday afternoon.

Fred Hough's residence on Cottage street presents a fine appearance with its new shingles, new coat of paint and the new addition being built.

Messrs. Charles F. Nye and George E Daniels, with their respective wives, will enjoy a trip south next week, taking in the various places of interest.

The car that is to take the members of Griffin court and friends to North Attleboro this evening will leave opposite the post office at 7.15, rain or shine.

Lovers of good music should be present at some one or all of the performances of the "Pied Piper of Hamelin"—Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Active preparations are in progress for the Mendon conference to be held with the Congregational church here next Wednesday. Programme will appear on Friday.

Two Boston Chinamen have leased from W A. Pond the store formerly occupied by J. B McKinnon as a grocery in Central square, where they will open a laundry.

At the Friday night prayer meeting of this week the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook, will speak on "Impressions and Lessons from a Recent Visit to the Cradle of American Methodism."

Mrs. Miller, widow of the late Willard Miller, was struck at the corner of Depot and Main streets Saturday morning by a carriage driven by the Vanarsdalen boy. She was not seriously hurt.

The scenic effects of the operetta, "Pied Piper of Hamelin" are magnificent. Franklin is very fortunate in being able to present this operetta, founded on Browning's popular poem.

Friday night "Ten Nights in a Barroom" was presented at the opera house by a good company. In the afternoon and before the rise of the curtain the company gave open-air concerts.

The Norfolk County Temperance union will convene at the Baptist church, Bellingham, Oct. 18. A morning and afternoon programme is being arranged. The lunch will be served on the basket plan.

Rev. S. A. Cook enjoyed a brief visit to the Empire State last week, spending Thursday at Albany, N. Y., and thence down the Hudson on Friday to the metropolis. He reports a most enjoyable time.

The assurance is given that the liquor cases growing out of the recent raid will be tried, but the wheels of justice are clogged with so many legal parchments that the mills of the gods move very slowly.

There will be a social meeting of the Epworth league at the residence of Mr. Joseph T. Hutchinson, Jr., on Arlington street, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. All friends of the league will be heartily welcome.

Rev. F. O. Flagg of Foxboro occupied the Congregational pulpit on Sunday in exchange with Rev. Dr. Sneath, presenting a forceful sermon on the subject, "I am the vine." He was practical, interesting and essentially helpful.

D. F. O'Sullivan and C. R. Russell attended the Democratic county, councillor and senatorial conventions at Dedham last Thursday, Mr. Russell being chairman of the last two. Mr. Russell is a member of the county committee.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church will meet in the parlor tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. As it is intended to pack the barrel for the Home Missionary family during the afternoon a large attendance is desired.

The long contemplated changes in the Morse opera house stage and anterooms it is expected will be carried out before long The dressing rooms will be moved to the floor under the stage and the space at the sides of the stage used for shifting scenery.

Mrs. N G. Knight is receiving interesting letters from her sister, Miss Gertrude Gilman, who is a missionary in China, and who went through the siege of Pekin safely. She describes the state of affairs as something almost incomprehensible.

A lady from Forest Hills, a former resident here, was in town the other day making purchases and she remarked that she still found Franklin a good place to buy goods, in spite of the inducements which Boston has to offer with its five-cent fare.

Dr. J. C. Gallison, having developed a possibly latent interest in interesting vicinity relics, has just had an offer from a lady in Woonsocket of a brass warming pan and other ancient articles. Needless to say that the doctor will avail himself of the offer, and this addition will augment his already interesting collection.

Last Thursday morning the employes of the Norfolk Western Street Railway company presented retiring Superintendent Spring a beautiful open faced gold watch upon his retirement to accept a similar position with the Newton and Boston Street Railway company of Newton.

George H. Grant is to build a carpenter shop on Cottage street near the Clark machine shop and will get power for running the machinery from the Clark shop. The work preparatory to building has begun and the shop will probably be completed before cold weather.

The eleventh congressional district committee met at Young's hotel on the 8th inst. and organized as follows: S. W. Jones of Newton, chairman; Mr. Tirrell of Hyde Park, treasurer, and Charles F. Nye of Franklin, secretary. Headquarters have been established in Exchange building, Boston.

This evening at the Universalist church parlor Rev. Dr. Hodge will begin a free German class for conversational German. The plan of holding a weekly class is one which was broached last winter and has developed by the wish of several who would be glad to avail themselves of it into a reality for this season.

Dr. T. L. Martin went to Providence this morning to get a new Haynes Apperson gasoline automobile, which he has just purchased for his brother, Dr. G. A. Martin. The doctor intends to drive the carriage up here in spite of the rain, which will give it a practical test over the country roads of this vicinity.

The teachers' convention to be held at the Horace Mann building on Wednesday, October 24, will be an interesting affair. Upon the evening previous Prof. Henry T. Bailey, who has been heard here a number of times with great acceptance, will speak at the same place on "The Needs of Manual Training in Small Towns." He should be heard by every one interested in education in town.

E. N. Thain and W. S. Johnson, for Dr. E. C. Abbott, attended the second Norfolk senatorial convention in Boston yesterday, renominating Frank A. Fales of Norwood for senator. Joseph Walker, son of ex Congressman Walker, was nominated as member of the state central committee. Dr. J. C. Gallison was to have represented George W. Wiggin, Esq, upon the delegation, but was prevented.

The members of Fidelity lodge, A. O. U. W., are looking forward to next Thursday evening with much pleasure, as it is expected that on this date they are to have one of the most pleasant fraternal socials ever enjoyed at their rooms. D. D. G. M. W. William H. Nash of Plainville and the degree team of Ames lodge of Woonsocket will be present and an entertaining programme will be rendered by local and visiting Workmen, after which all will sit down to an appetizing spread. There is expected to be a large turnout of the Fidelity members.

E. A. Morse, formerly liquor officer here, will resign his position at Walpole as superintendent of the truant school, to take effect January 1, 1901. Mr. Morse feels it his duty to take this step in order to assist his wife in caring for relatives. Upon his resignation taking effect he will go immediately to Hanover, Conn., where he will reside. The truant school under Mr. Morse's management is steadily bearing good fruits, and it will be difficult to find a man for the position as thoroughly conversant with the work there as he is. The town will also lose one of its best citizens in his removal. There are now a little over sixty boys in the school, a less number than usual.

Dr. Morse, representing the state board of health, was in Franklin last week investigating the typhoid fever cases with a view to discovering the source of infection. Samples of water from wells and springs used by the victims of the disease, as well as milk supplied to them, were taken for expert examination. Dr. Morse said that while the cases reported by the local board of health are unquestionably typhoid fever, there need be no alarm, as these cases originated at about the same time, and new cases are not developing. It would seem, therefore, as if the original cause of infection may have passed away. If new cases develop it is hoped the source of infection may discovered.

The Thurber Medical society held its anniversary meeting in Milford Thursday. The anniversary address was by Dr. Wilfred W. Browne of Blackstone, on "Lights and Shadows of a Physician's Life." It was an exceedingly interesting address and was thoroughly enjoyed After an excellent dinner Dr. J. Cushing Gallison as toastmaster introduced in his usual happy manner the speakers of the afternoon, who responded to the following toasts: "The Clergyman," Rev. N. Van der Pyl of Holliston; "The Alienist," Dr. Edward French of Medfield; "The Lawyer," Hon. Samuel L. Powers of Newton; "The Thurber Medical Association," Dr. William L. Johnson of Uxbridge. The responses were all interesting, and the meeting was a pleasant and profitable one for the members and their guests.

The mother's section of the Alden club met with Mrs. A. M. Thayer on Friday afternoon and listened with interest to a debate on the subject, "Should the mother be a wage earner?" The affirmative, written by Mrs. Farrington, but in her absence read by Mrs. Whitaker, emphasized some of the pleasures which accrue to the mother in earning money, especially when necessity does not demand it, to say nothing of the benefit arising when she is compelled to bear a share in providing for the daily wants of her family. Some women have little taste for housekeeping, but have talents in other lines, as Mrs. Livermore and Marion Harland. With the uncertainty of marriage women should be taught to be self-supporting. Mrs. Alice Abbott presented the negative side. She asserted that the true place for the mother was at home, as she is essentially the home maker. She should make home attractive and have the oversight of her children. The conditions surrounding a mother not infrequently have a bad prenatal influence, also. The discussion which followed showed that the members considered that a mother who was obliged to assist in the support of a family was doing a noble work.

Dean Academy 5, Groton School 0.

The Dean football team defeated the Groton team at Groton on Saturday by a score of 5 to 0. Groton averaged about fifteen pounds heavier than Dean and had the advantage of playing on their own field, beside having a large crowd of supporters to cheer them on. But, in spite of all this, Dean played them to a standstill. Only twice in the entire game did Groton gain their necessary five yards, and in every other instance they were forced to punt or surrender the ball on downs. Dean, on the other hand, made splendid gains around the ends, and through the tackles. Dean fumbled the wet, slippery ball in the first part of the first half and lost what looked to be a sure touchdown. Throughout the greater part of the game the ball was in Groton's territory and there was never a time Dean's goal was in the slightest danger

Dean won through splendid team work. Every man on the team played the hardest kind of football and, man for man, outplayed their opponents. Echols, Woodward and Burroughs were a tower of strength in the centre, the latter deserving special mention, as it was the first football game he ever played in, and he more than handled his opponent, Prof. Griswold, a man with fifteen years' football experience. For the tackles Mitchell was at the bottom of nearly every scrimmage and he made some sensational tackles behind Groton's line. Stone played a strong, steady game and allowed no gains through his part of the line. The ends, Ball and Patch, were the particular stars of the game. The way they got down under kicks and tackled was grand. They both did good offensive work, carrying the ball for substantial gains. Ball injured his wrist early in the first half, but pluckily played out the game, making some brilliant tackles with one arm. Behind the line Phipps ran the team with a dash and used excellent judgment in running the plays Forbes at fullback was steady and aggressive and handled Groton's punts well. Thompson, at right half, did some splendid ground gaining, in one instance rolling four yards nearer Groton's goal after being tackled. Pulsifer did the greater part of the ground gaining for Dean, making many long end runs. He also did the punting for Dean and held his own with the Groton full[illegible]. For Groton it would be hard to say who put up the strongest game. They worked as a team and worked well together. Lawrence's punting was the feature of their game.

Groton won the toss and chose the north goal. Dean kicked off to the 15-yard line and Groton brought the ball back to the 20 yard line. After trying the Dean line without success Groton kicked and Phipps got the ball and ran it back to Groton's 35 yard line. Here was where the fumbling began. Patch started around left end with the ball tucked under his arm and a clear field, but the slippery ball went out of his grasp; but Phipps was on hand and picked it up, juggled it awhile and dropped it, and Patch fell on it on Groton's 20-yard line Dean then tried Groton's line, but failed to gain. Ball tried right end and went outside. Phipps then took the ball to the 12-yard line, when Pulsifer took the ball for a touchdown. Forbes missed a difficult goal. That ended the scoring. Throughout the rest of the game the teams played a little more evenly, though Dean had the best of it throughout

The lineup was as follows:

DEAN.	Positions.	GROTON.
Ball	l. e.	Hare, Hoyt
Mitchell	l. t.	Paul
Woodward	l. g.	Griswold
Echols	c.	Joy
Burroughs	r. g.	Osborne
Stone	r. t.	Brooks
Patch	r. e.	Rogers, S. Crocker
Phipps	quarter	Potter
Pulsifer	l. h. b.	Marvin, Bradley
Thompson, (capt.)	r. h. b.	A. Crocker, Savage
Forbes	f. b.	Lawrence

Score, Dean 5, Groton 0. Touchdown, Pulsifer. Umpire, Dr. Peabody Referee, Nowell. Linesman, Burdakin. Timekeeper, Kockersperger. Time, 15 minute halves.

Still in Our Favor.

The Franklin Country Golf club went to Woonsocket on Saturday to meet the Cumberland Hill club in friendly rivalry. When the latter came here some time ago they were beaten, and it was expected that this time the score would be different. Our players were on their mettle, however, and a fine game resulted, the score being a tie. After the game they were hospitably entertained by their friends and enjoyed an extremely social time. The score:

FRANKLIN.	Holes up.	CUMBERLAND.	Holes up.
Sherman	5	Simson	0
Rathbun	5	Cass	0
Arnold	3	G. Carr	0
Ray	0	Harris	2
Bassett	0	Kirkaldy	0
Nye	0	J. Carr	6
Palmer	2	Edwards	0
Chapman	1	Robinson	0
Woodward	0	White	2
Emerson	0	Cook	6
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Card of Thanks.

I hereby cordially thank my friends for the surprise tendered me and also for the affectionate spirit shown since I came among you. Words inadequately express my feelings for the members of the choir, who always responded cheerfully to every demand on their time and abilities, and co-operated so faithfully and lovingly with me.

MISS D. G. GRIFFIN.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

Y. M. C. A.

Notwithstanding the rain the meeting of the Young Men's Christian association last evening was one of the largest and most enthusiastic held thus far. The committee on nominations presented the following list of officers, who were unanimously elected: President, Ernest D. Daniels; vice-presidents, Herbert W. Thayer, Albert H. Martin; secretary, Charles L. Stewart; treasurer, Charles H. Prince.

Reports were made by the chairmen of the membership and finance committees, which showed that they were at work. At present the membership is about forty, and it is hoped to soon increase this number to one hundred. The financial work is progressing, and thus far every one solicited has responded very cheerfully, all seeming to appreciate the value a good association will be to our town.

If the solicitors have not called on you as yet they will no doubt soon; but don't be afraid to call on them and pour your wealth or your mite into the treasury. No fear of too large contributions, as those in charge are determined to have as finely equipped rooms, including a gymnasium and bath room, as can be found in any town of this size in the state.

Practical Benevolence.

The semi-annual convention of the King's Daughters met in East Weymouth last Thursday with a goodly number of delegates in attendance. The reports from the various circles were very interesting, showing as they did the wide benevolence and unselfish interest in our neighbors' welfare generated by this organization. One circle of young girls reported among other work the purchasing and dressing of a doll for "Gordon Rest." Mrs. E. Trask Hill supplemented the report by an account of what became of the doll. A little girl whose father was in prison and whose mother was in the house of correction for drunkenness was sent to "Gordon Rest" by some charitable person, and the little starved heart, hungry for something to love, attached itself to that doll. It was her constant companion while there, and when Mrs. Hill took her to the asylum, where it seemed best to place her, the doll went with her. The one thing of special interest was the report of what had been done in relation to the Pondville home. Over twelve hundred dollars has been raised to put the home in order for the old people of Norfolk county, and it is desired to raise a permanent fund of $20,000 for the support of the home. One thousand dollars of this has been pledged and the balance it is hoped will soon be given by the generous citizens of Norfolk county. Any person over sixty years of age, of good character and a resident of the county for five years, can become an inmate of the home by paying into the treasury the sum of $100. Any person can join the corporation by paying the sum of $1 annually. Any person can become a life member by paying the sum of $100. This, by complying with the other requirements, will entitle said person to admission to the home as an inmate. Mrs. Clara J. Marsh, the treasurer of the corporation, said she paid long ago the sum of $100 to a home in Worcester county, and if it ever became necessary she could go there in her old age. The establishment of this home is a beautiful charity, and it is hoped that the fund for its endowment will be raised by the time it is needed.

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A Rare Treat.

"The Choir Invisible" has begun its Boston season at the Park theatre, and it is a worthy testimonial to Boston's appreciation of good things in stage affairs that this idyl is being so well received. "The Choir Invisible" differs materially from the usual trend of dramatic performances, in the instance that it teaches a lesson and preaches a strong sermon. It is because of this element that friends looked askance and wondered would it succeed. The best element of society has accepted it for the worth which it possesses, and the story of the "love of a man for a woman who is bound to another" is proving of the greatest interest in the stage version by Frances Hastings as it did in the book of James Lane Allen's writing.

Pianos Tuned.

I shall be in Franklin during the second week in October to care for my pianos and to attend to new ones. Orders may be left at the SENTINEL office.

J. W. WALKER.

Save money by getting your railroad tickets of Charles H. Prince at the SENTINEL office. Mileage books to let on ALL railroads. Trip tickets and short ends always on hand. It saves 33 cents on the round trip to Boston. Tickets to all points in New England.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse.

These are fish days. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fish man.

Two chairs at Ocbee's barber shop, Accomplished hair dresser in attendance. Short waits.

Attempted Suicide.

William S. Nickerson, who was sentenced in the Providence criminal court on Saturday to five years at Cranston prison on the charge of breaking and entering the Fiske house at Cumberland last August, and who last Thursday, in the same court, was sentenced to 450 days in prison on the charge of swindling, attempted suicide in Cranston prison yesterday

Nickerson secured the drug while he was en route from the court house to the jail, a friend having slipped it to him. Sunday, while the guard was in another part of the jail, Nickerson swallowed the pills, 15 grains in all.

At 3 o'clock he was discovered and was deathly sick. The physicians were not long in learning the cause of the illness. He did not rally under four hours, and had it not been for the heroic treatment of the physicians he would have died. After regaining consciousness Nickerson said that he was sorry that he was not permitted to die.

Nickerson wrote to a lady friend in Franklin telling her that he was about to take his life because he could not bear to live out his long sentence. The note was found in his cell.

Hoag lake closed its entertainment feature last Saturday night after a most successful season, the first of the kind ever enjoyed in this vicinity. A strictly high class vaudeville was presented, and the indications for an even more successful season next year are extremely good. The management preserved the best of order at the resort, establishing an excellent reputation in that respect.

Modern Merchandising at the Woonsocket Furniture Store of Austin S. Cook & Co.

Old Uncle Jasper, the colored preacher, made his fame from the text, "The sun do move." It is even more certain nowadays that the world moves, and new ideas must be cast into the business of the hour without a pause Times change and whoever stands for success must keep up with the procession to the very second.

Stepping off the trolley car in Woonsocket and alighting at the glistening furniture store of Austin S. Cook & Co., one realizes the full force of that neat expression, "up to date" The windows are alive with cheerful housefurnishings and seem to say "come in" The forward march of this store has of late been a generally remarked topic, and the reasons become apparent in a ten minutes' tour of the emporium.

The unctious proprietor is the first man to give you a welcome. Smiling pleasantly, he remarked offhand with a slight lowering of the voice, "I suppose I'll have to let the cat out of the bag. You see the secrets of our success right here are getting to be pretty well known. First of all, we buy nothing but goods that will wear and give good service The cheaper grades are all selected for their durability Then we offer them at the lowest living profit, so the selling price is right down reasonable We give liberal credit to everyone who is honest and means to pay in the end, and then we stand by each patron with patience in case of sickness or any unforeseen hardship. That is, perhaps, one reason why so many buy of us and bring in their friends"

Moving forward and looking over the store with its wide balconies looming up like a theatre, the visitor is impressed with a splendid gallery of bright pictures just taken from their crates and offered at astonishingly low prices

Beyond is an array of chamber sets that make a gentleman feel for his purse to count out the price New mirrors line the walls like silver and gold, and parlor suits cover the floors adjacent, while Morris chairs with rich, soft cushions seem to say, 'Rest, perturbed spirit, rest."

Couches near by, crockery down yonder, metal beds over there, parlor cabinets on the side and an eight-thousand dollar carpet and rug stock all guarantee "there's enough for all who enter."

Upon leaving the store with a heart full of satisfaction, the last remarks heard were, "Come again. There goes one of our white and gold delivery wagons. By the way, we deliver these things free and make two trips to Franklin each week. Good-bye. Our doors open easily whenever they happen to be closed. Success go with you and return with you Tell your friends about us and bring in all your folks and let's get acquainted all around. There's your car. Au revoir."

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

To Rent.—A desirable tenement of six rooms; $12 per month. Inquire of O. T. Doe. 14 tf

Wanted.—A girl to do general housework. Apply to G. H. Grant, School street. 18-tf

Girl Wanted—A girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. Alfred Farrington. 21-tf

A competent girl can obtain a good situation doing housework by addressing "E," SENTINEL office. 28

Household goods to be sold within ten days at reasonable prices at Mrs. Ernest E. Daniels, 28 Winter street. 9 2t*

To Rent—On Worsted street, six rooms, with town water inside and well water outside. Inquire of Thomas Coutu 9

Frank O. Dudley, formerly with R G. Irwin, will do bicycle repairing at the corner of Central and Union streets. 9-8t*

To Let.—Five rooms with stable, formerly occupied by Sabin Hubbard, Central street, near Union; call at house 2,9,16

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. MCKINNON, Agent.

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At last Stephen C. Foster, the greatest song writer the United States has produced, is to have a monument, in bronze and granite. It will be erected at Pittsburgh where he was born and resided the most of his life. It will be unveiled next Wednesday in Highland park, and the school children will sing some of Foster's melodies. A [illegible] the orchestra music chosen from his compositions. The monument represents Foster in ordinary dress at work on a song. At his feet an [illegible] slave is seated, playing a banjo and typifying the sentiment of the "Suwanee River." Foster was entirely self-taught in music and when composing used a violin. He died in 1864, at the age of 38.

A Philadelphia paper tells a story of a banker of that city who was visited by the strange hallucination that he had hair growing in his throat. Doctor after doctor examined him telling him he was fooled, but it did not make any difference. Finally a clever young surgeon snipped a couple of hairs from his wrist surreptitiously in an ante-room, fastened them to the end of an instrument, put it down the banker's throat, gave it a little jab and pulled it out again with the hairs, sure enough, and at the end of it. The banker is cured.

An overzealous preacher ran afoul of Oklahoma methods recently and is now under the doctor's care. The farmers of his neighborhood deemed it necessary to work on Sunday in order to save their wheat. The preacher organized a posse of tender-feet like himself and endeavored to stop the work. As soon as the farmers realized what it was all about they stopped their work for a few minutes and then the preacher was dumped into a wagon and carried to a doctor's office for repairs.

There is in Hanover county, Va., an institution whose object is to take negro boys convicted of crime, save them from the evil influences of the state prison, give them a good trade and make of them good and useful citizens. This institution was established with money furnished by Collis P. Huntington.

An Ohio paper says: "John Turnipseed died suddenly on Thursday morning, and on Friday was planted in Maple cemetery, there to rest until he comes up on the Resurrection day." Through some oversight the makeup man got the item in the obituary instead of the agricultural column.

Connecticut's secretary of the state board of health reports that nearly all the 400 infants who died in that state in July were the victims of unwholesome milk and other unsuitable food.

A woman who died recently in Brooklyn at the age of 92 had seen nine generations of her family, extending from her great-great-grandfather to her great-great-grandson.

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A LITTLE OF ALL SORTS.

A lion places its head near the ground when roaring.

More than 15,000,000 visits are paid annually to London pawn shops.

The 24 o'clock system is to be introduced throughout Spain on January 1.

It is estimated that the population of Europe doubles itself every [illegible] years.

The laughter cure is the latest for indigestion. Here is a hint for cynics and pessimists.

There are said to be over [illegible] cats in London, of which half are "unattached."

Oats are not raised in China, and not fed to horses except to racers in the training season.

Alaska's reindeer herd, considered a failure at first, now numbers 730, and is increasing rapidly.

The Abyssinian war medal is the smallest war decoration issued during the queen's reign.

All the street railways in Munich are now electric, and the uniform price for a ride is 2½ cents.

When a new ambassador arrives in London he visits the queen before he sees anyone else.

Three chief feasts during which the Chinese take legal holidays are those of the dragon, the moon and the year.

THEIR DYING WORDS.

Wordsworth, William (1770-1850), English poet: "God bless you."

Goethe (1749-1832), German poet: "Open the shutters and let in more light."

Voltaire (1694-1778), French atheist: "I am abandoned by God and man. I shall go to hell..."

Frederick the Great, of Prussia (1712-86): "We are over the hill, we shall go better now."

Jerrold, Douglas (1803-57), English author: "I feel like one who is waiting—waited for."

Schiller (1759-1805), German poet: "Many things are growing plain and clear to my understanding."

Paine Thomas (1737-1809), English atheist: "If ever the devil had an agent on earth, I have been that one."

Cromwell, Oliver (1599-1658), English statesman and soldier: "My desire is to make what haste I may to be gone."

Arnold, Benedict (1740-1801), American general: "Let me die in the old uniform in which I fought my battles for freedom. May God forgive me for ever putting on any other!"

Webster Fletcher (Daniel Webster's son, mortally wounded at the battle of Gainesville in 1862): "Tell father (Gen. Robert Toombs, by whom he was taken prisoner) I love him; God bless him."

QUEER THINGS IN CHINA.

Wine drunk hot.
Old men fly kites.
Boats drawn by men.
Soldiers in petticoats.
Family name comes first.
Babies that seldom cry.
White worn as mourning.
Carriages moved by sails.
Seat of honor to the left.
Visiting cards four feet long.
A coffin in the reception room.
Hats worn as a sign of respect.
Horses are mounted on the right side.
Fireworks are always set off in day time.
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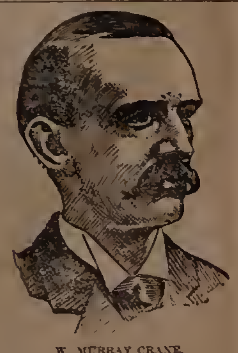
"Gentlemen, the splendid record of 1900 is in no small part due to the militant Republicanism, the severe honesty and the able statesmanship of that most earnest and aggressive personality in the contemporaneous life of the republic—the soldier, the author and the statesman, Governor Theodore Roosevelt. Let the independent voter, unbiased by partisan affiliation, as he surveys the political situation in the state of New York this fall, contrast the government of the state, as administered by Republicans with that of the city of New York, administered by the Democrats, and candidly ask himself the question which party is most entitled to his support and confidence, then cast his ballot in conformity with the dictates of his conscience, and the result will not be uncertain—the standard set by Governor Roosevelt and his associates will be strengthened and maintained."—Senator Stranahan at New York convention.



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FUTURE OF THE PHILIPPINES.

Democrats Responsible For Delay of Full Peace In the Archipelago.

President McKinley's views: "Would our opponents surrender to the insurgents, abandon our sovereignty, or cede it to them? If that be not their purpose, then it should be promptly disclaimed, for only evil can result from the hopes raised by our opponents in the minds of the Filipinos that, with their success at the polls in November, there will be a withdrawal of our army and of American sovereignty over the archipelago, the complete independence of the Tagalog people recognized, and the powers of government over all the other peoples of the archipelago conferred upon the Tagalog leaders.

"The effect of a belief in the minds of the insurgents that this will be done has already prolonged the rebellion, and increases the necessity for the continuance of a large army. It is now delaying full peace in the archipelago and the establishment of civil governments, and has influenced many of the insurgents against accepting the liberal terms of amnesty offered by General MacArthur under my direction. But for these false hopes a considerable reduction could have been had in our military establishment in the Philippines and the realization of a stable government would be already at hand.

"The American people are asked by our opponents to yield the sovereignty of the United States in the Philippines to a small fraction of the population, a single tribe out of 80 or more inhabiting the archipelago, a faction which wantonly attacked the American troops in Manila while in rightful possession under the protocol with Spain, awaiting the ratification of the treaty of peace by the senate, and which has since been in active, open rebellion against the United States. We are asked to transfer our sovereignty to a small minority in the islands without consulting the majority and to abandon the largest portion of the population, which has been loyal to us, to the cruelties of the guerilla insurgent bands. More than this, we are asked to protect this minority in establishing a government and to this end repress all opposition of the majority. We are required to set up a stable government in the interest of those who have assailed our sovereignty and fired upon our soldiers and then maintain it at any cost or sacrifice against its enemies within and against those having ambitious designs from without."

"In the agricultural district around us however the change has been very marked. A great many debts have been paid off, and the bank deposits have about doubled. I was talking today with a leading Populist of this locality who used to be a Republican. He is going to vote for McKinley this time, and there are lots more like him. He says McKinley could not have done anything else than what he has done in our foreign relations, and that he has managed things as well as anyone could have done. Some mistakes have been made but everyone makes some. He says the silver question is dead as long as the balance of trade is coming our way. He is quite a representative man and speaks for a large proportion of Bryan supporters of 1896 in this community."—William Selbie, American National bank, Deadwood, S. D.

THE LIGHTNING HARNESSED.

The Great Western railway of England is lighting its corridor trains by electricity obtained from dynamos driven from the car axle. Storage batteries are carried for use when the running speed is slow and for stops.

By arrangement with the two governments of France and Germany, a telephone service has been inaugurated between Paris, Frankfort and Berlin. The charge for the use of the wire between Frankfort and Paris is 50 cents for three minutes, and between Paris and Berlin $1.25 for the same time.

In an ascension made recently by Messrs. Vallot and Jean and Louis Lecarme it was found, according to a note in Cosmos, that it is possible to communicate by wireless telegraphy between the earth and a freely rising balloon at great distances, without any conductor from the balloon to the ground.

A new submarine cable is about to be laid between England and Germany. This is the fifth cable, and a comprehensive idea of the increase in the cable traffic between the two countries may be gathered from the fact that, whereas in 1896, when the fourth cable was laid, the annual number of cablegrams was 1,937,868 per annum, no less than 2,465,613 cablegrams are now annually transmitted.

Fifty years ago, on August 28, 1850, the first submarine cable message was sent from Cape Grisnez in France to Dover. A wire insulated by a gutta percha covering was run across the channel from the Admiralty pier at Dover to prove that messages could be sent, and the following year the first strong cable was laid. Mr. Charles Wollaston, one of the party that laid the first wire, is still alive, and said that the first message under the sea was to his wife and said: "All right at Grisnez, home about ten."

The Stronger the Lower.

"Just look at these eggs, dear," exclaimed Mr. Newlywed at the breakfast table: "such a bargain! They were marked down from 21 cents to 14." And then she wondered why Mr. Newlywed didn't want any breakfast.—Philadelphia Record.

A Cure.

Maud—Why did you break off your engagement with poor Tom Hotchkiss?

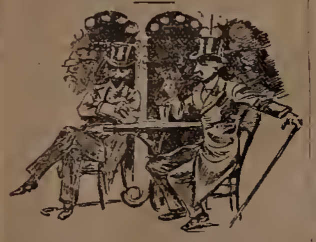
Edith—Hush, don't tell anyone, but he was growing horribly fat. When grief has pulled him down a bit I shall take him on again.—N. Y. World.

Their Generic Game.

"A movement is on foot to bestow names on country roads for the benefit of travelers and to facilitate rural delivery of mail."

"Well, the name of nearly all the country roads I know of is mud."—Chicago Daily News.

OVERHEARD AT THE CLUB.



Jules—See, 'tis a good plan to bring your wife out and leave your purse at home, is it not?

Jones—It is better to bring your purse out and leave your wife at home.—Ally Sloper.

Falling Off In Attention.

"Harry, you must try to pay something on Dr. Pitter's bill."

"Why, has he said anything about it?"

"No; but when I go there now he doesn't sympathize with me at all."—Indianapolis Journal.

The Gentlemanly Burglar.

Judge—The evidence shows that when you entered houses you never entered the rooms occupied by women.

Prisoner—No, yer honor; it knocks me silly to see wimmen with their hair done up in crimps.—Chicago Record.

One Girl's Wisdom.

He—Do you believe in matrimony on the bread-and-cheese-and-kisses plan?

She—Well, that depends. Some brands of cheese would bar out the kisses.—Chicago Evening News.

Came Near Dying.

"For three days and nights I suffered agony untold from an attack of cholera morbus brought on by eating cucumbers," says M. E. Lowther, clerk of the district court, Centreville, Iowa. "I thought I should surely die and tried a dozen different medicines, but all to no purpose. I sent for a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and three doses relieved me entirely. I went to sleep and did not awake for eight hours. On awakening a few hours ago I felt so gratified that the first work I do on going to the office is to write to the manufacturers of the remedy and offer them my grateful thanks and say, 'God bless you and the splendid medicine you make.'" This remedy is for sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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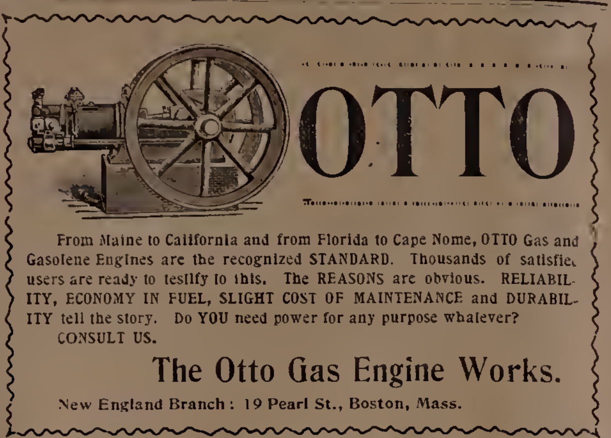

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EXPERIMENT IN WORK

A NEW YORK youth came home from college at the beginning of the vacation season with his allowance so far overdrawn that he had forgotten when the next payment was due. His father, who was a self-made man, and entirely out of sympathy with the obligations of his son's social position, sternly refused further advances. The paternal brand of cigars made the youth ill, and worse still, the sideboard was under strict surveillance. Under these compelling circumstances the youth retired within himself to consider ways and means. Later he emerged from his trance with a smile on his face. The difficulties of the situation had faded like the morning's mist before his brilliant intellect. He would go to work.

In pursuance of this highly original idea, he went to an uncle who was engaged in the profitable if somewhat plebeian plumbing business, and asked for a job. Secretly he hoped for a nice, clean corner in the office, where he might spend a few pleasant hours during the heat of the summer days, perfecting himself in higher mathematics by making out plumber's bills, without danger of soiling his cuffs or endangering his social standing; but in the heroism of his new resolve to labor for his living, he boldly asked for any old job.

"Sorry," said the uncle, "but I haven't anything for you"—then, dubiously, "unless you care to go out on odd jobs as helper. You don't mind a little work, I suppose."

"N-n-no," answered the youth, doubtfully, being rather uncertain about the duties and social rank of a plumber's helper. Still he decided to chance it.

"Well, come around to-morrow and we'll see about it," said the uncle, with a smile that carried a sinister suggestion.

The next morning the youth slipped quietly into the shop and hovered timidly about in the background, wondering what he might be called upon to do, yet dreading to hear his doom. Presently a large, unshaven man, with nothing between his undershirt and jumper but a pair of suspenders, started out, telling the youth to come along. The man had a fire pot in one hand, and a whole kit of tools variously disposed about his person. While doubtless very worthy, he was not the sort of person the youth would have chosen for his companion on a stroll through the business part of the city. So the youth craftily waited and gave the man time to go half-way down the block, intending to follow at a distance. But the man was in no hurry and was found lighting his pipe just outside. The youth wanted to walk ahead, or on the opposite side of the street; he even thought of sending the man on ahead in a cab, but not seeing his way clearly, he continued the promenade with his persistent companion, meanwhile keeping an eye on each side of the street, ready to bolt at the first sign of a request to carry the fire pot or the sight of a familiar face.

A few blocks further on the man hailed a car and climbed into the rear seat with all his accouterments. The youth hastened to get as far forward as possible. The man was disposed to be sociable, and immediately took exception to this arrangement. So he hissed persuasively at the back of the youth's neck across a bed of flowered hats.

Arrived at the house where a clogged kitchen sink had summoned them, the man suddenly discovered that he needed a paper of chewing tobacco and departed, leaving the youth to light the fire pot and clean out the trap. The youth took off his cuffs daintily and considered the problem, knowing nothing of the nature of a trap. Investigation disclosed a small cap at the head of a pipe that looked feasible, and he proceeded to work.

Notwithstanding its size, the cap proved wonderfully tenacious against all attempts to remove it, and the youth battered it with a monkey wrench until the adjoining two feet of lead pipe looked like a souvenir from the wrecked battleship Maine. Moreover, the racket he made brought all the feminine members of the family, including two very pretty girls, down to the kitchen to see what the trouble was. In his right mind and attired in proper raiment the youth would have been very happy to make their acquaintance, but by this time he was grimy up to the eyebrows, and their remark: "Oh, it's only the plumber," did not contribute to his peace of mind.

At this point the man reappeared and explained, from across the kitchen, that it was only necessary to twist the cap with the fingers in order to remove it, whereat the youth eyed his battered knuckles and said "Oh." This gentler treatment proved much more efficacious. The cap dropped off, immediately followed by a most appalling hiss, and a disagreeable compound of kitchen refuse in solution spilled down the youth's sleeve, but did not cool him off.

About this time the man discovered that he had not purchased the right brand of tobacco and went out again to repair his mistake, leaving the youth to clean the trap. The youth didn't chew, but he knew that tobacco didn't leave white froth on a man's mustache. The man, however, was in no hurry, and while his soldering iron was heating he made a third trip for tobacco. Whereupon the youth asked him if he imbibed tobacco from a mug, but the sarcasm didn't seem to reach him. Plainly the fellow had no sense of humor, unless it was a very subtle one, which enabled him to charge three hours' time for a 15-minute job, with a helper.

When they returned to the shop late in the afternoon, after having sparingly partaken of a free lunch to which the man insisted upon inviting him, the youth's uncle gave him a heavy sledge and set him to breaking up some old castings on the sidewalk. The sun was blazing hot and the position very much exposed to public gaze, but the youth was too far gone to protest. He toiled away fiercely, hoping to finish the job before the noise attracted a crowd, but his uncle stood in the shade of an awning and offered suggestions. In two minutes the youth's high collar had melted and slipped down the back of his neck. The sweat was running off his nose 40 drops to the minute. But try as he would his blows had no effect on the castings. He lifted the sledge high above his head for a final, superhuman effort.

"Now," said the uncle, encouragingly, "a good one."

The youth looked up to crush him with a glance, the sledge still poised in midair, and faced the swellest girl he knew at close range. He dropped the sledge and stood staring vacantly at her retreating back

"Be careful, be careful," said the uncle, "you might have hit that girl."

"I thought of that," answered the youth, hazily, "but she had already seen me."

The uncle thought the sun had affected the youth's head and sent him inside. The youth quit work that same night and spent the rest of his vacation reading novels in a window seat, propped up with pink and blue soft cushions three deep. Which o'er true tale may or may not have a moral, and is respectfully referred to the Society for the Succor of Unsuccessful College Graduates if there is such an organization, and there certainly ought to be.—N. Y. Sun.

Would Need To.

Tommy—Can you swim, Mr. Softsoap?

Mr. Softsoap—No, Tommy; I'm sorry to say I can't swim.

Tommy—Then you had better learn. I heard Clara say that she was going to throw you overboard.—N. Y. World

An Awful Conscience.

A teacher defined conscience "as something within you that tells you you have done wrong."

"I had it once," spoke up a young tow-head of six summers, "but they had to send for the doctor."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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CAMPAIGN ARGUMENTS

Which Show the Fallacy of Bryan's Free Silver Propaganda.

Dr. Everett "Why, sir, we have had in the last few days a very elaborate document by a very distinguished statesman, in which he, having been a Democrat all his life, never having thought of being anything else, takes infinite pains to prove to his countrymen that be cannot vote the Republican ticket. Did anybody ever suppose he would vote the Republican ticket? Did anybody ever imagine that Mr. Olney would vote for Mr. McKinley? No, sir. And the fact that he takes such pains to prove that he must vote the Democratic ticket shows that he feels the weakness of his own cause, because, if the Democratic ticket were fit for a Democrat to vote, Mr. Olney never would have taken such pains to prove that the Republican ticket is unfit to vote." (Applause.)

B. A. Jamison of Searsmont, Md.: "I was a regular rock-ribbed Democrat, and nothing could have induced me to leave my party except loss of confidence in its sincerity. I was a free silver Democrat in 1896, and during my canvass preached that doctrine wherever I went. I had unlimited confidence in Bryan and accepted his statements on the money question as gospel. And I continued in the faith until I read Mr. Bryan's speech of acceptance. That came as a revelation to me. His evasion of the money question was convincing to me that either he had ceased to believe in 16 to 1 or else was afraid to preach that doctrine because of the belief that it would hurt his chances of election. My confidence in him as a leader and as a sincere man was gone. I know that the same effect which was produced on me was produced on hundreds of other Democrats in Maryland. I can best convey an idea of the effect of Bryan's speech of acceptance on Maryland Democrats by likening it to the effect produced by Burchard's 'Rum, Romanism and Rebellion' utterance. Having lost all faith in Bryan and his doctrines I shall speak, work and vote for McKinley."

General Woodford: "Every prophecy of the Democrats made in 1896 has been proved false. Prices have not gone down. Labor has not been idle. It is a remarkable fact in the history of this country that whenever the Democratic party has been in power times have been bad."

Ex-Congressman Wise: "I define Bryan as a camel because he can go on forever. He doesn't need either water or food. All he wants is to talk, talk, talk, about nothing at all. In 1896 he was a dromedary with only one hump, the 16 to 1 theory; now he's a full-fledged bactrian camel with two humps—the old hump and a new anti-imperialist hump. If you don't like either of these there is about three inches of Democratic backbone between them. He says that the country was going to be crucified on a cross of gold. All I can say is that it was a delightful crucifixion."

"Four years ago a revolutionary party secured control of what was the Democratic party," he said. "Up to that time nobody had ever heard of Bryan. He sprang like a rocket from its socket, and he sprang from the free silver issue, which he sprung himself. Bryan is free silver and free silver is Bryan, and separated they are nothing. We associate Henry Clay and Daniel Webster with the country's history; we associate Billy Patterson with the man who hit him and McGinty with the bottom of the sea; and so we associate Bryan with free silver."—Ex-Congressman Wise of Virginia.

"We are confronted in this campaign with two issues, of which our opponents say one is paramount and the other is immediate. The paramount issue is militarism and imperialism and the immediate issue is free silver. They have insisted as little as possible upon the latter, and not enough to frighten the gold men away. During the past four years the Republican party has confined itself to the common sense action of putting men within reach of the dollar and making the dollar worth 100 cents in gold when they got within reach of it."—Roosevelt.

Mr. Olney does not offer any clearer or more assuring policy for the Philippines than Mr. Bryan. He neglects to support Mr. Bryan's policy, possibly for the very good reason that as compared with the declared policy of Mr McKinley it does not commend itself to the preference of the American people. He does not always agree with Mr. Bryan, as a matter of fact, for Mr. Bryan would withdraw from the Philippines and allow 'eight or ten millions of savages,' as Mr. Olney calls them, to attempt self-government under our protection, while the president is convinced that the United States government has assumed an obligation to see that stable government is established before abandoning Mr. Olney's 'savages' to the perils of internecine and ferocious war.—New York Times.

"IMPERIALISM."

We Are In the Philippine Islands Both Morally and Legally.

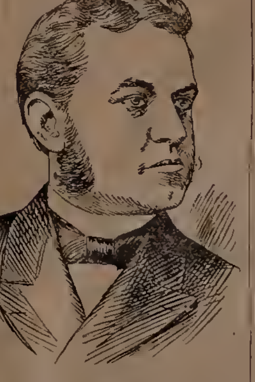
"If it is militarism to be in the Philippines, then it is militarism to be in Hawaii and Alaska. If it is militarism to put down the Tagal banditti, then it is militarism to put down an Apache outbreak. Anti-imperialism is the name by which they seek to disguise their policy of contraction. For, mind you, we have already expanded, and we are in the Philippines by the same moral and legal right that we are in New Mexico and Idaho."—Governor Roosevelt.

"The Democrats are making a great issue about imperialism and militarism. I saw in the streets today a banner with the pictures of the Democratic candidates for president and vice president, and the statement that they were for a 'free republic,' and over that admirable statement was written the word 'Tammany.'"—Senator Lodge.

"It has occurred to me that nature designed the leaders of the Democratic party for actors. In 1896 they put a play upon the boards which might well have been called 'A Comedy of Errors.' The first error was to suppose that the American people could forget the vicissitudes through which they had passed during the preceding three years, and that they did not know the cause of these troubles. The next error presented was their belief that our people were not in favor of a sound financial policy. Those leaders are now ashamed of their performances in 1896 and seek to have them forgotten. This season they have put a new play upon the boards, and it ought to bear the good old title, 'Much Ado About Nothing.' They call it 'Imperialism.'"—Governor Nash of Ohio.

"It only remains now for Bryan and Tammany hall to take possession of the government and the United States will have an imperialism that will surpass the wildest nightmare visions of Messrs. Schurz and Boutwell."—Cornelius N Bliss.

"Imperialism and expansion mean for you, my fellow-citizens of this Mahoning Valley, new markets for the products of this industrial center. The pacification of the Philippines gives a market of 10,000,000 of people. It will grow every year as they come into more civilized conditions and their wants increase. Our port at Manila is nearer by hundreds of miles than any European country to the coast of Asia, where reside two-thirds of the inhabitants of the globe. China is about as large as the United States and has 400,000,000 people. They are an industrious, sober, producing class. There are nearly 400 miles of railroad in China, while there are one hundred and eighty odd thousand miles in the United States. In the next 20 years China will be gridironed with railroads. The rails and spikes, the fish plates, the locomotives, the electric cars, the wire, must all be brought from abroad. To retire from a situation like that within ourselves, as Colonel Bryan proposes, would be to build a wall within which American industry and industrial workers would suffocate and starve."—Senator Depew.



LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR BATES.

THINK OF THIS!

From Senator Stewart's Letter Declaring In Favor of McKinley.

"Mr. Bryan says that as soon as he is elected he is going to call congress together and have all our soldiers now in the Philippine archipelago brought home and then he is going to let Aguinaldo and Agoncillo form a stable government. And yet in another speech he says that the only reason we ought not to have anything to do with them is that they are entirely unfit for self-government, and he is going to let them establish a stable government, then he is going to establish a protectorate over them.

"Think of that. In the first place, a stable government for the Philippine archipelago: it is the work of years, and it is the work of the gravest instruction, not the work of the Aguinaldos, who never claimed to be anything but dictators. And then a protectorate, a protectorate for what end? Why, to protect them against the 50 insurrections which would spring up the next 90 days after they had established a stable government. There would be an insurrection in every island. We would have to protect Aguinaldo against every chief in the islands who would not want him for a dictator.

"What more? Why, we would have to protect him against Europe. Do you suppose Europe would sit quietly by and see all those various islands in insurrection, property endangered? Why, in less than 90 days the whole of Europe would step in to protect their property and the lives of their citizens, or would go there on a pretense of doing so. Then they would seize on this archipelago and divide it up among them. Very likely they would war over the spoils. Is not that a sensible proposition? What a miserable set of cowards and sneaks the American people would appear to be in the eyes of the whole world if today, under threats of Aguinaldo and his people, with the sympathies of the Democratic party, they should take down the American flag and order the troops home?"

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Times Have Changed.

"Yes," said the girl in blue, "George proposed last night."

"Of course," remarked the girl in white, "you said 'This is so sudden.'"

The girl in blue looked indignant.

"Of course, I did nothing of the kind," she replied. "Do you suppose I wanted to intimate to him that I was a girl of neither attractiveness nor experience? Well, I guess not. He wouldn't have thought he was getting a bargain if I had talked like that."—Chicago Post.

He Was a Hero.

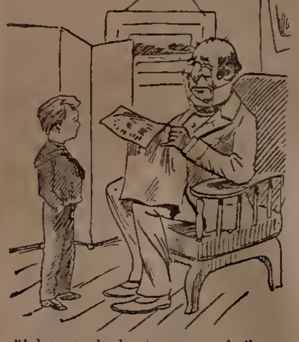
"Marry you? The idea!" And the maid laughed scornfully. "The man I wed must be a hero—do you understand? A h-e-r-o."

"I beg your pardon," meekly rejoined the young man, "but I'm a h-hero."

"What!" she exclaimed, in surprise; "you a hero? Well, prove it."

"I d-did," he stammered. "I asked you to m-marry me, d-didn't I?"—Chicago Daily News.

CONSIDERED HIMSELF LUCKY.



"I love to look at you, uncle."

"Why's that, nephew?"

"'Cause it makes me feel so good to think that I might have taken after you, but don't."—N. Y. Journal.

Trade Secret.

"There is no money in horses," said the beginner, sadly.

"How have you tried them?" inquired the friend who wore a hutcher's gown.

"Put them in the races."

"Put some in sausages and you will be a millionaire." — Chicago Daily News.

True to His Profession.

"Say, Jones, did you notice that every man in the room drank to my health last night, excepting that studious looking chap with the eyeglasses?"

"You mustn't mind that."

"And why not?"

"He's a doctor."—Yonkers Herald.

Mistakes Occur.

George—Suppose a fellow's best girl gets mad when you ask for a kiss.

Henry—Take it without asking.

George—Suppose she gets mad then?

Henry—Then you've got some other fellow's girl.—N. Y. Weekly.

A Vacant Space.

Thompson—They say that Simple is wandering in his mind.

Sheeter—The place where his mind ought to be, they mean, for that has been wandering for a considerable time.—Ally Sloper.

An Average Barber.

Barber—You don't come very often.

Customer—It takes too much time.

Barber—I cut hair in ten minutes.

Customer—Yes, but it takes three weeks for it to grow enough to look respectable again.—N. Y. Weekly.

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BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

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WRENTHAM.

Work was commenced Monday on the renovation of the Congregational church, the carpet and interior furnishing having been removed, and the decorators from Boston will begin work at once. The ceiling is to be fixed and the interior completely painted and handsomely decorated. Gas is to be put in both the church and Hawes chapel, and running water may be another improvement. During the process of renovation services will be held in the town hall. The church will be ready for use again in about four weeks.——The following are the new officers for Trinity guild: President, Mrs. A. F. Bennett, vice-president, Miss Anna L. Stone, treasurer, Miss Hattie McGaw; secretary, Mrs. Harry B. Lewis; directors, Mrs. Lewis W. Fisher, Mrs. Osgood Page and Mrs. George Sheldon.——J. E. Chamberlin and family will remain at "Red farm" for the winter.——Go to Franklin Thursday or Friday evenings or Saturday afternoon to see the "Pied Piper of Hamelin."

MEDWAY.

Go to Franklin Thursday or Friday evenings or Saturday afternoon to see the "Pied Piper of Hamelin."

The Ways of Friends.

Mrs. Rasbey—You are quite intimate with the Marmaduke Joneses, aren't you, Mrs. Dashey?

Mrs. Dashey—Well, only just so-so. they're the kind of people we can visit, you know, but we can't have them come and see us.—Indianapolis Journal.

Agitated.

Ada—I hope he won't do anything rash.

Alice—Was he very much excited when you refused him?

"Extremely. He said he would commit suicide or die in the attempt."—Puck.

Not the Kind She Meant.

She—I think your friend Rickey is so very entertaining: he is always making such dry remarks.

Rickey's Rival—Yes. One can't come anywhere near him but it's: "Let's go take something."—Richmond Dispatch.

The Man's Idea.

Mrs. Churchley—We are going to give our dear pastor a 30-day vacation! What do you think of it?

Mr. Churchley—Well, I think it would be better to let him take a day off every Sunday for 30 weeks! Puck.

Saved from a Hard Life.

"Harry, you used to have some literary ambition, hadn't you?"

"Yes, I had; but, fortunately, my wife's social ambition crowded it all out."—Indianapolis Journal.

Adapted.

She—What is that old saw about "When in Rome—"

He (who has traveled)—When in Rome do the Romans or they'll do you.—Philadelphia Press.

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Mrs. Cobwigger (shaking carpet)—Which end shall I take, dear?

Cobwigger—Wait till I see how the wind is blowing.—Judge.

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Coffee ice cream frozen in a cylindrical mold, with the center filled with lemon ice, is an attractive and delicious dessert. For the ice cream mix two tablespoonfuls of arrowroot with half a cupful of cold milk. Beat four eggs well and mix with it. Then beat one pint of milk and pour over the mixture and add four cupfuls of white sugar. When it is cool add two quarts of cream. Put it into the freezer, and when it is partly frozen turn in two cupfuls of strong coffee and freeze thoroughly. Pack it in a cylindrical mold.

For the lemon ice mix together the juice of six lemons, two cupfuls of sugar and three cupfuls of water. Strain and turn it into the freezer. When the ice and salt are packed add to it two cupfuls of sweet milk and freeze at once. Fill it into the center of the coffee ice cream.

Maple mousse is easily and quickly made. Put one pint of maple sirup into a saucepan with the yolks of eight eggs. Stir over the fire until the sirup thickens, then remove at once and stir until it is cold. Fold into it one quart of whipped cream and pack in a mold in ice and salt for five hours.

For Piazza Visitors.

A suitable refreshment to offer to the visitors who are glad to rest on the piazza from the journey out of town is iced tea or lemonade or a saucer of strawberries. If you provide strawberries, remember to leave the hulls on. It is considered desirable to serve them that way, because it indicates that the fruit has not received any unnecessary handling. Use the hull of the strawberry as a little handle by which to lift it from the saucer and dip it in the pile of soft white sugar heaped in one corner of the plate. Use the pulverized fruit sugar, a mere powder, for the strawberries. Have a plate of lady fingers or rice flour plunkets ready to offer with the fruit.—Detroit Free Press.

French Hash.

Two cupfuls of milk, one cupful of soup stock, one tablespoonful of chopped parsley, two tablespoonfuls butter, one quart meat, two tablespoonfuls of flour, three eggs, one teaspoonful salt, a dash of pepper; melt the butter without browning it, add the flour, stir until it thickens, add the chopped meat, either chicken or lamb, take from the fire, heat the eggs lightly and add last; grease a baking dish, turn it in and bake an hour.—People's Home Journal.

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I say let your wife show and prove she loves you, but never let her tell it you. On the contrary, tell her all day long, if you choose; she will never tire of hearing you telling her.

Never do unto your wife what, as a gentleman you would never think of doing to any lady of your acquaintance, such as to enter a room before her, meet her in the street without taking off your hat, etc.

Quarrel with your wife, but never bore her. Never fidget, never fuss and never sulk. If she is late keeping an appointment, don't scold, don't make yourself unpleasant. Tell her it's much better to have her late than not at all. Next time go without her. The cure is infallible.

Whenever you do your wife a favor, make her a present, etc., never remind her of it. Gratitude like love, is not to be had for the asking. What a woman admires most in a man is generosity, and to remind anyone of a favor is not generous. It looks like asking to be paid for a service.

If you are of a jealous disposition take all the precautions in the world that your wife may not see it, for it will make her so proud that she may give you serious reasons for indulging in it. If you are suspicious, be a diplomatist and hide it from her, for if she does not deserve your suspicion she will naturally resent it, and if she does, it will only make a hypocrite of her.

Never appear to be idle in your house, in the morning especially. If you have nothing to do, go to your study, your library or any other "growlery:" inform your wife that you have to be very busy all the morning and "will she be kind enough to see that you are not disturbed?" Then lock the door, light a cigar and take a paper or a book and be fearfully busy all the time. Your wife, being busy herself all the morning giving orders and preparing the programme of the day, will be grateful to you for being out of the way and think all the more of you for being so busy.—San Francisco Examiner.

Corn Pudding.

To a pint of corn pulp add a pint of milk, stir in the well-beaten yolks of four eggs, a teaspoonful of salt, pepper to taste. Mix thoroughly, lastly add the stiffened whites and bake in a moderate oven in a greased dish for one hour. A delicious accompaniment to roast meat.—Washington Star.

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WEDNESDAY, OCT 17, from 7 to 9 P. M.
WEDNESDAY, OCT 24, from 7 to 9 P. M.
SATURDAY, OCT 27, from 12 M. to 10 P. M.

Registration for the Presidential election will close on SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 27, at 10 o'clock after which time no new names can be added to the voting list.

BRADLEY M. ROCKWOOD,
JAMES W. DESMOND,
MICHAEL J. COSTELLO,
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Registrars of Voters.

Franklin, Mass., Sept. 21, 1900. oc2 toc26

NOTICE having been received that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the estate of W[illegible], late of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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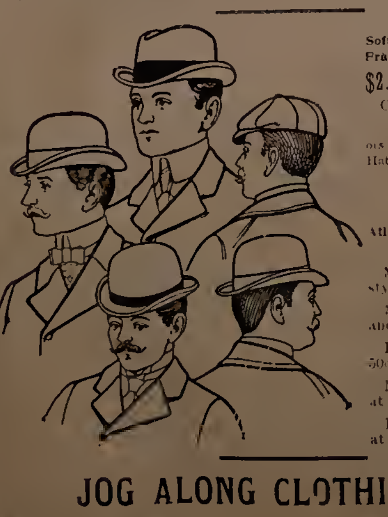

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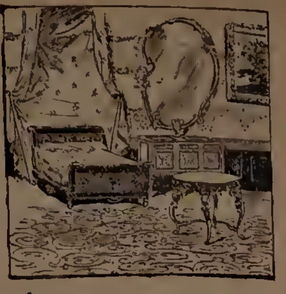

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage deed given by Mary F. Lavender and George N. Lavender in her own right to the Bowker Fertilizer Company, dated November 11, 1898, and recorded in Norfolk Deeds, book —, page —, and for breach of the conditions thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m., all and singular the following described property:

A certain parcel of land situated in Millis, county of Norfolk, being the rear half of a lot conveyed to Mary E. Dean by Cyrus Daniels, by his deed dated August 13, 1892, containing about one-half acre of land, and situated on the easterly side of Daniels street, and bounded as follows:

Commencing at the southeasterly corner thereof and running northeasterly on land now or late of Cyrus Daniels 110 5-10 feet to a stake; thence turning at nearly right angles and running northwesterly on land now or late of Cyrus Daniels 199.7 feet to a stake; thence turning at nearly right angles and running southwesterly on land now or late of Mary E. Dean and parallel with line first mentioned 110.5 feet to a stake; thence turning at nearly right angles and running southeasterly on land now or late of Mary F. Lavender 199.7 feet to point of departure. Being the same premises conveyed by Mary E. Dean to Mary F. Lavender, October 20, 1892, and recorded in book 682, page 246.

Terms cash.

BOWKER FERTILIZER COMPANY,
By its Treasurer, Henry F. Coe, Mortgagee.
Millis, September 25, 1900.
R. G. FAIRBANKS, Attorney. se25,oc2,9

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Mary H. Wilder of Medway, in the county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, widow, to Lewis J. Bird of Boston, in the county of Suffolk and said commonwealth, dated October 7, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 798, page 141, will be sold for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, at public auction, upon the premises hereinafter described, on

WEDNESDAY, the THIRTY-FIRST day of OCTOBER, A. D. 1900,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

A certain tract of land, with the building thereon standing, situate on the easterly side of Broad street, in said Medway, and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the northwest corner thereof on said street at land of the heirs of Clark Partridge or owner; thence running easterly on a line with land of said heirs one hundred and forty (140) feet to a corner at land of S. S. Woodward; thence southerly on a line with land of said Woodward to land of John McGinnis or owner; thence westerly on a line with land of said McGinnis to a corner; and thence continuing southwesterly on land of said McGinnis to a corner; and thence continuing westerly on land of said McGinnis to Broad street aforesaid; thence northerly on said Broad street to the point of beginning; being the same premises conveyed to said Mary H. Wilder by deed from William N. Hitchcock to Mary H. Wilder, dated May 5, 1894.

Terms at sale.

HARRY B. STEARNS,
Assignee of said Mortgage.
Boston, Mass., Oct. 6, 1900. oc9,16,23

Business Announcements in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL are invariably read.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

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North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 00 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every hour till 10 30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

See "Pied Piper" tonight.

The C. E. Whiting house is being repainted.

Jacob Quilter has moved into the Nason house.

Business is good at the Colonial Rubber company.

A. Burt Palmer is spending a few days at the White mountains.

Mendon Conference next Wednesday at the Congregational church.

Sixteen new names were added to the voting list Wednesday evening.

"What Happened to Brown" next Monday evening at the Opera house.

Miss M. J. Burr has gone to Medfield as companion to Mrs. Clifford, an elderly lady.

Artist Dinsmore is decorating exteriorly and interiorly Mrs. R M. Farnum's residence.

J. L. Fisher was elected chaplain of the Norfolk Pomona grange at Holliston on Wednesday.

Anthony Connor has been temporarily relieved from duty as policeman for the Medway road.

A. H. Morrill has returned to his duties at the roadmaster's office after a brief vacation.

The holy communion will be celebrated next Sunday morning at 8 o'clock at St. John's rectory.

The Foresters who went to North Attleboro Tuesday evening report a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. C. K. Sanger has been called to New York by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Stockbridge.

A meeting of the King's Daughters will be held next Monday evening at 7.30 at the home of Miss Amy Briggs.

Representative L. L. Burrington has remembered various officials of the town and friends with copies of the 1900 blue book.

A meeting of the parishioners of St. John's mission will be held next Wednesday evening, Oct. 17, at 7 30 o'clock, at the rectory.

At the meeting of Wonewok tribe, I. O. R. M., on Monday evening it was voted to contribute $30 for the benefit of the Galveston sufferers.

The annual visitation to Miller Royal Arch Chapter Masons took place Tuesday evening. After the work refreshments were served.

E. H. Rathbun and P. A. Woodward played on the famous Braeburn links at West Newton today and had the pleasure of seeing the champion Vardon at practice.

Dr. G. A. Martin is out with his new automobile, a Winton of standard make and excellence. It has a nine-horse-power motor and weighs about 1600 pounds. When he "gets it down fine" he expects to find it far superior to his horses.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sherman left today on the annual outing of the New England State Agents association, the tour this year taking in Washington, D. C., Luray, Gettysburg and the south.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper will exchange Sunday forenoon with the Baptist pastor in Hebronville. In the evening Rev. Mr. Sleeper will occupy his own pulpit, preaching on "The Hope of Glory."

Howard Malcom Ticknor is booking numerous engagements for this winter for his lecture-readings, which are meeting with excellent success. He has some twenty-five lectures already prepared.

Mrs. Jeremiah Doherty died at her late home on Wachusett street yesterday morning, a victim of consumption. A husband and three children, the youngest of whom is only two weeks old, survive her.

The ladies and gentlemen of the Country club will compete in the kickers' handicap tomorrow—the ladies in the forenoon and the gentlemen in the afternoon. Each will name his or her own handicap.

The annual meeting of the Baptist Ladies' Aid society was held Tuesday afternoon. The election of officers was: President, Mrs. F. B. Sleeper; vice-president, Mrs. Eva Rich; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. W. Bristow.

Meeting of Y. M. C. A. on Monday evening, October 15, at 7.45 o'clock, at rooms over Hosford's store. A large attendance desired. All young men are wanted to join. Present membership over fifty and new names are being added every day.

Those who remember Evangelist Wilbur F. Allton, who, under the direction of the Young Men's League, opened the revival services in Music hall some four years ago, will be pleased to know that he is to speak at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

At the annual meeting of the Baptist Young People's Union Monday evening the following officers were elected: President, Miss Sophronia Read; vice-president, Deacon J. B. Rhodes; secretary and organist, Miss Gertrude Clark; treasurer, Miss Ethel Smith.

At the meeting of the Boston West Baptist association in Newton on Wednesday the church in Franklin was one of the five churches reporting the largest number of accessions and baptisms. Rev. F. B. Sleeper was chairman of the committee on resolutions.

Henry T. Bailey, agent of the state board of education, will lecture in the high school building Tuesday evening, Oct. 23, at 7 45, on the need of manual training in the small towns. The public is cordially invited to attend and take part in discussion at the close of the address.

If you want to laugh loud and long go to the Opera house Monday night and smile at "What Happened to Brown." This comedy embodies a cyclone of laughter, a coterie of clever comedians, dashing soubrettes, nimble dancers and superb instrumental harmony by a quartette of finished musicians.

Dr. Hodge begins on Sunday afternoon a series of vesper subjects connected with the religious movements of the nineteenth century. It will be timely and interesting to review its religious tendencies, its gain and losses, and the directions in which religious thought and experience have moved. His first topic is "A Hundred Years Ago."

A. M. Thayer's benefactions run in diverse though none the less pleasing channels. He has donated some new furnishings to the reception room of the Masonic hall, and also offers to set out and maintain an ornamental flower bed in the High school lawn if the committee will remove the fence. It does seem as if the fence should be removed, as few lawns are trampled upon when bordered by concrete and curbing. Try it, Messrs. Committee.

For laughing purposes only the Church Comedy Co. will provide a continuous laugh entertainment at the Opera house Monday night. "What Happened to Brown" is most vividly portrayed by one of the cleverest farce comedy companies on the road. Funny comedians, sprightly soubrettes, grand vocalists, graceful and eccentric dancers, side splitting climaxes and, paramount to all, a superb orchestration by a quartette of superior musicians, comprises a combination and centralization of attractions without rivalry.

The jury in the Mancy M. Daniels damage case awarded the claimants $1,385 for damages and $2,000 to Mrs. Daniels. They were out from 3 Wednesday afternoon till 11 Thursday morning, finally agreeing upon a verdict. Walter Cook, one of the jurors, spoke of the gentlemen as being very fair minded men, with whom it was a pleasure to serve. It was a case full of legal niceties and a difficult one to settle satisfactorily. The judge complimented them after the verdict. The impression seemed to be that each side was somewhat to blame for the accident.

Next Sunday morning at the Methodist church the pastor, Rev S. A. Cook, will begin a series of sermons on "The Higher Christian Life." The several subjects will be: 1, "The Obligation and Privilege of Spiritual Holiness;" 2, "The Meaning and purpose of Sanctification;" 3, "The Sanctification of the Nature;" 4, "The Life in Holiness." Special attention will be given to that which is vital in the highest order of Christian life and experience.

How pleasant it would be if we could speak of our park as does Uxbridge: "One of the prettiest places in town and perhaps one of the least appreciated is the park on Church street. Few towns of this size have parks to equal this one, and no where can one be found that is kept in better shape. The trees are trimmed and the grass mowed regularly, in fact no private grounds are better looked after than this park. During the hot days recently when the evening were so awfully hot, the park was an ideal place to sit in. It was cool and quiet, but strange to say very few availed themselves of the rest and comfort it offered. The park is certainly a thing of beauty and a big addition to the village."

A Pleasing Success.

Browning's charming conceit, "The Pied Piper of Hamelin," was presented by local talent at the Opera house last evening, to an enthusiastic audience who thoroughly enjoyed the pleasing music, the bright pictures and the clever work of the principals.

The star parts were taken by Messrs. Hosford, Leach, Desmond and Miss Adams, and they handled their parts with discretion and power. The children made excellent rats, and seemed to enjoy it fully as much as the audience

The medley dance by eight little boys and eight girls was one of the prettiest bits of the play and evoked much applause They were Ralph Tracy and Pearl Fairfield, John Cunningham and Flora Clark, Dana Searle and Helen Buck, Jeremiah McCarthy and Olive Coleman, Bertram Copeland and Edna Jewett, Clarence Dean and Annie Nixon, Roy Conway and Marie Perron, Percy Fairfield and Harriet Whipple.

Nine little girls, Harriet Whipple, Ethel Avery, Lulu Dunbar, Flora Clark, Olive Coleman, Grace Griffin, Pearl Fairfield and Annie Nixon, sang a darky song nicely, and J. Ray Wyckoff rendered a song very acceptably, being obliged to respond to an encore. Miss Grace Adams was similarly honored. John Cosseboom delighted the audience with his club swinging, which was remarkably good, and Mr. Leach sang a solo with sweetness and expression. The orchestra was especially fine, being composed of ten members under the direction of H. A. Cobb. The choruses were unusually strong.

The entertainment will be repeated this evening and Saturday afternoon, and should be greeted with large audiences. The proceeds are to be devoted to the Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church.

The cast is as follows:

Pied Piper	J. R. Hosford
Mayor	J. S. Leach
Clerk	Will Elkerton
First Councilman	Wallace Elkerton
Schoolmaster	James Desmond
Hans	Master Chas. McKinnon
Lame Boy	Master Dana Searle
Elsa	Miss Flora Clark
Olga	Miss Alice Connor
Gretchen	Miss Grace Adams

Alden Club Meeting.

The Alden club opened its eighth season last Monday evening. There were one hundred ladies present. Mrs Margaret L. Ray, the president, brought greetings from the executive board as well as her own greetings to all members of the club and visitors. There were ladies present from Colorado and California.

Miss Estelle Stewart, chairman of the flower committee, reported that an average of two baskets of flowers a week were sent to Boston and were much appreciated by the poor children.

Miss Addie Winsor read a very interesting report of the State Federation.

Mrs. Margaret L. Ray gave a bright and spicy report of the National Biennial Federation, in which she told that a spirited discussion on the reconstruction of the per capita tax lasted two days, during which the women from the south and west showed a wonderful knowledge of parliamentary law.

After a duet by Miss Myrtie Whiting and Mrs. Leslie Stewart, the social committee served refreshments.

The club calendars were distributed, and they show a good programme for the coming season. S.

Emerson's Market.

Fresh killed chicks and fowls, lamb, pork and veal. We also have spinach, sweet potatoes, squash, lettuce, celery, grapes, onions, cabbages, new beets cauliflower and turnips.

Who Is R. G. Irwin?

The man who sells regular $3.00 box calf and enameled shoes for $2.50. Also, a full line of men's working shoes.

Auction at Mrs. H. M. Bullock's next Friday at 12.30.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

"The New Franklin."

At the union temperance meeting last Sunday evening at the Universalist church Rev. Dr. Sneath took charge of the meeting, Rev. Mr Cook read the scriptures and Rev. Mr. Sleeper made the prayer. Dr. Hodge made a stirring address, which many of his audience thought it a pity they could not be permitted to frequently applaud. Dr. Hodge said in part:

"We are confronting new conditions of life in Franklin. We have these electric railways connecting us with neighboring towns, bringing, as our tradesmen hope, increased trade to Franklin; affording, now that the bicycle, they say, is going out of fashion, opportunities for pleasure seeking; bringing toughs and idlers and drunken men, among others, into town, and making it easy for our own vicious ones to get to the saloons of liquor selling towns. The quiet and simplicity which were the charm of Franklin are gone and gone forever. Another change we are deeply conscious of is that the men who have made Franklin are passing from among us" Dr. Hodge mentioned appreciatively James P. Ray, Francis B Ray, James M. Freeman, William F. Ray, William M. Thayer, Emory Thayer, A. H. Morse, Joseph G. Ray and Charles J. McKenzie, and said these and others we have lost in recent years are the men who have made Franklin. They have built up the business interests of Franklin. They have erected its best buildings. They have put themselves into the industrial, social, political, religious and moral life of the community. We must face the new conditions. How shall we meet them?

"In the first place," Dr. Hodge said, "we must close up the ranks. We must take up the work these men have been carrying on in behalf of a clean, orderly and progressive community. Younger men must realize their responsibility and come to the front. 'God's workmen die, but his work goes on,' and the men who are left must carry it on. I find that there are some who say that now that it is so easy for men to get their strong drink in neighboring towns, we might as well have license here. That is the way in which some men are disposed to meet the new conditions now existing. I think we may divide the people of every community into three classes, so far as their relation to the liquor traffic is concerned. There are those who are all the time against the saloon. You know where to find us; it is a matter of principle with us. I cannot think of any possible condition of things which would make me any less opposed to the saloon. We cannot and dare not sanction it. We want no part nor lot in it in any way. We dare not be responsible for putting temptation in the way of men. There is another class you know where to find—namely, on the wrong side. Men without elevation of character, men who do not care what becomes of men, men who have no clear conception of the evils of drunkenness; these are in favor of license. There is a third something—a class of people who sometimes vote against the saloon, but not as a matter of principle. It is not very respectable to side with the saloon, and I am glad it is not respectable. Men know well that if they favor the saloon they forfeit the respect and sympathy of the best people in the community, and I am glad it is so. From these causes men not as a matter of principle opposed to the saloon sometimes vote no license. But these people are always finding excuses for getting over on the other side. If the law is not properly enforced the cry is, 'We might as well have license' If they suspect liquor is being sold privately or being smuggled into town, we hear again, 'We might as well have license.' If men go to Woonsocket and get drunk, 'We might as well have license,' again they say. If money is spent out of town, we hear it again, 'We must have license.' Let us look at these propositions a little.

"First, as regards the non-enforcement of law The law of course ought to be enforced. If it is not properly enforced we must find out exactly where the trouble is; we must know who is responsible and not permit ourselves to be deceived about it. If we have any town officers not in sympathy with the enforcement of the law, put them out. No matter who they are and whatever other qualifications they may have, out with them. We don't want any such men in office in Franklin. No man in sympathy, secretly or otherwise, with the liquor traffic is fit to hold office in Franklin or anywhere else. Fight such men in the caucus, at the polls—every time. We must stand together and do this if we want a decent town.

"But with officers in sympathy with the law, with all due diligence, it is difficult to enforce the law against the private sale of liquor. Why? Because it *is* private. There are offences that are secret. You may be so certain that a man is violating the law that you despise him. It is safe to despise any man who is not above suspicion in this matter. You may be so sure that you would not associate with a man. But the law requires positive proof. That cannot convict upon suspicion. It cannot regard character, except as it may influence the credibility of other evidence. It presumes innocence. It gives the accused the benefit of all doubt. So it is often impossible to convict in cases where we are sure liquor is being sold. But does that make it advisable to license? It is a curious reasoning that leads to such a conclusion. Law cannot prohibit any crime. Murder and larceny and burglary are committed in spite of law and officers and courts. Law should make it difficult to do wrong and easy to do right. That is the function of law. It must make wrong-doing, so far as possible, troublesome to the doer of it. A no license vote does not and cannot make the sale of liquor impossible; it can only make it difficult. But there is a vast difference between the private, guilty, law breaking sale of liquor and the temptations opened along public streets by the open saloon. The main ground of our opposition to the saloon is that it puts temptation in the way of the young, the weak, the foolish. We cannot absolutely prevent a man from drinking by any law. That belongs to the sphere of morality, not that of law. If a man is determined to drink you cannot stop him. If a man is bound to go to the devil he will. It is an easy road, down hill all the way. But you can keep temptation in a great measure out of the way. There has never been a time when a man living in Franklin could not go to Boston or Providence and get all the liquor he was able and willing to pay for. Now he can go to Woonsocket at small expense and get it. But the real situation is not altered by that fact, except in degree. It is better to have temptation twenty seven miles away than to have it at hand. Is it not better to have it nine miles away, than to have it all along these streets? Not one single objection is removed by the nearer approach of the temptation—not one. The plea that it is is not a reasonable plea. It is only the excuse of people who want an excuse to get on the wrong side in the conflict. An electric railway does not change wrong into right nor evil into good.

If liquor is sold here secretly, that is no reason why it should be sold openly. Such nonsense makes me weary. To stop the use of liquor:—that is something moral influence, sound instruction, elevation of life and character must accomplish To remove temptation so far and so much as possible,—that comes within the province of law. I see no need of getting into any mental confusion on this point whatever, if you have any brains at all. If you have the saloon in Franklin every man who goes along your streets and is weak enough to be tempted is tempted every day. If he has to go to Medway, or Woonsocket, to be tempted, the temptation is more distant and less frequent. Isn't that very simple sense? Every saloon is a centre of idleness, vulgarity, drunkenness, moral corruption. As a citizen of Franklin, I prefer to have such centres in Medway, or Woonsocket, to having them in Franklin. I am sorry they are there, but I am not responsible for it.

Another silly plea has been that money is spent in surrounding towns that ought to be spent here. It has been claimed that people will go to Woonsocket to trade because they can get liquor there. Let us look at that proposition. In the first place, this is low ground. It leaves out all moral consideration. But I am willing to meet anybody on that ground even. How many people do you think really go to Woonsocket to trade because they can get drink there, or get liquor there? There may be twenty perhaps, but I doubt it. Suppose there are fifty, though I don't believe any such thing. Do you know of one such? I don't. But supposing there are fifty. In the first place these fifty people, are those, are they not, whose trade is least desirable.

If they get credit it is among these, is it not, that you find the bad debts, and unpaid bills? He who goes to another town because he can get liquor there, will have less to spend for everything else beside liquor, will he not? But have you ever thought of the other side of this question; of the increased poverty, the diminished industry, the decreased purchasing capacity consequent upon the open saloon? Why, the testimony is uniform in those towns which have tried license, and no-license. The universal testimony is that the open saloon decreases industry. There is less money earned to begin with. Of this, the larger part in many families goes to the liquor seller. There is more poverty, more pauperism, more crime, less money. The very worst thing for the business men of this community that could happen would be the opening of the saloon here. That is a thing proven so many times that it ought not to be a question in the mind of anybody here whether we could afford to have the saloon. Even on the lowest possible ground, the mercenary ground, Franklin could not afford it. Leaving all moral considerations out of the question, it would be the very worst thing for Franklin that could be proposed.

I want to see this town a healthful town. I want to see our sewerage extended and the low ground about us drained or filled in. I want to see this a beautiful town. Our town hall could very possibly be improved upon. I want to see a handsome public library building. I want to see federation among the churches. I want to see increased intelligence. I want to see peace and order, progress and prosperity. But the saloon is antagonistic to all these, to all that can make life here happier and more successful.

Representatives Nominated.

At the tenth Norfolk district Republican convention, held here in Music hall this afternoon, A. F. Bemis of Foxboro and Geo. W. Bullard of Medway were nominated.

Morse Opera House.

Next Monday evening the Church Comedy Co. offer from their repertoire of funny farce comedies "What Happened to Brown." It is a series of continuous laughs from start to finish and introduces numerous clever specialties. A superb concert orchestra is one of the strong features.

Legal Qualifications of a Voter.

If you desire to vote at the coming election, there are a few things you must conform to:

1. You must not be under the age of twenty-one years.
2. You must have resided in the state at least one year previous to an election.
3 You must have resided in this town at least six months previous to an election.
4 You must be able to read the constitution in the English language and write your name.

No person of foreign birth is entitled to vote unless he or she has been legally naturalized and produces the certificate of naturalization when registered.

If any alien is under twenty one years of age when the father is naturalized, they are naturalized thereby and may be registered, if otherwise qualified, if they present the father's papers.

Any citizen attaining the age of twenty-one years at any time previous to an election, and otherwise qualified, may be registered.

Women of foreign birth whose husbands were born in this country are naturalized thereby and can register, if otherwise qualified.

There has been a little controversy existing in town the past week between two representatives of sunny Italy, and all on account of a cow. Both had laid by a little money each week from their earnings, and putting their heads together they arrived at the conclusion that the money could be best invested in a cow, with the understanding that each should own half the cow, and therein lies all the trouble. When the cow was milked both claimed the milk, putting forth as a reason that they owned half the cow. Friends of both parties are trying to settle the matter amicably by dividing the milk instead of the animal.

The Woonsocket Opera House.

"The County Fair" which is this season being presented with Neil Burgess himself in his original creation of Abigail Prue, serves as an excellent background for the display of Mr. Burgess' peculiar comedy talents and numerous bits are scattered throughout it that are admirably and genuinely humorous. His garrulous, good hearted and unsophiscated old maid of New England is a distinct characterization, perfect in development and complete in detail. Extremely funny, but always avoiding any suggestion of vulgarity, he keeps his audiences laughing continually. Neil Burgess and the "County Fair" will be here Wednesday, Oct. 17. Seats on sale Monday.

Richardson's Market.

Of course we keep meat, but we want to call your attention to our carefully selected home made sausage, choice veal and prime beef. Onions 75 cents a bushel. Fancy Jersey sweet potatoes, tender beef liver, with bacon. All the vegetables and soups.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

To Rent.—A desirable tenement of six rooms; $12 per month. Inquire of O. T. Doe. 14 tf

Girl Wanted—A girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. Alfred Farrington. 21 tf

A competent girl can obtain a good situation doing housework by addressing "E," SENTINEL office. 28

Household goods to be sold within ten days at reasonable prices at Mrs. Ernest E. Daniels, 28 Winter street. 9 2t*

Frank O. Dudley, formerly with R. G. Irwin, will do bicycle repairing at the corner of Central and Union streets. 9-8t*

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. MCKINNON, Agent.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse.

Two chairs at Ochse's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser in attendance. Short waits.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1900.

GET out the local Republican vote. The rest will take care of itself.

CRANE AND BATES—you cannot buy a better team in the market. It pulls even, steady and true. Better keep it another year. Vote for them next November.

BRYAN is shocked that the Filipinos are not at once admitted to full citizenship. But he and his admirers deliberately disqualify thousands of negro voters in the south and claim that it is all right.

VOTE carefully. See that you vote the right names—those marked "Republican"—and be very sure that you vote for the Republican nominees for congress. We not only want the right man at the head of the administration, but we want his hand upheld by congressmen of the same kind.

EVEN Josiah Quincy praises the course of President McKinley in China. Now is it not reasonable and sensible that President McKinley has acted just as wisely, honestly and patriotically, if all the truth was known, with reference to the Philippines as to China? He is the same man with the same head, the same heart and the same advisers. He has acted wisely and patriotically not only in China but in the Philippines.

THERE is not an "imperialist" in all the United States—not in the sense used by the orators who affirm that we want to "subject" any people and rule them as slaves against their will. There is not a citizen who does not desire for every person under the flag every privilege he himself possesses just as soon as he is fit to cast an honest and intelligent vote. There is no more danger of "empire" in this Union than of another slaveholders' rebellion—not one bit of it.

IT is said that a railroad switchman is going to vote for Bryan because the McKinley administration has so increased the business over his road that it keeps him busy all the time to switch his trains, while under Cleveland he had most of his time for "loafing." But the other employes of that road, with steady employment instead of idle hours, will vote for the party whose administration gives them steady work and good wages—and that is the Republican party.

POLITICS is really a practical, common-sense matter. Treat it in that way. There are certain men you would sooner trust in business matters than you would others. Now put your trust in the same men in political matters and you will almost invariably vote the Republican ticket. It is as true as daylight. The political principles that you really expect to be of practical value because they will be carried out in a practical manner are those of the Republican party. Democratic platforms, built to catch votes, may attract you sometimes, but look behind the platforms to the men who build them and who are to put them into effect if elected. Do this and you will vote the Republican ticket.

THE friends of sound money should cast a solid vote against Bryan for the very reason that he is openly and avowedly for free silver just as thoroughly and earnestly now as in 1896. He does not make it so prominent, but he worships it just the same. And if chosen president he will do an enormous amount of injury to the business interests of the country by causing uncertainty and uneasiness among business men. It may be all wrong, but men will not invest their money, and thus help business and give work to workingmen besides themselves, unless they are reasonably sure of certain and fair returns on their investments. Democratic administrations invariably bring poor business. Vote against them.

TRUSTS have no more choice of political parties than do the liquor saloons. They always aim to get all they can. They are no more Republican of origin and propagation than they are Democratic. They are found as numerously in Europe as in America. Do not let the Bryan declarations make you believe there would be any fewer or less objectionable trusts with him as president than with McKinley in the presidential chair. Trusts sprout, flourish and grow fat just as much under a Democratic as Republican regime. The Republican party will do more than the Democratic to prevent injurious combinations of capital against the interests of the masses. You can depend on that. But there are good trusts as well as bad trusts.

All except bad ones!

There are hundreds of cough medicines which relieve coughs, *all coughs, except bad ones!* The medicine which has been curing the worst of bad coughs for 60 years is Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

Here is evidence:

"My wife was troubled with a *deep-seated cough on her lungs for three years.* One day I thought of how Ayer's Cherry Pectoral saved the life of my sister after the doctors had all given her up to die. So I purchased two bottles, and it cured my wife completely. It took only one bottle to cure my sister. So you see that three bottles (one dollar each) saved two lives. We all send you our heart felt thanks for what you have done for us."—J. H. BURGE, Macon, Col., Jan. 13, 1899.

Now, for the first time you can get a trial bottle of Cherry Pectoral for 25 cents. Ask your druggist.

THE CONTAGION OF FAITH.

Why a Man's Belief or Disbelief Is a Vital Concern to Himself and Others.

There are two spirits in every man and these spirits are contending together for the mastery. In all our relations, says the New York Outlook, we make one choice as to whether we shall evoke the best or the worst in those whom we meet, whether we shall liberate the best that is in them or invigorate the worst. There are men who go through life and do no evil so far as action is concerned, but who blight everything fine and fair which comes in their way, by the chilling breath of skepticism; there are others who have a genius for calling out the best. It was impossible not to believe in the nobility and dignity of life when one listened to Phillips Brooks, his atmosphere made skepticism incredible. When Hume declared that he believed in immortality whenever he remembered his mother, he was bearing testimony to the almost divine influence which women of the highest type always exert, and which they often exert in entire unconsciousness. What a man believes or what he disbelieves is a vital matter, not only for himself, but for others. Let him believe in the best, and, however faint faults and imperfections be may, there will be in his own nature a slow but tidal movement toward goodness and he will make the attainment of virtue easier for all who know him. Let a man disbelieve in the possibility of purity, integrity and unselfishness and, although he may have great ability and many attractive qualities, he will smirch the society through which he passes and leave a blackened trail behind him. When a man comes to look back on his own life, he must bless or [illegible] may be the discernment that for the first time that he has helped instead of hindered, and he must [illegible] punishment may be the [illegible] [illegible] the first time [illegible] he has given [illegible] [illegible] to the [illegible] of [illegible] integration and spiritual decline in those about him.

Hopelessness of Self-Reliance.

"Unless above himself he can erect himself, how mean a thing is man!" So says Wordsworth. Unless beyond himself there is help for a sinful man how hopeless is the outlook! Whoever has honestly tried the moral problem of self-conquest, who has not longed for the Mighty One, the Savior? It is said that when Dr. Darwin, of Derby, one of the most noted English physicians, was succumbing to a fatal disease he went from one to the other [illegible] and had reached the highest [illegible] [illegible] this [illegible] trouble he got for a reply: "There is no man who can save you [illegible] an English physician, Dr. Darwin, of Derby." "Alas!" was the reply, "I am Dr. Darwin of Derby." "O wretched man! * * who shall deliver me from the body of this death?" "Thanks be to God which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."—S. S. Times.

The Poet.

"Sir," said the long haired one, indignantly, to the editor, "the poet is born."

"Oh, is he?" retorted the editor. "Well, I'm darned sorry he is. But this isn't the place where they take in the birth notices. You go down stairs to the business office."—Detroit Free Press.

It Ought to Be.

"What are your grounds for this breach of promise suit?" asked the lawyer, cheerfully. "Of course you were engaged; that is to say, he asked you to marry him, and you accepted?"

"O no," she replied; "but he used to kiss me whenever he wanted to, and put his arm around my waist, and visited us all his vacation, and borrowed money of papa, and beat brother Jack awfully at poker, and I made him an afghan—and isn't that enough?"—Harlem Life.

Sometimes He Does.

"Do you ever wish you had chosen some other calling?" asked the lawyer.

"Why, to be real frank with you," answered the clergyman, "I must confess that I do occasionally."

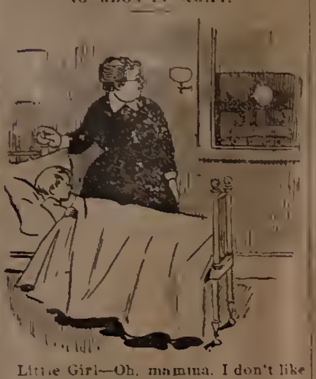
"When, for instance?"

"When I catch my fingers in the crack of a door, step on a tack or slip up on a banana peel."—Chicago Post.

The Old Man's Secret.

They tell me I am handsome yet
And the ladies, bless them, say
"Do look at him—the dear old boy
Really grows younger every day."
And when asked, "How is your age
Are you so free from ills?"
My answer always is the same—
"Because I promptly pay my bills."
—Chicago Daily News.

NO MOON IN SIGHT.



Little Girl—Oh, mamma, I don't like to go to sleep with the moon shining in my face.

Mamma—Oh, that's all right, dearie, that's your papa's head on the front porch.—Chicago Daily News.

A Mistake.

How oft we see him blinking
With assurance so sublime—
The man who thinks he's thinking
When he's only killing time
—Washington Star.

His First Love.

Young Downie—I would propose to Miss Haughtie, but I'm afraid she'd only promise to be a sister to me.

Miss Haughtie's Little Brother—I think she'd promise to be something nearer than that.

"Do you, really?"

"Yep. I guess she'd promise to be a mother to you."—N. Y. Weekly.

A Childish Criticism.

Angelica—Did you ever have a proposal, aunty?

Miss Antique—Oh, a dozen or more, child, but none of the gentlemen were good enough for me, Angelica.

Angelica—Why, aunty,—you must have traveled in very low society, indeed.—Ohio State Journal.

Perfectly Reckless.

Cobwigger—There is no telling what a man will do when he needs money.

Merritt—That's so. Look at all the fellows who get married.—Town Topics.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. Testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

An Alternative.

Muggsy—I ain't got no use fer goin' to work.

Liz—How do yer expect ter git along wit'out it?

Muggsy—I'm goin' inter politics.—Puck.

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Is removed by Hood's Sarsaparilla so completely that a radical and permanent cure is effected.

This statement is proved by thousands of voluntary testimonials. SILAS VERNOOY, Wawarsing, N. Y., writes: "When our daughter was two years old, she broke out all over her face and head with scrofula sores. Nothing we did for her seemed to do her any good, and we had become almost discouraged when we thought we would try Hood's Sarsaparilla. The first bottle helped her and when she had taken six the sores were all healed and her face was smooth. She has never shown any sign of the scrofula returning."

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cleanses the system of all humors inherited or acquired and makes rich, healthy blood.

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Revised Version.

Mr. Meeks—Take Job, for example; he was the most patient person that ever lived.

Mrs. Meeks—Pshaw! I don't believe it! Just think of the patience poor Mrs. Job must have had to put up with such a man!—Chicago Daily News.

His Other Name.

New Teacher—Next boy, what's your name?

Boy—William, ma'am.

"What is your other name?"

"Scrappy Bill."—Philadelphia Record.

A Fruitless Alliance.

"We wasted a lot of time on those Moozlers."

"Weren't they congenial friends?"

"Yes, but they weren't of any social advantage to us."—Chicago Record.

Botanically Accurate.

Editor—Here's a line in your poem about the "flowerets shooting into the air." Flowers do not shoot. They grow.

Poet—But, sir, they have pistils.—Baltimore American.

Hard Luck.

Mr. Timmid—I don't suppose it would be proper for me to kiss you on such short acquaintance?

Miss Innit—No, I suppose not; but isn't it too bad we haven't been acquainted longer?—Judge.

A Natural Inquiry.

Mrs. Hoon (looking up from her newspaper)—Here is an item about a convict who writes poetry in prison.

Mr. Hoon—H'm! Is that what he is in for?—Judge.

A Gift That Adhered.

"What a lovely fan, Clara."

"Isn't it sweet? I bought it for Julia on her birthday and liked it so well that I kept it myself."—Chicago Record.

Love.

Sentimental One—Love makes the world go round.

Growler—Yes; but it doesn't make the dollar go round by some 30 cents.—Syracuse Herald.

Different Points of View.

Bridegroom—Well, I've been married one month to-day.

Old Stager—You mean 30 days.—Town Topics.

Well Recommended.

Mistress—You say you are well recommended?

Maid—Indeed, ma'am; I have 39 excellent references.

Mistress—And you have been in domestic service?

Maid—Two years, ma'am.—Tit-Bits.

Only Law.

"By the way, judge, is there any law to make a woman tell her age?"

"Young man, the only law that can be brought into force in such case is the law of averages."—Indianapolis Press.

How Are Your Nerves?

If they are weak and you feel nervous and easily "flustrated," can't sleep and rise in the morning unrefreshed, your blood is poor. Strong nerves depend rich, nourishing blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the nerves strong by enriching and vitalizing the blood. It gives sweet, refreshing sleep and completely cures nervous troubles. Begin taking it today.

Nausea, indigestion are cured by Hood's Pills.

An Old Model.

The new minister had a decidedly slow delivery. "Mamma," exclaimed Beth after the service, "I wish they'd sent us a higher-geared speaker."—Judge.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from rectal fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest pile cure on earth and the best salve in the world. 25 cents a box. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co., druggists.

An Appeal.

Customer—But I can't eat that!

Waitress—Ah, sir, you can't tell what you can do till you try! The cook will be in terribly bad humor if I bring it back!—Brooklyn Life.

To the Deaf.

A rich lady, cured of her deafness in the head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear drums, gave $10,000 to his institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the ear drums may have them free. Address No. 5065, The Nicholson Institute, 780 Eighth avenue, New York, U. S. A. j127

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Boston Celery, 13c bunch, 2 for 25c.
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White Sponge Flour, $5.00 barrel.

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More Than He Could Stand.

"What's the matter with Griggs? I don't see him smoking any more."

"The last cigar he smoked did it."

"Why, I didn't think such a thing was possible."

"Well, you see, his wife bought it."—Yonkers Herald.

An Old Story.

Clara—I was proposed to last night—and by Charlie Islington.

Maud—That's too bad.

"Why is it?"

"Oh, I was in hopes that it was some man I didn't know."—Detroit Free Press.

Glorious News

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile of Washita, I. T. He writes "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved—that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by A. C. Mason & Co., druggists. Guaranteed.

Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2 65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit. The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save. If your druggist can't supply you, it will be forwarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

DAVID CITY, NEB., April 1, 1900.
Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.:

Gentlemen:—I must say in regard to GRAIN-O that there is nothing better or healthier. We have used it for years. My brother was a great coffee drinker. He was taken sick and the doctor said coffee was the cause of it and told us to use GRAIN-O. We got a package but did not like it at first, but now would not be without it. My brother has been well ever since we started to use it.

Yours truly, LILLIE SOCHOR.

Jell-O, the New Dessert,

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STATEMENT SEPT. 29, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$565,502 99
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 99
Interest Account		4,027 82
Real Estate Income Account		184 78
		$598,672 44

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$87,071 25
Bank Stock		27,758 32
Railroad Bonds		166,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,975 00
" " Mortgages		157,760 00
" " Personal Securities		174,269 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		522 22
Tax Account		591 73
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$3,028 14	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	1,304 95	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		4,417 25
Cash on hand		741 27
		$598,672 44

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

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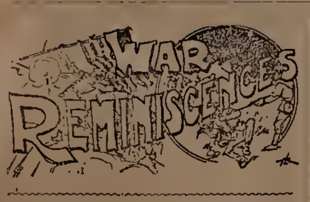
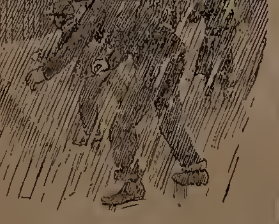


ESCAPED FROM PRISON.

A War Veteran's Story of Hard Times Getting Through the Confederate Lines.

"We all had been telling stories," said the major, relates the Chicago Inter Ocean, "except Tulley McKinney, of the Ninety-fourth Ohio. There were gathered about the breakfast table half a dozen men from the old home neighborhood who had served in as many different regiments. The ladies of the party had called out from each stories of army experience, all of which were interesting and many very exciting, but through all of the talk Tulley had said nothing, until one of the ladies asked him if he had come through the war unscathed. 'Yes,' he said, and then added in a hesitating way: 'I had my feet frozen, you know.' 'You did?' put in a young girl. 'Why, how did that happen, Mr. McKinney?' 'Well,' he said, 'after my escape from prison I was in the mountains about 40 days, and—well, the long and short of it is, I came out of the scrape with my feet frozen.'

"Having said this much, Tulley was silent again until one of the young ladies exclaimed: 'Mercy, Mr. McKinney, why don't you tell the story?' And after he had been badgered and questioned the story came out. 'I was captured at Chickamauga September 19, 1863,' he said. 'We were taken first to the Pemberton prison, near Libby, in Richmond, Va. On the 13th of November a train load of prisoners—say about 700—were transferred to Danville and quartered for the night in a tobacco warehouse near the river.



THE GUARDS WERE ONLY A FEW FEET FROM US.

"'We had not been well fed while in Richmond. Little food was given us the morning of the 13th, and none at all on the night of the 13th, and none on the 14th. We were two days without food and nearly starved. On Saturday, the 14th, a young man of company C, Thirtieth Indiana, offered to lead the prisoners in breaking through the gate. The men were desperate enough for anything, but I went to the man of the Thirtieth, who was not more than 20 years old, and urged him not to be rash, as there was a better way.

"'I took him into a stockaded or high-fenced inclosure leading down toward the river and showed him where it was possible to tear away some heavy boards and escape that way. That night there was a heavy rain and it was very dark. The guards were only a few feet from us as we went into the inclosure, but they had turned their capes up over their heads to protect them from the cold rain and were not very alert. My friend of the Thirtieth had a razor-blade knife, and, crouching in the dark near the fence, he cut and cut until a part of one of the heavy boards could be pushed outward.

"'After the board was ready to be broken off we both went back to the main floor of the prison, hoping that rations would be issued before taps. I told two or three of my friends about the scheme, and the Thirtieth Indiana man told several of his friends. There was to be no signal, no general movement, but the men were to slip out one by one quietly, and each was to act on his own responsibility. In five minutes I missed my friend and went hurriedly to the inclosure. I saw his coattail disappearing through the fence. Watching the guard until he turned his face away from the fence, I went through.

"'I came out in a cabbage patch, and my first movement was to tear off a head of cabbage and eat it. This was the first food I had had in 48 hours, and it was delicious. Then I made my way in the dark along the river bank, and when about 50 yards away I heard the sentinels call out: "Eight-thirty o'clock and all's well." I hid in the brush and on Sunday morning came across the orderly sergeant of company A, Nineteenth regulars, and the sergeant major of the Eighteenth regulars, Second battalion. They told me that 65 men had passed through the opening made by myself and the Thirtieth Indiana man.

"'The opening was not discovered until Sunday morning, when there was a great commotion in the prison, and forces were sent in every direction to recapture us. Twenty men who stopped in the night to cut loose a ferryboat to cross the Dan river were captured just before daylight Sunday morning. I was with them until I heard the roosters in a neighboring barn crow, when I left them. I advised them all [illegible], but they insisted that the only way of escape was to cross the river, and they were going to do it. Twenty minutes after I left they were all prisoners.

"'Another squad of 20 stopped the next day at the house of a man named Hoyt, who welcomed them and asked them to sit down to dinner. While they were eating the first cooked food they had had for three days the house was surrounded by confederates and they were recaptured. Of our own squad four laid in the brush all day Sunday. In the evening a young boy of 14, who was sick, went back and delivered himself up. The two regulars and myself kept together for five days, going, at my suggestion, across the mountains toward Charleston, W. Va.

"On the night of the fifth day out the regulars declared that they would not go any further in that direction, and insisted that we turn toward eastern Kentucky. I decided to keep on the West Virginia route, and we parted the next morning. The two regulars went their way, and within a few miles of the union lines in eastern Kentucky were recaptured and taken back in irons to Danville. I went on alone traveling by night in the mountains stopping in the cabins of colored people or in caves, or sleeping in the wildest and most inaccessible places. On Flat Top mountain I struck a union settlement. Before this my feet had been frozen, and I could hobble along with the greatest difficulty, and was all the time suffering with the keenest pain. I almost fell into the cabin of a negro just before reaching Flat Top. He and his wife took me in and doctored my feet.

"Then I was taken on a mule to the Flat Top settlement, where I stopped several days. Here I came in contact with a squad of confederate deserters, who were afraid to go into the union lines in the belief that they would be sent back to Richmond in exchange. This would, of course, place them in the hands of their own authorities. I slept with one or another of them each night and convinced them that this theory was wrong. In the end they went with me over the 99 miles of mountain road to Charleston, Va.

"There I was given transportation to Gallipolis, at the mouth of the Kenawha, and from there was sent down the river to Cincinnati.

After a rest I started for home, where I arrived the night before Christmas.

"Of all the 65 men who escaped from Danville that night only three reached the union lines. All the others were captured or shot.

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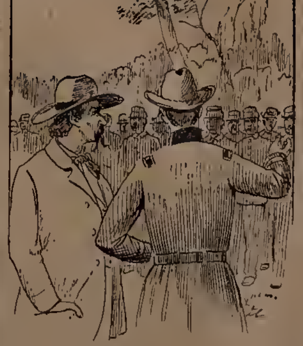
THEY GOT THE HONEY.

How Some Illinois Boys Got Away with the Sweet Plunder.

"Every man in our company had a weakness for honey," said M. J. Corkendorf, of company A, Fifty-fifth Illinois infantry, to a group of veterans at the Sherman house, according to the Chicago Tribune. "In fact," continued Mr. Corkendorf, "they loved honey to such an extent that they frequently risked their lives to procure it. We had moved down into Memphis from a position we had been holding on the outskirts of the town for several days, and on our way in we discovered a farmhouse owned by a southern gentleman who had little or no use for Lincoln's soldiers. This man was a bee fancier and had abundance of honey in his storehouse. When we learned this we went up and tried to purchase some of it. 'No, sah,' he declared, 'Lincoln's soldiers can't have any of my honey; no, sah!' Then he turned and walked away, leaving our boys standing in the road.

"Well, that night a raid was planned by the boys. They first drew lots to see who should compose the expedition. When four men had been chosen they laid their plans. First of all they were to black their faces, put on ragged clothes and then go to the farmhouse and get the honey. On their arrival they were met by a big bloodhound. A shot from one of the guns silenced the animal. Then the owner put in an appearance. He was seized and his gun taken away, placed in the center of his back, and then his hands tied behind him and over the gun. Then he was backed up to a tree and left there. The boys then got into the honey. To make matters safe they left a small kettle of it in front of Capt. Dave Stewart's tent. The next day the owner of the honey came into camp and declared that our company was nothing but a set of thieves.



COULDN'T IDENTIFY THE THIEVES.

"Capt. Stewart became very indignant and asked the man if he could identify the thieves. He replied that he could. Then the entire company had to run the 'gauntlet,' but as the men now wore blue uniforms and were not blacked up, he failed to identify them. When he left, Capt. Stewart said: 'Boys, don't let your fondness for honey get the better of you again.'"

Economy of Labor.

"Woman," he said, wearily, "has no idea of economy of labor. Of course she has a hard time in many ways, but it is largely her own fault. She likes to work."

"Why do you say that?" she demanded.

"Why, just by way of illustration, there's that curtain lecture you have given me every lodge night for over a year. Same old lecture delivered in the same old way, and still you fail to take advantage of modern inventions. Just think what a saving it would be if you used the phonograph!"—Chicago Post.

His "Sooveneer."

Pat was talking to a cigarmaker, who was saying that he supposed President McKinley had smoked some fine cigars he had made.

"Begorra," said Pat, "if yez had only known which one it was whin yez wure making it yez could have kept it as a sooveneer."—N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.

Would Improve with Age.

"Look here, sir!" exclaimed the maiden lady, "I want you to take back that parrot you sold me. I find it swears very badly."

"Well, madam," replied the dealer "it's a very young bird; it'll learn to swear more perfectly when it's a bit older." Philadelphia Press.

How Bashful Eddie Proposed.

Edgar—Miss Edith, I—ah—have something most important to ask you May I—that is—

Edith (softly)—What is it, Edgar?

Edgar—May I—Edith would you be willing to have our names printed in the papers with a hyphen between?—Tit-Bits.

Unlucky Number.

Wife (angrily)—I'm sorry I ever met you.

Husband (calmly)—I suppose you remember the circumstances of our meeting, do you not?

Wife—No, I don't.

Husband—Well, I do. It was at a dinner party—and there were 13 at table—Chicago Daily News.

Tragic Denouement.

Mrs. Wiseman—Seems to me you come home from the theater wearing a pretty long face.

Wiseman—Oh, well—sad play. Tragic ending.

Mrs Wiseman—Why, how did it end?

Wiseman (mournfully)—They married.—Tit-Bits.

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Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Edwin J. Pond to Metcalf E. Pond, dated June 26, A. D. 1891, and recorded in the registry of deeds for the county of Norfolk, libro 661, folio 25, will be sold at public auction, on the lot hereinafter described as the homestead, on

SATURDAY, the TENTH day of NOVEMBER, A. D. 1900,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and therein described as follows, namely All the right, title and interest of the said Edwin J. Pond in and to the following described pieces or parcels of land situated in said Franklin, viz

One piece of fifty acres, more or less, called the Hardin pasture, bounded easterly by Grove street, northerly by land of James P. Ray, southerly and westerly by land of said Ray and land of William Rockwood.

One piece of twenty-five acres, more or less, called "Old Plain," bounded westerly on the aforesaid street, northerly on Mine brook, and easterly by land of Davis Thayer, Jr., and southerly by Beaver street.

One piece of about eleven acres, called the Beaver Pond lot, bounded northwesterly by said Beaver street, easterly by land of said Davis Thayer, Jr., southerly by land of J. M. Whiting's heirs and westerly by said Grove street.

One piece of about twenty-three acres, called the Peterville lot, bounded northerly by land of William Rockwood and land of James Galvin, easterly by Mine brook and the mill pond and said Grove street, south and west by land of Susan K. Ray and the Forge Hill road.

One lot of about ten acres, called the Brown wood lot, bounded northerly and westerly by land of Leonard B. Brown, southerly by land of Wilton A. Pond and easterly by land of Calvin Fairbanks.

And one lot of about sixteen acres of wood and cranberry land, bounded northerly by land of James Kelley, easterly by land of Fisher Pond, southerly and westerly by land of A. H. Dodge and land of the heirs of Enoch Brown.

One lot of twenty-three acres, more or less, bounded northerly by land of Joseph Smith, easterly and northerly by Mine brook, and southerly by land of James P. Ray, and westerly by land of the town of Franklin.

One lot of eleven acres, more or less, called the Homestead, bounded northerly by land of F. B. Ray, easterly by land of Daniel Buckley, southerly by Central street and westerly by said Central street and land of Susan B. Ray.

Also one lot of about six acres, called the Aldis Meadow, bounded northerly and easterly by land of said Smith, southerly and westerly by land of D. P. Whiting, D. F. Adams, Seneca Adams and James P. Ray.

Terms made known at time and place of sale.

METCALF E. POND,
Mortgagee.

Franklin, Mass., Oct. 8, A. D. 1900. oc12,19,26

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Lewis F. Williams, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Edwin G. Williams of Taunton, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of November, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this tenth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

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What She Wanted to Know.

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"No 'taint," said Sis.

"Yes, it is," declared the young collegian.

"Then why don't it keep off the rain?" was the triumphant rejoinder.—Tit-Bits.

A New Domestic Arrangement.

"How do you folks manage with the family wash, Giddings? We haven't room in our flat to hang up a clothes line."

"Oh, we hang ours in the kitchen over night."

"But do the clothes dry?"

"Yes, my wife sits up all night and fans them."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Dear Little Woman.

He—I saw that farm that was advertised and I think I'll buy it.

She—Oh! Then we'll move away from the hateful city for good?

He—Yes. It's a fine place; 14 acres and a pond on it.

She—Won't that be nice? We can raise pond lilies and watermelons in it.—Philadelphia Press.

Strategy.

"That fellow Bumbleton is a deep one."

"What has he been doing?"

"Why, he got the new boarder into a brisk controversy with the landlady over the reasons for woman's mental inferiority, and under cover of it he sneaked a second piece of huckleberry pie."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Difference.

"Some newspapers," said the man who can always see philosophy through the bottom of a glass, "are read—"

"And others," interrupted the man who seems to grow more irritable as the number of rounds increases, "are merely yellow."—Puck.

Understood It.

Cowboy—What in creation was thet thar tenderfoot tryin' to corral?

Frontier Storekeeper—He wanted to buy a nightshirt.

Cowboy—Oh, I see! He's got an invite to the dance at Brandem ranch, I s'pose, an' wants ter go in style.—N. Y. Weekly.

Indeed He Did.

"Work!" scornfully echoed the woman at the kitchen door, to whom he had been relating the hardships of his checkered experience. "Work! You don't know what work is!"

"You bet I do, ma'am," said Tuffold Knutt. "That's w'y I giner'ly avoid it."—Chicago Tribune.

A Life and Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost me $5.00 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and say it never fails to cure throat, chest and lung troubles." Regular size 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at A. C. Mason's drug store

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BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 48, 4 13, 5 15, 6 01, 7 13 7 30, 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.58 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 25, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m. S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m, f12 50, 6 05 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m, f12 59, 5 29, 6 14, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

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WRENTHAM.

A woman has been discovered who has been ill for several days at the old Whiting place while her husband was away seeking work.——Daniel Brown left Monday for his annual Maine shooting.——The I. O. O. F. hall is to be lighted by a new system of gas.——An auction will be held at Mrs. L. W. Jenney's house at 1.30 next Wednesday and at Mrs. Benj Taylor's on Thursday at 2 o'clock. Bargains at both.

Conceded.

"'Mandy," said her elderly relative "that young Spoonamore hasn't a cent to his name. You would be simply crazy to marry him!"

"I am, auntie," replied Miss 'Mandy.—Chicago Tribune.

Hard Hit.

Tess—Yes, she refused him, but it almost broke her heart.

Jess—Really?

Tess—Yes, when she discoverd that it hadn't broke his.—Philadelphia Press.

He Knew the Girl.

The Father—You two had better have a quiet wedding.

The Lovers—Why?

The Father—There'll be noise enough and to spare after you're married.—Tit-Bits.

The Color Was Red.

Towne—D'Auber claims he is an impressionist; that he paints what he sees.

Browne—Ah! that's what he meant, then, when he said he was going out to see the town.—Philadelphia Press.

Read the Business Announcements.

Father's Essay Writing.

Teacher—I am sorry to say, Henry, but your composition is not worthy of you. The rhetoric is faulty, the logic weak, the statements are based upon misinformation, and the style is lamentably crude.

Henry—My! Won't my dad be mad when I tell him that?

Teacher—But you can tell him you did your very best.

Henry—Did my best nothing. Dad wrote the whole of it himself.—Boston Transcript.

No Proof.

Policeman—Here, your honor, are the tools I found on the prisoner—a jimmy, a center-bit, a dark lantern, and a piece of lead pipe, wrapped in paper to look like a bundle of clothes.

Prisoner—Your honor, you will not let an innocent man be convicted on such flimsy evidence as that, I hope? The articles he speaks of are nothing but my bicycle lantern and repair kit.—N. Y. World.

Getting On.

"Yes, the Muckleseers are coming up fast in society."

"I haven't heard anything about their daughter marrying a nobleman and they don't seem to be entertaining any very prominent people."

"That's all true enough, but they've begun to call their summer cottage a bungalow."—Chicago Times-Herald.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending October 10, 1900.

Ladies—Mrs. Brydone Spencer, Mrs. Jennie Richardson, Miss K. M. Neil, Mrs. Elric Clark.

Gentlemen—Timothy Ticklepitcher, Jeremiah Knockumstiff, Alfred Krnaa, F. W. Murphy, W. A. Sunfield, Mr. or Mrs. Orral.

Foreign—Emile Carpentier.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Headache

Biliousness, sour stomach, constipation and all liver ills are cured by

Hood's Pills

The non-irritating cathartic. Price 25 cents at all druggists or by mail of C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

SLEEPING-ROOM OUTFIT ON EASY TERMS:

This comprises an elegant selected Chamber Set in golden oak finish, 2 Chairs, Rocker and Table to match, Woven Wire Spring, 1 pair Pillows, a good Mattress and Decorated Dresden Toilet Set.

ALL FOR $38.00.

TERMS—$5.00 or $10.00 down, $1.00 each week.

Where will you go to get credit? Don't go at all. COME—your credit is good right here.

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☞ Free Delivery at your home the hour you name.

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Our special exhibit of FALL MILLINERY is now on display.

It includes elegant trimmed effects in Toques and Hats, representing the very latest ideas, as well as a carefully selected stock of Millinery Novelties.

You are very cordially invited to call and inspect this fine line of Autumn Millinery.

Marston Sanborn,

POST OFFICE BLOCK.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, Ph. D.; Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00. Evening service at 7; address by Mrs. Ida Vose Woodbury of Boston.

Baptist church.—At 10.30 preaching by Rev. W. F. Allton. At 7 preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper; theme, "The Hope of Glory." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "The Religion of Manliness." Vesper service at 5; first of a series of vesper talks on "Religious Movements of the Nineteenth Century;" special topic, "A Hundred Years Ago." Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 and 7.00 by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook; morning subject, "The Higher Christian Life; special subject, "The Obligation and Privilege of Scriptural Holiness;" evening subject, "The Royal Banqueting House." Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 3. Epworth league at 6.00, led by F. W. Willard.

Evidence of Love.

"What makes you think he is in love with her?"

"Why, he actually smiles while sampling specimens of her cooking."—Chicago Post.

Yarmouth Line's Fall Excursions.

Not to have visited Nova Scotia during September is to have missed one of the most delightful of autumnal tours. During this month the Yarmouth Steamship company will sell excursion tickets, good for thirty days from date of purchase, to all points in Nova Scotia at unusually low rates. You may go to Yarmouth and return for only $8; to Digby and return for $6.75; to Halifax and return for $8.50; and correspondingly low rates to all other places, including south shore ports reached by the steamer City of Monticello from Yarmouth. Yarmouth line steamers leave Pier 1, Lewis wharf, every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 2 p. m. for Yarmouth. Full particulars and tickets at the tourist agencies, 201, 298 and 332 Washington street, or of H. F. Hammond, agent Yarmouth Steamship company, Pier 1, Lewis wharf, Boston.

You have read of the cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla and you should have perfect confidence in its merit. It will do you good.

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WEDNESDAY, OCT. 17th,

Direct from its great success at Park Theatre, Boston.

NEIL BURGESS

HIMSELF in the

COUNTY FAIR.

Price—25, 50, 75c, and $1.00.
Seats on sale Oct. 15

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Now is the time for FLOWER POTS and JARDINIERES, all sizes for a little money.

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NOTICE TO VOTERS.

The Registrars of Voters will be in session for the purpose of correcting and adding new names to the voting list at the Town Officers' room, in Franklin, on

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 10, from 7 to 9 P. M.
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 17, from 7 to 9 P. M.
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 24, from 7 to 9 P. M.
SATURDAY, OCT. 27, from 12 M. to 10 P. M.

Registration for the Presidential election will close on SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 27, at 10 o'clock, after which time no new names can be added to the voting list.

BRADLEY M. ROCKWOOD,
JAMES W. DESMOND,
MICHAEL J. COSTELLO,
ORESTES T. DOE,
Registrars of Voters.

Franklin, Mass., Sept. 24, 1900. oc2 to oc26

UP IN SMOKE

There are many financial schemes that send your money "up in smoke."

The money you invest in

OUR CIGARS

Also goes "up in smoke"—with a difference—

YOU GET YOUR MONEY'S WORTH!

I carry a carefully selected stock of the Best Known Brands of

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A Napkin Treat.

MEDIUM SIZE, FULL SELVAGE, **$1.00** PER DOZEN.

The best lot we have ever offered.

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No more when they are sold.

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Choice, not Cheap, Goods Our Specialty.

All of Kennedy's Famous Crackers and Cookies in 5 and 10c. packages for luncheon or picnic. See our list.

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Now is the time to lay in your Winter stock, as the

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CARS LEAVE Franklin for Medway, Millis, Medfield, Westwood and Dedham at 7 a. m. and every hour until 10.30 p. m. RETURN, leave Dedham at 6 a. m. and every hour until 9.30 p. m. Last car Franklin to Westwood 11 p. m.

SUNDAYS—First car one hour later in morning; last car one hour earlier in evening, each way.

Cars connect at Medway with cars for Milford and So. Framingham. Cars connect at Dedham for Norwood, Walpole, Forest Hills, Hyde Park and Boston.

Time table subject to change without notice.

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ALL THE NEW STYLES AND LATEST SHADES.

We have the largest line of Soft and Stiff Hats to be found in Franklin.

$2.00 - The New Beacon - $2.00

Our leader in a $2 Stiff Hat.

Three different shapes. Two colors Black and Brown. ☞ See this Hat before buying your new fall Hat.

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All the new styles in Crush and Flange Shapes.

Men's Crush Hats, the latest style and colors at 50 and 75c.

Men's Flange Hats, new styles and colors at $1, $1.50 and $2.

Boy's and Children's Hats at 50c, 75c and $1.

Men's Golf Caps, new colors, at 25c and 50c.

Boy's Golf Caps, new colors, at 25c and 50c

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Your Wife is a Jewel

and her home is the setting. It is your duty to make this setting as beautiful as possible. Elaborateness doesn't necessarily mean beauty. Some of the prettiest Furniture in our store is the least expensive. Look around at home and then look around here, and you'll find means to brighten up the house wonderfully.

A small payment at time order is given and a little every week will pay for all your Furniture needs.

CHAMBER OUTFIT.

Suit complete, including Mattress, Springs and Toilet Set, $26.50
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KITCHEN OUTFIT.

Complete with Range, Table, Chairs, Oil Cloth, small ware, $35.00
$3.50 down, $1.00 a week.

The Weeks Furniture Co.,

48 NORTH MAIN ST.,
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☞ Store open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next-of-kin and all others interested in the estate of Abigail D. Dean, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Henry A. Talbot, the administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented to said court for allowance the first and final account of his administration on said estate, and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the widow and next-of-kin of said deceased,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the 24th day of October, A.D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register

oc5,12,19

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Simeon A. Pickering, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Mary S. Pickering of Bellingham without giving a surety on her bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-fourth day of October, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this fourth day of October, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

oc5,12,19

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next-of-kin and all others interested in the estate of Chloe P. Dean, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Henry A. Talbot, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court for allowance the first and final account of his administration on said estate, and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the next-of-kin of said deceased,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-fourth day of October, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this third day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register

oc5,12,19

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of Erasmus A. Pond, late of Rutland, in the state of Vermont, deceased:

Whereas, Metcalf E. Pond, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of nine certain parcels of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration and for other reasons set forth in said petition,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of November, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this tenth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

oc12,19,26

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Felix Auclaire, late of Bellingham, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond and appointing Jules Berard of Blackstone, county of Worcester, state of Massachusetts, his agent, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber.

PIERRE CHAPDELAINE.
618 Social street, Woonsocket, R. I.

September 28, 1900. se28,oc5,12

If you want to buy or sell anything, have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

Hattie M Fisher 1Jan01

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6.0) till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m. and every hour till 10.30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

B. W. McCabe left on a business trip to New York last evening.

Lawrence guild will meet at the rectory tonight at 7 o'clock.

George P. Mason and wife were visitors in town over Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Ray is a student at the Walnut Hill school in Natick.

C. H. Partridge of Woonsocket visited at the parental home here Sunday.

Mrs. E. D. Daniels is in Philadelphia on account of the sickness of her mother.

The Medway and Franklin authorities will perambulate the town lines tomorrow.

James O. Chilson is out again after a couple of weeks in the house with sickness.

Alfred Clark, Jr., has gone on a business trip to Vermont and New Hampshire.

James E. Razee took the household effects of Edwin I. Morrill to Westboro Monday.

Roadmaster H.R. Noyes and wife leave tomorrow for a ten-days' vacation in New York state.

Miss Maude Ray is entertaining Miss Comstock, a former schoolmate of hers from the West.

Supt. E. D. Daniels will give two addresses on educational subjects at Hingham next Friday.

Master Bridgebuilder L. H. Porter is enjoying a vacation from official duties for a week or two.

The Jolly club is arranging for a ball, to be held at the Opera house on Wednesday evening, Nov. 28.

The Dean football eleven are scheduled to play the Friends' school team of Providence here on Saturday.

Miss Anne Campbell has returned from Nova Scotia and will board at Mrs. Jacob Quilter's, Union street.

The Democratic Bryan and Stevenson club is now comfortably quartered in rooms over Peck & Field's store.

Have you been to the Boston fair yet? Don't put it off too long. There are many attractions and fine music.

Meeting of the Ladies' Social circle of the Universalist church next Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Blake of South Framingham were guests at the Blake homestead on Maple street Sunday.

It is expected that the improvements in the Opera house will be commenced this week and will be of decided advantage.

Another rainy Sunday kept people indoors to a great extent and made a material difference in the street car receipts.

A meeting of the parishioners of St. John's mission will be held at the rectory on Crescent street tomorrow evening at 7.30.

The present week will complete the work of improvement in the town cemetery for the present season. About $600 has been expended.

The American Woolen company has placed an order with the Crompton-Knowles loom works at Worcester for 200 broad looms.

Dr. J. C. Gallison and wife have gone to Maine. The doctor was called on business and his wife will visit her mother, who is seriously ill.

The funeral of Mrs. Jeremiah Doherty was held on Saturday morning at 8.30 o'clock, a requiem mass being celebrated in St. Mary's chapel.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregationalist church have forwarded a barrel of clothing to the Rev. W. E. Rugby, Jellico, Tenn.

Edwin I. Morrill, formerly employed as bleacher at the Stewart straw goods factory, is moving to Westboro, where he has secured a situation.

Mr. Charles Williams, who gave readings here last season and proved very interesting, will give an evening's programme early next month.

Mrs. Ella M. Keith spoke of the railroad men at the Methodist church on Sunday evening, holding the close attention of a good sized audience.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nimo Russell left on Saturday for California, where they will spend the winter. They stop at a number of places en route.

The New England Telegraph and Telephone company has established a telephone pay station at the grocery store of McCabe & Cody on Union street.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Saunders of Plymouth, Miss A. A. Robinson of Raynham and F. Thompson of Colorado are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lesure.

Division 8, A. O. H., will be the guests of their brother Hibernians in Milford at a smoke talk next Friday evening. The trip will be made in a special trolley.

Charles L. Stewart is enjoying the banquet and meeting of the Mass. C. E. union, held at the Parker House, New Bedford, today. He goes as the president of the Norfolk union.

Waldo C. Everett, a graduate of Emerson college of oratory, '00, and who is now studying at Harvard college, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Everett, on the Mount.

Percy Elkerton, son of Charles Elkerton of Cottage street, arrived in town last week from San Francisco, Cal., where he has been for some time. He will engage in the bakery business with his father.

L. C. Fletcher, who lives at No. 3 Thayer street, discovered a polecat in his cellar Sunday night, having been caught in a rat trap which Mr. Fletcher had recently set. The skunk was laid low with the aid of a club.

There was a goodly number at the Methodist church last evening to enjoy the illustrated lecture on "The Passion Play" by Mrs. Ella M. Keith. The views and subject matter proved both entertaining and instructive.

Mrs. Ida Vose Woodbury, representing the American Missionary association, spoke on Sunday evening in the First church. She presented in a most interesting manner the life of the mountain whites and the work among them.

There will be important changes in the W., A. & M. street railway, commencing next Monday. Cars for Wrentham will run only every hour and a half, instead of every half hour. We shall publish Friday and thereafter a complete schedule of the running time.

Capt. J. B. Crocker was in town from Bangor, Me., on Saturday, where he has been superintending repairs to his vessel, the Charles L. Davenport, which was partially burned last summer. The captain left Sunday night for Philadelphia and will sail from that city on Wednesday for Martinique with a cargo of coal.

A. M. Thayer does not desire to appropriate honors not belonging to him, so he requests us to say that others are interested in the gift to the Masonic lodge, W. H. Sweatt, H. T. Hayward and a gentleman who does not care to have his name known. We are pleased to give these gentlemen the credit which is clearly their due.

One of the most significant campaign stories "going" is the following: "An Irishman, when asked why it was that he intended to vote this fall for Bryan, made this reply: 'Four years ago they told me to vote for Bryan and we would have good times. I voted for him, and sure we did have good times, and now its time to vote for him again.' "

This week the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket cars will run onto Main street, as far as Music hall, at least, and very likely to the Town hall in Milford. This arrangement will be a great convenience to patrons of the road, who have been compelled to walk from the corner of South Main street, and it will also prove beneficial to merchants and the company.

Instead of the regular Monday evening lecture, Mr. Daniels invited the Franklin teachers to go with him to Medway to visit Mr. Mason's collection of curios and antiques. Mr. Mason is the possessor of many valuable historical documents, and he was most entertaining in his explanation of them. The teachers are indebted to Mr. Daniels for a most delightful and unique evening.

The next meeting of the mothers' section will be held on Saturday from 2 till 5 at Elm farm This is to be children's afternoon, and it is hoped all members and their children will accept Mrs. Ray's hospitable invitation to meet with her. All interested are promising themselves a rare treat. If it is pleasant a large car will leave the switch here at 1.45; if not, two closed cars will run.

The case of Charles A. McGinnis and Theodore Whorle, proprietors of the Hotel Gladstone at Medway, who have been complained against as maintaining a liquor nuisance, which was to have been heard in the district court Saturday, was continued to next Thursday. The complaint alleges a violation of the terms of the license and was made by one of Henry Faxon's law and order detectives of Quincy.

The following notice was sent in by the reporter too late for last Friday's issue: "In his lecture Monday evening at the Horace Mann building the Rev. S. A. Cook took his audience with him through many of the places of historic interest in "That Isle Which is in Itself a World," closing with contrasting descriptions of Westminster abbey and the Bank of England. The trip was greatly appreciated by his hearers."

A goodly number of the housekeepers and home-makers were in attendance at the M. E. church on Monday to listen to a very interesting food lecture given by Mrs. Ella M. Keith of Worcester. Mrs. Keith held the closest attention of her audience while she prepared and served ten dishes free She used the shredded wheat biscuits largely in her work, and surprised all by her delicious and palatable combinations. Mrs. Keith is a fluent and enthusiastic speaker.

At the meeting of the Y. M. C. A., held last evening there was a large number out and much enthusiasm. J. R. Barber was appointed a committee to select a building, and the following delegates to the Fall River convention were appointed. President E. D. Daniels and Secretary C. L. Stewart, ex officio, H. R. Thayer, R. J. Calkin, W. F. Ray, W. S. Richardson and Rev. I. W. Sneath. Matters look very encouraging and subscriptions and names are coming in very satisfactorily.

The passenger train in charge of Conductor Pond was stopped on Saturday morning to pick up a man found lying beside the track this side of Milford. He was in an unconscious condition and suffering from injuries about the chest and feet, having evidently been struck by a train during the night and thrown to one side. The man was later identified as Michael Casey, single, aged 35, of Milford. He was taken to the Massachusetts General hospital in Boston, where his foot was amputated.

Saturday forenoon a telephone wire on Main street crossed with the trolley line and was burned off, falling with a display of fireworks across the buggy and just back of the dashboard of a sewing machine man who was driving along the street. He pulled up and the spectators yelled to him not to touch the wire, and he took the advice and sat waiting for a few moments. Then he took up with other advice and drove slowly ahead while the wire slid through the carriage and over the wheels until the broken end was reached, and the excitement was over.

Master Robert E. Thayer has recently imported through W. C. Harris of Boston a trio of Belgian hares that represent the finest strains in England. At the head of this trio is "Duke," a son of "Sunrise," winner of the gold cup at Crystal Palace last year. The does are "Lady Priory" and "Princess Dottie," the former sired by "Prince Priory" out of "Pearl," and the latter by "Lord Brittain" out of "Ina." Both does are soon to kindle, having been recently bred to "Dashaway" and "London Prince" respectively. See advertisement on this page.

A number from here are planning to attend the thirty-fourth annual state convention of the Young Men's Christian associations of Massachusetts and Rhode Island to be held at Fall River October 25 to 28. Day sessions will be held in First Baptist church, opposite Association building. Evening sessions will be held in the Central Congregational church, Rock street, corner Franklin. Most interesting sessions have been arranged which will surely result in great profit. Among some of the "big men" who will speak are Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, the famous preacher and author of "In His Steps;" Evangelists F. F. Davidson of Boston and L. B. Greenwood; Secretary Walter L. Douglas of Philadelphia and Secretary T. S. McPheeters of St. Louis, Mo.

The Norfolk County Temperance union will hold its autumn meeting at the First Baptist church, Bellingham, on Thursday, commencing at 10 a. m. The morning exercises will include devotional services, reading of records and business meeting, reports of temperance work from those in attendance, address by Rev. D. T. Magill of Milford and probably Rev. J. F. Packard of East Dedham. Recess will be taken at 12 noon, when there will be a basket collation. The afternoon exercises will be as follows: Praise service, business meeting, additional reports not given at morning session, address by Rev. F. B. Sleeper on "God's Great Victory of the Ages," open parliament, address by C. D. Albro, A. M., M. D., of Milford, children's meeting.

An Interesting Convention.

Twenty-four delegates met here last Friday afternoon, representing the six towns in this representative district, to select the two gentlemen who were to look after the district's interest the coming year in the great and general court.

The convention was called to order by G. F. Williams of Foxboro, and Rev. I. W. Sneath of Franklin was selected as secretary. They served the convention throughout. Nominating speeches were called for in the alphabetical order of the towns. Bellingham presented no name. Foxboro presented the name of its honored son, Albion F. Bemis, the straw manufacturer. The speech was made by B. F. Boyden in eloquent words, stating why the delegates present should support Foxboro in this crisis He referred to her losses by fire, and the fact that Foxboro had matters of importance coming up relating to the town. He said if expressions of sympathy meant anything here was an opportunity to show it.

Medway's candidate, George W. Bullard, was presented by C. H. Deans, Esq., of that town, who claimed that it was Medway's turn to present a candidate, while he did not deny the justice of Foxboro's claim. Nathan A. Fales of Norfolk presented the name of Silas E Fales, a man who was entitled to the position, and one who would honor it as well. The claims of Wrentham's candidate, William F. Maintien, were ably presented by E. J. Whitaker, Esq., who considered that Wrentham could by right receive the coveted honor and its candidate was a worthy one.

The balloting begun, the first one developing 27 votes, with only twenty four delegates. These were thrown out, and the voting continued with two names upon the ballot. Fales had 13, Bemis 13, Bullard 10 and Maintien 8, upon the informal ballot. Here was Foxboro's and Norfolk's opportunity to win out by making the vote formal, but the golden opportunity was allowed to pass by, and Norfolk lost as a result. Names were brought in singly again, and no choice Again, and Bullard won, with 13 votes. The next ballot selected Bemis, and the work of the convention was over. Other routine work was then completed and the convention adjourned. The following is the list of delegates:

Franklin—George E. Emerson, Rev. Dr. I. W. Sneath, Dr. G. A. Martin, W. A. Fairfield, James Onslow, D. W. Corson.

Foxboro—George F. Williams, B. F. Boyden, J. A. Morse, Fred S Lane.

Medway—E. S. Woodman, C. H. Deans, S. H. Clark, F. C. Clark, O. T. Mason

Wrentham—W. C. Averill, H. F. Keeney, Fred E. Gilmore, E J. Whitaker.

Bellingham—H. A. Whitney, E. B. Stowe, A. E. Bullard.

Norfolk—Lyman E Ware, Walter H. Fales.

Come and Hear.

On Thursday evening of this week Miss Edith Linwood Winn, the violin teacher at Dean academy, will give a lecture recital at the academy chapel; subject, "The Great Violin Schools." Admission is free and all who are interested are cordially invited.

As this is a subject which is interesting a good many just at present something enjoyable and valuable is assured. Miss Winn is an attractive speaker and has given the subject a good deal of study. She should be greeted by a generous audience.

Democratic Representative Convention.

The tenth Norfolk Democratic representative convention was held Saturday evening at the Democratic headquarters on Central square and placed in nomination Dr. Charles A. Bemis of Medway and Lawrence J. Kelly of Franklin for representatives to the general court. John F. Reardon of Medway was chairman and John A. O'Sullivan of Franklin secretary of the convention. The district committee for the ensuing is John F. Reardon, chairman, D. F. O'Sullivan and the chairman from each town committee in the district.

The convention voted to change the delegations to representative conventions so as to allow one delegate at large and one for every fifty voters in each town in the district.

Ladies.

Don't fail to hear Mrs. Dr. Solomon on Thursday evening at the Opera house. See adv.

Auction at Mrs. H. M. Bullock's on Friday at 12.30, with some fine bargains in household goods.

Thy Crown.

Rev. Dr. Sneath addressed his audience on Sunday morning upon the words in Rev. 3: 11, "Hold fast that which thou hast, that no one take thy crown." Some of the thoughts to which he gave expression is found in the following words: Christ said to the church in Philadelphia, "I have set before thee an open door, and no man can shut it—hold that fast which thou hast, that no one take thy crown" The "open door" is the symbol of opportunity for service. This open door stands before every Christian for service; in the wide world, through missionary endeavor, in our own land and especially in our own town. The open door of opportunity is very wide in this beautiful town. There is not one person in Franklin in which you and I ought not to be interested. The door which Christ has opened no one can shut. The opportunity for service is ours. But if we refuse it another may enter in and take our crown. The crown of the Christian is of a two fold nature. It is a crown of service and a crown of reward. As a crown of service it has in it the gems of privilege, of influence and of talent. All talent, whether in music, in speaking, in teaching, is not to be used simply for self, much less for self glorification, and still less for the entertainment of others; but to help and bless mankind. As a crown of reward it contains the gems of gratitude, of satisfaction and of divine approval. It is a delight to hear men like Rev. William M. Thayer and Mr. William F. Ray spoken of with grateful recognition of their services. They entered the open door of service and their crowns have the setting of gratitude in them. But too many stand before the open door of opportunity, and, attracted by other influences, refuse to enter. Others enter and take their crowns.

God has clearly placed before the Christian people of Franklin an open door in the organization of the Young Men's Christian association. It is a movement for young men. It is sure to succeed. The young men are enthusiastic over it. Men from Franklin and elsewhere are supporting it. It is your open door for opportunity for service for the young men of this town If you do not enter it, others will. Will you wear the crown of service for the young men and inherit the crown of gratitude from them?

The Sunday evening service is also an open door. It is an opportunity for service on the part of Christians to those who are not. Twelve or more places are open on Sunday evening for other purposes, but only three churches. The Sunday evening church service can be made so attractive, not as an entertainment, but as a place of worship and instruction, that people will want to come to it. But it will require sacrifice? Yes. The crown-wearer must bear the cross. It costs sacrifice in business, in politics—yea, everywhere, to achieve success. It cost one hundred ladies some sacrifice on last Monday evening to be present at the Alden club, going there through the rain. If one-fourth that number loyally sustain the Sunday evening service it will succeed. The most beautiful conditions are the result of sacrifice. The fine ceiling effect of this audience room is due to the crosses everywhere present. Franklin, so beautiful physically, can be made equally beautiful spiritually if everywhere in it the crosses are visible in the lives of sacrificing Christians.

An October Gathering.

Everyone is invited to the fall session of the Mendon conference, to be held at the Congregational church tomorrow. With pleasant weather a large audience will have helpful and spiritual food indeed.

MORNING.

9.30 Devotional Service,
Led by Rev. Robert W Drawbridge, Medway.
10.00 Organization and Business.
10.20 Address, Rev. Eddy T. Pills, Somerville, "The Church and the Children."
10.55 Address, Rev. Wilson S. Fritch, Attleboro, "The Instruction of Adults for Church Membership."
11.30 Discussion of Both Themes.
12.00 Social Hour and Collation.

AFTERNOON.

1.30 Prayer and Praise Service,
Led by Rev. H. F. Swartz, Mansfield.
2.00 Unfinished Business.
2.15 Woman's Board of Missions,
Address by Mrs. W. O. Ballantine, Rahari, India.
2.55 Offering.
3.00 Sermon, Rev. Chas. H. Beale, D.D., Boston.
3.45 Observance of the Lord's Supper,
4.30 Adjournment.

The First Gun.

The Democratic campaign club has arranged for a rally at Music hall on next Thursday evening, when Judge Putnam of Uxbridge and William H. Baker, Democratic candidate for congress in the eleventh district, will deliver addresses. Other speakers will also be present. The American band has been engaged for the occasion.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse.

Two chairs at Ochee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser in attendance. Short waits.

OCTOBER 17.

" 'It was a little way she had.'
O, the little ways!
The dear, odd little ways of those we love!
Shall we find these when meeting up above?
O, the little ways
We speak of softly, tenderly,
With laughing lips and brimming eye!
O, the little ways!—
The sweet originalities;
The unreasoning antipathies;
The lifelong fads love smiled upon;
Phrases, expressions, theirs alone;
The faults that tried, that gave us pain.
And now 'twere heaven to bear again!
The little gestures—O, my heart!—
The graces innocent of art;
The blessed little weaknesses
We bathe in floods of tenderness!—
O, the little ways,
The little ways so treasured up of love!
Shall we find these when meeting up above?"

Dean Academy 28, Pomfret School 0.

The Dean football team went to Pomfret, Conn., Saturday, and defeated the Preparatory school team of that place in a very fast game. Dean showed to good advantage in offensive play, the interference for end runs being very effective and the line men opened big holes for the backs to plunge through. They also ran in punts with great success, twice running back Pomfret's kick offs the whole length of the field for touch downs.

Pomfret resorted to punting nearly every time they got the ball. When they did try to gain by running with the ball their interference was slow in starting and was generally poor, and the Dean ends usually got through it and "nailed" the runner for a loss. Pomfret's team had some good individual players but their team work was weak, while Dean played a strong team game and there was no fumbling behind Dean's line. Pulsifer made three of the touchdowns and never failed to gain his distance when given the ball. Patch and Ball did some clever running and Thompson played a good game. Forbes did the punting and out-kicked his opponent. Pomfret never had possession of the ball in Dean's territory and so had no chance to score.

The lineup was as follows:

DEAN.	Positions.	POMFRET.
Ball	l. e.	Hasbrouck
Mitchell	l. t.	Hitchcock
Woodward	l. g.	Dixon
Echols	c.	Jones
Burroughs	r. g.	Egbert
Stone	r. t.	Montgomery
Thompson, (capt.)	r. e.	Merrell
Phipps	quarter.	Wagstaff
Pulsifer	l. h. b.	Johnson
Patch	r. h. b.	Towle
Forbes	f. b.	Higbee

Score, Dean 28. Touchdowns, Pulsifer 3, Ball, Thompson. Goals from touchdowns, Forbes 3. Umpire, Kimball. Referee, Nowell. Linesmen, Burdakin and Martin. Timer, Smith. Time, 15 and 10 minute halves.

Some time ago a law went into effect which will strike most people as being a rather curious one. The law states that smokestacks and chimneys must not send into the air a dense, gray smoke for two minutes at a time continuously, and violation means a fine of not less than $10 or more than $100

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

To Rent.—A desirable tenement of six rooms; $12 per month. Inquire of O. T. Doe. 14-tf

To Let.—Cottage house on Union street; newly painted and papered. Apply to A. Farrington. 16,19,23

A competent girl can obtain a good situation doing housework by addressing "E," SENTINEL office. 28

Frank O. Dudley, formerly with R G Irwin, will do bicycle repairing at the corner of Central and Union streets. 9-8t*

To Let.—Five rooms with stable, formerly occupied by Sabin Hubbard, Central street, near Union; call at house. 2,9,16

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

Mileage books to let. Trip tickets to Boston and Providence. Single tickets to Walpole 20c. A few 5-trip tickets to Boston for $2 60 All at a saving from the regular fare. Chas. H. Prince at the SENTINEL Office.

Orders now be taken for high-class Belgian hares sired by the celebrated "Lord Britain" and "Champion Dash" strains; prices, $10 per trio. "Duke Cayenne" at service, fee $5. The father of this buck is "Sunrise," winner of the gold cup at Crystal Palace last year and twice purchased for $3,000 by the Elmwood Rabbitory of Buffalo, N. Y. Any further information can be obtained by addressing Robert E. Thayer, Franklin.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

These are fish days. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fishman.

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Business and Professional Cards, to occupy one-half inch space, once a week, $5.00 per year; twice a week, $7.50 per year.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1900

Subtleness of Rheumatism

It has been known for many years that the most fertile cause of heart disease is rheumatism. Only recently has it been realized, however, that many cases of rheumatism which give rise to heart complications really run so mild a course that they are not suspected of being serious and are neglected. This, says a medical authority, is especially true in cases which attack the very young. In children rheumatism often masquerades under the name of "growing pains." In infants it often fails completely of recognition. It has become the custom to a lamentable degree to give for it the coal-tar derivatives, the various antipyretic drugs, anti-pyrine, phenacetine and the like, besides various derivatives of salicylic acid. These drugs alleviate the rheumatic pain by benumbing the nerves; they also lessen fever. The result of their use is that patients are enabled to move about much sooner than they otherwise would, and this throws extra work on the heart, and leads to post rheumatic heart complications which may cripple the organ for life. The recent increase in the number of refusals of risks by life insurance companies is thought to be due to this cause. Doctors from many parts of the world deprecate the present excessive use of these drugs. Pain is nature's demand for rest. To allay it without reaching its cause is to drug the sentinel who watches over the citadel of health because his footsteps disturb our sleep.

A Century of Migration.

In counting up the totals of European migration during the century, the New York Sun finds that the movement is the greatest of the kind recorded in history. In the first 20 years of the century only 25[illegible] Europeans came to this country, but between 18[illegible] and 1822 more than 17[illegible] migrated to the Americas. In the last-named year alone the United States received [illegible]00 immigrants. Since 1882 the European outpouring to various parts of the world has been over 12,[illegible]0 souls. Trustworthy data indicate that during the century Europe has been drained of 30,000,[illegible] persons seeking to better their fortunes in other lands. This number is equal to three-fifths of the total population of Europe at the time of Augustus Caesar. It represents a third more people than Great Britain and Ireland gained in the first [illegible] years of the century. It is greater than the total number of inhabitants of the United Kingdom in 1[illegible], and only a little less than the total population of the United States in the same year. Yet the tremendous loss seems to have strengthened Europe rather than weakened it. This unprecedented migration seems to have been a healthy expansion movement on the part of the civilized races. Probably this remarkable phase of history will never be repeated, for there remain no more such vast and fertile wildernesses in the temperate zone as the United States was at the beginning of the century.

Three years ago congress passed a law forbidding the importation into this country of any tea of a grade lower than good, and imposing a duty of ten cents on every pound of tea brought into our ports. Owing to this law it is impossible for the American people to get anything but good tea to drink.

A sweet-singing poetess of Kansas City is named Hazel Lesueur Pigg. It will now be in order for some rude paragrapher to make witty allusion to the productions of her pen.

The women of Chicago all took off their hats in church last Sunday so the Lord could rain down blessings upon their dear heads without danger of spoiling their millinery.

STRENGTH—WEAKNESS.

The strong man and the weak woman. The sturdy oak and the clinging vine. Women to-day do not expect to be carried around like children. They have serious work to do—hard work—and they must be fitted for it. The ideal medicine to build up weak women is Smith's Green Mountain Renovator, because it is made in Vermont of pure, wholesome herbs, redolent of the fragrant woods, the green hills and the bracing air. These herbs are so combined as to assist Nature in restoring Strength.

"I wish to say to you that after using four bottles of your Renovator it has worked wonders for me. It has given me great strength and muscular vitality; increased my appetite and given me restful sleep. I have also suffered with bad blood for years, and when commencing the Renovator had twenty boils on my neck. They have now disappeared, and I can not say enough in praise of it. It is a great tonic for the muscles, nerves, [illegible] is a grand medicine."

D. C. W[illegible], L[illegible]w, Mass.

HELEN IS NOT POPULAR.

The New Queen of Italy Is Not Thought Well Of by the Common People.

Though a woman of great beauty and many charming accomplishments, Queen Helen of Italy does not promise to become a favorite with the people. Cold and undemonstrative, reserved and taciturn rather than effusive, her qualities are calculated to appeal rather to the Piedmontese—highlanders like herself—than to the population of the rest of Italy. There is no doubt that the disappointment freely and unkindly expressed by the newspapers of the peninsula regarding her failure to fulfill national expectations in the presentation to the kingdom of an heir to the throne has had the effect of raising a sort of barrier of antagonism between herself and the people of her adopted country. She seems to feel that they resent her childlessness, while they, on the other hand, do not hesitate to express freely the disappointment of the dynastic hope which they had based upon the marriage, says a London paper.

Queen Margherita's popularity was a source of strength to her husband as ruler. Even at the moment when, owing to the mistakes, domestic and foreign, of his ministers, he was most unpopular and reviled as "the Austrian colonel," she always remained an object of so much affection on the part of the people of every shade of political opinion that the field daisy was chosen in her honor as the emblem of a number of political societies, some of them, such as the Italia irredenta, being hostile alike to the government and to the king. But for a queen to be popular in Italy it is necessary that she be of Italian birth and of Italian disposition, and neither the Montenegrin-born Queen Helen nor yet the French-born Duchess Helen of Aosta, who, as the wife of the heir-apparent of the crown, may eventually succeed her as queen, is ever likely to give the same amount of political support to her husband as Queen Margherita was able to furnish to the late King Humbert. Nor is it probable that she will ever share to the same degree as her mother-in-law the duties of her husband as ruler. Humbert was notoriously influenced in many matters by his consort, especially in connection with the triple alliance which she induced him to join. But Queen Helen is completely dominated by her diminutive husband, who, like so many small men, is far too autocratic to accept any advice or to brook any interference, even on the part of his wife, in his duties as ruler.

Disadvantage.

"A pretty girl," observed the Plain Girl, bitterly, "has a great advantage in this business of making a name for herself!"

"I don't know!" sighed the Pretty Girl.

"She finds so many lovely ready-to-wear names at hand!"—Puck.

Hopes.

"I want to get my picture taken," said the populist statesman.

"Cabinet?" inquired the photographer.

"Wouldn't be surprised if Bryan's elected. I've been promised a t.p.op office."—Philadelphia Press.

Blood.

We live by our blood, and on it. We thrive or starve, as our blood is rich or poor.

There is nothing else to live on or by.

When strength is full and spirits high we are being refreshed, bone muscle and brain, in body and mind, with continual flow of rich blood.

This is health.

When weak, in low spirits, no cheer, no spring, when rest is not rest and sleep is not sleep, we are starved; our blood is poor; there is little nutriment in it.

Back of the blood, is food, to keep the blood rich. When it fails, take Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil. It sets the whole body going again—man woman and child.

If you have not tried it, send for free sample, its agreeable taste will surprise you.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists
409-415 Pearl Street. New York.
50c and $1.00; all druggists

POPULAR SCIENCE.

The small planet No. 444, which was discovered by M. Coggia at Marseilles on March 31, 1899, has been named Gyptis.

The lobster is his own most deadly enemy. The young ones scorn all other food when they have a chance to eat one another.

In a recent communication to the French Academy of Medicine, M. L. Dutremblay advocates the treatment of seasickness by inhalation of pure oxygen under pressure.

No comet, so far as is known, has ever been in contact with the earth or mingled its surface with our atmosphere. The nearest approach ever observed was the comet of 1770, which approached to within 1,400,000 miles of our planet.

The sewers of Munich discharge their contents directly into the river Iser. This river flows so rapidly and its volume is so considerable that there has been no sensible deterioration in the river water. As a precaution, however, the building of a catch pit to receive heavier matter is contemplated.

Mr. R. Uhlenhuth describes a simple method of preparing free hydroxylamine, which consists in heating hydroxylamine phosphate gently under reduced pressure. It is stated that the hydroxylamine distills over in a state of extreme purity, the distillate solidifying if the receiver be surrounded by melting ice.

MM. Desgrez and Balthazard state that they have discovered a method of regenerating air in confined spaces. They have submitted to the Academy of Sciences aluminum diving dresses weighing 25 pounds. They state that the diver can move in this suit for hours under water without drawing air from the surface. The principal regenerating agent seems to be sodium dioxide. It is said that the invention is applicable to submarine work, poisonous atmospheres in mines, submarine warfare and certain chemical industries.

PROVERBS.

OF FILJOSH THE PECULIAR.

The Idol went on smiling, rather than tell the priest that the flowers were making its head ache.

The Woman was so anxious to remain independent of Man that she voluntarily became the slave of a machine.

The butterfly visited so many flowers that she fell sick of a surfeit of nectar. She called it "nervous breakdown."

There is only one thing that irritateth a Woman more than a Man who doth not understand her, and that is a Man who doth.

A Singer had a small mole behind her ear, which spoilt its symmetry—but she would never have known it if it had not been for her relations.

"A cheery laugh goes a long way in this world," remarked the Hyena. "But a bright smile goes further still," said the Alligator, as he took him in.

"Instead of vainly lamenting over those we have lost," said the young Cuckoo, severely, to the Father and Mother Sparrow, "it seems to me that you ought to be very thankful that I am left to you!"

A certain Artificer constructed a mechanical Serpent, which was so natural that it bit him in the back. "Had I but another hour to live," he lamented, "I would have rendered its action yet more perfect!"

WISDOM OF JEFFERSON.

I readily suppose my opinion wrong, when opposed by the majority.

The liberty of speaking and writing guards our other liberties.

Postpone to the great object of liberty every smaller motive and passion.

It is the manners and spirit of the people which preserve a republic in vigor.

A disinterested administration of the public trusts is essential to perfect tranquillity of mind.

How easily we prescribe for others a cure for their difficulties when we cannot cure our own.

Public opinion is a censor before which the most exalted tremble for their future as well as present fame.

Whenever things get so far wrong as to attract their notice, the people, if well informed, may be relied on to set them to rights.

The information of the people at large can alone make them the safe, as they are the sole depository of our political and religious freedom.

Let us deserve well of our country by making her interests the end of all our plans, and not our own pomp, patronage and irresponsibility.

The only orthodox object of the institution of government is to secure the greatest degree of happiness possible to the general mass of those associated under it.

AS NATURE TEACHES THEM.

[It is astonishing how differently the various nations of the world will act under precisely the same circumstances. For instance, says London Tit-Bits, when a fly is found in a glass of beer just as the drinker is about to drink it, each nationality pursues a different course of action.]

An American will laugh and order a fresh glass.

A Russian will swallow the beer, fly and all.

A Frenchman will pay and go, but make a tremendous fuss about it.

An Englishman will empty the glass away and demand a fresh one.

A Chinaman will first rescue the fly, eat it, and drink the beer afterward.

A Spaniard will pay for the beer, but quietly move off without touching it.

A German will carefully hook out the fly with his little finger, and then swallow the beer.

Nothing Tastes Good

And eating is simply perfunctory—done because it must be.

This is the common complaint of the dyspeptic.

If eating sparingly, leaving much of the light meal provided, would cure dyspepsia, few would suffer from it long.

The only way to cure dyspepsia, which is difficult digestion, is by giving vigor and tone to the stomach and the whole digestive system. It is therefore cured positively and absolutely by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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promises to cure and keeps the promise. Accept no substitute for it.

Not Surprised.

"I have been meditating, as the old philosopher did," remarked Willy Wishington, who was doing his best to be interesting. "I have been alone with my own thoughts, and I am afraid I am getting morose and cynical."

"Well," answered Miss Cayenne, "I am not at all surprised. I should think being alone with your own thoughts would have precisely those results."—Washington Star.

No Chance to Succeed.

"I don't see how you can expect to be a success as a star in emotional drama," said the theatrical manager to the society woman with dramatic aspirations.

"Why not?"

"Why, how do you expect to get the necessary advertising?" he demanded. "You tell me you are actually living with your husband."—Chicago Post.

A Syllabic Criticism.

Mr. Jingle—Do you consider my verses erotic?

Miss Gabby—About one-third.

Mr. Jingle—I don't understand you.

Miss Gabby—They are partly erotic—that is, the second syllable of that word describes them.—Baltimore American.

The Stock Gave Out.

Wife—How did you get along while I was away?

Husband—I kept house for about ten days, and then I went to a hotel.

"A hotel? Why didn't you go on keeping house?"

"Couldn't. All the dishes were dirty."—N. Y. Weekly.

Her End of the Contract.

"My husband, the professor, works all the time on his theory to establish perfect harmony between man and the universe."

"Do you assist him?"

"Dear me, no; I've got all I can do to keep cook in good humor—he's always late to his meals."—Chicago Record.

Freddy's Pretty Idea.

It was raining hard, and Freddy was looking out of the window. In a minute, clapping his hands in delight, he exclaimed: "Oh, mother, the raindrops are kissing the puddles!"—Columbus Dispatch.

Natural Effect.

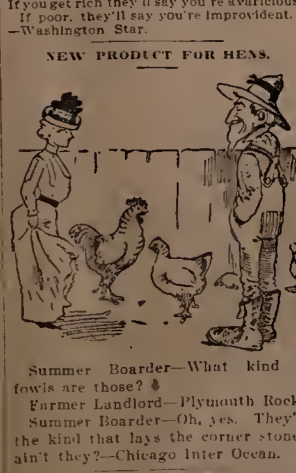
"How is it that Johnson writes so beautifully of the true and noble in humanity?"

"Probably because he has known so many contemptible rascals."—Brooklyn Life.

Never Pleased.

The gossips leave you sorrowing and suspicious.
No matter how your daily life is spent.
If you get rich they'll say you're avaricious;
If poor, they'll say you're improvident.
—Washington Star.

NEW PRODUCT FOR HENS.



Summer Boarder—What kind of fowls are those?

Farmer Landlord—Plymouth Rocks.

Summer Boarder—Oh, yes. They're the kind that lays the corner stones, ain't they?—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Worked Like a Charm.

"Was it restful out in the country where you went?"

"Yes, indeed; the cooking was so bad that we got rested in two days."—Chicago Record.

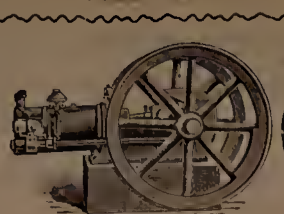
Accounted For.

Edith—They say he's independently rich.

Ethel—Ah! Then he must be a bachelor.—Puck.

A new remedy for biliousness is now on sale at Mason's drug store. It is called Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. It gives quick relief and will prevent the attack if given as soon as the first indication of the disease appears. Price 25c per box; samples free.

You have read of the cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla and you should have perfect confidence in its merit. It will do you good.



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The new prairie grass mattings are simply delightful; they come in soft greens, reds, blues and ecrus, the natural tints of the long, wiry prairie grasses of the west, which are now proving sources of income to the farmers. Formerly these grasses were supposed to be an unmitigated evil, says Ladies' World.

Prairie grass matting is much heavier than the Chinese and Japanese products, and much more durable; they all have the same clean and fragrant smell that makes them so acceptable as floor coverings. Prairie grass matting is full yard wide and costs 40 cents per yard.

Never were there shown more beautiful lamps than are now made. Especially notable are the piano lamps of welded wrought iron and copper in carmine finish. The antique copper and carmine copper are also beautifully combined in other models. The carmine finish, royal copper is not new, but it is ever beautiful and has never before commonized.

Very attractive portieres in green and soft dull crimson in fish-net, seine pattern, have been selling for three dollars each; the meshes are as large as those of a coarse seine, and the curtains are finished top and bottom by handsome tassels.

Another style in a sort of cross-striped open work pattern comes in rich reds and deep blues, and has upper and lower finish of tassels. The material is cotton, a sort of soft cord, and the colors are claimed to be fast; they drape very gracefully and need no rings.

A handsome top border for a plain curtain, that is, a curtain without figures, may be made by taking a strip of burlap having a figure, and outlining this figure with gold thread and then powdering it with colored spangles.

Warmly Appreciative.

"See the melting sunset!" exclaimed the poetic young woman. "See how the crystal tints seem to be stolen from the rainbow mist and hung boldly over the mountain, like bonnets of beauty, only to fade, alas! with the dying daylight!"

"I beg your pardon," said the young man with close-cut hair, "but would you mind saying all that again?"

"Do you think it is very pretty?"

"I should say so! I'm going to write it down. 'Melting sunset,' 'crystal tints,' 'rainbow mist,' 'dying daylight'—they're great! You see, I'm going to run an 'American bar' in Europe and I've been puzzled almost to death trying to think up new names for mixed drinks."—Washington Star.

Skill of the Cameo Cutter.

The cameo cutter's occupation is very exacting. He can put in only a few hours' work at a time as a usual thing because of the tension on the nerves. A quavering hand may be responsible for the single stroke which will spoil a week's work. He must have an eye almost like a microscope, and a very delicate touch; he must be an artist in soul, and as skillful a craftsman as is a watchmaker; he must know how to model and draw, and he must have a knowledge of chemistry, so as to remove offending spots. The work is executed in relief on many kinds of hard or precious stones, but essentially the chalcedonic variety of quartz and on shells.—Chicago Chronicle.

Under No Compulsion.

"Must I tell you once more to stop that noise?" asked the mother.

"I'd just as lief you wouldn't, mother," replied the supernaturally bright boy.—Philadelphia North American.

Time Flies.

She—This love that you tell me about all seems so new, so strange.

He—Why, hasn't anyone ever made love to you before?

She—Oh, yes. But not for fully three weeks.—Detroit Free Press.

Indefinite.

Daisy Gushley—Oh, you darling! I just heard of your engagement to-day.

Cissy Summergirl—Which one?—Brooklyn Life.

Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2.65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly to color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit. The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save. If your druggist can't supply you, it will be fowarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

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STORY OF WING FONG.

"CAN a Chinaman ever be civilized?" asked the New York man in a general way after the little group in the Broadway hotel had discussed the situation in China on the basis of every rumor that could be remembered.

"He can," said the man from Fremont, Neb., confidently; "he was."

The others waited in the questioning silence that follows so bold a declaration and finally the Fremont man went on:

"When he came to Fremont in 1877 he called himself Wing Fong and wore blue burlap clothes and a pigtail. Inside of a year he had prefixed 'Jo' to his name and cut his hair, and his clothes were the latest Fremont style. I was county clerk in 1880. The town was more or less torn up over the presidential campaign and Jo got to going it strong for 'Glafiel' and, well, wouldn't attempt to tell you how he pronounced 'Arthur,' with all its r's. At any rate he strolled into my office one day and said:

"'Me want votee Glafiel, savee? Makee me Melican man allee same. I gotee tlee dolla; you makee me Melican man.'

"'Oh,' I said, 'you want to be naturalized?'

"'Allee same, allight,' said he; 'bully fo lou. You gimme leceipt can vote, I give you tlee dolla.'

"Jo was the only Chinaman in town and everybody humored him. I got him a naturalization application blank and he signed it with his mark. Then I daubed some sealing wax on it and stamped it. 'Never mind the money, Jo,' I said, 'this is a free country.'

"'Much blige,' said Joe, 'you dlop in laundy some time, I set 'em up.'

"After this Jo Wing Fong became the chief object of interest in Fremont. Of course everybody heard that he had been 'naturalized.' The democrats tried to convert him to Hancock, but he said 'me lepublican allee time,' and he was. A German friend of his named Schrager taught him 'Yankee Doodle' and the 'Star Spangled Banner,' and he used to sing them in a voice like a Chinese fiddle at republican ratification meetings, to the great joy of himself and all the rest.

"On election day Jo got up at five in the morning and went over to wake Schrager up to go and vote. Schrager wouldn't get up then and Jo sat on the porch three hours and waited for him. After they had voted, Jo locked up his laundry; went to the livery stable, hired a horse and buggy and drove about all day.

"Some time after this Jo took it into his head that, to still further carry out his plan of becoming a 'Melican man,' he ought to join the fire department, so he went around to the engine house (hand engine), and found the man that polished the brass and took care of the hook and ladder, and made his application. The man told him all right, and in a week or so Jo astonished the natives by marching down street in the red shirt and white cotton gloves which constituted the main portion of a Fremont fireman's uniform.

"In those days the town had one fire bell—an ancient ringer that had been discarded by a church because it was cracked. It was mounted at the top of a scaffolding shaped like the pedestal of Liberty in the harbor here, and the rope hung down almost to the ground, where even a child could reach it. The plan was, of course, that the fellow who discovered a fire should rush to the bell and give the alarm.

"One night about ten o'clock the bell began ringing as though it had just heard of the Chicago fire. There was no tolling to it, but just 'cling-clang-cling-clang,' like the bells on a city ambulance. Most of the town tumbled out of bed and came rushing to the place. There they saw Jo Wing Fong pulling the rope frantically and yelling like a demon.

"'Where's the fire, Jo?' came the breathless chorus.

"'Ain' no flia,' said the Chinaman, dropping the bell rope. 'Stlange man beatee me out two bit laundry bill; lun away like devil. I lingee bell, callee p'lice allee samee Melican man.'

"The next step in the civilization was his romance. His laundry was next door to the New York hotel, and among the help there was Bridget O'Doolihan or words to that effect, with pink cheeks, blue eyes, towsley hair and a blarney. She began by using the blarney on Jo, and then she went further and used her eyes, and finally she promised to marry him. I don't suppose there was ever a lover, native or foreign-born, who took himself more seriously than Jo did at this decidedly American turn in his affairs. When he sprinkled water on his washing through his teeth he looked as solemn as one of the fountain lions that sends a big stream from its iron lips, and the minute anybody tried to joke with him he'd look pained and turn away.

"He got some remarkable ideas about the duty which he and Bridget owed to Fremont society. One day my wife heard a knock while at work in the kitchen, and when she opened the door there stood Jo and his fiancee. Jo explained what every gossip in town knew (with no offense to my wife, you understand) that he and Bridget were to be married. He said he thought that being engaged to him, she ought not to work longer in a hotel—that she ought to have a quiet place in some nice, respectable family. For this reason he was going to take her around to his 'Melican lady flin's' and see what could be done.

"'What's your opinion of the matter?' my wife inquired of Bridget.

"'I think the mon's right,' she replied. 'The hotel's no place fer the likes o' me wid everyone knowin' I'm about to marry wid this young haythen,' and she slyly pinched his arm.

"So it was arranged that Bridget should come to work for us, and there she stayed till they were married by a justice of the peace in our sitting-room. There was no kink in the ceremony except that when the justice said: 'Do you, Jo Wing Fong?' Jo interrupted with 'Melican man' and positively refused to 'take Bridget for his wedded wife' until the justice had repeated the words in the place indicated.

"The happy couple went to live in the rear of the laundry, and that ended the civilization of Jo Wing Fong except the finishing touch."

The Fremont man having a pretty tact at the effective in ending a story, paused here.

After a moment's silence, somebody asked: "And what was the finishing touch?"

"Well, I moved away from Fremont shortly after the wedding and didn't see Jo Wing Fong again for two years. Then one day as I was returning to town I met him on a train.

"'How are you, Jo,' I asked, as I settled in the seat with him. "How's business and how's Mrs. Jo?'

"Jo ignored everything but the reference to his wife. 'Blidget allight,' he said, proudly. 'Me getee devorce, pay flou-teen dolla' month alimony, allee samee Melican man.'"—N. Y. Sun.

Oysters and Macaroni.

Cook macaroni in salted water until tender. Grease a pudding dish and fill with alternate layers of macaroni and oysters, with bits of butter, salt and a little cream between each layer. Cover with crumbs and bake about three-quarters of an hour. A cream dressing made of milk, flour and butter is sometimes used between each layer.—Good Housekeeping.

Not Much to It.

Some hypocrites try to make a cloak of their religion when there isn't actually enough of it to make a bathing suit.—Chicago Daily News.

The Whole Story in one letter about

Pain-Killer

(PERRY DAVIS'.)

From Capt. F. Loye, Police Station No. 5, Montreal:—"We frequently use PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER for *pains in the stomach, rheumatism, stiffness, frost bites, chilblains, cramps,* and all afflictions which befall men in our position. I have no hesitation in saying that PAIN-KILLER is *the best remedy* to have near at hand."

Used Internally and Externally.

Two Sizes, 25c. and 50c. bottles.

HIS LOST PROPOSAL.

BY CLIVE R. FENN.

"YOU say that you wrote to me, Mr Vantrey?" said Beryle.

"It is true that I did mention a letter."

"What was it about?"

"Oh, nothing in particular"

"Ah! It seems to me that the most interesting letters of all are those which are about nothing in particular provided, of course, it is the right sort of nothing in particular"

"My letter was not interesting. I'm afraid in fact, it was precisely because of it that I called."

"You did not, then, call to see me?"

"In a measure, yes"

"Only in a measure! How polite!"

"Well, it was to say good-by."

"Good-by?"

"Yes."

"You are going away?"

"Almost directly."

"Ah! And this letter concerned your departure?"

"No; on the contrary, it had nothing whatever to do with it."

"Then decidedly I understand nothing about it."

"I wished, you see, to—"

"To what? I am very eager to know."

"To ask you not to open the letter."

"Not to open your letter? But, Mr Vautrey, that would be too absurd Does one ever refuse to open a letter? It is no possible"

"Yet it is important that you should not open this letter"

"I am more and more interested. What would you have me do with it?"

"Burn it."

"Burn without reading it?"

"Yes."

"Never."

"At my earnest request?"

"You must request something different—something easier."

"And yet—"

"I must see the letter."

"You must see before you decide?"

"Certainly."

"But it will be too late then."

"I can't help that."

"Miss Delacour, this is something very important indeed."

"So it would seem."

"And you persist in making a joke of it?"

"I am not joking, Mr Vautrey; far from it, believe me. You come to me with a mystery. Well, I adore mysteries. It is about a letter, and going away. Where are you going?"

"I hardly know."

"To the Rivera?"

"Probably."

"Well, we all do that every year; there is nothing striking in that. Then, there is this letter."

"Which when it comes you will destroy."

"As I said before, I will consider the point."

"It is not as if it was of any consequence, you know."

"No."

"Or likely to interest you."

"I suppose not; but when did you post your letter?"

"Last night."

"In town?"

"Yes."

"Then it should be here by now; it will come by the afternoon post, probably, and—yes, half-past four—it should be here immediately. Then you can tell me all about it, or I can read it and decide whether to burn it or not."

A minute later a servant entered the room with a salver, on which lay several letters.

"Here they are, Mr. Vautrey; and yes, here is yours, but—well, it didn't matter about your request."

"Why? What has happened?"

"It is only the envelope which is here."

"And the letter?"

"Has been lost in the post, evidently."

"Ah!"

"And now, what was in this letter, which was not stuck down, and which you were so anxious for me not to see? You owe me an explanation."

"It was a matter which had better be left alone."

"I am not of that opinion."

"Miss Delacour, I assure you to the contrary. The incident is over, the letter is lost—"

"Where did you write it?"

"At the club."

"Then the club has stamped notepaper?"

"Well?"

"And the letter will be returned to you. I know how it is done. I wrote to Jessie Cardington, at Cairo. She had left. The letter was opened and returned to me. So it will be here. Now, Mr. Vautrey, you must tell me all about the letter, or promise to send it to me when you receive it again."

"And if I can do neither?"

"Then our friendship, Mr. Vautrey, comes to an end."

"That is precisely what it has to do in any case."

"What do you mean?"

"It is the simple truth, Miss Delacour; it is no joke about my going away."

"I understand less and less."

"The letter I wrote was a request which, at the time, might not have seemed so extraordinarily impertinent, because—"

"Yes?"

"Because I believed myself wealthy."

"But the request?"

"Was to marry me."

"Go on."

"After writing it, I learned by a telegram from Castlehampton that the solicitors who manage my property have failed absolutely. They have collapsed; not a red cent; so that you see, I was in a double predicament. I tried, little knowing the red tape imperturbability of the department, to recover my letter. It was useless; but Fate behaved in this particular instance like a gentleman, and did the straight thing. That is all. Good-by, Miss Delacour You see how it all is."

"I see nothing of the kind."

"But the world is more clear-sighted."

"You will oblige me by sitting down again."

"Well?"

"Mr Vantrey, you are very unkind to me."

"In what way?"

"In acting as you have. I have plenty of red cents."

"I know"

"Well, doesn't that make it all right?"

"You can't marry a man in the mud."

"There is a crossing at the end of the street it he will only take it, and if you don't propose again directly I shall think that you care for me no more."

"But I do care, and I— But there, a ruined man! Think of it!"

"I don't see why I should think of it. Did you mean the letter?"

"When I wrote it—yes."

"And now?"

"Now I see the impossibility."

"You have written to me, Mr. Vautrey, asking me to marry you. I thank you for your letter, and—I accept your offer."—Lady's Pictorial.

HONORED BY THE KHEDIVE.

Ethelbert Watts Consul at Jamaica, Given Imperial Order of the Osmanieh of Third Class.

Ethelbert Watts, United States consul in Jamaica, has just received information from Cairo that the khedive of Egypt has conferred upon him the Imperial Order of the Osmanieh of the third class in recognition of services rendered while he was on the staff of the United States consul general in Egypt. Mr. Watts was recommended for the distinction by the Egyptian minister of foreign affairs, Boutros Pasha. The rules of the United States consular service prevent Mr. Watts from wearing the insignia of the order until his retirement.

A Generous Rival.

Dora What a quantity of rice you threw after the bride!

Clara She'll need it before he gets his salary raised.—N. Y. Weekly

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century. discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, bladder, uric acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work, in private practice, among the helpless too poor to purchase relief and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty cent and dollar sizes are sold by all good druggists.

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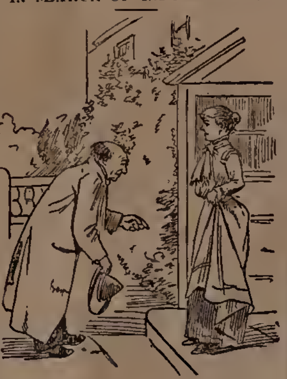

Lady—Well, what do you want?

Tramp—Last time I was round here you gave me a pie wot yer said yer cooked yerself, lady.

Lady—Well?

Tramp—Well, I merely called here to know who's goin' to compensate me for the time I wasted in hospital?—London Punch.

Enjoyment.

"Do you enjoy reading Dickens?"

"Very much," answered Miss Cayenne. "His works contain so many odd and villainous characters to whom it is a pleasure to compare one's enemies."—Washington Star.

An Optimist.

Catterson—By Jove! Think of forgetting to bring along a rifle on a hunting trip!

Hatterson—Well, old man, it might be worse. We might have forgotten the poker chips!—Puck.

Johnny's Heroism.

"This won't do," exclaimed Mrs. Box excitedly, "there's 13 at table."

"Never mind, ma," shouted little Johnny. "I kin eat for two."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Came Near Dying.

"For three days and nights I suffered agony untold from an attack of cholera morbus brought on by eating cucumbers," says M. E Lowther, clerk of the district court, Centreville, Iowa. "I thought I should surely die and tried a dozen different medicines, but all to no purpose. I sent for a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and three doses relieved me entirely. I went to sleep and did not awake for eight hours. On awakening a few hours ago I felt so gratified that the first work I do on going to the office is to write to the manufacturers of the remedy and offer them my grateful thanks and say, 'God bless you and the splendid medicine you make.'" This remedy is for sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

Scald head is an eczema of the scalp—very severe sometimes, but it can be cured. Doan's Ointment, quick and permanent in its results.

Cures croup, sore throat, pulmonary troubles—monarch over pain of every sort. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil.

Pyny-Pectoral Stops the Tickling, and quickly allays inflammation in the throat.

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Pullets Eggs

WANTED at this time of year. Get your pullets to laying by October is what makes poultry pay. You can do it by good care, proper foods, and the use as directed of

SHERIDAN'S CONDITION POWDER

It causes perfect assimilation of the food elements needed to form eggs and bring pullets to laying.

If you can't get it we send one pack for 25 cts.; five, $1. Large can, $1.20.
I. S. JOHNSON & CO., Boston, Mass.

Something He Could Recommend.

"I wish," said the housewife who had grudgingly given him a plate of cold victuals, "instead of thanking me you could tell me of something that will drive away cockroaches."

"Ever try this pie on 'em, ma'am?" lugubriously inquired Tuffold Knutt.—Chicago Tribune.

Unpardonable.

Mrs Winks—Why do you hate Deacon De Goode so?

Mrs. Minks—He lost patience with a crying baby in a railroad train.

"Most any man will do that."

"Yes, but it was my baby."—N. Y. Weekly.

Song Not from the Heart.

Miss Gushy—Ah, professor, it was easy to see that your singing was from the heart.

Prof von Growle—No, madam, id iss vrom der diaphragm. Der tones iss nod goot ven dey vrom der heart iss.—Baltimore American.

Truthful.

Old Lady—And how did you come to join the Salvation Army, my good young man?

S. A. Recruit (frankly)—It was the only way I could get the public to stand my cornet playing, ma'am!—Puck.

Mean of Her.

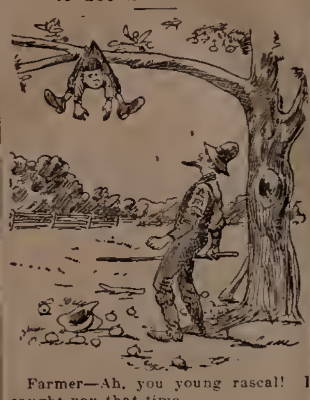
King Old Man—Why are you crying, little boy?

Little Theodore—I only went to wish my sister many happy returns on her thirtieth birthday, and the mean old thing boxed my ears!—N Y. World.

Joy In Prospect.

The watermelon's waning and
Its joys will soon be gone.
But, ah, dear Nature's lavish hand!
The pumpkin's coming on.
—Chicago Record.

IT GOT AHEAD OF HIM.



Farmer—Ah, you young rascal! I caught you that time

Boy (whose descent from the tree has been accidentally retarded)—No you didn't either. This 'ere tree caught me nearly an hour ago.—Golden Days.

The Mermaids' Favorite.

She—The rarest fish, I believe, is the ribbon fish. It is an inhabitant of the great depths of the ocean.

He—I suppose the mermaids are very partial to this specimen.—Yonkers Statesman.

Different.

"Last year you were able to give me something for the poor," gently expostulated the collector.

"So I was," answered Mr. Celfboss, "but at that time I was not in business for myself." Brooklyn Life.

Personally Interested.

"How do you feel on the subject of imperialism?

"I don't think women ought to be allowed to boss us men around the way they do."—Chicago Record.

Helping Him Out.

"When was Louisiana ceded, dad?"

"Eh? Seeded? Why, I s'pose it all depends on what they expect to grow. Don't ask no more such fool questions."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m, 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 48, 4 13, 5 15, 6 01, 7 13 7 30, 9 10 p m, 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7 58 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 6 05, 9 33 p m S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 25, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m, f12 50, 6 05 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m Return, f8 58 a m; f12 59, 5 29, 6 13, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 35 a m, 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m, 1 55 p m.

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WRENTHAM.

J J Leik is recovering from his recent attack of the grip.——Miss Nellie McGiblon of St. John, N B, has been visiting her cousin, Mrs Harry B. Lewis.——A Willard has the contract to build the staging inside the Congregational church and took 7,000 feet of lumber.——The Congregationalist society will meet in the Town hall until the church is repaired.——Friday afternoon the ladies of the missionary society held their first annual meeting in Hawes chapel Mrs Pettee, a missionary, made remarks and an article by our Bible reader in India was read by Mrs. N B Fales. A collation was served in the evening, the gentlemen having been invited for that occasion.——An auction will be held at Mrs I. W Jenney's house at 1 30 tomorrow afternoon, and also at Mrs Benj. Taylor's on Thursday at 2 o'clock; bargains at both.

Youth and Age.

A callow youth, he long'd to shave
  Before the down was there, but—
A bald head now, he'd j y t have
  Just one old-fashioned hair-cut.
—Philadelphia Press.

Unintelligible.

"So Matchett is married?"

"Oh, yes: been married over a year. His wife's a fine woman, but most of the time he can't understand what she says."

"You don't mean it? Foreign, eh?"

"Not at all. You see, most of the time she's talking to the baby."—Philadelphia Press.

Elaborate Revenge.

Wattee.e Old Lu n fired you from your job in his banking house, did he? What are you going to do to get even with him?"

Fove d'Agayne—I am going to write to him on a postal card and tell him I must not be considered any longer an aspirant for the hand of his daughter.—Chicago Tribune.

Overweening Ambition.

D r thy—t do w sh we wer rich, father.

Her Father—How rich would you like to be?

D r thy—Oh, awfully rich; rich enough to snub other people and still be called agreeable.—Tit-Bits.

Overcrowded.

Mrs. Goode—You are the sixth man who has asked me for something to eat to-day.

The Tramp (sadly) I s'pose so. If de competition in dis line gits any wuss, some of us'll have to go to work.—Brooklyn Life.

Sister's Opinion.

They say," said her mother, "that many so-called k. gloves are made from monkey skins."

"Well," said the saucy young woman, idly watching her little brother hanging by his heels from the limb of a shade tree, "it does not seem improbable. I know of no two things more alike than a monkey and a kid."—Indianapolis News.

To Curea Cold in One Day.

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Mrs. Newlywed (sighing)—Ah, that is easier said than done, dear!—Judge.

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Dangers of Boating.

Clara—When George and I are married, I'm to have my own way in everything.

Dora—Guess you won't.

Clara—Indeed I will. That's the bargain. Don't you remember I told you he proposed in a rowboat, and asked if I'd float through life with him just that way?

"Yes."

"Well, he was rowing, but I was steering."—N. Y. Weekly.

Her Opinion.

"You see," said the heiress, confidently, "my father likes the count very much. But he is afraid the dear boy is inclined to be careless about money matters. What do you think about it?"

"The fact that he has proposed to you," said Miss Cayenne, thoughtfully, "might possibly be taken as very good evidence to the contrary."—Washington Star.

The Step from the Sublime.

But yesterday he felt that he
  Was born to be a king.
His step was high, his air was proud,
He held his head above the crowd.
  Last night his wife went snooping 'round
  And in his inmost pocket found
A letter—he has come to be
  A cringing, slinking thing!
—Chicago Times-Herald.

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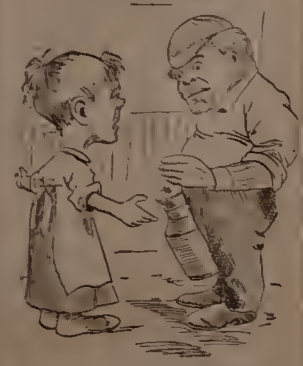

The Lady—You've been bringing us pretty blue milk lately.

The Milkman—Of course, I have. I don't keep nothin' but blue-blooded cows.—N. Y. Journal.

A High Lightning Rod.

The largest lightning conductor in the world is in Bavaria. The top of it is some yards above the meteorological station on the Zugspitz, the highest point of land in the German empire. It runs down the side of the mountain to a body of running water. The length of the rod is three and a half miles.—N. Y. World.

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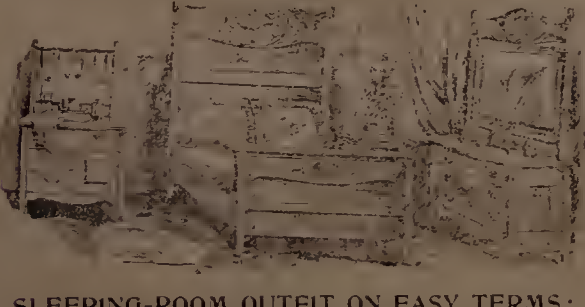
A Start in Life.

"Self-esteem is a great thing in this life," remarked the man who is disposed to be cynical.

"It is," answered the philosopher "Some great successes have had very small beginnings, and the man who thoroughly esteems himself can be sure of having at least one good hustler in his interests."—Washington Star.



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Origin of the Boers.

The French Society of Ethnology has been looking up the Boers. It seems that the Dutch East India company sent Van Biebeck in 1652 to found a supply station at the Cape of Good Hope, then called the Cape of Tempests. When Louis XVI. revoked the Edict of Nantes in 1685, some 300 French families demanded the hospitality of the East India company, and so were sent to the cape, where there were 600 whites of Dutch origin. The latter received the French colonists, and the Dutch language was later employed exclusively. The present Boers are the descendants of this colony, spreading over the territory of the Cape, Natal, Orange Free State and Transvaal.—Ledger Monthly.

How Silk Equalizes Temperature.

It is known to everybody that silk is electrified by friction. Acting upon the suggestion thus furnished, a French savant, M. Henry, has made experiments which show that the electrification of the air inclosed in a tissue of silk produces a circulation of its particles which tends to equalize the temperature. A similar effect is observable in wool, and hence the superiority of silk and wool for garments intended to protect the body against the vicissitudes of climate.

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A young Swede called on a minister in a western state with a blonde sweetheart in tow and asked to be married. The minister performed the ceremony.

"How much you charge for him?" the Swede asked. "Dollar?"

"I don't charge for it," the minister explained, "but the law allows me a dollar and a half."

Ole took a silver half dollar from his pocket, handed it to the minister and remarked, "Ay tank she mek you two dollar."—N. Y. Press.

Happy Presentiment.

Dashaway—I have a feeling that she is going to refuse me.

Cleverton — Brace up, old man! Sometimes a presentiment like that comes true.—Town Topics.

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The Registrars of Voters will be in session for the purpose of correcting and adding new names to the voting list at the Town Officers' room, in Franklin, on

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 10 from 7 to 9 P. M.
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 17, from 7 to 9 P. M.
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 24, from 7 to 9 P. M.
SATURDAY, OCT. 27, from 12 M. to 10 P. M.

Registration for the Presidential election will close on SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 27, at 10 o'clock after which time no new names can be added to the voting list.

BRADLEY M. ROCKWOOD,
JAMES W. DESMOND,
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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Mary H. Wilder of Medway, in the county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, widow, to Lewis J. Bird of Boston, in the county of Suffolk and said commonwealth, dated October 7, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 798, page 141, will be sold for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, at public auction, upon the premises hereinafter described, on

WEDNESDAY, the THIRTY-FIRST day of OCTOBER, A. D. 1900,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit

A certain tract of land, with the building thereon standing, situate on the easterly side of Broad street, in said Medway, and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the northwest corner thereof on said street at land of the heirs of Clark Partridge or owner; thence running easterly on a line with land of said heirs one hundred and forty (140) feet to a corner at land of S. S. Woodward; thence southerly on a line with land of said Woodward to land of John McGinnis or owner; thence westerly on a line with land of said McGinnis to a corner; and thence continuing southwesterly on land of said McGinnis to a corner; and thence continuing westerly on land of said McGinnis to Broad street aforesaid; thence northerly on said Broad street to the point of beginning; being the same premises conveyed to said Mary H. Wilder by deed from William N. Hitchcock to Mary H. Wilder, dated May 5, 1894.

Terms at sale.

HARRY B. STEARNS,
Assignee of said Mortgage.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 6, 1900. oc9,16,23

NOTICE having been received that the subscribers have been duly appointed executors of the estate of William Colvin, late of Medway, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bond, as the law directs, all persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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JOHN H. C. HADLEY,
Executors.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

Electric Railway Service.

Electrics leave the post office for Woonsocket at 6 a. m. and every hour thereafter till 10.45 p. m. For Wrentham and Attleboro, 6 05 till 10.15 p. m. For Lake Pearl at 12.45 p. m. and every half hour thereafter till 10.15. During forenoon car makes no connection at Eagle Hill for the Lake. For Medway and Dedham at 7 a. m and every hour till 10 30 p.m. Sundays, time of starting on both lines one hour later.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Granville H. Ellis is visiting in Connecticut.

G. Warren Choate, Dean '96, visited friends in town yesterday.

B. W. McCabe returned yesterday from a business trip to New York.

Singleton's worsted mill closed Wednesday for a week or ten days.

The Jolly club will hold a social dance in Red Men's hall this evening.

The new shoddy mill at South Franklin will be started in about ten days.

The interior of the Jog Along clothing store is receiving a new coat of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Clark, Jr., returned from their visit in Maine today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Thayer returned to their home in Greeley, Col., yesterday.

Don't fail to notice the change in the electric car service which goes into effect next Monday.

Mrs. Fred Stark and daughter Marion of Manchester, N. H., are guests of Mrs. C. J. McKenzie.

The McGinnis liquor nuisance case was further continued for one week in the district court Wednesday.

H. W. Gay has taken the management of the Crescent House pool room and will open it on Saturday afternoon.

Henry Byrnes has returned from an extended stay in New Hampshire and is somewhat improved in health.

The Red Men will go to North Attleboro on Tuesday evening, where they will be the guests of the N. A. tribe.

There will be a social at the Baptist church next Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society.

R. L. McPherson has gone to Maine and will visit at Mechanics Falls, where he was at one time located in business.

Contractor Grant is putting in a new plate glass front at the postoffice, similar to the ones in Sanborn's and Bresnahan's.

Miss Sadie Fulton of Worcester came to town last Tuesday and will remain through the winter with her sister, Mrs. Jacob Quilter.

Owing to the rain last Sunday Dr. Hodge postponed his vesper address, "One Hundred Years Ago," and will give it next Sunday.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper gave the address Thursday afternoon before the Norfolk County Temperance union on "God's Great Victory of the Ages."

The special electric car that will convey the members of Division 8, A. O. H., to Milford this evening will leave opposite the post office at 7.15 sharp.

Rev. Dr. Hodge is the speaker at the Rhode Island Universalist club next Monday evening at Providence and his topic will be "The Renaissance"

The Y. P. S. C. E. will give an entertainment at the Congregational church next Wednesday evening, with games, music, etc. A good time is promised.

Mr. and Mrs F. H. Bartholomew are entertaining Miss Edith P. Fiske of Cambridge.

A fine game of football is promised on the Dean campus at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, as the strong Friends' school eleven from Providence are to be here.

The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the Baptist church Sunday evening. Rev. F. B. Sleeper will give a short discourse on the theme "Special Work for Special Need"

Mr. and Mrs E. K Ray attended the wedding of Miss Florence Cornelia Lincoln, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levi C. Lincoln, and Eugene Capron Hamlett, at Woonsocket on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Dr. Solomon of Boston gave an interesting lecture to ladies at the Opera house last evening, attracting a good-sized audience. A number of fine views were also shown, which added to the interest

Messrs. Nye, Daniels and Sherman, with their respective wives, have returned from their trip South, and speak most enthusiastically of their experience, especially in Washington, on the battle field of Gettysburg and at Luray.

Thirty-one names were added to the voting list at the meeting of the registrars on Wednesday evening. There will be two more meetings of the board—next Wednesday evening, from 7 to 9, and on Saturday evening, Oct. 27, from 12 m. to 10 p. m.

The old time notion that a feather bed is a safe retreat during a thunder shower when the lightning bolts are shooting hither and thither recently suffered an explosion when several hens, entirely surrounded by feathers, were simultaneously and instantaneously electrocuted.

Have you seen any of the new certificates of the $5 denomination? They are very attractive in style and finish and are bound to be popular. The head of an Indian appears in the centre. There is a blue seal and the letter "V," with the word "five" printed in blue across it in a semicircle.

W. A. Pond has sold the Whiting block on Central street to A. D. Whiting of Mendon, who will make extensive improvements to the block with a view to having desirable tenements. The same gentleman also purchased from Mr. Pond a share in the middle privilege mill at Unionville

After Sunday the Sunday Providence trains will be taken off, and the week day train leaving here at 4.26 will not leave till 4.40 The train from Providence will leave there at 3 35 instead of 4.50, reaching here at 4 22 instead of 5.37 The train for Milford will leave at 5 33 instead of 5.38.

The ladies of the Franklin Country club will hold a qualifying contest on the links tomorrow forenoon to select six ladies to meet six ladies from the Cumberland club of Woonsocket, the tournament to take place on the links here next Wednesday. Interest is already reaching unusual proportions.

Charles F. Nye, as secretary of the 11th congressional district Republican committee, has sent out notices that headquarters have been secured at Room 608, Exchange building, Boston, which will be open daily from 12 to 2 o'clock. Any suggestions regarding the success of Mr. Powers will be gratefully received. Campaign literature is in large assortment for free distribution.

Rev. Samuel Quickmire, B. A, of London, England, will be present and address the next literary meeting of the Epworth league to be held at the residence of Miss Lula Willard on Dean avenue, Wednesday evening, Oct. 24. He will give some amusing and interesting experiences that have been his "across the pond." All interested are invited to be present. Admission free.

The Democratic rally which had been announced to take place in Music hall last evening was postponed owing to the inability of Judge Putman to be present and deliver an address on account of previous campaign engagements for the above date. The Judge has sent word to the Democratic town committee that he will be at liberty to speak here any evening next week, and the committee will accordingly arrange another date for the rally.

Here is a pointer for some of our proud mothers: A peculiar sight was witnessed in a neighboring town one afternoon in the shape of a coaching parade—that is, one kind of a coaching parade. About 5 o'clock there appeared on the square 13 baby carriages in a row, each containing an occupant and in charge of a smiling young maid. The route of the procession was through the principal streets of the town, and no little amount of attention was attracted.

Manager Partridge has some of the best attractions on the road booked for the near future: "Prince Pro Tem," with thirty-five people in the cast; "Quo Vadis;" "Remember the Maine," one of Lincoln Carter's best; "Paradise Alley;" "Monte Christo;" "Black Diamonds," all colored, and other plays all known to be good, and with the alterations now being made on the stage all their special scenery can be produced the same as it is in any other place.

On next Sunday, commencing at 12 01 a. m., the winter schedules of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R R. will go into effect, when important changes will be made in train service. For information regarding these changes the public is referred to the large timetable posters and folders which may be obtained at ticket offices in advance of the above date.

An interesting insurance point has just been decided by the courts. It is that it is not necessary, in order to constitute a total loss, that all the material composing the building should be destroyed. It is sufficient, though some parts of it remain standing, that the building has lost its identity and specific character as a building; the insurance not being upon the material composing the building, but upon the building as such. The loss is regarded as total, even though something might be realized for the material by removing it.

If firemen sometimes are not free from the propensity to lose command of themselves in a moment of great excitement it isn't strange that a good old lady in Franklin many years ago, when a store took fire, and the house where the lady lived was expected to soon succumb to the flames, made a heroic effort to save her household furniture, or a part of it, by carefully gathering up her flatirons and carrying them to some distance to a neighbors so they would not be consumed, and at another time the occupant of the building took a basket and tenderly packed his best china and then calmly went to the open window and poured it out of the basket to the ground below. Everyone has heard of the woman who carries out some article of no value from a burning building and forgets the baby. And so it goes.

Politics are but slowly awakening here this year, though in offices and stores there is not a little good natured discussion going on as to the respective merits of the principal candidates. In one respect our national politics are distinctly superior to those of any other nation. They are freer from public abuse. This was not always the case, for in other years our elections ran the whole gamut of vituperation and scandal, but since the Cleveland Blaine campaign, when the climax of intemperance in speech and accusation was reached, there has been a distinct and rapid improvement. No reason exists this year why there should be the slightest mud slinging. On all the tickets the candidates are men of conspicuous cleanliness in their personal and domestic lives, and the issues are sufficiently large to provide the campaign orators with material without obliging them to go into personal matters.

Another landmark has been laid low by the efforts of time, the carpenters, change of owners and modern improvement, and the old Metcalf homestead on Washington street is no more. The building was in the eighteenth century style, two stories at the front and one at the back, and in the red paint of fifty years ago that never wore off. The building stood on Washington street where at the present time the village part of the town leaves off and the country begins. The numerous Metcalf family came from Rev. Leonard Metcalf, rector of Tatterford, Eng., born in 1545, and through his son Michael, who fled from England to escape the persecutions of Bishop Wren and settled in Dedham in 1637. Michael's son of the same name had a son Eleazer, and his son Michael settled in Franklin. He was born in 1687 and married December 23, 1712, so it is probable that the house was built about that time or a little later. He was an elder and original member of the Franklin church. Richardson Metcalf, who died a few years ago, was the last of the family to live in or own the old homestead. Their branch were hard-working farmers of the old-fashioned kind. A local legend says that one morning in haying time a caller at the Metcalf homestead about 5 a. m. inquired for Richardson and received the reply, "Oh, he's out in the field, mowing; he went out this morning."

The Violin at Dean.

Those who attended the violin recital given by Miss Edith Linwood Winn at Dean academy last evening were amply repaid by the fund of musical information which she gave as well as the charming music rendered. She was thoroughly en rapport with her subject and gave a detailed history of the various schools of the violin in a most interesting manner. She was assisted by three young lady violinists, and the solo and quartette music was exceedingly enjoyable. The violin as an instrument is receiving increased attention among musically inclined persons.

A Treat Promised.

The next meeting of the Alden club will be held on Monday evening, when Dr. De Normandie of Boston will speak upon "Women as Citizens." As this is an open meeting it is hoped that there will be a large attendance of gentlemen as well as members of the club.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

A Red Letter Day.

Rarely has the Mendon Conference had a more spiritual, helpful and enjoyable session than that of Wednesday, when the First Congregational church entertained the conference in a most fitting manner It was a beautiful October day, with a crispness about the air which was refreshing. The steam and trolley cars brought large numbers, all of whom rejoiced in the accessibility which is now afforded Franklin by these methods of transportation.

The committee in charge of the affair was composed of N. C. Nye, H. W. Thayer, B. M. Rockwood, Mrs. F. M. Richardson, Mrs W S Richardson and Miss Mabel Ray, with E. H. Sherman as chairman. It is needless to say that they worked indefatigably to make the affair a success, the sub-committees doing their part in a most harmonious and successful manner.

The church was trimmed with extreme artistic taste with autumn leaves, a magnificent profusion of ferns, beautiful clusters of dahlias and pinks, making the altar platform a charming picture, indeed. The decorative feature was in the hands of Herbert W. Thayer and Miss Mabel Ray, and many were the compliments heard from the visitors over the beauty of the display. Indeed, the church as a whole was the subject of almost continuous complimentary comment for its general adaptability as a model church home

B. M. Rockwood was the master mind over the collation department, and had every detail thoroughly covered, so that over 550 guests were bountifully attended to in a little over half an hour. His force of waiters numbered about forty, and there was not the slightest confusion or inattention to the wants of anyone. In the kitchen were Messrs. F. M. Richardson and J. O. Chilson as expert meat cutters, with a large force of ladies to supplement their efforts as servers. The whole affair could not be improved upon.

The historical room was the source of much interest, and there was a constant stream of visitors viewing the relics which have been gathered as a nucleus to a much larger and more complete collection later.

The session was called to order about 9.30, over 300 people gathering to enjoy the exercises. Rev. Herman F. Swartz of Mansfield officiated as moderator and Rev. James W. Flagg of Foxboro as scribe. Many other pastors and distinguished laymen were also in attendance. The roll call developed the fact that all of the twelve churches in the conference were represented but one, and nearly fifty delegates were present. Rev. R W. Drawbridge of Medway led the praise service and a resolution of sympathy was sent to Rev. Webster Woodbury, who is ill. The treasurer reported the sum of $34 on hand.

The first address was made by Rev. Eddy T. Pitts of Somerville on "The Church and the Children." He spoke of the relation of the two and how the church regarded children. The child should be appreciated, first for the sake of the church. The church is a necessity to children; gather in the children and you gather up a church. When you save the child's soul you save not only the church, but the state, the nation and the world. Next you should appreciate the child for its own sake, because of the power in the child, who has the power for comfort as has no one else. What is the church doing for the child? That clergyman is a rarity who preaches so that the child does not have to stretch the neck and strain the mind to get the thought. Seek to bring the child into the love of Jesus Christ, as he grows naturally into that love. He unfolds into the graces of the Christ life as the bud unfolds into a beautiful and fragrant flower. The church should give the child its needed religious instruction. As soon as a pagan child is old enough to hold a flower it is taught to offer it to an idol. The Roman Catholic church has solved the secret in its hold upon the children. How useless to turn every energy to amass wealth to the neglect of children to whom you must leave it. Work for children is the best paying work on earth.

Rev. Wilson S. Fritch of Attleboro spoke upon "The Instruction of Adults for Church Membership." The christian minister is working to bring about the kingdom of God on earth. He seeks to make good men better and to bring outsiders into the church. Church methods are different from those of years gone by. The old time revival method has had its day. The church must work in a scientific spirit along religious lines. The two extremes are to be avoided. The training should be theological, doctrinal, asserting the principles of righteousness. Anyone who is willing to do the will of God is ready to be received into the church and ought to be welcome. The church should get rid of outgrown theological statements. Its members must be ready to see the truths, and above all must be ready for service. Service is the main thing. Pastors should lay aside eloquence merely and seek to impress grand religious truths upon their hearers. They will find ready and responsive listeners.

Mrs. W. O. Ballantyne, who has been in the missionary field at Rahari, India, for the past fifteen years, spoke most interestingly of the work there. She dwelt upon the marriage and other customs, the condition of women, told of the growth of the work, and how eager were the people for the truths of the gospel. She referred to the awful state of affairs brought about by the famine, and how it had thrown many children into their care, resulting in good. The language was difficult to master, but the results were far-reaching. God was blessing the work and would continue to do so as long as consecrated people offered themselves in His service.

Rev. Charles H. Beale, D. D., of Boston spoke most effectively upon the distinction between the Christian and the merely moral man, taking his text from "What do ye more than these?" The church is a useless society unless it has something to offer which other organizations have not This is a rational age. It demands facts, and good reasons must be given for the church's right to exist. It used to be thought that the dress or the carriage should denote the Christian. The worst kind of pride is that of being proud of having no pride. The difference must not be indicated by externals Outwardly these moral people are as good as you, but back of it all they are not actuated by the central power which makes for righteousness. They believe in evolution. We believe in a Supreme Power, who watches over all and has a divine purpose and plan which will finally be brought to the end which He has chosen. They have courage, sympathy, philanthropy, they are honest, upright, generous, noble and worthy You have these qualities, and further believe that they are ordained of God, whose power you feel over and under and round about you, as one mighty to save and all things move according to His will. Their lives are not lived in the presence of these realities. They are not actuated by the thought of God, through whom they move and have their being. The Christian goes about with a different feeling. He is in his Father's house, a partner with Him. The church must not try to do the work of other organizations. They have their place in social, educational and fraternal life The duty of the church is to hold up Christ, to teach religious truth and cultivate faith. All worthy organizations exist because the original inspiration was from God, who makes it possible for them to do as well as they do. A Christian spirit carries with it a true missionary spirit and love for others. Danger and hardship will not dampen its ardor nor stop its sacrifices till Christ's kingdom shall be established upon earth.

The session closed with the usual communion service, in charge of Rev. Mr. Minchin and Rev G. E Sweet, a large proportion of the congregation remaining to participate. At the close there were many who spoke of the unusual excellence of the addresses, without exception, all being noticeably of power and practical benefit. The church and committees received the thanks of the conference for their hospitality and kindness throughout. The next session will be held in Milford.

Ask Co-operation.

A number of cases of scarlet fever having recently developed, we ask the co-operation of everyone in Franklin to the end that it may not attain the proportions of the epidemic some months ago. We shall rigidly enforce the provisions of the quarantine law, with due consideration, however, for any peculiar conditions or circumstances which may arise. An intelligent conception of our position and authority on the part of the people will greatly simplify the situation and avoid friction.

FRANKLIN BOARD OF HEALTH.
Franklin, Mass., Oct. 19, 1900.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to express my sincere and heartfelt thanks to my many friends in Franklin for their kindness and sympathy during my illness.

KATHERINE McGLOUGHLAN.

To Clothing Buyers.

J. A Waterman, of the Retailers' Clearance company of Milford will distribute in Franklin this afternoon 500 copies of today's Milford News. Watch for them

North side of a five-cent rake, 40,000 furlongs from Jupiter, a good assortment of furniture and a nice line of carpets at right prices. Don't be a fool and go elsewhere. Sanford Bros., Medway.

For the Children.

Mrs. Dr. Solomon will give a stereopticon exhibition to children in Central Square hall on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with views in the Philippines, Cuba and elsewhere, scenes in "Uncle Tom's Cabin," fine singing, etc. Admission 10 cents. The doctor will be there from 1 to 3 for consultation with ladies, if desired.

Emerson's Market.

Fresh killed chicks and fowls, lamb, pork and veal. We also have spinach, sweet potatoes, squash, celery, onions, cabbages, new beets, cauliflower and turnips. Ten cent soups, all flavors. Best butter in town.

Knockdown Prices.

Irwin's shoe store is headquarters for a $2 russet and a $2 50 enameled shoe, both of which are "bargains."

Precautions Taken.

The state board of health having had careful tests and analyses made of the water taken from various wells and springs used by typhoid fever victims in Franklin, in order, if possible, to determine the origin of the disease, reports to our local board of health that "all of them show evidence of contamination, some of them to a considerable extent." Our local board can justly congratulate itself that in its last report to the town it called attention to this very matter and warned the people of Franklin against using the water of wells, no matter how good they may at one time have been. The ground has become so full of disease germs from saturation through drainage or percolation from cesspools that it is not safe to use water from wells. The town water, notwithstanding an occasional taste and odor, is to be preferred. There is a prejudice against town water and in favor of wells, but it is not an intelligent one, and the sooner our citizens get rid of it the better. We cannot say that there are no uncontaminated wells in Franklin, but we do not know where they are. Even water from springs is not certain to be good, as some of the water found by the state board to be contaminated was taken from springs used by typhoid patients. It ought to be some satisfaction to Franklin people to have had it determined how the typhoid infection has originated. The state board advises that the wells above mentioned should be condemned and the Franklin board of health has acted accordingly.

A Chance to Give.

The local organization of King's Daughters will send out this week to friends some pledge blanks, with the hope of receiving contributions for the Home for the Aged of Norfolk county, which has been established. This is a worthy object and should receive generous support.

Woonsocket Opera House

Commencing next Monday, Oct. 22, the George W. Wilson company will play a week's engagement at the Woonsocket Opera house at popular prices. Mr. Wilson will be seen this year in a number of new plays and will be supported by a company of unusual excellence. Matinees will be given daily, commencing Tuesday, and many high-class specialties will be introduced at every performance. There will also be a half-hour picture concert given before each performance by the Ladies' orchestra. The opening bill Monday night will be "A Social Outlaw." Seats for the engagement went on sale today.

In Mason's Window.

Mason, the druggist, has an unusually attractive display of the Hyomei goods in his window, and to all who call at the store he will give a sample of the famous Hyomei soap.

Richardson's Market.

Of course we keep meat, but we want to call your attention to our carefully selected home made sausage, choice veal and prime beef. Onions 75 cents a bushel. Fancy Jersey sweet potatoes, tender beef liver, with bacon. All the vegetables and soups. Chicks and fowls for Sunday dinner.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

To Rent.—A desirable tenement of six rooms; $12 per month. Inquire of O. T. Doe. 14 tf

To Let.—Cottage house on Union street; newly painted and papered Apply to A. Farrington 16,19,23

A competent girl can obtain a good situation doing housework by addressing "E," SENTINEL office. 28

Get your round-trip Boston, Providence and Milford tickets of Charles H. Prince at the SENTINEL office.

Ladies' and children's felt hats for sale at retail. Also trimmings, feathers and velvets at Stewart's straw shop.

Frank O. Dudley, formerly with R. G. Irwin, will do bicycle repairing at the corner of Central and Union streets. 9-8t*

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

For Sale.—A nine room house, barn and two and a half acres of land in Franklin, one mile from post office, on line of electric railway. Address Box 179, Franklin, Mass. 19

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

Money Savers.

Prudent clothing buyers, looking for good trades in overcoats or suits, will patronize J. A. Waterman, of the Retailers' Clearance Co., Trolley square, 155 Main street, Milford.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse.

Two chairs at Ochee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser in attendance. Short waits.

Mothers, take your boys to the Retailers' Clearance company's store, 155 Main street, Milford, for good clothing.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1900

CARL SCHURZ condemned Lincoln as he now condemns McKinley. Enough said about Schurz.

DURING the coming week see to it that every possible Republican is registered. This is a long step toward getting out the full Republican vote.

MARK well that even those Republicans who have not wholly agreed with President McKinley, yet vastly prefer another four years of his administration than to take any chances with Bryan.

EX-PRESIDENT HARRISON uses the strongest language possible to express his condemnation of the principles avowed by Mr Bryan. And he is credited with being competent to judge on such matters.

THE average annual value of Bryan's personal property under the Democratic administration of 1893—6 was $275, while under the Republican administration from 1897—1900 it was $5000, as by the official returns.

IT is worthy of note that the assaults on convention speakers come from Democratic inspiration or instigation. You do not hear of Democratic orators being attacked with clubs and stones by Republicans. Bear this in mind.

MR BRYAN still asserts that "16 to 1" is the real paramount issue of the campaign, and we all know it is in reality. The "imperialist" bugbear has no real influence, because even the Democrats know most of their party really approve what has been done in the Philippines and in China.

IT is becoming very plain that in case Bryan is elected, which does not now seem possible, the hard-headed business men are preparing for the worst kind of a financial panic. Do what you can to prevent it by making the Republican majority for every candidate just as large as possible.

A NET loss of seven congressmen would throw the control of the next house into the hands of the Democrats. This would ensure the election of a Democratic speaker, and a Democratic majority on all committees. To prevent such a catastrophe, be sure to vote for the Republican nominees for congress.

You do not hear of a Republican appealing for "Independent" votes. It is the Democrat who wants that support. But the moment a Democrat gets into office he forgets his "Independent" principles and friends, every time. Vote for men who have the courage of their convictions and expect you to have the same. Vote for the Republican nominees.

THE DEMOCRATS oppose "expansion" in the Philippines, but they favor it by swallowing Canada, without "the consent of the governed." Had Andrew Jackson, instead of William McKinley, annexed the Philippines, not a Democrat would have "yipped" against it. For Andrew Jackson did a good deal of expanding in his day and generation, and his fellow Democrats have ever since approved of it.

"GOOD CITIZENSHIP" voters will have a good chance to help along the good cause by voting for Republican candidates. Either the Republican nominees or the Democratic will be elected. They will be elected because the vast majority of the voters prefer either one or the other. That being the case, those who find fault with both should yet support that which most nearly meets their views, and that party is the Republican, every time. Not so much because of difference in the platforms as because of difference in the men behind the platforms.

BRYAN had an enthusiastic reception in New York on Tuesday evening, speaking to thousands of people. His address was that of a politician seeking for votes rather than that of a statesman. The significant thing about the affair was that he is "Croker's man." Croker dominated everything, and in the event of Bryan's election will be more of a political boss than Mark Hanna was ever charged with being. The thought of Croker's hand in national affairs is enough to to disgust every thinking man in the country. The voters who bury Bryan will also have the satisfaction of burying Croker also.

The Whole Truth!

There's nothing so bad for a cough as coughing. There's nothing so good for a cough as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

The 25 cent size is just right for an ordinary, everyday cold. The 50 cent size is better for the cough of bronchitis, croup, grip, and hoarseness. The dollar size is the best for chronic coughs, as in consumption, chronic bronchitis, asthma, etc.

WILHELM TO HAVE AUTOS.

The German Emperor Is Ordering a General Assortment of Horseless Vehicles.

The Germans were slow in adopting the automobile, but now the emperor has taken it under his protecting wing and it is expected to become the fad in Berlin. A number of persons connected with the Berlin court are trying to do business with it, and there is a good deal of enterprise and readiness to speculate among the courtiers on the Spree. More than a year ago the kaiser's master of the horse inquired of a well-known carriage manufacturer in the capital if he could supply him with motor cars for the conveyance of visitors from the station to his majesty's country seat, at Wildpark, near Potsdam—the new palace. Since then the imperial post office has secured some heavy vans propelled on this principle; and now Kaiser Wilhelm himself is going to try this mode of traveling. In the month of August the kaiser visited the military drill ground at Alten-Grabow, in the province of Saxony, and traveled the distance from Wusterwitz to Ziesar and thence to Nedlitz in a motor car. The carriage-maker above referred to has offered his majesty a present of three of such vehicles, which he has graciously accepted. The roads in the neighborhood were specially put in order for the convenience of the imperial party.

HAVEN FOR CLEVER THIEVES.

Criminals Find a Safe Refuge from Justice in the Republic of Honduras.

This is one corner of Central America that is at present a perfect paradise for men who have committed any crime. It is a place where the outcasts of the world's society rule the land of their adoption—and where the officials of the government protect all thieves that come to them and make it dangerous for any detective to molest them.

This is the republic of Honduras, one of the least advanced of the states in south or Central America. Honduras, indeed, is a country mostly of jungles and gigantic forests of [illegible] and rubber trees, of bugs, vampires, snakes and crocodiles, of all manner of things that creep and crawl and sting and bite; a region where life in the daytime is a misery, and at night one feels as though sleeping in red pepper.

Here in every hamlet and city are to be found men from different lands, mostly outlaws from their own country. Chicago, Boston, New York and Philadelphia all furnish their [illegible], England, France, Italy and even far away Russia have their share. They make no attempt at concealment, bear the names they were born to, wear and go along about their business as if the laws of their own country had not declared them outcasts.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. [illegible] free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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Not More Than One-Fifth of the English Words Are Used by Any Writer.

The growth of the English language is so enormous that it would be practically impossible for the most learned man to be acquainted with every word. Intelligent persons, even those engaged in the learned professions, do not make use of more than from 6,000 to 8,000 words all told, although there are properly belonging to our language over 2[illegible]. The famous writer or authority of to-day, whether he uses words to express nice shades of meaning or as technical tools of thought in his own department, must have at his command a vocabulary of from [illegible] words, the latter being the maximum acquired by any man now living. There is a large number of words which until recently have escaped the attention of lexicographers. In the text of the "Encyclopaedia Britannica" there are [illegible] words which have never been formally entered and defined in any dictionary. In the Century Dictionary there are [illegible] words found in no other, and it has been said that there is not to-day any man living who is sufficiently learned to write one average page of [illegible] pages of this dictionary. To give some idea of the tremendous growth of the language the words and phrases under the letter A have increased in 50 years from 7,000 to nearly 6[illegible].

Extent of the Florist Business.

The florist business of the United States is by no means an unimportant industry. It is estimated that the retail value of flowers sold annually is $12,5[illegible] and of potted plants $[illegible]. There are no less than [illegible] establishments in the United States devoted to the growing of plants under glass.

Steel Cast 2,000 Years Ago.

The manufacture of cast steel in India can be traced back for over 2[illegible] years, while there are also examples of wrought iron work nearly as old. Near Delhi, close to the Kutub, there is an enormous wrought iron pillar which weighs ten tons and is thought to be over 1,500 years old.

Rhode Island's Abandoned Farms.

The abandoned farms in Rhode Island number 4[illegible], according to the state's official catalogue.

Between Two Fires.

Hardupp—I'm very sorry, but I can't pay you to-day. You see, the grocery man has just been here, and—

Butcher (interrupting)—Yes, I just met him, and he said you put him off because you had to pay me. So here's the bill.—Chicago Daily News.

Every Movement Hurts

When you have rheumatism. Muscles feel stiff and sore and joints are painful. It does not pay to suffer long from this disease when it may be cured so promptly and perfectly by Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine goes right to the spot, neutralizes the acidity of the blood, which causes rheumatism, and puts an end to the pain and stiffness.

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The First Quarrel.

The Bride (from Chicago)—This is my fourth bridal tour.

The Groom—Well, I hope it will be your last one.

The Bride (bursting into tears)—You selfish thing!—Town Topics.

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HEAD

Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

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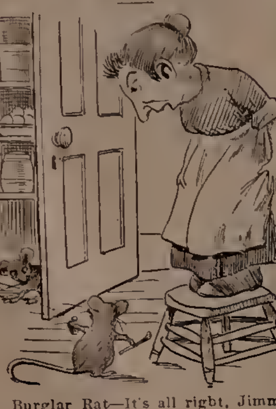
Hood's Sarsaparilla

rids the blood of scrofulous and all other humors and all foreign matters.

We Must Have 'Em.

We may live without [illegible],
Sapheads [illegible];
We may live with [illegible]—
Under certain conditions,
We may live without dudes,
Cigarettes and [illegible],
But the world would not move,
If it wasn't for cranks.
—Chicago Daily News

HOLD-UP IN THE KITCHEN.



Burglar Rat—It's all right, Jimmy get the pie; I've got her cinched.—Chicago American.

Not Unusual.

When two men's stories don't at all agree
It does not always mean
That one the truth and one the lie must be,
For, when the facts are seen,
Most probably they both of them prove lies,
And differing only in regard to size.
—Judge.

Carrying Out the Rule.

"Some editor who has been giving advice to people on how to live to be old says that one of the main rules to follow is to go away from the table at each meal feeling as if you could eat more."

"Well, say, if that's right every fellow at our boarding house ought to live to be a hundred!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Retained All His Faculties.

Tired of his parsimony and general meanness the neighbors turned out one night and tarred and feathered old Skinnpblint.

"Save the tar," he said to the good Samaritan who was scraping him off several hours afterward. "I can get five cents a pound for it."—Chicago Tribune.

Speaking of Warmth.

"I am told that they have been warm friends for years," said Bickerstaff.

"They are warmer than ever since they quarreled," added Tenterbook.

"How's that?"

"Some hot words have passed between them."—Town Topics.

The Other View.

Caller—In how many families the Bible is a sealed book.

Miss Wellon—Yes, but sometimes it has to be, you know. There are so many impertinent people who are always looking up the family register.—Chicago Tribune.

A Fiendish Attack.

An attack was lately made on C. F. Collier of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain nor sit in a chair except propped by cushions. No remedy helped him until he tried Electric Bitters, which effected such a wonderful change that he writes he feels like a new man. This marvelous medicine cures backache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c. at Mason's drug store.

Yarmouth Line's Fall Excursions.

Not to have visited Nova Scotia during September is to have missed one of the most delightful of autumnal tours. During this month the Yarmouth Steamship company will sell excursion tickets, good for thirty days from date of purchase, to all points in Nova Scotia at unusually low rates. You may go to Yarmouth and return for only $5; to Digby and return for $6.5[illegible]; to Halifax and return for $8.50; and correspondingly low rates to all other places, including south shore ports reached by the steamer City of Monticello from Yarmouth. Yarmouth line steamers leave Pier 1, Lewis wharf, every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 2 p. m. for Yarmouth. Full particulars and tickets at the tourist agencies, 201, 298 and 332 Washington street, or of H. F. Hammond, agent Yarmouth Steamship company, Pier 1, Lewis wharf, Boston.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of Erasmus A. Pond, late of Rutland, in the state of Vermont, deceased:

Whereas, Metcalf E. Pond, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of nine certain parcels of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration and for other reasons set forth in said petition,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of November, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this tenth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next-of-kin and all others interested in the estate of Chloe P. Dean, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Henry A. Talbot, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court for allowance the first and final account of his administration on said estate, and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the next-of-kin of said deceased,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-fourth day of October, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this third day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

oc5,12,19

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next-of-kin and all others interested in the estate of Abigail D. Dean, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Henry A. Talbot, the administrator of the estate of said deceased has presented to said court for allowance the first and final account of his administration on said estate, and application has been made for a distribution of the balance in his hands among the widow and next-of-kin of said deceased,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the 24th day of October, A.D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why said account should not be allowed and distribution made according to said application.

And the petitioner is ordered, to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Simeon A. Pickering, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Mary S. Pickering of Bellingham without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the twenty-fourth day of October, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this fourth day of October, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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STATEMENT SEPT. 29, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$565,502 89
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 99
Interest Account		4,027 82
Real Estate Income Account		1[illegible]4 78
		$598,672 44

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,975 00
" " Mortgages		157,700 00
" " Personal Securities		174,369 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		522 22
Tax Account		512 73
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$3,028 14	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	1,304 95	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		4,417 25
Cash on hand		741 27
		$598,672 44

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

WALTER M. FISHER,
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Committee of Examination.

Sept. 29, 1900.

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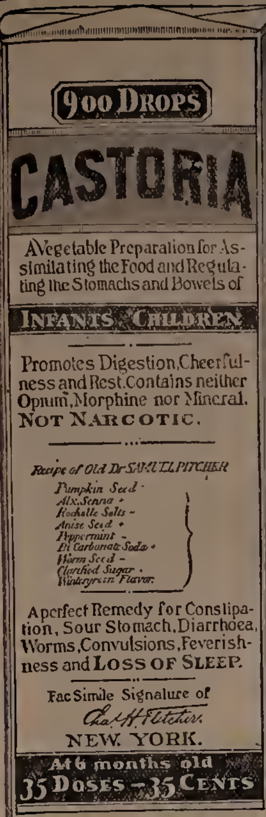
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NOT A PRIZE WINNER

THIS couple of whom I write had married for love 20 years ago. He had been away for two months in the city on business and she decided to visit him in the autumn season. She had arrived the evening before. The next morning, carelessly turning over his letters, a dozen or more lying open on his table, she picked up one without an envelope, and written in his well-known handwriting. She thought perhaps it was one she had returned to him for reference. By this time the letter was unfolded and she observed that the beginning was carefully cut away, leaving no name. This was what she read:

My own dearest: At dusk I thought the battle won—but no! I had prayed that you would rescind the decree that "It cannot be." I prayed as I had never prayed before—but your calm, still eyes, as they looked tenderly upon me, had left no hope within me that you would yield.

And we must part—you and I?

Down through the vista of all the years to come I must be alone?

And you? You who have stirred my soul to its depths as no other woman has ever done—will there be no answering throb through the chasms of space that divide us?

Am I never to hold you in my arms again—kiss your eyes—your lips—your hair?

Must it only be across the border land of eternity that our spirits may commune?

Oh, my beloved, give me but one small flower to cherish, one that has lain in sweet complacence on your gentle bosom, that has felt your heartbeats as I, and I shall put my ear to it, and listen, and in fancy I again shall hear, and my eyes again shall see the rise and fall, as that same heart stirred its dainty petals. The odor will again be the sweet fragrance of you, dear, and no more I will be alone. The rose you wore last night? May I hope for it?

Farewell, you whom I love. Y——.

A drawn, tense feeling at the base of the brain caused her to place her hand at the back of her head for relief. Her face grew cold and she shivered. Gradually the cold crept on down her body until she felt chilled, chilled to the heart. Her first impulse was to put the letter back—he need never know—perhaps it was a sudden affair of his that would wear off, if only she would bravely wait. She folded it carefully, slowly, thinking as she did so that her hands would be so folded when she died. All the time she was dully wondering to whom it could be written, half hoping that he meant to send it to her. That was a silly hope, born of the wish; she and he had no need to part. There was something in the letter that quoted something, and she was quite sure she had never said it.

He had never written an ardent letter like that to her, so he must love this woman more than he had ever loved her.

He had never felt, then, the fullness of life that the highest form of love bestows. For 20 years he had been starved of the best that love gives. He had looked worn yesterday when she came; the struggle was perhaps wearing on him.

Then a wave of unuterable pity for him took possession of her. He had lost 20 years out of his life living with her.

How carefully he had hidden his sorrow; how uniformly kind and considerate he had always been. He had never been really impatient with her. He had borne with her so tenderly, even when she must have been trying in her youth-time, before her character was formed. That was the chief reason she loved him so long; had been growing old loving him.

He had sacrificed his entire life, and only now knew what love really was; now had come to him what had come to her 20 years before.

She—the other woman—should have him, for his sake.

She would ask him to whom it was written when he came. That would be the beginning of the end.

She turned to look for a chair, and in turning faced the mirror. How well she looked; how cold she was, and yet the old age she felt so wearily did not show in her face at all.

Yes, she would ask him who it was when he came. Some young and pretty woman, no doubt, who would be sorry to see the wife suffer. Of course, this woman could not help loving him, and yet she was willing to give him up. It must be that she was a girl of strong character, and a good girl, too. He would not love any other kind!

He should have the woman he loved, that was settled.

All this time she was holding the open letter. She would ask him to whom it was written, and tell him her resolve and then she would go away.

Just then she heard his step, and in another second he opened the door. She noticed that his ears were a glowing red with the crisp outer air.

She held out the letter, and her eyes filled with tears.

"Who is it, John?" she asked in a broken voice.

Then she watched the red in his ears; it must be an ordeal for him. The color would presently fade, and she would watch it go.

Listen, he was answering!

"To you;" and then he laughed. She looked. The color had not receded from the ears. Strange! Men could stand things better than women. Surely he had no feeling—no feeling, and the author of that letter!

How clumsily he lied! After 20 years of deception he ought to lie better and more reasonably!

"That is, I was thinking of you when I wrote it," he added, rather shamefacedly. "I thought once I would send it to you."

Clearly the lying was improving. He was probably regaining his composure.

"I should have appreciated it," she said, with a shade of sarcasm in her voice.

"It was one of 12 read before 12 persons at Brown's in a contest," he continued.

She looked at him silently.

"Really, I was thinking of you when I wrote it; that ought to satisfy you," he said, more seriously.

Suddenly she felt as if she had had a reprieve.

She would wait—perhaps—perhaps it was the truth. She would ask Miss B——. She would not insult him by openly doubting his word.

All she said was: "Did it take the prize?"

"No"—and this time there was genuine disappointment in his voice—"another fellow had his all written out in verse, but I don't believe he wrote it himself—and he shouldn't have had the prize."

"I don't think he ought, either," she answered in a tired way. "This is certainly very fine."

A minute or two later she decided not to ask Miss B——, because, when she looked again the color was still in his ears, and she concluded to let it go at that.—St. Louis Republic.

Merely an Amateur.

Heiress—But you see, you paint pictures to sell. It would never do for me to marry a man who works for his living.

Artist—Darling, no one could accuse me of working for a living. I've never sold a picture in my life.—N. Y. World.

Home of the Swallow.

School-Teacher—What little boy can tell me where is the home of the swallow?

Bobby—I kin, please.

"Well, Bobby?"

"The home of the swallow is the ——."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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Thy will, dear Lord, is right.

When sorrow fills the heart with pain,
In Him is found release,
And spirit yields a sweet refrain:
Thy will, dear Lord, brings peace.

With disappointments of to-day
God puts us oft to test,
That on the morrow we may say,
Thy will, dear Lord, was best

Bid fears to flee. God's hand doth lead;
Let not thy faith decline.
Still pray in each dark hour of need:
Thy will be done, not mine.

Discouraged heart, be strong and know
His will is none but love.
Waiting its blessings to bestow
True riches from above.

Look up! Be comforted and feel
God's gracious presence near
To give thee strength and to reveal
His will in love made clear.
—Chicago Standard.

THE SUFFERER'S SONG.

Experience of a Party of Tourists Over the Sea—A Christian's Hope and Inspiration.

On the way to the Lakes of Killarney says the Christian Life, a party of tourists heard a sound of singing in a little farmhouse by the roadside. It was a man's voice in a tenor so marvelously sweet that the strangers halted some time to listen The strains traversed the whole compass of feeling, from soaring triumph to the murmur of a mother's lullaby.

"Oh, if I could hope ever to sing like that!" said one of the company, a young student of music.

A girl came out of the cottage with a basket on her arm, and as she passed the wagon with a courtesy, a wish to know the vocal genius the south of Ireland had hidden away prompted a question from the same young man.

"Will you kindly tell us who it is that sings so beautifully?"

"Yes, sir, it's my Uncle Tim," said the girl. "He's after havin' a bad turn with his leg, and so he's just singin' away the pain the while."

For a moment the astonished tourists did not know what to say. Here was an example of the melody of patience:

the anguish of the sinner
Made the sweetness of the strain.

Then one asked, tenderly: "Is he young? Will he get over the trouble?"

"No, he's gettin' a bit old now, and the doctors say he'll never be the better in this world; but," she added softly, "he's that heavenly good it would near make you cry to see him, with the tears rollin' down his cheeks with the pain, and then it is that he sings the loudest."

Somehow the listeners thought of the eternal city, and they drove on slowly, as if their wheels were pressing its streets.

"God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes," quoted one of the ladies "and there shall be no more pain."

More seldom mentioned, but equally beautiful, is a kindred elevation of spirit that lends cheer to extreme poverty and toil. A writer in the Watchman, passing through one of the narrow lanes, noticed a poor old scrubwoman on her hands and knees scouring a floor, while she sang:

"And I shall see Him face to face,
And tell the story: 'Saved by grace.'"

Heavenly hope is not a creature of circumstances, but sorrow and privation seems adapted to its culture. It is darkness that brings out the nightingales. And contrasted with the profane rage that frets and curses under distress, what a sweet and wise philosophy is singing patience!—Youth's Companion.

SERMONS IN BRIEF.

Hating penalty is no sign of good. —Congregationalist.

No man can rob you of the true riches except yourself.—Ram's Horn.

Wisdom is oft-times nearer when we stoop than when we soar.—William Wadsworth.

We ought not to be weary of doing little things for the love of God, who regards not the greatness of the work, but the love with which it is performed. —Brother Lawrence.

Annihilate not the mercies of God by the oblivion of ingratitude. Let thy diaries stand thick with dutiful mementos and asterisks of acknowledgment. —Sir Thomas Browne.

Many favors which God giveth us ravel out for want of hemming, through our unthankfulness; for though prayer purchaseth blessing, giving praise doth keep the quiet possession of them.—Thomas Fuller.

As love is the life of faith, so with the increase of love faith increases Even from man toward man faith and love grow together. The more we love, the more we understand and the more we trust one another. Pusey.

Oh, the littleness of the lives that we are living! Oh, the way in which we fail to comprehend, or, when we do comprehend, deny ourselves the bigness of that thing which it is to be a man, to be a child of God!—Phillips Brooks.

The possibilities of earth are greater than we are ready to allow. It is not Heaven, but to the faithful soul it is the gate of Heaven. Who shall despise a school taught by the Holy Spirit of God? Who shall think lightly of a house where God abides? Who shall complain of stony pillows in a field where the messengers of God come and return upon His gracious errands?

Interrupted.

They were seated in the parlor, and he was declaring his love in fervent tones. All at once she stopped him with an imperious gesture, and a look of pain overspread her countenance.

"Wait! wait!" she exclaimed in short, sharp tones.

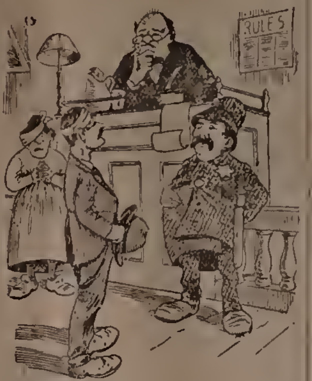
In a moment the sneeze came, and Heloise, looking tenderly up into his face, said: "As you were saying, George?"—N. Y. World.

Not on the Line.

We board the trolley car of life,
We take a seat,
And calmly wait to be put off
At Easy street.

We ask about it when the day
Is nearly done,
And the conductor merely says:
"Not on our run."
—Chicago Tribune.

HAD BEEN PUNISHED ENOUGH.



Judge—You are charged with breaking a lamp on your wife's head.

Prisoner—That lamp cost me six dollars, your honor.

Judge—Discharged.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Polite.

She sat in his lap in a cable car
And her language I won't repeat;
She blushed and arose, and he said: "Beg par-
Don, pray do keep your seat."
—Puck.

The Voice of Experience.

Young Wife—I am determined to learn at what hour my husband comes home at night; yet, do what I will, I cannot keep awake, and he is always careful not to make the least noise. Is there any drug which produces wakefulness?

Old Wife—No need to buy drugs! Sprinkle the floor with tacks!—Tit-Bits.

At Saratoga.

Ferdy—I'm out of it! After buying the ring she has refused to give me her answer for a week.

Percy—Well, what of that?

Ferdy—Why, in order to stay here another week I'll have to hock the ring.—Judge.

His Misapprehension.

Farmer Honk—I hear tell that that long-necked young city feller that is boardin' with you has got pajamas?

Farmer Summertime—It's a durned lie! He's been at our house nearly two weeks now, an' he ain't drunk a drop all the time.—Puck.

Unexpected.

Frank Frankleigh—Yes, Miss Antique, to be frank with you—

Miss Antique (with a chirp)—Oh, Mr. Frankleigh, of course you may be Frank with me—but this is so sudden —N. Y. Weekly.

Not Wasted.

Guy—My life is a failure. I fill no useful part whatever in creation's plan.

Percy—Oh, yes you do; you are constantly showing the world how ridiculous a smart man can be sometimes.—Detroit Free Press.

Coming Out on Top.

Hix—I guess your friend Meeks is coming out on top after all.

Dix—How so?

Hix—I saw him purchase a bottle of hair restorer in a drug store the other day.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Oil on the Troubled Waters.

Ethel—That detestable Mrs. Bloom said that I looked 30.

Maud—How perfectly absurd!

Ethel (elated)—Frankly, now, how old do you really think I look.

Maud—About 40.—Tit-Bits.

Commercial Instinct.

"Dad, will you buy me a watch?"

"What for, my boy?"

"'Cause Freddy Jones has a dog I want, dad, an' he says he'll change it for a watch."—N. Y. World.

The Cause of His Affection.

Ma—Tommy, you seem to love pa better than you do me.

Tommy—Oh, ma, I don't mean to, but y' see, pa allus has his pockets full o' nickels.—Indianapolis Journal.

Defensive Indolence.

"Just look at that garden, David; look at those weeds!"

"Well, what's the matter with them? Ain't they thrifty?"—Chicago Record.

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Gentle Little Hint.

"My dear," said Crimsonbeak to his wife the other morning, "I wish you would look over my wardrobe. I was up in my room a little while ago, and the only things I could find which had any buttons on were my kodaks!" Yonkers Statesman.

The Only Dance.

Bella—Gran'ma, don't you think the two-step ever so much nicer than the old-fashioned waltz?

Gran'ma—There's only one kind, my dear, that is worth dancing—the one when you're 20.—Brooklyn Life

Nothing Doing.

Biggs—Hello, Boggs! Just the man I wanted to see! I'm just back from the Paris exposition, and—

Boggs—Sorry, old man, but I haven't got a cent!—N. Y. Journal.

It Makes a Difference.

"I thought you said you had only a platonic affection for him."

"True; but that was before he asked me to marry him."—Chicago Post.

His Grudge.

Mrs. Jones—I don't see what you should have against my first husband. The poor fellow is dead.

Mr. Jones—Yes; that's the only thing I've got against him.—Judge.

Banker Routs a Robber.

J. R. Garrison, cashier of the bank of Thornville, Ohio, had been robbed of health by a serious lung trouble until he tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption Then he wrote: "It is the best medicine I ever used for a severe cold or a bad case of lung trouble. I always keep a bottle on hand" Don't suffer with coughs, colds or any throat, chest or lung trouble when you can be cured so easily. Only 50c and $1. Trial bottles free at Mason's drug store.

The Thing Made Clear.

She—He says he loves me; yet he has only known me two days.

Her Friend—Well, perhaps that's the reason, dear.—Tit-Bits.

Stepped Into Live Coals.

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Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2.65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save If your druggist can't supply you, it will be fowarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

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BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 48, 4 13, 5 15, 6 01, 7 13, 7 30, 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.58 p m

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 6 05, 9 38 p m S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 25, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m, 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 6 05 f9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m; f12 59, 5 29, 6 13, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S10 29 a m, 6 28 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 35 a m, 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m, 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 46, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

NEW YORK, all rail—9 15 a m; 4 25 p m. Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

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WRENTHAM.

Parties interested in the formation of a co-operative bank met in Odd Fellows' hall Wednesday and chose the following officers: President, Elbridge J. Whitaker; vice-president, Hiram A. Cowell; secretary and treasurer, James E. Carpenter; directors, Fred A. Shepard, Artemas Willard, Bertram C. Hardman, Geo. W. Gilmore, Fred E. Gilmore, Harry B. Lewis, Fred W. Blatchford, Daniel S. Farrington.——Miss Dorothy Allen and Miss Edith Williams are at J. E. Chamberlin's for a few weeks.——The registrars of voters will meet in Sheldonville Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 23; Plainville, Thursday afternoon, Oct. 25, and at the centre from 12 noon to 10 p. m. on Saturday, Oct. 27.——The county commissioners will hold a meeting in the town hall on Dec. 1st in reference to the petition for widening East street.——W. L. Enegren has commenced the manufacture of cocoanut cakes for the winter.——George W. Jackson fell from an apple tree Tuesday noon and was badly bruised about the back.——Wampum lodge, No. 195, I. O. O. F., met Tuesday night in their redecorated hall. During the last week the walls have been tinted in green, old rose and terra-cotta, a toilet room with running water and handsome new closets for regalia have been put in. A committee has been appointed to see about using gas in the hall and several other improvements are contemplated.

Between Dear Friends.

"What n[illegible] think his eyesight is [illegible]?"

"Y[illegible] he [illegible] to you, didn't you?"—[illegible]

Defying Time's Flight.

Clara—How old is Miss [illegible]er?

Maud—She told me [illegible] go-[illegible] Tow[illegible]

After Dinner

T[illegible] severe distress after [illegible] heartily, [illegible] take

Hood's Pills

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Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D.D., pastor, will preach at 10.30 on "How to Get an Interest in the Higher Life." Vesper service at 5; subject, "One Hundred Years Ago." Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. Isaiah W. Sneath, Ph. D.; theme, "This Above All." Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00. Evening service at 7; subject, "A Christian City Treasurer."

Baptist church.—At 10.30 preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper; theme, "Spiritual Expansion and Imperialism, or A Large Soul." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45. Preaching at 7; theme, "Special Work for Special Need." The ordinance of baptism will be administered.

Methodist church.—Preaching at 10.30 and 7.00 by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook; morning subject, "The Higher Christian Life," special subject, "The Obligation and Privilege of Scriptural Holiness;" evening subject, "A Kingly Feast." Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 3. Epworth league at 6.00, led by Mrs. J. T. Hutchinson, Jr.; subject, "On Stewardship."

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending October 17, 1900:

Ladies—Miss Alice E. Jackson, Mrs. Eliza McLean, Mrs. May Wilson, Miss Bessie Williams, Miss Eva L. Yorks.

Gentlemen—L. I. Cochran, Ray Ferna[illegible] (2), Chas. Hayward, W. E. Miller, Fred N[illegible].

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"Mr. Whitgood," interrupted the young woman, "are you in earnest?"

"Glycerine McCurdy," he said, drawing himself up with injured dignity, "do you think I'm doing this on a bet?"—Chicago Tribune.

A Definition.

"What is an optimist?" asked the lad.

"An optimist," answered Mr. Brykins as he took a dyspepsia tablet, "is in most cases a confounded prevaricator."—Washington Star.

Winter Tourist Rates South.

Winter tourist rates for season 1900-1901 to all tourist points in south and southwest, via Southern Railway, go into effect Oct. 15, 1900. Full particulars may be obtained by addressing any agent of that company. This is the route of the New York and Florida Limited and offers on all through trains dining car service the year round. Apply to George C. Daniels, N. E. P. A., 228 Washington street, Boston.

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M., A. & W. STREET RAILWAY TIME-TABLE.

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FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket [illegible] 45 [illegible] Last [illegible] 10.45 [illegible]

FRANKLIN TO MILFORD—A[illegible] Bellingham [illegible] Franklin [illegible] Milford [illegible] 11.30 [illegible]

FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham [illegible] Caryville every [illegible] 12 [illegible] 12.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.45, 6.45 [illegible] Bellingham [illegible] Caryville.

FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave Franklin [illegible] 6 [illegible] 7.45, 9.35, 10 [illegible] 11.45 a. m., 1.45, 3.15, 4.4[illegible] 6.15, 7.45, 9.15, 10.45 p. m. [illegible] 10.15 p. m. [illegible]

WRENTHAM, PLAINVILLE AND ATTLEBORO—Leave W[illegible] Main street [illegible] 7.00, 8.30, 10.00, 11.30 a. m., 1.00, 2.30, 4.00, 4.[illegible], 7.00, 8.30, 10.00 p. m.

[illegible] H. M. YOUNG, Sup't.

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The Registrars of Voters will be in session for the purpose of correcting and receiving new names to the voting list at the Town officers' room, in Franklin, on

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 1[illegible], from 7 to 9 P. M.

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WEDNESDAY, OCT. [illegible]4, from 7 to 9 P. M.

SATURDAY, OCT. 2[illegible], from 12 M. to 10 P. M.

Registration for the Presidential election will close on SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 2[illegible], at 10 o'clock, after which time no new names can be added to the voting list.

BRADLEY M. ROCKWOOD,
JAMES W. DESMOND,
MICHAEL J. COSTELLO,
ORESTES T. DOE.
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Franklin, Mass., Sept. 24, 1900. [illegible]

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Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Edwin J. Pond to Metcalf E. Pond, dated June 26, A. D. 1891, and recorded in the registry of deeds for the county of Norfolk, libro 661, folio 23, will be sold at public auction, on the lot hereinafter described as the homestead, on

SATURDAY, the TENTH day of NOVEMBER, A. D. 1900,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and therein described as follows, namely: All the right, title and interest of the said Edwin J. Pond in and to the following described pieces or parcels of land situated in said Franklin, viz:

One piece of fifty acres, more or less, called the Hardin pasture, bounded easterly by Grove street, northerly by land of James P. Ray, southerly and westerly by land of said Ray and land of William Rockwood.

One piece of twenty-five acres, more or less, called "Old Plain," bounded westerly on the aforesaid street, northerly on Mine brook, and easterly by land of Davis Thayer, Jr., and southerly by Beaver street.

One piece of about eleven acres, called the Beaver Pond lot, bounded northwesterly by said Beaver street, easterly by land of said Davis Thayer, Jr., southerly by land of J. M. Whiting's heirs and westerly by said Grove street.

One piece of about twenty three acres, called the Peterville lot, bounded northerly by land of William Rockwood and land of James Galvin, easterly by Mine brook and the mill pond and said Grove street, south and west by land of Susan K. Ray and the Forge Hill road.

One lot of about ten acres, called the Brown wood lot, bounded northerly and westerly by land of Leonard B. Brown, southerly by land of Walton A. Pond and easterly by land of Calvin Fairbanks.

And one lot of about sixteen acres of wood and cranberry land, bounded northerly by land of James Kelley, easterly by land of Fisher Pond, southerly and westerly by land of A. H. Dodge and land of the heirs of Enoch Brown.

One lot of twenty-three acres, more or less, bounded northerly by land of Joseph Smith, easterly and northerly by Mine brook, and southerly by land of James P. Ray, and westerly by land of the town of Franklin.

One lot of eleven acres, more or less, called the Homestead, bounded northerly by land of F. B. Ray, easterly by land of Daniel Buckley, southerly by Central street and westerly by said Central street and land of Susan B. Ray.

Also one lot of about six acres, called the Aldis Meadow, bounded northerly and easterly by land of said Smith, southerly and westerly by land of D. P. Whiting, D. F. Adams, Seneca Adams and James P. Ray.

Terms made known at time and place of sale.

METCALF E. POND,
Mortgagee.

Franklin, Mass., Oct. 8, A. D. 1900. oc12,19,26

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Lewis F. Williams, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Edwin O. Williams of Taunton, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of November, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this tenth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

oc12,19,26

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Hubbard M. Bullock, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Mira S. Bullock of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of November, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator de bonis non, with the will annexed, of the estate of Goldsbury Pond, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

METCALF E. POND,
Administrator.

Address, Franklin, Mass.
Oct. 17, A. D. 1900. oc19,26,no2

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Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 8.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
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West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
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West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Mr. Bailey at High school tonight.

O. S. Stetson, Jr., attends Dartmouth college this year.

A new burglar alarm has been arranged at the savings bank.

October devotions will be held in St. Mary's chapel this evening.

The electric and steam railroad time-tables are corrected up to date.

Dean will play the Thayer academy football eleven here next Saturday.

Chester A. Brown of Unionville goes to Ipswich to work in a hosiery factory.

A partridge flew against the store window of Grocer Fales last week, breaking it.

A delegation from Wonewok tribe, Red Men, will visit the North Attleboro tribe this evening.

C. A. Briggs is moving his household goods to Norwood, where he has a confectionery store.

Look out for your clothing if you leave it out over night. Some has disappeared of late.

The social of the Jolly club in Red Men's hall on Friday evening was well attended and very enjoyable.

It is said that the running time of the electrics between Franklin and Woonsocket is to be much reduced.

Mrs. E. D. Daniels returned to Philadelphia on Monday, called there by the critical condition of her mother.

A large number of Franklin people witnessed the Knights of Columbus parade at Woonsocket on Sunday.

There will be a special meeting of the members of the Franklin brass band at the town hall on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Mary A. Hysom and Mrs. Fred Whitney and daughter of Winthrop, Me., are guests of Mrs. Horace W. Hosie.

Arthur W. Leslie of Coney Island, N. Y., former proprietor of the Chestnut Hill duck farm, is spending a week in town.

The grange will work the third and fourth degrees on Thursday evening. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

The Ladies' Social circle of the Universalist church will meet with Mrs. Perkins, Dean avenue, next Wednesday afternoon.

The W. R. C. will furnish the collation for the visiting bodies of the institute tomorrow, at G. A. R. hall, on East street, at 12.20 p. m.

There will be a special meeting of Fidelity lodge, A. O. U. W., this evening to make arrangements for attending the funeral of Cyril LeClair.

The C. E. society will hold a "shadow social" at the Congregational church tomorrow evening, with a number of novel features. All are invited.

Mrs. Mary Malatesta, wife of Louis Malatesta, the fruit dealer at Fisher's store, died suddenly Sunday morning from childbirth. The couple had been married about a year.

Norfolk lodge, N. E. O. P., meets tomorrow evening. All members are requested to be present as matters of importance are expected to come up at that time.

A number from here will go to Fall River on Thursday to attend the Y. M. C. A. convention. Round trip tickets can be had for $1. 25 by way of Walpole. The convention closes Sunday.

Dr. T. L. Martin sends his automobile along at a two minute clip, and asserts that he finds it more pleasureable than driving the fastest trotter he ever held the lines over. It is very exhilarating.

The Democrats will hold a rally in the Opera house on Thursday evening. The speakers will be William H. Baker, Democratic candidate for congress in the 11th district, Joseph A. Dennison and possibly Judge Putnam.

Supt. E. D. Daniels delivered two addresses at a teachers' institute held in Hingham on Friday, in the forenoon on "Courses of Study in the High School" and in the afternoon on "Latin." Both were highly spoken of.

Prof. and Mrs. L. L. Burrington of Peabody spent the Sabbath with friends in town. The professor finds his new work very congenial and has about ten school buildings and nearly sixty school teachers under his charge.

Charles Williams, who read so acceptably to an appreciative audience last winter, will give a reading Friday of next week for the benefit of the Horace Mann library. His selections will be taken largely from "To Have and to Hold."

The following ladies have qualified to play in the golf contest between the Franklin and Cumberland clubs on next Thursday afternoon on the links here: Miss King, Miss Sherman, Miss Rathbun, Miss Eisenhardt, Mrs. Thayer, Miss Ray, Mrs. Bassett and Miss Stott.

The supreme court has just decided that when a railroad corporation lets the hack privileges to any party it prevents others from soliciting passengers at the station, the ground being taken that the presence of others there constitutes a trespass.

The remains of Cornelius Sullivan, an aged and respected resident of Bellingham, who died Thursday, were brought here for interment in St. Mary's cemetery Saturday morning, a requiem mass being previously celebrated in the chapel by Rev. Father Lee.

Rev. I. W. Sneath and C. B. Johnson represent the Congregational church at the ecclesiastical council of the Milford Congregational church, October 30, to formally dismiss Rev. Mr. Woodbury from the church pastorate, according to Congregational custom.

A meeting of the King's Daughters and Sons will be held next Friday evening, at 7.30, in the parlor of the Universalist church. At this meeting Mrs. Haslam will give her report of the convention held in East Weymouth. It is hoped that all members will be present.

At the Universalist church Sunday evening Rev. D. M. Hodge gave an interesting address on the religious condition of the country a century ago. The intense religious convictions on the one side and the indifference and agnostic tendencies on the other were clearly defined.

That was a fierce contest on the Dean campus on Saturday, when the Deans met the strong eleven from the Friends' school of Providence. The playing continued till about dark, some rattling good plays on both sides resulting. Dean, though outplayed and beaten by a score of 21 to 5, put up a stiff fight.

All who heard Henry T. Bailey, agent of the state board of education, will wish to hear him again. He will give an address in the hall of the Horace Mann High school Tuesday, Oct. 23, at 7.45. The public is most cordially invited to attend and take part in the discussion which is to follow the address.

The Cantabrigia club of Cambridge opened its literary meetings brilliantly on Friday, Oct. 19, in the Newtowne club house, with a lecture by Howard Malcolm Ticknor, A. M., of this place, on "A New View of Portia." The lecture was appealing and suggestive, from a human as well as from a literary point of view.

There was a large attendance of ladies and gentlemen in Odd Fellows' hall last evening to listen to Rev. Dr. DeNormandie, but for some unexplained reason the speaker failed to arrive. Miss Hamlin very kindly stepped into the breach and without preparation gave a very interesting account of her experiences in Paris and at the fair.

The remains of James W. Wilkinson, a veteran of the civil war, who passed away at the soldiers' home in Chelsea last Thursday, were brought here Friday and funeral services held at 23 Cottage street Sunday afternoon, Rev. F. B. Sleeper officiating. The deceased was 65 years and 5 months of age. The interment was at Sheldonville.

S. C. Bourne, with fifty-four others, gathered Wednesday afternoon in the old ancestral house of the Bourne family in Bourne, Mass., to witness the marriage of Miss Helen L. Bourne, daughter of the late Capt. Henry A. Bourne, president of the Old Dominion Steamship company of New York city, to the Rev. Mark B. Taylor, pastor of the Park Congregational church, Brooklyn. The ancient house, (built in 1672) looked pretty in its autumn decorations. Miss Bourne is a niece of our fellow townsman.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Rowe of Harlem, N. Y., were guests of Dr. A. J. and J. C. Gallison last week. Mr. Rowe is a nephew of ex Gov. Perham of Maine and an old schoolmate of Dr. A. J. Gallison in Maine. He is the general agent of a number of the big New York life insurance companies and was touring from New York to the White Mountains on a tandem with his wife.

Cyril LeClair, who has been ill with typhoid fever the past few weeks, succumbed to the disease at midnight Sunday at his home on North Park street. He was 40 years of age and leaves a wife and five children. He was a member of Fidelity lodge, A. O. U. W., and a delegation from the order will attend the funeral, which will be held tomorrow morning from St. Mary's chapel.

The friends of John Ewen, formerly of this place, but who has been for seven years a loom fixer in Texas, will be interested to know that he is at present in Philadelphia. Mr. Ewen has just received his certificate for the designing course from the American Correspondence School of Textiles, New Bedford, Mass. He will couple this knowledge of designing with his experience in the weave room.

Charles Whitney was struck by an electric car near Hoag lake Thursday morning and had one shoulder broken. Whitney was walking on the track, and when the car approached stepped to one side, and when the car had nearly passed him, in some way he got too near and the rail on the rear end struck his shoulder. Whitney was brought to Franklin and attended by Dr. Gallison and later sent to the hospital at Boston. Whitney was employed on the Chilson place, near Hoag lake, and had a basket of provisions with him at the time of the accident.

The farm house owned by A. M. Waite and occupied by Lewis Leighton on the Wrentham road was destroyed by fire that was discovered in the milk house attached to the dwelling about 2 o'clock yesterday morning. Three alarms were rung in. The fire department did good service in preventing the fire spreading to the outbuildings, which contained 50 head of cattle, but were unable to save the dwelling, milk house or granary owing to the headway attained by the flames when the firemen arrived. A large quantity of potatoes that were stored in the cellar were destroyed. Mr. Leighton and family had barely time to escape with their lives, but a piano and some of the household furniture were saved. The loss will reach $3,000, on which there is an insurance of $1,500.

The Norfolk county temperance convention held at Bellingham Thursday was presided over by Sadford W. Billings of Sharon. Dr. Albro of Milford and Rev. F. B. Sleeper of Franklin were among the speakers. The army canteen was referred to in scathing terms, and George Bennett of Northbridge said he read the Voice and didn't believe it would lie, and wanted every voter to vote straight prohibition. He had known rumsellers whom he would believe sooner than he would some professed Christians. Rev. F. B. Sleeper believed temperance reform must come through the Christian church, and thought the outlook was encouraging in that direction. Dr. Albro didn't feel as hopeful as Rev. Mr. Sleeper, but was not disposed to dispute the point. As usual the Bellingham people gave the visitors a cordial welcome and comfortable and bountiful entertainment.

Four candidates were baptized Sunday evening at the Baptist church in the presence of a large audience. Rev. F. B. Sleeper gave an earnest discourse on "Special Work for Special Need." He said the church is lacking in heroic effort. We are fully consecrated unto that which is pleasant and easy, but we refuse the difficult moral and spiritual undertakings that demand sacrifice, and suffering, and deepest courage of soul. The great glory of the saint lies in overcoming mighty obstacles, and like the shepherd pressing his way through dangers and thickets and stinging thorns after the sheep that have wandered from the fold. To help those who need no help amounts to nothing. But to carry deliverance to those enthralled in evil, to bind up the broken-hearted and to make the weak strong in Christ constitutes the great and divine mission of the Christian. We need to pattern after the devotion and heroism of the early church.

John Kingsley was sentenced to three months in Dedham jail at the session of the district court here on Saturday, the charge being the larceny of a dog from the premises of Patrick Collins of Fisher street. Associate Justice Whitaker was on the bench. Kingsley filed a notice of appeal, but was unable to furnish bonds for his appearance at the December term of court and he was taken to Dedham in the afternoon. When on the way to the Medway car in charge of Deputy Sheriff Fitzpatrick a request was made by Kingsley that he be permitted to go into the Jog Along store to leave an overcoat which he carried. Once in the store he slipped out the back door and ran down onto the railroad track as far as the Colonial rubber works, when he crossed over to the Milford track. Officer Redpath had chased him from Nason's crossing and succeeded in capturing him on the Milford track near Beaver pond. The deputy sheriff took Kingsley to Dedham on the 4.15 car.

Probably nineteen twentieths of the happiness you will ever have you will get at home. The independence that comes to a man when his work is over and he feels that he has run out of the storm into the quiet harbor of home, where he can rest in peace and with his family, is something real. It does not make much difference whether you own your house or have one little room in that house. You can make that one little room a true home to you. You can people it with such moods, you can turn to it with such sweet fancies, that it will be fairly luminous with their presence, and it will be to you the very perfection of a home.—Exchange.

Not Yet "Up to the Selectmen."

We have received a communication asking if the selectmen propose to permit the M., A and W. Street Railway company to run cars at intervals greater than one hour, when the terms of the charter read as follows: "Said railway company shall run its cars daily, and, excepting Sundays, at least as often as once an hour from 7 a. m. to 10 p. m., so as to furnish reasonable accommodation to the public." We have interviewed a member of the board and he asserts that it is the privilege of any citizen who feels that he is aggrieved to petition to the selectmen to have the matter investigated, and if the company is exceeding its rights to have the matter corrected.

Everybody Welcome.

A teachers' institute, under the direction of the state board of education, will be held in the Horace Mann building tomorrow, beginning at 9.15. The following will be the programme:

9.15—Opening exercises.
9.25—General Address, Secretary F. A. Hill.
10.20—Drawing (Primary Section), Henry T. Bailey, Agent of the Board.
10.20—Arithmetic (Grammar Section), John T. Prince, Agent of the Board.
10.20—Latin (High School Section), James W. McDonald, Agent of the Board.
11.20—Story-telling (Primary Section), Mrs. Eliza-beth Y. Rolan, Boston.
11.20—History (Grammar Section), Arthur C. Boyden, Bridgewater State Normal School.
11.20—History (High School Section), Mr. Hill.
12.15—Intermission.
1.20—Language (Primary Section), Wm. H. Sanderson, superintendent of schools, Bridgewater.
1.20—Drawing (Grammar Section), Mr. Bailey.
1.20—English Literature (High School Section), Miss Emily Fisher, Bridgewater State Normal School.
2.20—Nature Study (Primary Section), Mr. Boyden.
2.20—Reading (Grammar Section), Mr. McDonald.
2.20—Geometry (High School Section), Mr. Prince.
3.20—Kindergarten Methods in the Primary School (Primary Section), Miss Anna W. Devereaux, Lowell State Normal School.
3.20—Language and Grammar (Grammar Section), Mr. Sanderson.
3.20—English (High School Section), Miss Fisher.

Epworth League Literary.

The literary meeting of the Epworth league, to be held at the residence of Miss Lulu Willard, 16 Dean avenue, tomorrow evening, at 8 o'clock, bids fair to be one of the best ever held thus far, judging from the program. Rev. Mr. Quickmire is a bright and entertaining speaker and a most profitable evening is assured. All young people who are interested will be most cordially welcome.

Following is the program:

The Campaign Now On—Remarks by Third Vice President.
Duett—"The Beautiful City of God," Gebel
Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Stewart.
Current Events,
Miss Emma C. Enegren.
Paper, "Richard Newcomb,"
Miss Mary E. Bright.
Instrumental,
Miss Jessie Hosie.
Address—"A Pilgrimage! A Wheelback!"
Rev. Samuel Quickmire, B. A., of Boston.
An Anecdote of the C. E. Convention, London,
Rev. S. Arthur Cook.
Duett—"Sweet Peace, the Gift of God's Word," Billhorn
Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Stewart.
Quotations—A social game for all.

Happy Children.

More delighted children it would be difficult to find than those who enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. E. K. Ray, at Elm farm, last Saturday, about thirty mothers of the Mothers' section and about fifty children being warmly welcomed by Mrs. Ray in a neat speech. She was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Broenniman, who added noticeably to the pleasure of the occasion by entertaining the children with fascinating stories. There were little tots, and older ones who proudly asserted "I'm getting a big boy now," the ages ranging from one to ten years. Music was furnished by Miss Gould, and marches, games and dances were enjoyed. Ice cream, cake, fancy crackers, etc., were partaken of, and young and old voted it an occasion of rare enjoyment. Dainty little programs were given each child to be saved as memorabilia of the occasion. The refinement of happiness which one receives by affording it to others was splendidly illustrated by this afternoon of enjoyment.

Death of William Mann.

William Mann passed away this morning about 5 o'clock. He had not been quite so well of late, though his immediate death was not expected. He had taken some nourishment about a half-hour before, and Mrs. Mann was dozing. When she awoke later she noticed that he was still sitting in his chair, but not breathing. The end came very quietly and painlessly. Owing to his malady he could not lie down, but slept sitting. He was 82 years of age. Obituary will appear on Friday.

An Explanation.

Some comment is made upon the slowness with which the cars upon the Medway & Medfield Street railway climb the Franklin hill, and some people attribute the same to lack of power at the station furnishing the same. Such is not the fact; the difficulty is purely an electrical one. The street railway contracts with the Medfield Electric Light and Power company for a supply of electricity of a certain pressure or voltage at the generating station, to which feed wires are run by the street railway company. By the time the current reaches the Medway hill there is a large drop, not in the quantity of current, but in the voltage or electrical pressure, due to the resistance in the line, which the current encounters in passing through the same. And that drop at that point is not constant, but increases with any increase in the load carried, while the voltage at the station is always practically constant. By actual measurement at this point the drop may run as high as seventy per cent., depending upon the load at that place.

As a matter of fact, the pressure at the station is automatically increased slightly with increasing load up to about ten per cent. with full load. It is not well to increase the voltage more because of danger of burning out lamps and motors at other points on the line where the drop at any particular moment might not be heavy.

Three ways are found to overcome the difficulty encountered at this hill: One by an increase in copper in the feeders, which in this particular instance would be very expensive. Secondly, putting in near the hill, or at the lower station, a booster, so called, which automatically takes a certain amount of the current, at a given or low voltage, and increases the voltage at the point desired, but that is open to the objection that it creates what is known as a surging current, dangerous to both lamps and motors, and increases the fuel cost nearly seventy per cent. The third, and most feasible way, is to install a storage battery at, or near, the hill. To this the current is fed automatically. It acts as a great reservoir of power, being supplied when the cars are taking a normal or less amount in running, and then when any car has to take a large amount the storage battery instantly gives forth its current. A small drop in the line voltage near the battery causes the battery to supply its stored current at a high voltage at that point, thus preventing any large drop there.

There is no piece of machinery which will do so much work with so little attention as a good commercial storage battery of the present day. It may be charged today and at the end of three months give out eighty-five per cent. of the energy with which it has been stored.

The street railway company has, I understand, the matter of installation of a storage battery at that hill under advisement, which, if installed, will add greatly to the safety and comfort of passengers, as well as economy of operation of the road.

The Medfield Electric Light and Power company maintains at its station for this road exclusively one three-hundred horse power Westinghouse generator and one two hundred horse power General Electric machine, either one of which would run a road double the size of this road, running four times the number of cars, under the electrical conditions contracted for with us.

J. J. FEELY,
Treasurer Medfield Electric Light and Power Company.

October 18, 1900.

Card of Thanks.

To the bearers and friends who kindly assisted at the funeral of my husband, please accept sincere thanks.

F. A. WILKINSON.

Driven Wells.

If you want a well that isn't contaminated, see our adv. on page four. Our wells go below all surface water into the ledge, thus avoiding all contamination.

W. I. HOPKINS.

Auction.

Selected household articles at Opera House block on Friday evening at 7.30. These are especially fine goods.

North side of a five-cent rake, 40,000 furlongs from Jupiter, a good assortment of furniture and a nice line of carpets at right prices. Don't be a fool and go elsewhere. Sanford Bros., Medway.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse.

Two chairs at Ochee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser in attendance. Short waits.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

Of Vital Importance.

In a communication to the SENTINEL March 3, 1899, I said: "Towns with public waterworks must have efficient drainage or suffer a fearful penalty in destruction of life. Shutting our eyes will not give immunity. An enormous amount of water polluted with filth and excrement has destroyed our wells, many of which have been converted into cesspools. These overflowing have saturated the soil with filth in all directions. The old wells are filled with horrible decaying excrement. The emanations from these are a fearful menace to health, finding their way into our homes and living as household gods by our hearthstones. When once the germs of water-borne diseases, like typhoid fever, dysentery, malaria, etc., are planted on this inviting soil an epidemic of fearful virulence will be upon us and the death angel will reap an appalling harvest. Let us meet this question squarely and deal with it in a business like manner. In any event it is a condition, not a theory that confronts us."

This condition has been vastly removed by our system of drainage, thanks to the foresight of our people.

Again, I protest against the indiscriminate, sensational use of the terms "typhoid" and "typhoid fever" used in our beautiful town. A few sporadic cases of any disease do not constitute an "epidemic." In this connection I quote from a letter which I recently received from the state board of health, "this condition in your town has not been called an epidemic by the board."

J. C. GALLISON,
Chairman of Selectmen of Franklin.

A Warm Greeting.

Forty five members of Division 8, A. O. H., went to Milford in a special trolley car Friday evening upon invitation of Division 15, the latter having an anniversary celebration on the above date and arranged for a social smoke talk. Upon the arrival of the Franklin delegation at Milford they were met by a committee from Division 15, and headed by a drum corps, were escorted to the Hibernian rooms in Church block. Elaborate preparations had been made for the entertainment of the Franklin guests and a fine musical and literary programme was carried out after the visitors had been welcomed in a neat speech by Dr. William J. Welch, president of Division 15. Other addresses were made by ex State President J. F. Stratton of Division 7 of Milford, County President J. J. Rogers of Worcester, G. H. Sheahan of Boston, editor of the Hibernian, and M. F. Kearns, president of Division 8. A bountiful collation was served during the evening, and altogether the smoke-talk was one long to be remembered with pleasure by the 250 Hibernians who participated. The Franklin delegation returned home at 12.30.

This is what the poor editor has to "run up against:" "Send me a few copies of your paper which had the obituary and verses about the death of my little child a week ago today. And be sure to publish the inclosed clipping about my niece's marriage. And I wish you would mention in your local columns, if it don't cost me nothing, that I am going to have a public sale and will rent my farm; also that I have a few extra calves to sell. Send me ten or fifteen copies of the paper free, as times is hard and I can't afford to waste money on sich things. I am er life-long Republican." Comment is needless.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

To Rent.—A desirable tenement of six rooms; $12 per month. Inquire of O. T. Doe. 14 tf

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To Let.—Cottage house on Union street; newly painted and papered. Apply to A. Farrington. 16,19,23

A competent girl can obtain a good situation doing housework by addressing "E," SENTINEL office. 28

Get your round-trip Boston, Providence and Milford tickets of Charles H. Prince at the SENTINEL office.

Ladies' and children's felt hats for sale at retail. Also trimmings, feathers and velvets at Stewart's straw shop.

Frank O. Dudley, formerly with R. G. Irwin, will do bicycle repairing at the corner of Central and Union streets. 9-8t*

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

These are fish days. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fishman.

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1900.

Men Supplanting Women. With carefully gleaned statistics, Edward Bok, in Ladies' Home Journal, shows that the number of women in business is decreasing, and will continue rapidly to grow less. "The tide of women rushing pell-mell into all kinds of business has been stemmed—in fact it is already receding, and perceptibly so," he contends. "It has already been asserted by female agitators that the growing tendency to dismiss women from various business positions is because of the opposition of men to the employment of women. On the contrary, men were willing to have women go into business pursuits, and it was men who opened positions for them. Undoubtedly this was largely due to the selfish business reason that women would work for lower wages than men. But with the influx there necessarily came into the business world a great deal of incompetent female help. For a time incompetency was overlooked, because of the lower wages. Gradually, however, there came the inevitable weeding process, temporarily stayed by the business depression of the past few years. When prosperous times came it was different, and it is a very significant story which accurate statistics tell, that more women have been discharged from business positions during the past year of prosperity, even taking into consideration the larger number employed, than in any previous year."

An affecting story comes from Philadelphia of the application for divorce by a deaf mute wife from her deaf mute husband. The history of a married life of this character can be imagined, to some extent. Naturally the matrimonial experience would begin in a quiet wedding and a quiet married life should follow. Nevertheless, although loud words were unknown, exasperating language was possible. The wife complains that her husband "called her names" on his fingers. We all know that it takes two to make a quarrel, and it would appear that a deaf mute possesses superior faculties for avoiding quarrels. As the wife could not hear what the husband was saying, all she needed to do was to turn her back, that she might not see the gyrations of his finger tips. But possibly this procedure would become wearisome at length. At all events, a Philadelphia court has been asked to pronounce the marriage a failure and break the bonds.

A peach grower near Georgetown, Del., protected his trees from the depredations of fruit thieves this summer by conspicuously displaying this legend on signs nailed to the fence surrounding his orchard: "Caution! This Fence is surmounted by a Live Electric Wire!" The wire could be seen on top of the fence, strung on glass insulators and no one attempted to meddle with it, but now that he has marketed his crop the owner of the orchard admits that it was a "dummy."

A St. Louis druggist recently advertised for "an accurate, registered, thin drug clerk, with a mustache." When asked why he wanted an assistant with these special qualifications, the druggist explained that experience had taught him that a young and attractive clerk was of more value in selling to women, particularly those buying soda water. Corpulent clerks, he added, are specially to be avoided on this account.

The number of cut roses sold annually in the markets of the United States is estimated at 100,000,000, valued at $9,0000.000; 100,000,000 carnations, valued at $4,000,000; violets, 75,000,000, valued at $750,000; chrysanthemums, 50,-000,000, valued at $500,000. The capital invested in carnations alone is said to be $2,000,000, and an even greater amount in chrysanthemums.

Eruptions

Dry, moist, scaly tetter, all forms of eczema or salt rheum, pimples and other cutaneous eruptions proceed from humors, either inherited, or acquired through defective digestion and assimilation.

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DOG COULDN'T STAND IT.

The Excitement Was Too Much and It Expired While Watching Women in a Fight.

They were only sisters, but the merry way in which they plucked out each other's hair by the roots in the vestibule entrance to a Dearborn avenue apartment house indicated a long standing mutual hatred, reports the Chicago Chronicle. Several hundred excited spectators gathered from the street and near-by flats, but among them all there was none who evinced any desire to separate the women who were pounding each other and rolling on the floor in a confusion and strenuosity that won the plaudits of the crowd.

"Choke her, Ida," shouted a fat man who sided with the woman that had gained the upper hand and was scratching her opponent's face with fingers that worked like a tiny tedder.

It was the landlord who rushed into the crowd in a laudable effort to part the combatants. At his heels and as much excited as his master came his pet terrier. Around and around the little dog whirled, barking loudly while the landlord exerted his strength to end the fight. Just as its owner succeeded in his errand of peace the terrier fell over on its side, dead. The excitement had been too much for its weak heart.

Too Ignorant for Kansas.

A Kansas man en route to the Paris exposition declares that the only time he ever really lost his nerve was when the sailors on the ship commenced to load up the lifeboats with water and biscuits. He says that he didn't know that this was done once a week in order to have the boats always in readiness, and felt sure a great storm was coming that would swamp them all. "I was scared and asked the captain about it," he says, "and the captain laughed at me. That made me mad. These captains put on too much dog, anyway. There isn't one of them that could tell the difference between a self-binder and a strawstacker."

To Protect Wild Animals.

An act for the prevention of cruelty to wild animals has just become effective in England. The new law extends the provisions of the act, which has heretofore extended only to domestic animals, to all birds, fishes and reptiles not included in that measure, and makes offenders liable to three months' imprisonment or a fine of £5.

Bovine Sanctity in India.

The sacredness of the cow has been enormously costly in India this famine year. When the rains failed and the pastures dried up, instead of killing and curing the cattle for food, and so helping to tide over the famine time, the cattle starved with their masters.

All Out.

Hungry Rooley—How d'yer feel, old chappie?

Empty Egan—Like a meal ticket, wit' every meal punched out.—Brock-

Don't Get Thin

Get fat; get nice and plump; there is safety in plumpness.

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PERSONAL ITEMS.

Gen. De Wet, the Boer commander has proved himself a shrewd man of business. He gained a fair fortune from his skillful working of his farm and this he has increased by speculation.

Enthusiasm for music is leading the earl of Dysart to make the rounds of his cottagers and to present a piano to each family where he finds that any of the children show an aptitude for music.

Leif Ericksen, who led a band of Norsemen on the expedition which resulted in what is supposed to be the earliest discovery of America, is to be honored by the Chicago society that bears his name. A statue is to be erected soon.

Pet names are of frequent use in the royal family of England. The duke of York is called "Mumsniff," and the duchess of Fyfe "Her Royal Shyness." Little Prince Edward of York has always been known as "the new boy." Princess Patricia of Connaught, born on St. Patrick's day, is dubbed "Paddy."

Speaker Gully is the fifth who has presided over the house of commons since the queen began to reign. As speaker he receives £5,000 a year and residence at Westminster. When he retires he will receive a peerage and a pension of £4,000 a year. Mr. Gully is a descendant of a prizefighter, John Gully, who became a member of parliament and a colliery proprietor.

Ex-King Milan finds it more difficult every day to borrow money. His debts and his difficulties make his life very bitter. He is placed on the blacklist of Carlsbad's business people, who warn all their friends against "a certain Milan, formerly king of Servia," and announce that no goods should be sold to him except on a cash basis.

ENGINEERING INTERESTS.

The order of [illegible] guns and two destroyers for the Turkish navy has been placed with Messrs. Krupp, of Essen, notwithstanding that the tender of Messrs. Armstrong, Whitworth & Co., of Great Britain, was over $400,000 less than that of the German firm.

The British admiralty are introducing a new weapon into the English navy. It is a modification of the Hotchkiss, but instead of being quick-firing the breech mechanism is self-feeding and automatic. The gun throws a three-pound shell at the rate of 400 rounds per minute. It will probably be officially designated as the three-pound automatic gun.

A remarkable engineering feat is soon to be attempted in Boston—the moving of a six-story brick and stone hotel building from one site to another without taking it apart. The ground upon which the building now stands is of a swampy character, and 750 piles will have to be driven around the foundations of the structure to support the [illegible] jacks upon which it will be raised from its foundations prior to its removal. It will be transferred to its new location, 42 feet distant, on steel rollers.

A giant schooner, capable of carrying 5,000 tons of coal, has been launched at a Maine port. From the two-master of 350 tons the American schooner has been enlarged to a six-master of 2,700 tonnage, in whose double holds can be stored 2½ times the cargo of former days. The crew of the new ship will number only 14. Sails and anchors are handled by steam-hoisting gear, and the vessel is provided with electric bells, telephones and steam heat in her cabins.

VARIOUS INDUSTRIES.

A complete list of glass factories at the opening of the 1900-1901 "fire" shows that there are 380 in the country. Indiana leads the list with 117, five more than Pennsylvania, which comes next. The others fall far behind, Illinois coming last with three—one each for window glass, bottles and jars and pressed ware.

A Colorado inventor proposes a promising improvement in car ventilation whereby the hood is fitted with a sheet of felt which a stream of water keeps damp, says the Railway and Engineering Review. The dust entering with the air impinges upon the felt and is thus caught out from the air, which, after this purification, then is deflected into the car.

Pearls are being found in great quantities in the Black and St. Francois rivers in southwest Missouri. A Poplar Bluff fisherman found the first gem in an ordinary mussel which he picked up on a shoal in Black river. He sold the gem to a St. Louis jeweler for $125 and since then hundreds of people have flocked to the rivers to engage in pearl fishing. Many valuable gems have been found. Nearly all are white, with tinting of different hues, and range in size from a grain of wheat to an ordinary pea.

EXPOSITION NOTES.

Dom Carlos I., artist and king of Portugal, has received a silver medal at the Paris exhibition for a marine sketch in pastel.

The presentation of the awards of the Paris exposition was an elaborate ceremony. A number of decorations of the Legion of Honor have been distributed.

The panorama of the battle of Champigny, by the great French military painters De Neuville and Detaille, has had a checkered career. When the panorama ceased to pay, it was cut into pieces and the groups were sold separately. The central scene was exhibited in several French towns and was finally pawned. It is at present in the section known as "Old Paris," at the exposition.

Her Darling Little Brother.

About half an hour had been expended by the bashful young man in a series of advances and retreats, and little Johnny's cramped position behind the sofa was becoming somewhat painful.

"I wish I dared—" the young man commenced on a new attack, when the couple were electrified by an impatient exclamation behind them: "Aw, make a break! She's dead easy!"—Brooklyn Life.

Her Finance.

Mag—Now dat she's got so rich, I s'pose she's shook Billy Casey dat used ter be her steady comp'ny.

Kit—Not much. She lets him take care of her roll now.

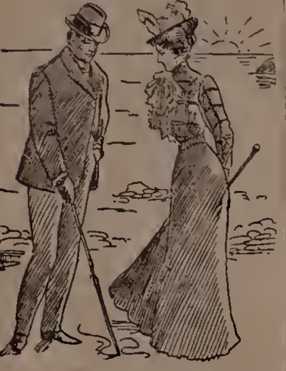
Mag—Git out!

Kit—Dat's right. I sez to 'er: "Is Billy yer steady comp'ny yet?" and she drawed 'erself up an' sez: "Mr. Casey is my financier."—Philadelphia Press.

It Was a Bargain.

"For your thoughts, miss,
I will gladly give this,"
Said the youth, as he held up a penny.
"Well, I think no kiss
I would surely not miss,"
Answered the maid, "from among so
many."
—Chicago Daily News.

A LOSING VENTURE.



She—Well, Arthur, did you tell dad that little fib about the prospective large salary you confidently anticipated you would soon be earning?

He (gloomily)—M'yes.

She—Well?

He—He borrowed a couple of pounds on the spot.—Punch.

But He'll Get There.

The shirt-waist man has come to stay,
So good Dame Fashion says.
Of corset is too soon to say
When he will come to stays.
—Philadelphia Press.

Her Wish.

"If I had it to do over again," remarked the tired-looking woman in the grocery store, "I think I'd marry a chef."

"Are you so great an epicure?"

"No; but it would be a comfort to do the complaining myself about the marketing and the management of the kitchen."—Washington Star.

On Broader Ground.

"Penelope, you say too many cutting things about husband-hunting women; you ought to stand by your own sex."

"Yes, I know; but don't you think the brotherhood of man a much higher law?"—Indianapolis Journal.

An Example.

Mrs. Brown—Did you ever know of a man falling in love with his wife?

Mr. Brown—Why, yes. Young Jack Jones didn't find out that his wife had money till they'd been married over a year.—Judge.

No Spendthrift.

Judge—You were begging on the public streets, and yet you had $20 in your pocket.

Prisoner—Yes, judge, I may not be as industrious as some, y'r honor, but I'm no spendthrift.—N. Y. Weekly.

Literature on the Decline.

Sunday School Teacher—Johnny, do you always try to read good books?

Johnny—Yes'm; but it's gettin' to be hard work fer a feller to git holt of a good Injun story these days.—Indianapolis Sun.

A Gallant Retort.

She—I will be frank with you and acknowledge that you do not, like many men I know, assume to be perfection.

He—No, but I'm very near it.—Richmond Dispatch.

Skilled in His Trade.

"I suppose you're a skillful watchmaker?"

"Yes, indeed! Everybody who gets me to mend his watch is sure to come back again and again."—Philadelphia Record.

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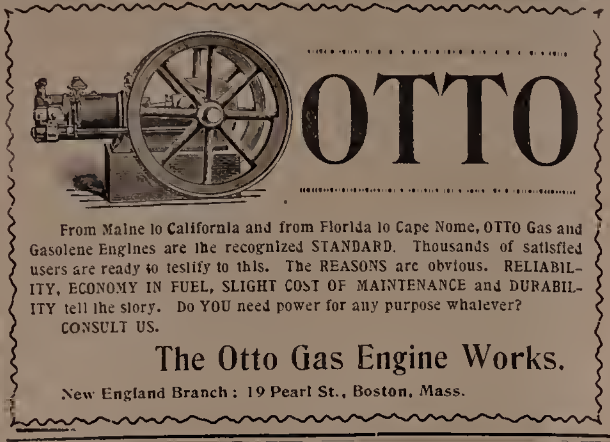

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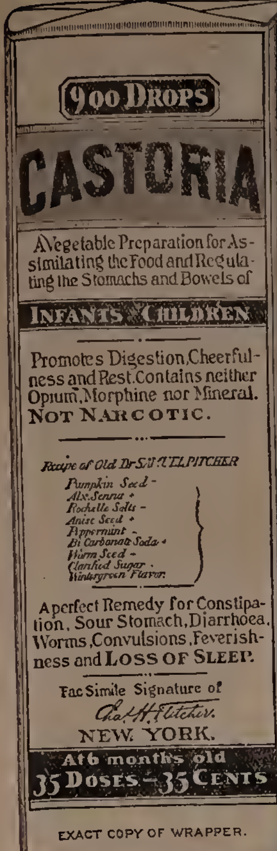
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"ANYONE desiring to purchase an eligible suburban residence, three minutes walk from the railway station and 25 minutes' ride from the city, ten commodious rooms, hot and cold water, furnace stable, chicken coop, superior cistern and 150-foot frontage, can get the same at a bargain by applying to me before the thing wears off." Thus Dugway.

"What's the trouble with the desirable residence?" inquired his right-hand man "Mosquitoes?"

"Haven't see a skeeter this summer—not to get a good look at it," said Dugway.

"I suppose they don't come around before dark, and the screens keep them out of the house. Perhaps the suburb is malarious?"

"I've lived there for four years now, and out of a teeming population of nearly 150 souls I have not heard of a case of sickness except one, and that was a man who fell off the roof of a house. The taxes are not excessive, the air is pure, there is no license accorded to cows, the sidewalks are the best you ever saw. There has never been a burglary, a misappropriation of the village funds, a scandal or a keg-beer picnic. The trouble is with the people; they haven't got any sense of humor."

"They're not to blame for that; there are lots of people that way. I am myself. I could never quite understand your jokes, although I know that they must be good because they seem to please you so. I think sometimes that you have a humorous development about a century ahead of your time The present age doesn't appreciate your funny things, but if you had some recording Boswell to put them down you would make the sides of the next generation ache. As it is, you simply make me ache all over."

Dugway accepted the reproof meekly "You know my boy Vance?" he said.

The right-hand man had heard of that boy before, but he knew it was of no use to object when Dugway started in to tell a story of him.

"It seems to me that I have heard you speak of him—some few hundred thousand times, more or less; but don't let that stop you. I think Vance comes tolerably near holding you level, and I've got a deep respect for him on that account."

"Well, Vance came to me the other day and said that he needed 50 cents. It is surprising the thirst for gold that afflicts the present generation. That boy is always needing money for something or other. If his needs increase with his age he will be the most unsatisfied man living or else he will chisel Cecil Rhodes out of the earth.

"I said to him: 'My son, it isn't two days since I gave you a quarter, and yesterday I gave you a kite, so I think you might let those hold you for awhile.' By the way, I want to tell you about that kite. You know I have been trying to inculcate a spirit of unselfishness and self-abnegation in the boy He has, I am sorry to say, frequently shown a tendency to consider himself before others It is very sad and not at all what you would naturally expect of a son of mine, but it is the truth nevertheless. Vance had a corking good kite, and one of his little playmates the son of poor but honest parents, hadn't any kite at all. I told him that I thought it would be a very nice thing if he gave poor Jimmy his kite.

"'I don't want to,' said Vance.

"'I know you don't want to, my little son,' I said, 'but I think, nevertheless, that it would be a very lovely and noble thing for you to do. Jimmy is always very kind to you, and it would please me to see you good to him. I don't tell you to do it, you know The kite is yours, and you can do what you like with it.'

"He went away hanging his head, but the next evening when I came home he told me that he had been with Jimmy helping him to fly his kite.

"'Has Jimmy got a kite?' I asked.

"'Yes,' said Vance, 'I gave him mine.'

"I didn't say anything much, but when I got downtown I went into a store and I got Vance a nice new kite, and when I got home I gave him the parcel. He didn't seem to be very much surprised, somehow, but he opened up the parcel and looked the thing over critically. It was evidently a disappointment. I asked him if he didn't like it

"'Oh, ye-es,' he says, 'only I don't see that it's any better than the one I gave Jimmy.'

"But I was going to tell you about that 50 cents. When I demurred the kid said 'Why, it's only half a dollar.'

"I told him that half a dollar was a sum not to be spoken of lightly. I told him of the many useful things that half a dollar would purchase, and how a plumber would toil and sweat for half an hour for no greater guerdon. I told him about his grandfather, who started out in life at a salary of $240 per annum and saved $220 out of it the first year—and lots of other things. I said: 'Do you know how long it would take you to earn half a dollar?'

"He said it would depend upon the kind of a job he got, and with the recollection of my hundred-dollar bluff in my mind—the time I offered him that to stay awake all night, you know—I told him that I would give him five dollars if he would earn a dollar in one day. He said that was good enough for him, and went away, and I didn't think any more of it until he came to me with a shining cartwheel the next day and claimed his bonus.

"'How did you get this, Vance?' I asked I didn't want to seem to distrust the boy, but at the same time I had my suspicions He is rather sensitive sometimes, and he looked injured when I asked him that question. But with the light of candor and truth shining from his ingenious young countenance he told me that he had earned it.

"'I went to Mrs. Mitchell's first,' he said, 'and told her that I wanted to earn some money, and she let me carry in an armful of wood for her, and gave me ten cents for it. Then I went over to grandma's and she said she hadn't any work for me to do, but she would give me ten cents and let me do something for her some other time After that I tried Mrs. Aylsworth, and Mrs Aylsworth sent me on an errand down to the store to get her five cents' worth of candy, and when I came back she gave me the candy and the change out of the quarter for getting it. That only made 50 cents, and I was getting pretty tired by that time, but I went to Mrs. Halsman, and I told her that you were going to give me five dollars if I earned a dollar, and she laughed and said for me to sit by the baby and keep the flies off it while she went upstairs; so I did There wasn't very many flies around, though, so I didn't mind that work so much

"'In about ten minutes Mrs. Halsman came downstairs again and asked me how much money I had earned, and I told her so she said she thought I had done enough for one day, and gave me the other 50 cents Now give me that five dollars, pa.'

"That's the sort of thing that I complain of," concluded Dugway. "Those women might have known, if they had had any sense of humor, that I was just playing a little joke on my son—a joke, mind you, with a certain moral purpose. But they chose to take it quite seriously."—Chicago Daily Record.

Wise Beyond His Years.

"Who are the greatest money-makers in this world?" asked the teacher.

"I know," yelled the small boy in the back of the room. "The Turks and the Mormons."

"Why do you say that?" demanded the teacher.

"Because they have to be," replied the small boy, promptly. "Look at the number of wives they have!"—Chicago Post.

His Start.

Briggs—That waiter over there has made a fortune in Wall street.

Griggs—I suppose he made it in tips.—Brooklyn Life.

A Few Words about

Pain-Killer

A prominent Montreal clergyman, the Rev. James H. Dixon, Rector St. Judes and Hon. Canon of Christ Church Cathedral, writes:—"Permit me to send you a few lines to strongly recommend PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER. I have used it with satisfaction for thirty-five years. It is a preparation which deserves full public confidence."

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Barge Office Tragedies.

Barge office desertions are painfully common. Too often men allow their wives and children to come to America, where they expect to be received with open arms, and the latter discover that the husband and father has, in the interval, attached himself to mettle more attractive, and the deserted ones are deported. Like cases occur with the aged, and these are truly pitiable. When the old people become a burden to the children in Europe, they are sent with [illegible] ceremony to their children here. The latter are perhaps too selfish to have regard for the old folks, and too often they are deported, perhaps only to be shuttlecocked back again within a few months. One old woman was shuttlecocked across four times within a year, barred out on both sides of the water, and died at sea, homeless and friendless, with children in both continents prosperous and well able to make her declining years at least peaceful and calm.—Ainslee's Magazine.

Nice for the Necktie Buyer.

A rather loudly dressed "gentleman" stepped into the necktie department of a big London shop and in a supercilious tone that would have nettled a graven image into anger uttered the single mandatory word: "Neckties!" Then he threw back his head as if the assistant were entirely beneath his notice. This top-lofty air aggravated the assistant, but he quickly displayed a number of late patterns with a deferential air.

"These," said he, obsequiously, "are the very newest things, and are excellent quality at a shilling."

"A shilling!" haughtily snapped the customer; "shilling! Do I look like a man that would wear a shilling necktie? Is there anything about me to indicate that—"

"I beg your pardon, sir," meekly interposed the assistant, "the sixpenny counter is at the other end of the shop."—London Tit-Bits.

Teaching the Young Idea.

A Manchester lawyer noticed the other evening that his youthful son, who was studying arithmetic, seemed very restless. Getting impatient, the father broke out:

"What on earth ails you? Why can't you sit still? Wriggling about every minute."

"It's all your fault," murmured the boy.

"Why is it?"

"'Cos I asked you last night how many a billion was, and you said it was a thundering lot. Teacher asked me the same question to-day, and I gave the same reply. That's why I can't keep still."—London Answers.

A Royal Editor.

There is at least one newspaper which is edited by a king. In faraway New Zealand there is an interesting little eight-page paper, with three columns to a page, printed in both the English and the native tongue, and called the Pleiades of Seven Stars. Its editor is no less a person than his royal highness, Tawhiao. It is true that this potentate is not an independent sovereign, but when he descends from the royal throne to the editorial chair, then, indeed, he is monarch of all he surveys.—N. Y. Sun.

A Touch of Nature.

"The sentence of this court," said the judge, "is that you be condemned to solitary confinement for the term of two years."

"Thanks, judge! My profoundest thanks!" exclaimed the culprit, with effusive gratitude.

His honor, detecting the genuineness of the prisoner's appreciation spontaneously returned:

"I don't know, my friend, but I almost envy you; I am a married man myself."—Richmond Dispatch.

Had To.

First Camper—Here! What's become of all our whisky?

Second Camper—I've drunk it.

"Why did you do that?"

"Had to, old chap. I was writing home, telling the folks what a good time we're having."—Boston Courier.

How He Got It.

Billy—Got a new watch, eh? What did it cost ye?

Jimmy—'Tain't settled fur yet.

"What's de charge, den?"

"If dey ever is any charge, I guess it'll be 'highway robbery.'"—Philadelphia Press.

The Oft Recurring Theme.

"We have saved money enough for our coal next winter."

"Been doing without ice?"

"No; we charge each other a penny every time the subject of our cook comes up."—Detroit Free Press.

She Knew an Exception.

She—The popular idea about summer resorts are not always correct.

He—Think not?

"No. There is the belief that summer girls are always fickle."—Puck.

Quick Flitters.

Resort Hotel Keeper—Any guests in this evening train?

'Bus Driver—Nobody to speak of. Only a single-trunk woman and a grip gent.—Boston Transcript.

Iron in Clay.

Most kinds of clay contain a considerable proportion of iron; the red color of bricks, for example, is due to the presence of oxides of iron.—Science.

It Makes a Difference.

It makes much difference whether life is a station or a terminus.—Ram's Horn.

Weakness A-kin to Strength.

The fool's weakness may be the wise man's strength.—Chicago Daily News.

Strength by Using Smith's Green Mountain Renovator.

Why Strength.

Because this famous Body Builder is made in Vermont, of pure, wholesome herbs, redolent of the fragrant woods, green hills and bracing air of the Green Mountains. These herbs and plants are so combined as to be powerful agents in assisting nature to impart bodily vigor to nerves, muscles and brain.

I write you from St Vincent's Hospital, East Lake, Tenn. The hardships of the campaign brought on typhoid fever. I recovered from the fever all right, but have been unable to regain my strength until I began using your Smith's Green Mountain Renovator. I knew of its reputation in New England, and sent for some. I felt its strengthening effects in a few days, and in a week's time gained four pounds. This was four weeks ago. I am now ready to leave the Hospital, and have gained [illegible] lbs., strength returned, appetite returned, muscles firm and feel like a new man—better than ever before, and am frank to say that I owe my speedy and complete recovery to your wonderful preparation,

Sargeant-Major J. G. [illegible], First Vt. V[illegible].
Residence, Springfield, Mass.

DIVINE CONSOLATION.

A Side of the Character of Providence Which Is Revealed Only in Our Distress.

The late Dr. W. M Barbour once preached a sermon from the text: "He shall come down like rain upon the mown grass," in which, with the delicacy and skill of which he was master, he showed how the mown grass is just in the condition to be enriched by the rain, and in how many ways the Divine gift of rain ministers to the needs of the earth, drawing therefrom choice lessons of comfort and consolation to those in affliction. It was a beautiful suggestion of the peculiar receptiveness of those who have been afflicted and have learned to accept affliction in a lowly humble spirit for the peculiar blessings which God can bestow at no other time and upon no other mood.

God understands us through and through, and never makes a mistake in dealing with us. Probably we might never learn, adequately, at any rate, the possibilities of His infinite tenderness and compassion if we were not reduced by sorrow in some form to such a state as to need them. There is a whole side of the Divine character which is revealed in our distress which, but for affliction, might go unknown and unnoticed. The price is worth the paying, even by suffering if the suffering bring this precious assurance of the Divine presence and comfort.

At no other time does our Heavenly Father appear more winsome and inviting. His sympathy always is precious whenever we are conscious of it but probably because at no other time is our sense of need equally great, at no other time is His revelation of Himself within our hearts so unspeakably sweet and satisfying. Like the gentle summer rain which falls softly and is absorbed thirstily by the grass which has been freshly cropped, so the ministration of God descends upon the stricken, aching soul to soothe and fortify, to cheer and strengthen it. "Thy gentleness hath made me great," said the Psalmist. Surely it must have been as he looked back upon a time of affliction or sorrow of some kind that he said it.—Boston Congregationalist.

Not Cut Out for a Grocer.

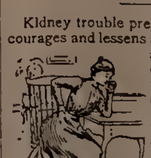
"Have you any nice fresh eggs today?" asked the woman with business-like ways.

"Madam," answered the man who has just started in the grocery business, "permit me to remind you that nice eggs are necessarily fresh and fresh eggs are always nice. Moreover, if I have any, I have them today. My possession of eggs yesterday or to-morrow does not in the slightest degree affect the situation. Therefore, time being precious to a business man, I will simply content myself with replying that I have nice eggs."—Washington Star.

The Seraph in the Choir-Loft.

When the pastor discourses on neighborly love,
And with an uplifted hand gestures,
As he reference makes to the seraphs above,
I note, clad in summer's white vestures,
A seraph earth earthy that habits this sphere
Mundane, who quite meets my desire,
A sly little flirt that I've learned to hold dear—
The pastor's own girl in the choir.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.



Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

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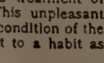


Home of Swamp-Root.

Not Models, However.

"The Bible tells of one thoroughly congenial couple, anyway."

"Who were they?"

"Ananias and Sapphira." — Chicago Record.

Not Enough for Her.

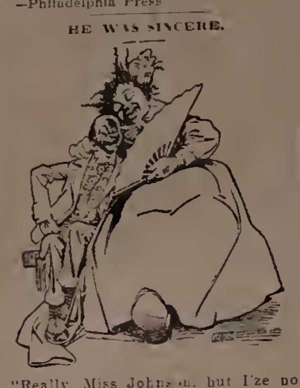
He—Do you think it is possible for two people to live on $300 a year?

She—Oh, Will, is that all you get? No; I'm sorry. I have decided never to marry.—Chicago Times-Herald.

That Always Flatters.

She's pretty as a picture'
She is—you needn't laugh;
Of course, she's not as pretty
As her own photograph
—Philadelphia Press

HE WAS SINCERE.



"Really, Miss Johnson, but I'ze no base flatterer."

"Oh! git out, 'Rastus!"

"No, I nebber flatters. When I says I'ze sawn de elephant, de rhinoscerous, de hippotamus an' a hog weighin' 750 pounds, an' dat your sylphlike form am de sy phist oh all I eber sawn, I has no distressin' or interior objick in view."—Chicago Chronicle.

Came Near Dying.

"For three days and nights I suffered agony untold from an attack of cholera morbus brought on by eating cucumbers," says M. E. Lowther, clerk of the district court, Centreville, Iowa. "I thought I should surely die and tried a dozen different medicines, but all to no purpose. I sent for a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and three doses relieved me entirely. I went to sleep and did not awake for eight hours. On awakening a few hours ago I felt so gratified that the first work I do on going to the office is to write to the manufacturers of the remedy and offer them my grateful thanks and say, 'God bless you and the splendid medicine you make.'" This remedy is for sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2 65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save If your druggist can't supply you, it will be fowarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

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Many Millions of Dollars Are Left Annually in Switzerland and the Riviera.

An astonishing contrast is apparent in the sums of money spent by the average visitor to these two world-famous pleasure resorts, says the New York World. In the season of 18[illegible] about 2,3[illegible] tourists visited Switzerland. They paid to the landlords of 1,800 hotels and inns a little less than $25,000,[illegible] The average hotel bill was, therefore, only about $[illegible] In addition to this, about $6,[illegible] was expended for trinkets and mementoes.

These two items, in addition to a comparatively small outlay for horses and carriages, form the principal means of subsistence of the vast number of people whose livelihood is dependent on the natural features of the "playground of Europe."

The figures for the Riviera are very different. In the first place, a season's visitors are not to be reckoned by millions. A recent estimate puts the annual number at 27[illegible], of whom 60,000 were English and 3[illegible] Americans, and the money expended at about $60,000,000, or $225 for the average visitor.

Coal in the Rockies.

By far the most important mining work in progress in British Columbia is the opening up of the vast areas of the Crow's Nest—undoubtedly one of the largest coal properties known. The measures occur in the heart of the Rockies and extend north and south a distance of 40 miles, stretching east and west ten miles from the banks of the Elk river toward the boundary line between Alberta and British Columbia. The area is, of course, reduced by the creeks which abound on the mountain slopes and from which the coal measures have been eroded, but sufficient remains to constitute the coal fields, unique in extent as they are in richness.

New York Indians Still Pagan.

Christianity has not made much progress among the Indians in New York state. There are now on the reservation there 4,850 Indians, and a missionary says at least five-eighths of them adhere to the old pagan religion rites and superstitions.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. F. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

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Just before retiring, if your liver is sluggish, out of tune and you feel dull, bilious, constipated, take a dose of

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And you'll be all right in the morning.

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"Yes," said the young matron, "I believe in voice culture for children. It is undeniably true that many little ones have harsh and disagreeable voices, and I think voice culture would add much to the pleasures of existence. Don't you?"

The savage bachelor hesitated a moment before answering.

"Possibly," he said, at last, "as a substitute for more effective measures voice culture might be acceptable, but don't you think it would be better to cut out their vocal chords?"—Chicago Post.

A Man of Good Taste.

"Papa," said the boy, "when you say in your advertisements that your goods are acknowledged by connoisseurs to be the best, what do you mean by connoisseurs?"

"A connoisseur, my boy," answered the great manufacturer, "is an eminent authority—an authority, in short, who admits that our goods are the best."—Tit-Bits.

Her Eyes.

Elderly Aunt (slightly deaf)—Mancy, what did the oculist say ailed your eyes?

Miss Mancy—He said it was astigmatism.

Elderly Aunt—Higbee Chisholm? I thought so. Isn't that the name of the young man who comes here and keeps you up till 11 or 12 o'clock every night?—Chicago Tribune.

Cause and Effect.

Prisoner—Indeed, I was not drunk, sir.

Magistrate—Are you a teetotaler?

Prisoner—Well, not exactly a teetotaler, sir; but months sometimes pass without my tasting a drop of strong drink.

Jailer—That's when he's in prison, your honor.—Ally Sloper.

Shunning Danger.

"No," said the man who wanted the meal, "I can't. I'm sorry, too. I'd like to do dis work, but I'm afraid."

"What," the lady asked, "are you afraid of?"

"I'm afraid I might catch de habit. I never did have much control of myself dat way."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Keeping Even.

"Why don't you economize?" asked the pedestrian, indignantly.

"I have economized," answered Meandering Mike. "I started out wit' nothin' an' I've helt right on to it."—Washington Star.

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Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

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IN THE SAHARA.

A Traveler Tells of a Recent Pleasant Visit to the Great Desert.

A traveler from the Sahara desert has just returned to Washington with 500 young date palms which will be planted in Arizona, many parts of which have a climate similar to North Africa and Arabia. He found the nights pleasant on the sandy desert, there being often a difference of 60 degrees between noon and midnight. The sirocco, or hot wind and sand storm, made the days unbearable, but the nights were wonderful—cool, clear and windless and filled with far stars. He traveled at night, and the long caravan of which he and his baggage was a part swung silently along in the shadow of the sand dunes. The Arab guides steered their way by the stars.

This traveler witnessed the magnificent rising of the sun over the limitless waste of glittering sand, rocky heaps and promontories and clustered plumes of date palms that rose from green oases, where gay tents sheltered bands of Bedouins and their flocks and herds of sheep and camels. In such places as these he visited during the day and was served with goat's milk and bread and dates and good mutton and Arabian coffee. It was all so like a story book that he was afraid he would wake up sometimes and find it was all a dream.

Winter Tourist Rates South.

Winter tourist rates for season 1900-1901 to all tourist points in south and southwest, via Southern Railway, go into effect Oct. 15, 1900. Full particulars may be obtained by addressing any agent of that company. This is the route of the New York and Florida Limited and offers on all through trains dining-car service the year round. Apply to George C. Daniels, N. E. P. A., 228 Washington street, Boston.

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M., A. & W. STREET RAILWAY TIME-TABLE.

In effect Oct. 22.)

FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6.10, 6.45 a.m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10.15 p. m. Last cars to car barn at 10.45 and 11.15 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m., connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket. Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.15 a. m., and then on hour and half hour till 10.30 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham Four Corners for Caryville every hour from 6 to 9 a. m., 12 m. to 2 p. m., 4 to 9 p. m., returning on the half hour. Cars leaving Franklin at 6.45, 7.45, 11.45 a. m. and 12.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.45, 6.45 and 7.45 p. m. connect at Bellingham Four Corners with cars for Caryville.

FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave Franklin at 6.00, 7.45, 9.15, 10.45, 11.15 a. m., 1.45, 3.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.15, 7.45, 9.15, 10.45 p. m. Returning, leave Plainville three-quarters of an hour later. A special car leaves Plainville at 6.15 p. m. for Franklin.

WRENTHAM, PLAINVILLE AND ATTLEBORO — Leave Woonsocket, Main street Switch, at 7.00, 8.30, 10.00, 11.30 a. m., 1.00, 2.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.30, 7.00, 8.30, 10.00 p. m.

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NOTICE TO VOTERS.

The Registrars of Voters will be in session for the purpose of correcting and adding new names to the voting list at the Town Officers' room, in Franklin, on

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 10, from 7 to 9 P. M.
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 17, from 7 to 9 P. M.
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 24, from 7 to 9 P. M.
SATURDAY, OCT. 27, from 12 M. to 10 P. M.

Registration for the Presidential election will close on SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 27, at 10 o'clock, after which time no new names can be added to the voting list.

BRADLEY M. ROCKWOOD,
JAMES W. DESMOND,
MICHAEL J. COSTELLO,
ORESTES T. DOE.
Registrars of Voters.

Franklin, Mass., Sept. 24, 1900. oc2-1oc26

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Fresh Pork	12c	Salt Pork	10c
Hams	12c	11 lbs. Salt Pork	$1.00
Shoulders	10c	16 lbs. fine Granulated Sugar	1.00
Legs Lamb	16c		

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Cars leave Dedham for Franklin 10 minutes past the hour. First car 6:10 a m, last car 10:10 p m; last Dedham to Medway, 12:10 p m.

Extra car leaves Medfield 8 a m, connecting at Dedham with 8:42 train for Boston. Extra car leaves Dedham 5:35 p m for Westwood, to the car barn only.

Cars leave Franklin for Dedham and connect with trains for Boston, also connecting with cars at Medway for Milford, South Framingham and Holliston St. Ry.

Cars leave Franklin 15 minutes past the hour. First car 7:15 a m, last car 10:15 p m; first car Medway to Dedham 5:40 a m; last car 10:40. Last car Franklin to Westwood 11:15 p m. Sundays first car one hour later, last car one hour earlier.

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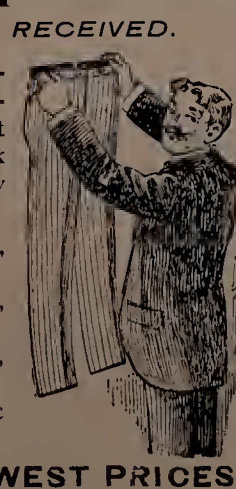

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E. L. BLANCHARD, Local Supt.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Mary H. Wilder of Medway, in the county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, widow, to Lewis J. Bird of Boston, in the county of Suffolk and said commonwealth, dated October 7, 1897, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 798, page 141, will be sold for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, at public auction, upon the premises hereinafter described, on

WEDNESDAY, the THIRTY-FIRST day of OCTOBER, A. D. 1900,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

A certain tract of land, with the building thereon standing, situate on the easterly side of Broad street, in said Medway, and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the northwest corner thereof on said street at land of the heirs of Clark Partridge or owner; thence running easterly on a line with land of said heirs one hundred and forty (140) feet to a corner at land of S. S. Woodward; thence southerly on a line with land of said Woodward to land of John McGinnis or owner; thence westerly on a line with land of said McGinnis to a corner; and thence continuing southwesterly on land of said McGinnis to a corner; and thence continuing westerly on land of said McGinnis to Broad street aforesaid; thence northerly on said Broad street to the point of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to said Mary H. Wilder by deed from William N. Hitchcock to Mary H. Wilder, dated May 5, 1894.

Terms at sale.

HARRY B. STEARNS,
Assignee of said Mortgage.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 6, 1900. oc9,16,23

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

Whereas, Simon Spellouski of Norfolk, in said county, has presented to said court a petition praying that his name may be changed to that of Simon Brown for the reasons therein set forth:

All persons are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of November, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this sixteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
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Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

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Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Dr. E. C. Abbott is confined to the house by sickness.

E. S. Cook's house is in the hands of Spence & Granger, painters.

Mrs. Hubbard M. Bullock has removed to her daughter's in Providence.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rathbun have gone to Woonsocket to spend the winter.

The regular teachers' meeting will be held next Monday evening, at the High school, at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Mary A. Tyler, mother of Mrs. E. D. Daniels, died at her home in Philadelphia on Wednesday.

Misses Margaret Farrell and Catherine Heffernan of Woonsocket are guests of Miss Mamie Kenney of Cottage street.

St. John's guild will hold a "rummage sale" in the last store of Opera house block all day and evening of Saturday, Nov. 3.

The Medway High school football eleven came here on Wednesday afternoon, defeating the Dean second team by a score of 6 to 0.

Messrs. Ray and Wiggin had a conference with the Wrentham selectmen on Wednesday in regard to the more frequent running of cars.

The running time between here and Woonsocket has been reduced to thirty minutes, and the cars stop only opposite the white posts. Look out for them.

O. S. Stetson, Jr., now of Dartmouth, has recently published an exhaustive monogram on "Triangular Residues," which cannot fail of a welcome reception.

The registrars added thirty-one new names to the voting list on Wednesday evening. The time for further registration is short and no one should neglect the opportunity.

Chapman Calkin, son of Artist Calkin, had both bones of his right arm broken while on his way to school this noon, Conductor McCarthy's boy throwing him to the ground in a scuffle.

An idea of the personal interest which is taken in this election may be gained from the fact that one man 82 years of age has just had his name added to the voting list. He reads and writes without glasses.

The warrant for the general election will be issued by the selectmen this week. The polls will open at 7 a. m. and probably will close at 3 or 4 p. m., as usual. The tellers for the meeting have not been appointed.

Rt. Worthy Jarvis B. Woolford and suite made an official visitation to Excelsior lodge, A. F. & A. M., on Wednesday evening, a banquet and social following the exemplification. Milford and Medway sent goodly delegations.

The Epworth league and friends met at the home of Miss Lulu A. Willard on Wednesday evening, entirely filling the house. A most enjoyable program of music, informal talks, etc., made the occasion one of especial pleasure.

Jason T. Sprague of Franklin and Miss Sarah Brown of Bellingham were united in marriage on Thursday evening, by Rev. Mr Sneath, at the parsonage. Mr. Sprague labors for Edgar K. Ray and the couple will reside in Unionville.

The pupils of Mrs. Treen Hosmer, the musical instructor here, gave her a "surprise" at her music rooms in Lynn on Friday evening, presenting her with a handsome flag, in a neat presentation speech. Lunch was served and all had a most enjoyable time.

The next regular meeting of the Alden club will occur Oct. 31, next Wednesday evening, at Elm farm, in celebration of Hallowe'en Cars leave postoffice at quarter of and quarter past every hour. If possible, an additional car will be put on at 7 15.

Milford has lost one of its most worthy young men in Eben Williams, who died on Wednesday, aged 33. He was known to scores of people here as one of the young men who placed Milford's base ball upon a clean respectable footing, both as player and manager.

Charles L. Stewart, who is attending the Y. M. C. A. convention at Fall River, writes that so far it has been a very profitable time, a good number present and most excellent spirit, and that the addresses have been strong and earnest.

The many friends of James W. Desmond will be pleased to learn that he has been secured to take charge of the stock room of the Carroll straw shop in Matteawan, N. Y. He has been employed in the Stewart straw shop here during the entire ownership of Mr. Stewart.

One good thing is recorded for the automobile. By its use on a recent Sunday a physician was able to complete his Sunday morning rounds in time to attend church services, something he had been unable to do for several months past, when he used a horse for locomotive power.

Cider retails for ten cents per gallon, and the farmers who refrain from making any on principle can congratulate themselves that they are not losing much money. The commodity is so cheap that farmers have hundreds of bushels of apples on the ground, which they neglect to pick up.

The cranberries gathered in this vicinity are of good quality and good color. Five hundred barrels have been gathered at the Miller bog, now owned by the J. G. Ray estate. The crop is not as large as in some previous years, but of very good quality, so that the money value may be about the same.

Mrs. Harriet Blake, who gave the money for the building of the Globe Congregational church in Woonsocket, declares that she received the first impression in that direction, upon seeing the Congregational church in Franklin. Dr. Sneath and Mr. Alvord will exchange services on next Sabbath, thus bringing these two churches into closer relations.

There was a very large attendance at the social at the Baptist church Wednesday evening. A fine literary and musical entertainment was given, consisting of a piano solo by Miss Grace Bly, solos by Miss Jessie Corbin, recitations by Miss Gertrude Clark and Mrs. Ida Hunter. Cake and coffee were served and a general good time observed. One of the sweet toothsome things was the candy fudge given out, sure to impart grace and good temper to all.

The quarterly visits of Rev. W. T. Perrin, Ph. D., P. E., to the Methodist church of Franklin are always looked forward to with pleasure, not only by the members of that church but also by many others. It is a little unfortunate that his visit this time comes at the same time as the union temperance service, but any other arrangement seemed impossible. Dr. Perrin is a talented and eloquent preacher and deserves a large audience to hear him preach next Sunday evening, at 7 p. m., at the Methodist church.

The monthly union temperance meeting at the Baptist church next Sunday evening will be of special interest. Rev. John W. F. Barnes, who has been chaplain of the state prison in Charlestown for many years, will give the address. He will speak on scenes and incidents in the prison, giving thrilling and important facts in the lives of criminals. Rev. Mr. Barnes has made special study of prison reform and has a practical theory to advance. Very seldom is the opportunity given our community of hearing a discourse from one who has had such long experience in prison work.

Republican Rally.

The Republican town committee have arranged some rousing speeches for next Wednesday evening, when it is certain the Opera house will be crowded to the doors to hear Hon. S. L. Powers, candidate for congress, and Hon. William Schofield of Malden, member of the legislature. Both of these gentlemen have been doing valiant work for the cause, and will say something worth hearing. The gallery will be reserved for ladies.

William Mann's Funeral.

The funeral of the late William Mann was held this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the house. Rev. Mr. Sneath was the officiating clergyman and the interment was made in the Union street cemetery. A sketch of his life and portrait will appear on Tuesday.

Helpful and Interesting.

The annual Teachers' Institute was held in the Horace Mann building, commencing Tuesday evening with a very able and delightful address on "Manual Training" by Henry T Bailey, state superintendent of drawing He showed by statistical reference how vastly changed American life today is from that of eighty, forty, even ten years ago, and hence how different, proportionally, must be the present day school training

Four causes for these changes are noted: Improved means of agriculture, application of machinery to manufacture, the redistribution of population (partly a result of the first two), and improved facilities of communication. The study of nature at first hand, by which nature "is turned back upon herself," led to this evolution in industrial life, and suggests the maxim, "Let the pupil study nature at first hand." Train the muscles to obey the mind, and train a mind which has ideals.

With an appropriation increased six dollars per pupil to equal the average appropriation in this county we could easily introduce manual training into our schools. It would serve to keep boys in school, giving them a higher estimate of manual labor—the doing of something worth the while—and leading them to a better choice of a life work.

The opening address Wednesday morning, on "Discipline and Good Citizenship," was given by Secretary Hill. His main point was that inasmuch as all human law finds its origin in the will of the people, and this public opinion is formed largely in youth, civic government in our schools, rather than military, will be conducive to the development of a right public opinion and good citizenship.

Mr. Bailey gave two characteristic talks on "Drawing," one adapted to primary and the other to grammar school work, emphasizing the importance of dictation drill and drawing from memory of forms already studied.

Mr. Bailey confined his remarks to the medium to be used—whether pencil, ink or water color—to form and to make an artistic whole.

Mr. Prince's lectures on arithmetic and the purpose of the study of geometry were practical and valuable. In the latter he advocated the inductive method for grammar school and demonstrative method for high school work.

Those who are familiar with Mr. McDonald's breezy talks were not surprised to hear some rather out of the ordinary suggestions in the morning lecture on "Latin." He advocates strongly drill on construction before translation rather than afterwards.

Everybody was glad to listen to Mr. Boyden's paper on "History." He urged his hearers to go to the sources of historical events, to study the scenes of action in pictorial art, to strengthen the imaginative faculties of the child, to endeavor to show the meaning of events, and to study the personality of the actors for the purpose of establishing character. In the afternoon Mr. Boyden treated nature study as a means of development in thought, perception and expression.

Mr. Sanderson gave two lectures on "Language and Grammar." He discussed the merits of supplementary reading and suggested a course of such selections for all grades. Two very helpful and interesting talks on "English Literature" were given by Miss Fisher. In special study she advised the reading of other selections for similar characteristics of thought and feeling, e. g., "The Mill on the Floss," illustrative of renunciation; and also the use of pictures with their middle, fore and back ground to show the place of the central idea in a paragraph.

Miss Thompson laid great stress on the distinction between the study of history and the study of historians. The material for the former is constantly being accumulated by archæologists and placed into the art museums, and it is to these institutions that the present-day student of history must refer.

Miss Devereaux, of the Lowell State Normal school, was very entertaining on "Kindergarten Methods in the Primary School." Her purpose was to show how the work of the kindergarten could be more perfectly dovetailed into that of the first grade of the primary school.

One of the pleasantest features of the day was a talk on story-telling by Mrs. Rutan of Boston, who illustrated her thought with stories told in her own delightful, earnest manner, that was very fascinating. Two kinds of stories appeal to children—the nursery class, which has earned its right to exist by its age, and the story whose pathos or humor or beauty appeals to the one who tells it. To know one's story well and to tell it earnestly are two prime requisites in good story-telling.

The Women's Relief Corps furnished a very acceptable lunch for the out-of-town teachers.

Auction of household goods at the Opera house block this evening.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

Nickerson Asks Governor for a Pardon.

The petition of William S. Nickerson for executive clemency opens up a new field of thought Nickerson was for five hours at the threshold of eternity, a few days ago, and while he stood there, looking through the gates ajar upon an awfully lurid scene, with which he is to become better acquainted later, he had, he says, a long and fearful interview with the lord of the nether regions.

Nickerson is the young man who was sentenced to five years at hard labor last week for housebreaking, and who, on Monday last, swallowed sixty morphine pills after one day's experience as a convict. He was found insensible in his cell, and for a long time the prison physicians thought it impossible for him to recover. How he obtained sixty morphine pills in the state prison was a mystery which they waited for his return to consciousness to clear up.

When Nickerson came back to earth he called the doctor "evil one," and bade him in the name of God to depart, whereupon the physician applied a plaster to the nape of Nickerson's neck, and exhorted him to give up the rest of the pills.

To no one but the one man in all the world able to help him would Nickerson reveal the secret of the morphine, and that one man was his excellency the governor, in whom is vested the pardoning power.

"I am the most wretched of men," wrote Nickerson, when out of danger, but cruel as is my fate on earth it is nothing to the fearful time in store for me in the next world, unless your excellency comes to my relief.

"I am a victim of predestination. While I was at death's door the other night it was revealed to me that ages before I was born I was one of the unfortunates predestined to pass eternity in hell.

"When the poison deprived me of consciousness my soul was borne to the gates of the infernal regions, and there came out to me the dread fiend himself, who, looking me over critically, remarked that it was too bad for one so young to be condemned millions of years before I had a chance to be either saintly or sinful. He said it with a sneer.

"'Tis it was shown to me that no matter how good I may be in this world I must spend eternity with the fiends. I might become a bishop or a cardinal, the devil said, and be a most exemplary churchman, but the end would be the same—Hades.

He produced the roster of the predestined, including those who have lived and those not yet born, and I saw my name in the hell column.

It may be some consolation to your excellency to know that among the Gs in the opposite column I noticed your illustrious name. Being such a good man you have probably never doubted your destination, and I merely mention this, thinking that it would be comforting to know that if your excellency should at any time be tempted to break loose for a season from church discipline you will be all right in the end.

"Out of compassion for me it was agreed that if I could succeed in getting out of prison without force or strategy hell would relinquish its claim to me, and I could be forever with the so-called blest. To you I appeal for salvation, Governor. Pardon me and I shall live forever with you and the rest of the saints. It is a grave responsibility, sir. Dare you shirk it?"

His excellency read Nickerson's petition with with deep interest and remarked that the petitioner could not have been free from the influence of the drug when he wrote it.

"His story reeks of opium," said Gov. Gregory. "File it away. When his mind is clearer he may wish to revise it." —Boston Globe.

Got to Come.

The automobile is destined, when perfected, to prove a valuable aid in the way of locomotion, but, as another remarks, "when it goes crazy it performs the maddest kind of freaks." It may on very short notice wheel with sufficient force to throw the occupants over the fence, or it may forge ahead at the rate of sixty miles an hour without reference to any rights of way which other vehicles may possess, or it may sulk in the middle of a trip and refuse to start without special attention, or get afire, as in Stamford, Conn., and frighten the entire town The machine when in repose looks as steady as an old farm horse, but when once it is aroused and off its base, like the venerable nag, it shows the least possible amount of common sense in its wild and unmethodical career; and yet it promises to become in time and after a due amount of experiment the modern and the model wheel of the road.—Exchange.

North side of a five-cent rake, 40,000 furlongs from Jupiter, a good assortment of furniture and a nice line of carpets at right prices. Don't be a fool and go elsewhere. Sanford Bros., Medway.

Two chairs at Ochee's barber shop. Accomplished hair dresser in attendance. Short waits.

Franklin's First Minister.

If the reader will take his way to the cemetery, to that portion which is now being graded, and find the largest tombstone nearest to the corner of Union and Central streets, he will find himself standing at the grave of the first pastor of Franklin. The inscription reads as follows: "To the Memory of the Rev. Elias Haven. Fifteen years pastor of this people, who are desirous of giving and of perpetuating their public testimony to his faithful ministry and pious life, by which, though dead, he yet speaketh to his once beloved and ever grateful flock. He died August 10, 1754, in the 41st year of his age." The phrase "this people" means the people of Franklin. It was the only church in the town, Congregational by name, and every man was taxed at the town meeting a certain sum for its support. Until the year 1738 the people of Franklin, belonging to what was known as the "western precinct" of Wrentham, went to Wrentham to church. February 16, 1738 (February 27 new style), the second church in Wrentham was organized, which became the First church of Franklin in 1778, when the western precinct was incorporated under the name of Franklin On the day on which the church was organized they chose a committee of the brethren to ask the advice of the three neighboring ministers, who were present at the gathering of this church, relating to the ministerial accomplishments of Mr. Elias Haven, who had for a considerable time preached in this precinct; who were pleased to signify to said committee their approbation of Mr. Haven as "one in some good measure qualified for the Gospel ministry." Mr. Haven was examined "as to his principles, both of doctrine and discipline," and on March 23, 1738, he was chosen "to be their Gospel minister." His letter of acceptance consisted of one sentence:

"Brethren—I accept your call and consent to take the office of a pastor in this church, humbly sensible of my own insufficiency and unworthiness for the work, and relying on the help of God to carry me through, and begging His acceptance of me therein through Jesus Christ, and am now ready to join with you in appointing my ordination, asking earnestly a constant interest in your prayers. ELIAS HAVEN."

On the 8th of November, 1738, he was ordained, the churches of Christ in Wrentham, Medfield, Uxbridge, Leicester, Hopkinton and the Old North and New North churches of Boston assisting in the ordination services.

Mr. Haven was born April 16, 1714, in Hopkinton. He was one of eleven children. His parents were Joseph and Martha Haven. He graduated from Harvard in 1733, and became the pastor of Franklin at 24 years of age. He was pastor of the church nearly sixteen years, although five or six years before his death he "was taken off from his ministerial labors by bodily weakness, contracting a consumptive habit, and was able to preach but very little during that time, to the no small affliction of his parishioners." During his long illness they supplied the pulpit at their own charge and granted him his "annual stipend" until his death. A wife and seven children survived him, but in a brief period after his death his wife also died. Her place of burial I have not discovered as yet. Nearly six years passed away before the church settled another pastor.

Mr. Haven was "a man of undissembled piety and virtue." He was a devoted and successful pastor. "He was esteemed a gentleman of good powers and abilities, happily gifted and well furnished and qualified for the work of the Gospel ministry." During his ministry there were added to this church 171 persons, 132 by profession and 39 by letter. There was a most remarkable revival in the town in 1741, and as a result 89 were added to the church. Mr. Haven's work was brief in years, but great in effects. He was one of the men upon whom, as foundations, this town was built, and "though dead, he yet speaketh," not only to "his once beloved and ever grateful flock," but also to the generations which have followed, even to the generation of today. W.

Franklin Ladies Win.

The ladies of the Cumberland Golf club met defeat upon the local links here at the hands of the Franklin ladies yesterday afternoon. After the contest a most delightful evening was spent with whist, refreshments, etc. Owing to the long intervals of the electric cars it was necessary to secure a barge from the grounds to connect with the electrics here for Woonsocket. The following was the score:

FRANKLIN.	Holes up.	CUMBERLAND.	Holes up.
King	9	Borden	0
Sherman	3	Robinson	0
Rathbun	2	Baker	0
Thayer	1	Simpson	0
Ray	2	White	0
Eisenhardt	0	Cole	1
Bassett	0	Cass	9
	17		10

Emerson's Market.

Fresh killed chicks and fowls, lamb, pork and veal. We also have spinach, sweet potatoes, squash, celery, onions, cabbages, new beets, cauliflower and turnips. Ten cent soups, all flavors. Best butter in town.

Read the Business Announcements.

The Democrats Enthuse.

There was no inspiring music to attract the wavering or careless voter to the Opera house last evening to hear William H. Baker, Democratic candidate for congress in the eleventh district, and Quincy A. Lothrop of Boston discuss the issues of the campaign from a Democratic standpoint. The hall, however, was comfortably filled, a number of ladies being seated in the balcony, but it was a cold, undemonstrative gathering, the only time that it became stirred to a high pitch being when the name of Mr. Bryan was mentioned by the speakers, when there was liberal applause.

The meeting was presided over by D. F. O'Sullivan, chairman of the Democratic town committee, and seated upon the stage were ex Postmaster M. F. Conroy, who did not favor Bryan in 1896, but will vote for him this time; Secretary B. W. McCabe and members of the town committee and campaign club. Mr. Lothrop was the first speaker introduced. At the start he had a good word to say for Mr. Baker in his aspiration for a seat in congress, afterward taking up the issues of imperialism and trusts, speaking about 40 minutes on these subjects

Before Mr. Baker discussed the national issues he spoke of the attempt of the friends of Mr Storey, who is running for congress in this district as the anti-imperialistic candidate, to have him withdraw in Mr. Storey's favor He "dressed up" these friends forcibly and at times eloquently and said Mr. Storey stood upon only one plank of the Kansas City platform. Trusts received the greatest share of attention from Mr. Baker, although imperialism was not forgotten. He was well received by his auditors, his address lasting an hour and the meeting ending at 9.45

A Prophet With Honor.

A remarkably dainty little volume—"As It Is To Be," from the pen of Mrs. Cora Linn Daniels and the press of Little, Brown & Co.—has reached us, marking the issuance of another edition. The book is an especially interesting one from the point of psychical research, and shows a vast amount of thought, couched in clear, comprehensive and beautiful language. We are pleased to know that it has attained already a wide reading, six thousand having been issued, and it has received the unqualified indorsement of the thinking people of the day. It combines interestingly a veritable science of the hereafter, a philosophy after death and a new gospel for the twentieth century. Its pages hold one from first to last, and the usual "dry-as-dust" theoretical discussions are agreeably lacking. Although it is necessarily imaginative, it is truly inspirational. Indeed, there is much that is possible, more that is probable, and a deal that is certain.

Richardson's Market.

Of course we keep meat, but we want to call your attention to our carefully selected home made sausage, choice veal and prime beef. Onions 75 cents a bushel. Fancy Jersey sweet potatoes, tender beef liver, with bacon. All the vegetables and soups. Chicks and fowls for Sunday dinner.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Capable girl for general housework. Apply at SENTINEL office. 26*

Two hundred cords of trash wood for sale by E. S. Cook, Box 212. 26Ftf

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

To Rent.—A desirable tenement of six rooms; $12 per month. Inquire of O. T. Doe. 14 tf

A competent girl can obtain a good situation doing housework by addressing "E," SENTINEL office. 26

Get your round-trip Boston, Providence and Milford tickets of Charles H. Prince at the SENTINEL office.

Frank O. Dudley, formerly with R. G. Irwin, will do bicycle repairing at the corner of Central and Union streets. 9-8t*

Wanted—Board and attendance for invalid lady. Room furnished if desired. Address Lock Box 48, Franklin, Mass. 26,30*

Woman wanted as wife by gentleman of 28; good home for right person. James Moulton, 42 High street, Woonsocket, R. I. 26*

Laura Lee, scientific palmist and inspirational card reader. Ladies 25 cts, gentlemen 50 cts. Residence corner Garfield and Crescent. 26*

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Violets and 100 chrysanthemums. Slade's greenhouse.

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FRIDAY OCTOBER 26, 1900

VOTE for McKinley and hasten the suppression of the guerilla warfare in the Philippines.

SEE to it that your neighbor gets registered and votes, and then you will be pretty sure to do so yourself.

URGE the young men to get registered and to vote the Republican ticket. A great many of them need only a little judicious urging to cause them to take this step.

EXPANSION will give you wider and better markets, causing better prices for what you produce. Get legitimate and honorable expansion by voting for the Republican nominees.

FREE silver is not heard of very much just now, but it is the threatening evil, in case of Bryan's election that is causing business men to prepare for a terrible panic in case of his success. Prevent the panic by preventing his election just so far as your vote will do it.

ALL admit that McKinley has handled the Chinese problem most admirably. He will handle other national problems with equal ability if you give him a chance by giving him your votes. What can you hope to gain by a change? And carefully consider what a terrible risk you would run in making a change in these times of [illegible] responsibility and uncertainty.

Do not deceive yourself with the idea that your vote won't count. It may be the very single one needed to elect a good Republican. Such instances have happened. But it is your duty and your privilege to vote, and thus help secure a continuance of the blessings you have enjoyed for the past four years. Your duty to yourself and to your neighbors demands your vote.

WHEN you go to the polls allow ample time to vote for every candidate on the list. You get this chance but once a year, or once in two or four years. In every doubtful district take special pains to vote for the Republican congressional candidates. They will all be needed at Washington to uphold the hands of President McKinley and to co-operate with the senate in enacting wise legislation.

BRYAN poses as the enemy of monopoly. He says there can be "no good monopoly in private hands." But in 18[illegible] Bryan wrote a book. He got a "monopoly" on it by taking out a copyright. It has made him rich. Were it not for that "monopoly" his book would be sold for a third or a quarter of its present price. He practices the rankest and most absolute monopoly himself but condemns it in others. "Consistency is a jewel" but its name is not Bryan.

THE Republicans of congress in 1890 enacted a law against trusts, which has already done much good. Further legislation, a constitutional amendment, is needed to make that law most effective. But in June last, by an almost solid Democratic vote, the amendment was defeated, while an almost solid Republican vote was cast for it. A two-thirds vote was needed. The amendment would have been radical, extreme, and have given ample power to curb any trust in existence. It was defeated by the Democrats and now they are making their opposition to trusts their cardinal virtue.

THE best test of the rightness or the wrongness of political principles is the result of their practical application. Whenever this country has had a Republican administration, since the Republican party was founded, it has had progress and prosperity, but whenever it has had a Democratic administration it has had business distress and financial disaster. Every intelligent man knows this. There are just as good Democrats, personally, as Republicans, and they desire their country's good just as earnestly and honestly. But the cold frozen truth of history is that the Democratic influence paralyzes industry while Republican influence stimulates and increases it. Years of talk and tons of arguments could prove no more. The intelligent man will therefore support the Republican candidates.

TIME IS LIFE

The father? Gone for the doctor. The mother? Alone with her suffering child. Will the doctor never come? When there is croup in the house you can't get the doctor quick enough. It's too dangerous to wait. Don't make such a mistake again; it may cost a life. Always keep on hand a dollar bottle of

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It cures the croup at once. Then when any one in the family comes down with a hard cold or cough a few doses of the Pectoral will cut short the attack at once. A 25 cent bottle will cure a miserable cold; the 50c. size is better for a cold that has been hanging on.

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Rather Inconsistent.

"My dear," said the sensational clergyman, "I want you to write to all the city editors and ask them to send representatives to the church on Sunday to report my sermon."

"Very well," replied his wife, who was also his secretary, "what do you propose to preach about?"

"I will strongly urge the abolition of all Sunday labor."—Philadelphia Press.

The Proper Way.

"You should never point, Johnny," said Mrs. Brown, as they left the shop; "it is very rude."

"But what are you to do, ma, when you don't know the name of the thing?"

"Why," she returned, "let the assistant show you everything in the shop until he comes to the right one."—N. Y. World.

Old Friend in a New Dress.

"Oh, my dear daughter," (to a little girl of six) "you should not be frightened and run from the goat. Don't you know you are a Christian Scientist?"

"But, mamma," excitedly, "the billy goat doesn't know it."—Trained Motherhood.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. Testimonials free.

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HOW TO MAKE FORTUNES.

The Late Collis P. Huntington Said It Was by the Chemistry of Manufactures.

Mr. Huntington was of the opinion that the field of chemistry applied to commercial ends offered the greatest opportunities probably for amassing wealth which will open up in this country in the twentieth century, writes Holland, in the Philadelphia Press. The great fortunes from the development of the transportation business have been made. Hereafter there is to be more and more distribution of these fortunes. But Mr. Huntington not long ago said that if a chemist were to make a discovery of some combination that would take the place of rubber he would have at his hand a fortune quite as great as that gained by Bessemer when he discovered his cheap process of making steel. In fact, Mr. Huntington declared that if he were a younger man, or were beginning today his career he would go to Africa or South America and undertake the cultivation of rubber, while at the same time he would keep in close touch with all the chemists, with the hope that they might be able to make a [illegible] for rubber.

So, too, he said that the chemist or the botanist who was able to discover in some leaf or shrub or annual plant just the qualities that are in spruce timber and by a chemical or scientific process, of which he should have the trade mark or the secret, was able to deliver a pulp to paper manufacturers as good as that of spruce timber, would not wait long for wealth or enormous wealth, and in gaining great riches for himself would add greatly to the wealth of the world.

The Wretch.

She—This magazine says that small mouths are no longer fashionable among women.

He—But, of course, they will be worn open as heretofore.—Chicago Evening News.

Choking Him Off.

Borem—Your face looks familiar. Haven't I seen you somewhere?

Gorem—Very likely; that's where I live. If you ever happen to be in that part of the country again, drop in and see me.—Chicago Evening News.

Weapons of Afghans.

The Afghans never leave their homes without having an arsenal of weapons in their belts. Arms are their ornaments.—Chicago Chronicle.

If your stomach is weak it should have help. Hood's Sarsaparilla gives strength to the stomach and cures dyspepsia and indigestion.

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It is assured by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla which acts directly and peculiarly on the blood.

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W. P. KEETON, Woodstock, Ala., writes: "When I began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla my blood was impure and I had not been feeling well for some time. I was bothered very much with that tired feeling. When I had taken the medicine a few days I began to feel better, and after taking two bottles I felt like another person. That tired feeling was gone and I could do my work."

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rids the blood of scrofulous and all other humors and all foreign matters.

Our Loftiest Mountains.

The records of the geological survey in Washington establish the fact that the loftiest known mountain in North America is Mount McKinley in Alaska, about 2[illegible] miles from the shore of Cook inlet. The aboriginal name of the peak is Tralega. It is 20,464 feet high. This is not far from the elevation of Mount Chimborazo, the highest peak of the Andes, and is 2,440 feet greater than that of Mount St. Elias, which was at one time believed to be our loftiest mountain.

Two Points of View.

Augustus (to fair cousin, at whose house he is paying a visit)—I have been spending the morning up at the ruins of the old Norman caqstle that you talk so much about.

Fair Cousin—Oh, yes! What a sweet place it is! and do you know that it is full of the most charming and romantic associations?

"Is it? It's a fine place for rats."—Judge.

Stepped Into Live Coals.

"When a child I burned my foot frightfully," writes W. H. Eads of Jonesville, Va., "which caused horrible leg sores for 30 years, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured me after everything else failed." Infallible for burns, scalds, cuts, sores, bruises and piles. Sold at Mason's drug store; 25c.

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Home Dressed Chickens, 20c lb
Home Dressed Fowls...16c
Fresh Pork............12c
Hams..................12c
Shoulders.............10c
Legs Lamb.............16c
Hindquarter Lamb, 12½ to 15c
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black and self-embroidered tan, mode, brown, white and black, worth 75c., sale price, per pair. **49c**

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BUY YOUR CLOTHING THIS WEEK

And buy it here in this big store, right in the most convenient part of the city to come to. Always as light as day, and at this time filled with the largest and best stock of Clothing, Furnishings and Hats ever displayed in this city. Our prices are lower than the same quality of goods are sold for either in Boston or Providence, and it will pay you well to

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FALL OVERCOATS

A stunning line of stylish Coverts, handsome light shade, lined with best quality Italian cloth, deep faced to shoulders, tailored in best shape, and exact duplicate of the Providence $10 kind. Our price.......... **4.95**

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Over two dozen new styles in this line of high grade Fancy Worsted, Cheviot and Tweed Suits, stripe, check, plaid and plain patterns and plain and fancy mixtures. Choice of single and double breasted vests. These suits are tailored in best manner and are great value at our price of............ **9.75** A SUIT.

FALL OVERCOATS

In handsome medium shade Covert Cloth, silk lined sleeves, deep shoulder facings. Tailor-made throughout, best style, perfect fitting. You'll find the same goods marked $12 in Providence. Here.............. **6.75**

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Depot Square, Woonsocket.

Banker Routs a Robber.

J. R. Garrison, cashier of the bank of Thornville, Ohio, had been robbed of health by a serious lung trouble until he tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Then he wrote: "It is the best medicine I ever used for a severe cold or a bad case of lung trouble. I always keep a bottle on hand." Don't suffer with coughs, colds or any throat, chest or lung trouble when you can be cured so easily. Only 50c. and $1. Trial bottles free at Mason's drug store.

Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2 65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit. The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save. If your druggist can't supply you, it will be fowarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

To the Deaf.

A rich lady, cured of her deafness in the head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear drums, gave $10,000 to his institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the ear drums may have them free. Address No. 5035C, The Nicholson Institute, 780 Eighth avenue, New York, U.S.A. jl27

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No baking; add hot water and set to cool. Flavors: Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. At your grocers. 10c.

Pyny-Pectoral Soothes Sore Lungs and makes tender throats well and strong.

Paris Has Many Trees.

Paris possesses about 80,000 trees in the streets and public places in the city. It is calculated that there are 26,000 plane trees, 17,000 chestnuts and 15,000 elms, the remainder consisting of sycamores, maples, lichens, etc. Apparently there is only one oak and one ash tree.—N. Y. Journal.

An Early Opportunity.

He—Ah, how I love you! Would I were a knight of old, that I might fight for you this very day.

She—Perhaps you may, Clarence. Suppose you speak to papa now.—Philadelphia Record.

Willie's Inquiry.

Little Willie—Say, pa?

Pa—What is it, Willie?

"Does the iceman harvest his crop with an icicle?"—Chicago Evening News.

Many Miles of Hard Sledding.

The distance from the farthest point of polar discovery to the pole itself is 460 miles.

Where There's a Will.

Where there's a will there's always one or more lawyers.—Chicago Daily News.

A Fiendish Attack.

An attack was lately made on C. F. Collier of Cherokee, Iowa, that nearly proved fatal. It came through his kidneys. His back got so lame he could not stoop without great pain nor sit in a chair except propped by cushions. No remedy helped him until he tried Electric Bitters, which effected such a wonderful change that he writes he feels like a new man. This marvelous medicine cures backache and kidney trouble, purifies the blood and builds up your health. Only 50c. at Mason's drug store.

Diplomacy.

McSwatters—Diplomacy is a game of chess.

McSwitters—How can that be? Chess is played on the square. — Syracuse Herald.

What's Your Face Worth?

Sometimes a fortune, but never if you have a sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin—all signs of liver trouble; but Dr. King's New Life Pills give clear skin, rosy cheeks, rich complexion; only 25c at Mason's drug store.

DAVID CITY, NEB., April 1, 1900.
Genesse Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.:

Gentlemen:—I must say in regard to GRAIN-O that there is nothing better or healthier. We have used it for years. My brother was a great coffee drinker. He was taken sick and the doctor said coffee was the cause of it and told us to use GRAIN-O. We got a package but did not like it at first, but now would not be without it. My brother has been well ever since we started to use it.

Yours truly, LILLIE SOCHOR.

Use of Waste Slate.

Slate pencils were formerly all cut from solid slate, just as it is dug from the earth, but pencils so made were objected to on account of the grit which they contain, and which would scratch the slate. To overcome this difficulty an ingenious process has been devised by which the slate is ground to a very fine powder, all grit and foreign substances removed, and the powder bolted through silk cloth in much the same manner in which flour is bolted. The powder is then made into a dough, and this dough is subjected to a very heavy hydraulic pressure, which presses the pencil out the required shape and diameter, but in length about three feet. While yet soft the pencils are cut into the desired lengths and set out to dry in the open air. After they are thoroughly dry the pencils are placed in steam baking kilns, where they receive the proper temper. Pencils made in this manner are not only free from all grit, and of uniform hardness, but are stronger than those cut out of solid slate. For these reasons they have superseded the old kind. Over 25,000,000 of these pencils were made and sold in 1899 by one American concern in Chattanooga.—Cement and Slate.

Even Later.

He had been talking and talking and talking until the poor girl was so tired and sleepy she didn't know whether it was this week or last week or come next Sunday, and the clock on the mantel was holding up its hands, either in pity or in protest. Finally it occurred to the young man that an evening call had its limits, at least in a latitude where the nights are not six months long.

"Bless me," he exclaimed, starting up suddenly, "it certainly must be time I was going home."

"Oh," she said, in a dazed kind of a way, "it must be a good deal later than that."—Detroit Free Press.

Failed In Its Purpose.

Perhaps the strangest attempt ever seen at creating a nation by immigration was that begun by the American Colonization society in 1820. Having secured a territory on the west coast of Africa, these philanthropic people with the famous Henry Clay at their head, began offering free passages to all freed negro slaves. Some 20,000 of these were carried back to their native continent, and the state of Liberia became an established fact. But, well meant though it was, the experiment has proved a failure.—N. Y. Telegraph.

Inconsistency.

"Who is that man over there with the white, scared face?"

"That's the fellow we met at the funeral yesterday, who was telling the wife of the deceased to cheer up—that her husband was better off."

"What is the matter with him now?"

"The doctor told him he was going to die."—Indianapolis Sun.

Only One with Cash.

"Never mind, Delia," said the brother of the girl who had been disappointed in love, "he's not the only pebble on the beach."

"Pebble," retorted the disconsolate girl. "Who cares about the pebbles? I'm looking for 'rocks,' and you don't find them on the beach in any great profusion."—Chicago Post.

Proof Positive.

"Do you drink coffee?" asked the doctor of an aged patient.

"Yes," was the reply.

"Coffee," continued the M. D., "is a slow poison."

"Yes, very slow," replied the old man. "I have taken it daily for nearly 80 years."—Chicago Evening News.

Sneeze and Blow.

That is what you must do when you have catarrh in the head. The way to cure this disease is to purify the blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine soothes and heals the inflamed surfaces, rebuilds the delicate tissues and permanently cures catarrh by expelling from the blood the scrofulous taints upon which it depends. Be sure to get Hood's.

The non-irritating cathartic—Hood's Pills.

Yarmouth Line's Fall Excursions.

Not to have visited Nova Scotia during September is to have missed one of the most delightful of autumnal tours. During this month the Yarmouth Steamship company will sell excursion tickets, good for thirty days from date of purchase, to all points in Nova Scotia at unusually low rates. You may go to Yarmouth and return for only $3; to Digby and return for $6 35; to Halifax and return for $8.50; and correspondingly low rates to all other places, including south shore ports reached by the steamer City of Monticello from Yarmouth. Yarmouth line steamers leave Pier 1, Lewis wharf, every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 2 p. m. for Yarmouth. Full particulars and tickets at the tourist agencies, 201, 296 and 332 Washington street, or of H. F. Hammond, agent Yarmouth Steamship company, Pier 1, Lewis wharf, Boston.

Cheering Him Up.

Mr. Newlywed—I saw your old lover on the street to-day, looking awfully blue.

Mrs. Newlywed—I hope you tried to cheer him up.

Mr. Newlywed—Oh, yes. I showed him my buttonless shirt and that new tie you bought me.—Judge.

Money in Them.

Larry—Finnegan is raisin' goats.

Denny—Is thor iny money in goats?

Larry—Thor is some in Finnegan's. He hung his vist on a stake awn th' goats ate it up. His month's wages was in th' pocket. Chicago Daily News.

In the Rhetoric Class.

Young Professor—Give me an example of sarcasm.

Sweet Junioress — The phrase: "Man's superiority to woman."—Somerville Journal.

All tired out—

Once a day's work didn't use him up so—

Now he comes home with an aching back, aching head, aching limbs, feeling tired, miserable, discouraged.

It's the kidneys.

The backache is kidney ache, tired kidneys—

They are not filtering the blood as they should—are leaving the uric acid and other poisons in the system—

The kidneys must be strengthened—

Well kidneys make a well man.

Doan's Kidney Pills

Make well kidneys—they are not a new medicine—not an experiment—they've been tested and thousands endorse their merit. Here's a case of it:

Mr. J. W. Parker, carpenter in the wood turning department of the Fitchburg Car Shops, Fitchburg, Mass., says: "In the month of February, 1896, I was asked by a gentleman who called on me to publicly give my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills. What I gave him for publication has appeared in our Fitchburg papers. I was interviewed a second time over two years afterwards when I told my interviewer the following: Ever since my original statement appeared in the Fitchburg papers I have been repeatedly asked by people in the shops where I work, on the street, and by callers at my house if the said statement were true. I often wished it were in Halifax, and in allowing my name to appear as an endorser of Doan's Kidney Pills during the coming year, I want it thoroughly understood that they proved of great benefit and from my experience I can conscientiously say they are one patent medicine upon which people can depend to do as represented."

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers; price 50 cents a box. Mailed on receipt of price by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Asia's Great Sink Holes.

While Asia has the loftiest mountains in the world, it also possesses the deepest and most extensive land depressions, several of them, as is well known, sinking below sea level, so that if the ocean could flow into them they would be filled to the brim. In the deepest parts of most of them water now stands, forming small seas. Others are destitute of water. Among these is the Lukchun depression in Central Asia, concerning which Gen. Tillo writes, in the "Proceedings of the Russian Geographical society," that in places it sinks as much as 400 feet below sea level. This sink-hole in the middle of the largest of the continents is also remarkable for its meteorological features, the yearly amplitudes of the barometer being greater than are recorded anywhere else on earth. In summer the temperature rises to Saharan heat, a record of 118 degrees Fahrenheit having been obtained in July, while the air is of desert dryness.

Turkish Lime.

A recent visitor to Constantinople reports one custom of the Turks which causes a vast deal of trouble and confusion. This is the Turkish system of reckoning time. A Turk holds that the day begins exactly at sunset; at that time he sets his clocks and watches at the hour of 12. As the sun has the same habits in presiding over Turkey that he exercises with regard to other localities, it may easily be seen that this system of reckoning time necessitates setting the clocks every day. It appears that a watch which could run for weeks without gaining or losing a minute would be of no special value to a Turk.—Youth's Companion.

A Summer Night.

He—I could sit out here in the moonlight with you always.

She (sensibly)—No, you couldn't; unless you sat in a moonlight storage warehouse during the day.—Detroit Free Press.

Vast Extent of Canada.

Canada only lacks 237 square miles to be as large as the whole continent of Europe. It is nearly 30 times as large as Great Britain and Ireland and is 300,000 square miles larger than the United States.

The Summer Girl Way.

"Will you be m[illegible]" he murmured to her under the lan[illegible] moon.

"I'll let you th[illegible]k I am," she answered, and he was sore dissatisfied.—Detroit Free Press.

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Timber Laws of England.

By the general laws of England oak, ash and elm are "timber" if not younger than 20 years or so old that a good post cannot be cut from them. What constitutes "timber" varies slightly according to locality. But when a tree is proved to be "timber" a person who has only a life interest in the land it grows upon cannot cut it down unless it be on an estate cultivated solely for the production of salable timber or unless he has a special agreement giving him power to do so.—Chicago Chronicle.

Women at the Paris Exposition.

Mathematical cranks are busy figuring upon an estimated number of visitors at the Paris exposition. The last and most interesting one endeavors to fix the proportionate number of men and women, and the women, as usual, carry off the palm. Of the 150,000 Americans due, according to his estimate, to make the journey, 100,000 of them will be females. If this statement is true, or even proportionately true, America can be congratulated on being "beautifully" represented, at least.—N. Y. Herald.

The Morrow.

Now at last they were man and wife. As they swept down the aisle from the altar, he whispered softly to her.

"You are all the world to me!" he said.

"Oh, I'm the whole cheese to every body to-day!" she answered. "But to-morrow?"

There was a touch of sadness in all this.—Detroit Journal.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Daniel Kempton to the Milford Savings Bank, dated October 17, 1877, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, book 494, page 73, and for a breach of the condition thereof, will be sold at public auction upon the premises, on SATURDAY THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1900, at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely, "A certain tract or parcel of land situated in Bellingham in our county of Norfolk, containing about fifty acres of and bounded and described as follows, viz. Beginning at the southeast corner of the premises on the Scott hill road leading from said Bellingham to Woonsocket, at corner of land of Israel B. Salisbury, thence running westerly by land of the heirs of Lebbeus Gaskill and Nahum Cook to land conveyed by the grantor to Otis D. and Warren J. Ballou, thence northerly by said last-named land to land of Nahum Cook; thence easterly by land of Nahum Cook and Mrs. Anson Salisbury to the said road; thence southerly by and with said road to the point of departure, being all the land described in a deed from Elias Kempton and others, dated May 22, 1872, recorded in said registry, book 440, page 119, except one tract sold to Otis D and Warren J. Ballou."

Terms made known at time of sale or upon application to Jesse A. Tatt, Counsellor at Law, Milford, Mass.

MILFORD SAVINGS BANK,
26,2,9 By JAMES E. WALKER, Treas.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, ss.
SUPERIOR COURT.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court, next to be holden at Dedham within and for the County of Norfolk on the first Monday of December next:

Respectfully libels and represents Achsah Camp of Bellingham, in said county, that she was lawfully married to Fred Camp, now of parts unknown, at Medway on the twelfth day of December, A. D. 1879, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Fred Camp lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at Medway in said county; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Fred Camp being wholly regardless of the same at Medway aforesaid on or about the first day of August, 1889, utterly deserted your libellant and has continued such desertion to the date of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Fred Camp.

Dated the sixteenth day of October, A. D. 1900.

ACHSAH CAMP.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, ss.
SUPERIOR COURT.

On the foregoing libel it is ordered that the libellant give notice to the said Fred Camp, the libellee, to appear before the Justices of this Court, to be holden at Dedham within and for said county, on the first Monday of December next, by causing an attested copy of said libel, and of this order thereon, to be published once in a week for three successive weeks in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first Monday of December next, and further, by sending through the mail, as soon as may be, by a registered letter addressed to the last known residence of the said Fred Camp an attested copy of said libel and of this order thereon, that the said Fred Camp may then and there show cause why the prayer of said libel should not be granted.

By the Court,
LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.
October 22, A. D. 1900.
A true copy of said libel and the order thereon.
Attest R. B. WORTHINGTON,
26,2,9 Assistant Clerk.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, ss.

To the Honorable the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Norfolk.

Respectfully represent your petitioners being five and more inhabitants of the town of Wrentham, in said county of Norfolk, that common convenience and necessity require that that part of East street, in said Wrentham, which begins at the line separating the towns of Wrentham and Foxborough and runs westerly to a point near the almshouse in said Wrentham, which point is the terminus of the former relocation of the westerly part of said East street as made by the county commissioners of said county of Norfolk, be located anew, the boundary lines thereof established and alterations made in its course and width.

Wherefore your petitioners pray that you will, after giving notice and proceeding in the manner prescribed in laying out highways, order and decree that that part of East street above described be located anew, the boundary thereof be established, that such alterations in its course and width as your Board deems proper be made, and that such further proceedings may be had in the premises as the statute requires.

Dated this eighteenth day of September, A. D. 1900.

DANIEL BROWN and nineteen others.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, ss.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners, begun and held at Dedham, within and for said county of Norfolk, on the fourth Tuesday of September, A. D. 1900, and by adjournment on the sixteenth day of October, A. D. 1900.

On the petition aforesaid, Ordered that the County Commissioners will meet at the town house in Wrentham on

SATURDAY the FIRST day of DECEMBER, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m. and thence proceed to view the route described in said petition and hear and act thereon.

And that an attested copy of said petition, with this order thereon, be served upon the clerk of the town of Wrentham thirty days at least before the time appointed for said view, and also that a like copy be published three weeks successively in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Franklin, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said view, and that like copies be posted up in two or more public places in Wrentham fourteen days at least before said view, that all persons and corporations interested for or against said petition may then and there appear and be heard if they see fit.

LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.
A true copy of original petition on file and of order thereon.
Attest R. B. WORTHINGTON,
Assistant Clerk.
oc26,no2,9

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STATEMENT SEPT. 29, 1900.

LIABILITIES.		
Due Depositors		$565,502 99
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 90
Interest Account		4,027 82
Real Estate Income Account		184 78
		$598,672 44
ASSETS.		
Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,975 00
" " Mortgages		157,350 00
" " Personal Securities		174,269 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		522 22
Tax Account		502 73
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits		
Franklin National Bank	$3,028 14	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	1,304 95	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		4,417 25
Cash on hand		741 27
		$598,672 44

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

WALTER M. FISHER,
HORACE W. HOSIE,
Committee of Examination.
Sept. 29, 1900.

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Business Announcements in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL are invariably read.

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WRENTHAM

C. E. Brown and F. A. Shepard are in New York on a short business trip.——Mrs. Mary High has returned to her home in the West after spending the summer at the residence of her late aunt, Mrs. L. C. Jennys. Her sister, Mrs. Abbie B. Donaldson, will remain somewhat longer to settle the estate.——Messrs. Edgar K. Ray and Geo. W. Wiggin were in conference with the selectmen over the new timetable of the electric road and the fixing of the street.——Eben Green, an aged citizen, while smoking, burned his face severely by his whiskers catching fire.

Automobiles on English Farms.

The automobile is to be turned to practical account by the farmers of Kent, England. Every year a large part of the fruit crop rots from lack of transportation, the railways not being able to meet the emergency, and the plan is for the farmers next year to take things in their own hands, starting motor cars round the orchards during the evening and night and bringing the day's pickings to London by the early morning.—N. Y. Sun

Amusements of Chinamen.

Outdoor amusements for Chinamen are few and not popular. They fly kites, carry birds on perches and throw seeds high in the air for the birds to catch, or row boats in a lazy fashion on the lagoons or rivers. They pitch coppers, fight crickets or quail, juggle balls and play games with jackstraws and sna sticks.—N. Y. Times.

War Good for Something.

Mrs. Henpeck—So your husband tells you fairy tales when he comes in late of nights?

Mrs. Wiseguy—Fairy tales? I should say not. He's too smart to waste his time on fairy tales. He tells me Chinese stories because they're half true.—Syracuse Herald

Had to See the Boss.

Jones—I say, Jim, will you go with us down to the shore to-morrow night? We'll get back soon after 12 o'clock, I guess.

Brown—I should like to go, and I don't know but I will. I can't tell you positively just now.

Jones—I understand. You want to ask your wife.

Brown—No such thing. I want to ask the janitor if he is willing. I live in an apartment house, you remember.—Boston Transcript.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 8; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Universalist church—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D.D., pastor, will preach at 10.30; subject, "On the Heights of Life." No vesper service. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. James Church Alvord of the Globe Congregational church at Woonsocket, R. I. Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.00. No 7 o'clock service.

Baptist church—At 10.30 preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper; theme, "The Peerless Christ." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45. Union service at 7, with address by Rev. John W. F. Barnes, chaplain of the State prison at Charlestown.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook; subject, "The Higher Christian Life; special subject, "The Meaning and Purpose of Sanctification." Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 3. Epworth league at 6.00, led by pastor; subject, "Do Not Worry." Preaching at 7 by Rev. W. T. Perrin, Ph. D., P. E., of Brookline. Quarterly conference at 8, conducted by Dr. Perrin.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending October 24, 1900.

Ladies—Miss Cornelia Bullard, Mrs. G. Bassett, Mrs. Wm. H. Derby, Jr., Mrs. Patrick Dooley, Mrs. Etta Norwel, Mrs. Frank Wallace. Foreign—Cesidio Antinavelli, Leopolt Niolrinskie, Evangalista Michele.

Gentlemen—Mr. Coach, Peter Embstet, W. M. Frost, W. F. Hitchings, Austin McBurnie. Foreign—Giovanni Giarla, John Lorrard, B. Sa it.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

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The Probability.

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In effect Oct. 22.

FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6.10, 6.45 a.m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10.15 p. m. Last cars [illegible] at 10.45 and 11.15 p. m.

FRANLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m., connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket. Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.[illegible] a. m., and then on hour and half hour till [illegible] p. m.

FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham Four Corners for Caryville every hour from [illegible] a. m., 12 m. to 2 p. m., 4 to 9 p. m., returning [illegible]. Cars leaving Franklin at 6.45, 7.45, 11.45 a. m. and 12.45, 3.45, 1.45, 5.45, 6.45 and 7.45 p. m. connect at Bellingham Four Corners with cars for Caryville.

FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave Franklin at 6.1[illegible], 7.45, 9.15, 10.45, 11.15 a. m., 1.45, 3.15, 4.4[illegible], 5.3[illegible], 6.15, 7.45, 9.15, 10.45 p. m. Returning, leave Plainville three-quarters of an hour later. A special car leaves Plainville at 6.15 p. m. for Franklin.

WRENTHAM, PLAINVILLE AND ATTLEBORO — Leave Woonsocket, Main street Switch, at 7.00, 8.30, 10.00, 11.30 a. m., 1.00, 2.30, 4.00, 4.30, [illegible], 7.00, 8.[illegible], 10.00 p. m.

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NOTICE TO VOTERS.

The Registrars of Voters will be in session for the purpose of correcting and adding new names to the voting list at the Town Officers' room, in Franklin, on

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 10, from 7 to 9 P. M.
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 17, from 7 to 9 P. M.
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 24, from 7 to 9 P. M.
SATURDAY, OCT. 27, from 12 M. to 10 P. M.

Registration for the Presidential election will close on SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 27, at 10 o'clock after which time no new names can be added to the voting list.

BRADLEY M. ROCKWOOD,
JAMES W. DESMOND,
MICHAEL J. COSTELLO,
ORESTES T. DOE,
Registrars of Voters

Franklin, Mass., Sept. 24 1900. oc2 toc26

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of Erasmus A. Pond, late of Rutland, in the state of Vermont, deceased.

Whereas, Metcalf E. Pond, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court his petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of nine certain parcels of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of November, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this tenth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

oc.12,19,26

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Cars leave Dedham for Franklin 10 minutes past the hour. First car 6:10 a. m, last car 10:10 p m; last Dedham to Medway, 12:10 p m.

Extra car leaves Medfield 8 a m, connecting at Dedham with 8:42 train for Boston. Extra car leaves Dedham 5:35 p m for Westwood, to the car barn only.

Cars leave Franklin for Dedham and connect with trains for Boston, also connecting with cars at Medway for Milford, South Framingham and Holliston St. Ry.

Cars leave Franklin 15 minutes past the hour. First car 7:15 a m, last car 10:15 p m; first car Medway to Dedham 5:40 a m; last car 10:40. Last car Franklin to Westwood 11:15 p m. Sundays first car one hour later, last car one hour earlier.

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Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Edwin J. Pond to Metcalf E. Pond, dated June 26, A. D. 1891, and recorded in the registry of deeds for the county of Norfolk, libro 661, folio 25, will be sold at public auction, on the lot hereinafter described as the homestead, on

SATURDAY, the TENTH day of NOVEMBER, A. D. 1900,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, and therein described as follows, namely: All the right, title and interest of the said Edwin J. Pond in and to the following described pieces or parcels of land situated in said Franklin, viz:

One piece of fifty acres, more or less, called the Hardin pasture, bounded easterly by Grove street, northerly by land of James P. Ray, southerly and westerly by land of said Ray and land of William Rockwood.

One piece of twenty-five acres, more or less, called "Old Plain," bounded westerly on the aforesaid street, northerly on Mine brook, and easterly by land of Davis Thayer, Jr., and southerly by Beaver street.

One piece of about eleven acres, called the Beaver Pond lot, bounded northwesterly by said Beaver street, easterly by land of said Davis Thayer, Jr., southerly by land of J. M. Whiting's heirs and westerly by said Grove street.

One piece of about twenty-three acres, called the Peterville lot, bounded northerly by land of William Rockwood and land of James Galvin, easterly by Mine brook and the mill pond and said Grove street, south and west by land of Susan K. Ray and the Forge Hill road.

One lot of about ten acres, called the Brown wood lot, bounded northerly and westerly by land of Leonard B. Brown, southerly by land of Wilton A. Pond and easterly by land of Calvin Fairbanks.

And one lot of about sixteen acres of wood and cranberry land, bounded northerly by land of James Kelley, easterly by land of Fisher Pond, southerly and westerly by land of A. H. Dodge and land of the heirs of Enoch Brown.

One lot of twenty-three acres, more or less, bounded northerly by land of Joseph Smith, easterly and northerly by Mine brook, and southerly by land of James P. Ray, and westerly by land of the town of Franklin.

One lot of eleven acres, more or less, called the Homestead, bounded northerly by land of F. B. Ray, easterly by land of Daniel Buckley, southerly by Central street and westerly by said Central street and land of Susan B. Ray.

Also one lot of about six acres, called the Aldis Meadow, bounded northerly and easterly by land of said Smith, southerly and westerly by land of D. P. Whiting, D. F. Adams, Seneca Adams and James P. Ray.

Terms made known at time and place of sale.

METCALF E. POND,
Mortgagee.

Franklin, Mass., Oct. 8, A. D. 1900. oc12,19,26

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Hubbard M. Bullock, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Mira S. Bullock of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of November, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Lewis F. Williams, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Edwin O. Williams of Taunton, or to some other suitable person.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of November, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this tenth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

oc12,19,26

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator de bonis non, with the will annexed, of the estate of Goldsbury Pond, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

METCALF E. POND,
Administrator.

Address: Franklin, Mass.
Oct 17, A. D. 1900. oc19,26,no2

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Conductor George Cotton has moved from Hyde Park to Winter street.

L. W. Daniels entertained Charles H. Dunton and family of Allston on Sunday.

N. B. Stone, former manager of the Town farm here, is master of the Medway grange.

A number of the Franklin Masonic fraternity will go to Milford on Wednesday evening.

The Dean football eleven will play the Tufts second team at Medford next Saturday afternoon.

Albert James Gilmore is reported about to move to Holliston, where a son is engaged in the meat business.

G. S. F. Singleton moved last week into the house he recently purchased of Mrs. Morse-Russell on Main street.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper is attending the Baptist State anniversaries held in the First Baptist church in Beverly this week.

Miss Ellen Butters, teacher in the Thayer school, is suffering from tonsilitis. Mrs. Barbara Tower substitutes in her place.

The Ladies' Social circle of the Universalist church will meet with Mrs. James Chilson, Dean avenue, Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Ethel Hornick, formerly instructor in elocution at Dean, is in Frohman's "Manœuvres of Jane" cast at the Hollis theatre in Boston.

Rev. and Mrs. I. W. Sneath are entertaining his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sneath, and his sister, Mrs. H. C. Bruner, of Columbia, Pa.

The Jolly club held another enjoyable hop at Red Men's hall Friday evening, the affair being well attended. Prof. J. A. O'Sullivan furnished the music.

Arrangements are being made to receive the returns by telegraph at some central place next Tuesday evening, particulars of which will be given later.

A telephone pay station was established at McCabe & Cody's grocery store on Union street Friday for the accommodation of people in that section of the town.

About ten of the members of the Roundabout club went to Natick today as guests of Mrs. W. H. Colby. Of course they were most delightfully entertained.

A. R. Morse, of Walpole, formerly liquor officer here, but now manager of the truant school at Walpole, was in town on Friday, attending the funeral of William Mann.

The Mothers' section will meet with Mrs. C. F. Nye on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Enoch Waite, when Mrs. Rebecca Farnum will give an interesting "picture talk."

Rev. Dr. DeNormandie, who failed to meet his engagement with the Alden club last week Monday evening, was sidetracked at Norwood while on his way here. The joke is on him.

Announcement is made of the approaching marriage of James E. O'Connell of Woonsocket and Miss Agnes Callahan of Washington street. The ceremony will be performed on Wednesday, Nov. 7.

Some of our local sportsmen are rather indignant that game wardens from neighboring Woonsocket come up here to shoot birds and carry them away, contrary to law. They propose to look the matter up.

The following election officers were appointed by the selectmen Friday evening: Tellers, B. M. Rockwood, John P. Costello, John E Barber and M. F. Conroy; ballot clerks, Albert H. Martin, John A. O'Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stewart and H. W. Thayer have returned from the Fall River Y M C. A. conference decidedly enthusiastic over association work, and speak very highly of the interest and results of the conference

Elaborate preparations are being made by the different committees of the Ladies' Auxiliary in charge of the Hallowe'en party to be held Wednesday evening in Foresters' hall, and the affair promises to be a pleasant social event.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Noyes have returned from the vacation in New York state and Massachusetts. Mr. Noyes' father, by the way, is a campaign speaker and speaks at Wrentham next Monday evening with Candidate Powers.

An eastern-born lady, living many years in California, writes to a friend here: "This (California) is God's country" She has evidently forgotten the New England climate and does not realize what a delightful fall season we have experienced.

Rev. G W. Miner gave an informal talk Friday morning before some of the pupils of the High school on the subject, "The Nebula Hypothesis." He traced briefly the evolution of the sun and planets from a nebulus state to their present condition.

Mrs. Mary Dugan passed away at her home on Cottage street Friday evening, aged 63 years, her death being due to heart trouble. She leaves one son and one daughter, Charles and Miss Mary Dugan. The funeral was held yesterday from St. Mary's chapel.

We doubt if there is another telephone exchange in the state that has a more expert and courteous day operator than our local exchange possesses in Mrs. Tracey. Although kept busy all day long answering calls, never once does she lose her temper or get "rattled."

Commencing yesterday morning, the electric cars to Wrentham and Plainville began upon an hourly schedule, instead of every hour and a half, the cars leaving the postoffice at quarter past the hour. This change is due to the request of the Wrentham people, who thought the hours of running too far apart.

On Friday the 2 p. m. car from Milford to Bellingham, on the Milford, Attleboro and Woonsocket street railway, jumped the track at Bellingham and ran into the front yard of Carroll E. White's home. It had fourteen passengers, but none were injured. The car is a vestibuled one and every window was broken and the apparatus wrecked to the extent of $100. Traffic was delayed four hours.

The following children of the Four Corners school have been neither absent nor tardy during the month of October: Walter Bristew, Earle Conway, Beatrice Copeland, Willie Dauphinee, Bertha Feeley, Nellie Feeley, Edwin Ferrer, Henry Granger, Lina Hamilton, George Joyce, May Keefe, Chester Ledbury, Raymond Lundborn, Richard Savage, Genevieve Searle, Russell Stewart, Robert Winters.

An eleven year-old boy and a shot gun were the cause for consternation among the employees in the spinning room of Hayward's mill yesterday morning. The boy had placed a tin can on a post near the mill for a target and was in the act of firing when a companion knocked the gun upward, the shot pouring into the windows of the spinning room on the second floor of the mill and grazing the heads of several of the help, some of whom ran out through fright. The boy was corraled and reprimanded. Several panes of glass were shattered.

The meeting of the Young Men's Christian association held last evening was well attended and particularly interesting. President E. D. Daniels presided. Encouraging reports from the committees were listened to, as well as a very interesting report of the Y. M. C. A. convention held at Fall River last week, which was given by H. W. Thayer. Sixteen new names were added to the list of members, which brings the membership up to over seventy at the present time. It is hoped the building question will be settled in a few days and active work commenced.

Fred. V. Hussey is studying medicine at the College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York city. He went to London with his brother, Dr. C. B. Hussey, but on arriving there discovered that upon a number of matters he had been misinformed, and concluded that the wisest thing would be to take a four years' course here and finish up in Europe, if necessary. The course there would have required five years, and some other incidental matters made it more expensive than an American course, considering what one gained thereby. Dr. C. B. Hussey will remain abroad some months longer.

A sight of Daniel Brown's grapery at Wrentham center is a delight to the eye and good for the soul of the Christian. Clusters of delicious grapes nearly as large as a man's head hang on carefully trimmed vines. It sometimes seems a little strange that Eve was tempted by an apple when the consequences were so serious, but if she had gone into Mr. Brown's grapery and found the temptation too much it would not have been surprising to anyone who has been there.

The Greenhalge Literary society held their meeting last Friday afternoon. There was a large attendance. After the business was transacted the following program was enjoyed: Musical selection, Misses Van Arsdalen and Smith and Mr. Hudson; piano duet, Misses Bly and Daniels; reading, Mr. Munroe; vocal duet, Misses Billings and Corbin; piano solo, Miss Smith; reading, Miss Thompson; mandolin solo, Miss Daniels. This was one of the most enjoyable meetings held for a long time.

In the suit of John O'Donnell vs. George R Whiting, which was begun in the civil court at Dedham last Wednesday, the jury Friday returned a verdict in favor of the defendant The plaintiff claimed $2,000 damages for injuries alleged to have been sustained while employed in a mill at South Milford owned by the defendant, who is a resident of Unionville. A similar suit had also been entered for the same amount by another employe. Charles Todd of Boston represented the plaintiff, and Samuel L. Powers of Brookline the defendant.

The M. A & W. Street Railway company has made a report to the assessors of the gross receipts for a year and miles of track, as required by the law of 1898, and by which the railway company has to pay an excise or franchise tax varying according to the amount of receipts. The tax this year will amount to about $70 or $80, which under the law is to be expended in repair of highways, but not the part of the highway which the railway company is obliged by statute to keep in condition. The tax is based upon the mileage of track within town limits. The M. A & W. company operates 24.795 miles of track. The company's receipts for the year were $41,975 05, less than $4,000 per mile.

J. B. McKinnon, H. A. Worthley, J. McParland and N. Daniels were before Judge Doe in the district court Saturday to answer charges as follows: One for illegal keeping and one for selling liquor against McKinnon; one for illegal keeping against Worthley; three for alleged violation of the express law and one for illegal keeping against McParland, and one for exposing liquor for sale and one for illegal keeping against Daniels McKinnon and Worthley pleaded guilty to the charge of illegal keeping and were fined $50 each, the charge of selling against the former being placed on file. McParland and Daniels pleaded not guilty to all the charges entered against them. A hearing was given McParland, but no decision was reached, and both cases were continued until next Saturday.

Registration closed at 10 p. m Saturday with 65 names added during the day and evening, making the added names 144. The assessors were in session from noon for assessing omitted polls, and several who had been overlooked in the spring applied and were put on the list. It is noticed that many are more concerned about this matter in the fall, near election time, than in the spring, when the assessors are looking for them. In 1896 the vote for president here was a total of 821; of which the Republicans had 661, the Democrats 98, and Democratic nomination 42, 18 votes divided between the other four parties. The registration at that time was somewhat larger than now. The total number of voters registered is 910, against 1,004 in 1896, and 986 in 1892.

A special car for the accommodation of the Franklin help employed at the Worcester Textile company's works at Unionville has been put on at 6 p. m. The regular 6 o'clock car had been unable to accommodate all the hands coming to Franklin and many of them had been obliged to stand daily, and it appears the employees had called upon the street railway officials and requested that a special car be placed at their service. The company was considering the matter, but were acting too slow for the employees, who agreed not to ride on the regular car. Accordingly on Wednesday and Thursday evenings the help did not ride on the regular car, but made the distance to town on foot. The railway company, however, came to their relief on Friday and provided the desired accommodation.

A Rummage Sale.

St. John's Guild will conduct a "rummage sale" of large proportions next Saturday afternoon and evening, Nov. 3, in the eastermost store in Opera House block. All kinds of articles, including clothing, household furnishings, boots, shoes, hats and caps, furniture, utensils and tools will be sold at prices so low as to be insignificant. Come one, come all, to this rummage sale.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

Rally Postponed.

Owing to the death of the mother of Hon. S. L. Powers, the rally arranged for tomorrow evening has been postponed until next Monday evening at the same time and place. Please extend the notice

An Interesting Discourse.

Chaplain John W. F. Barnes of the State prison, Charlestown, gave a thrilling and impressive address at the monthly temperance meeting at the Baptist church Sunday evening. The Scripture was read by Rev. Dr. Sneath, and prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Hodge.

Rev. Mr. Barnes certainly has the rare tact of completely hiding his own personality behind the important message he is giving, and making the startling facts speak forcefully and eloquently. There was genuine refinement of pathos and wit in all the discourse. He painted with absolute accuracy and fulness the life of the criminals in prison. He revealed them as human beings subject to human infirmities the same as others. To brand a rebellious prisoner with a hot iron or largely starve him as punishment is using the Devil to punish the Devil, and as a result you have all the more Devil in the convict. He requires united firmness and love. There is no worse sin than Christian respectability that is heartless toward those who are in prison Sometimes the convicts are victims of heredity or environment, blighted and cursed intellectually, socially, morally and spiritually.

Too often the man least guilty is caught and punished, and the chief offender goes free Too often men have been goaded into crime by the injustice and cruelty of society If our prisons are not to "reform" as well as "punish" they fail of their purpose. There is great moral and spiritual hope for many of the convicts who in the future may become genuine and noble Christian men. To say that Chaplain Barnes is well fitted for his important position is mild praise. His great soul is all absorbed in his work until it has become the ruling passion of his life. For nearly twenty years he has filled this office, sparing not himself in the slightest in his loving, patient devotion to the convicts Would that the world had more of such noble and godly men, who live only for the good they can do.

Decided Improvement.

Much needed improvements are under way at the Opera house, which, when completed, will be of decided convenience and advantage. It has always been a difficult matter for the stage to accommodate companies carrying high scenery, owing to the fact that the ceiling was too low to admit of its being put in This has been obviated by removing some of the upper woodwork. Scenery of any height can now be used, though, of course, no more will show than the proscenium arch will admit. A new gridiron has been built 22 feet above the stage and the supports for the smaller flats and scenes will be arranged to turn back to give a clear stage the full height of the stage when required. The sanitary arrangements will be completely renovated and a great addition to the conveniences of the house will be a new ladies' toilet and dressing room in the rear of the box office, with an entrance from the main room under the balcony. These changes will add both to the convenience of the stage people and the audience and make the house also much more desirable for balls and parties.

Thayer a Winner, 10 to 6.

Dean lost to Thayer academy at football Saturday mostly through overconfidence. Both teams played strongly, the visitors having just a shade the best of it. The contest was played in a drizzling rain, but the teams paid little attention to the disagreeable conditions and battled on to the end. The summary:

DEAN.	Positions.	THAYER.
Manning	l. e	Reilly
Mitchell	l. t	Harmon
Townsend	l. g	Burroughs, Bickley
Echols	c	Dok
Roberts	r. g	Platts
Stone	r. t	Adams
Smith	r. e	Carr
Phipps	quarter	Gallagher
Pulsifer	l. h. b	Esterbrooks
Thompson, (capt)	r. h. b	Remick
Forbes	f. b	Kelley

Score, Thayer 10, Dean 6. Touchdowns, Esterbrooks, Townsend, Phipps. Goal from touchdown, Forbes. Umpire, Gallagher. Referee, Healy. Linesmen, Winslow and M. Benson. Time, 20-minute halves.

Alden Club.

Members will not forget the Hallowe'en social at Elm farm hall tomorrow night. An extra car will be in waiting at the postoffice at 7.15 promptly.

Plant Sale.

For three days only, commencing Nov. 1, at the Colby store, I shall offer for sale a good variety of choice potted plants, chrysanthemums, ferns, begonias and cut flowers. Mrs. W. F. King.

Auction of Household Goods.

Don't fail to come to the auction on Friday evening at Opera House block if you want rare bargains. Now is the time to buy.

These are fish days. Shad, swordfish, mackerel, blue fish, butter fish, halibut, clams and lobsters. Paine, the fish-man.

Transient and regular patrons will find good service, clean and quick work at Ocbeo's barber shop, Opera house block.

A Useful Life.

The passing of William Mann, on the 23d instant, to his final rest from earthly service, removes from our midst one of sterling worth, whose presence among us for upwards of forty eight years has been a continued example of devotion to the sturdy principles of Puritanism, as exhibited in church life and worldly activities.

He was born in Chesterfield, N. H., Dec. 11, 1819, where he remained till seventeen years of age, when he removed to Forestdale, R. I., to learn the trade of scythe plating,—walking the entire distance of about one hundred miles.

WILLIAM MANN.

Possessed of a longing desire for a better education, he later found his way to Clinton, N. Y., where he lived with a professor of Hamilton college, working for his board while attending school in the preparatory department Returning to Rhode Island, he served the remainder of his apprenticeship at his trade, which he perfected to that degree his services were sought after far and near, throughout the New England states, New York and Canada. He held the record for plating the most scythes in one day, and plated the last scythe manufactured in Rhode Island. He worked at his trade for thirty-seven years, until machines largely supplanted the use of scythes.

He purchased his home here in the spring of '52, continuing his trade at Forestdale, and for the want of a public conveyance walking home after his week's work, that he might be with his family on Sunday, which for him was the day of all the week Denied church privileges in early life, he yet as a young man sought counsel of Rev. Timothy Alden Taylor concerning his spiritual interests, and at the age of twenty five united with the Congregational church at Slatersville, R. I., removing his relationship to the sister church in this place nearly half a century ago

For forty eight years previous to his last sickness, he never once missed attendance upon Sunday services, on one occasion braving a severe storm to find himself in the Catholic church, when no other was open in town. One of the first, by word and act, to advocate the suppression of slavery, he early devoted himself to the cause of temperance, standing firmly and uncompromisingly for prohibition.

He was a man of frugal economy, yet of large benevolence, as many are able testify whom he has quietly helped financially and otherwise; a man of strong, earnest convictions, freely and fearlessly expressed at all times. Illustrative of the appreciation felt for his staunch character and noble qualities, we quote a few sentences from a letter addressed to his son-in law, under date of May 31, last, by his children's pastor, Rev. W. A. Bartlett, D. D., of Lowell: "I shall never forget the help his presence and earnestness have given us here. It has been a rare privilege to have known him, and it is something to remember that he has been in our church and there has given testimony to the grace of God. * * I have thought of him so much, and I wish you would extend to him my Christian greetings, and tell him how much his faith has helped us all, especially myself, in the preaching of the gospel, for which he is so true a witness."

In June, '49, he married Sarah Bacon, daughter of Deacon Joseph Addison and Chloe Fales Metcalf, who died Nov. 1, 1872. In October, '79, he married Mrs. Mary W. Smith, who survives him. He will be greatly missed by a wide circle of friends, and deeply mourned by his widowed wife, three daughters and a son, with their families, including eight grandchildren, who survive him

The funeral services were held at his late home Friday afternoon, his pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, officiating. His remarks were based upon Prov. 20: 7, "The just man walketh in his integrity; his children are blessed after him." Rev. N. T. Dyer, his son-in-law, supplemented the pastor's remarks with a few words concerning his exemplary home life. Mrs. H. R. Jenks feelingly rendered his two favorite hymns, "Rock of Ages" and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul."

The body was borne from the house and laid in its last resting place in Union street cemetery by four nephews, John S., Bernerd M., Charles A. and Philip R. Allen, of Walpole Among the many present from out of town was Samuel Tabor, of Slatersville, R. I., an intimate friend for upwards of a half century.

An Interesting Meeting.

The Fairbanks chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, met with Mrs. E. K. Ray, Friday afternoon, Nov. 26.

Members were present from Walpole, Hyde Park and Braintree. Fairbanks chapter at present is doing the work of marking the graves of its Revolutionary ancestors with the bronze marker. The looking up of the Revolutionary services and burial places of these staunch old New Englanders has been very interesting This is a work that the town of Franklin should do for its graves of the Revolution to be found in the cemetery here. It is especially brought to mind as we see the improvements going on in that sacred place. The chapter found one of its heroes was buried in Winthrop, Me., and upon writing to the board of selectmen in regard to a marker, learned that Winthrop had honored every Revolutionary soldier buried there with this memorial. Our country, young as it is, has a history; let us honor it.

Woonsocket Opera House.

James A. Herne's "Shore Acres" has a turkey dinner with cranberry sauce and all the accustomed trimmings. In "Sag Harbor" clam pie is the principal feature. In "Hearts of Oak" the bill of fare will comprise Boston baked beans, meat pie, pancakes, boiled potatoes, bread, butter and tea. "Hearts of Oak" will be the attraction at the Opera house on Friday, Nov. 2. Seats go on sale tomorrow.

A Treat Promised.

Charles Williams, one of the most popular readers before the public, will give a reading for the benefit of the High school library Friday of this week, at 7.45, in the hall of the Horace Mann school. Mr. Williams read here last year to a very delighted audience. The selections will be from the stage versions of "To Have and To Hold."

This book is one of the best selling and widest read books of the day. Over 250,000 have already been sold. The Boston Herald says of him: "Mr. Williams' clear and flexible voice, his keen sense of humor, and his fine intelligence make him a most agreeable platform reader."

Grand Opera at Woonsocket Opera House.

On Thursday evening, Nov 8, the International Grand Operatic company will be in Woonsocket, and the event will be the talk of the city for a long time to come. The programme will consist of the second act of "Martha" and "Cavalleria Rusticana," which will be given in correct costumes and stage effects complete. Madame Charles Fontaine Lorraine, the great artist impersonator, will give her inimitable delineations during the acts. Such a musical treat as promised will doubtless draw a large audience. All lovers of opera should not fail to see this company, which is composed of some of the finest artists in the world. Prices are very reasonable, consistent with such a high-grade attraction. Seats secured at the Woonsocket Opera house Nov. 3 by letter or telephone, No. 173—2.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

Fifty cords fine birch wood for sale; $3 75 cord. Address E. S. Cook, Box 212. 23,30,6

To Rent.—A desirable tenement of six rooms; $12 per month. Inquire of O. T. Doe. 14 tf

Forty second-hand novels, four lots, ten for fifty cents. First comers choose. SENTINEL Office.

A competent girl can obtain a good situation doing housework by addressing "E," SENTINEL office. 26

Get your round-trip Boston, Providence and Milford tickets of Charles H. Prince at the SENTINEL office.

Frank O. Dudley, formerly with R G. Irwin, will do bicycle repairing at the corner of Central and Union streets. 9-81*

Wanted—Board and attendance for invalid lady. Room furnished if desired. Address Lock Box 48, Franklin, Mass. 26,30*

Wanted.—Two canvassers willing to travel; big pay to hustlers; call evenings. J. H. Allgaier, Hotel Windsor, Franklin, Mass. 30*

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J.B.McKINNON, Agent.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Violets and 100 chrysanthemums. Slade's greenhouse.

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American Corn in Europe.

It looks as though the fight that has been going on for years to get Europeans to buy American corn has been won at last, for the exports of this cereal are now on such a large scale that it is reasonable to assume that it has got a firm foothold abroad. For the past ten years the various secretaries of agriculture have endeavored to show to foreigners the value of our corn and all sorts of schemes were adopted to introduce it in Europe. During the famous famine in Ireland a number of ship loads of corn were sent to the sufferers, says an eastern exchange, but they had such a poor opinion of it that they refused to receive it. The fight was kept up, however, with gratifying results, the exports last year amounting to more than [illegible] bushels. The demand for this cereal is widely distributed and extends to the northern half of South America to Mexico, the West Indies, Central America, the British possessions in North America and even to Africa and Australia. As regards distribution, however, the most significant fact is that from eight to nine-tenths of the total exports are usually consigned to the various countries of Europe, preeminent among these takers being Great Britain, Germany, France, Belgium, Denmark and Holland. In these countries it is interesting to note, the use of corn is mostly confined, as is the case in the United States, to the feeding of live stock, though it is also employed to a limited extent in brewing, distilling and other industries and in the manufacture of proprietary foods and confectionery.

Man and His Clothes.

Ten years ago a man who would have appeared in the streets of any city in this country in knickerbockers and golf stockings would have gone through a very uncomfortable experience. Now he can wear that sort of leg attire in rain or shine, hot weather or cold, through snow or mud, or for any purpose he pleases, in city or country, and nobody thinks anything about it. The only attention he will be likely to attract to himself will be caused solely by marked excess or defect of pulchritude in his calves, facetiously observes the Philadelphia North American. In the matter of head covering there has been an almost equal growth in the latitude allowed to personal taste and comfort. The shirt-waist man is only treading in the footsteps of all those who have gone before. Few in numbers, but determined and unterrified, he goes on his way, calm and cool, this summer, but next summer he will be seen everywhere, and by the dog days of the following year the man who wears a coat will be as scarce and as conspicuous as the man is who now wears a waistcoat.

To-day the seat of the sheep-shearing industry of the union has shifted from the middle west to the plateau region between the Rockies and Sierras. Ohio is still doing well in the business, with nearly 3,0[illegible] head, but she has dropped from first to fourth in the list of mutton producing states. New Mexico is at the head, with more than 4,[illegible]. Montana has nearly as many, while Wyoming leads Ohio by a few hundred thousand head. Utah closely follows Ohio in the rating. Oregon, California and Texas each has about 2,5[illegible] sheep.

The Chinese minister to the United States is enjoying himself at the sea side resorts near Washington, and the Chinese minister to England spends much of his time in translating Shakespeare and Blackstone. Both these Chinese diplomats are learned and able men. They are placed in a difficult position, but will, of course, receive polite and considerate treatment from all who have a just claim to be called civilized.

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The Greeks Believed This.

Used them and were Strongest of all People.

Smith's Green Mountain Renovator made of Herbs—The Best Medicine for Strength.

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THE FALSE PROPHET.

Bryan's Predictions Which Failed to Materialize.

If the prophecies and predictions made by Mr Bryan had proven to be true, the gold standard, which has been in operation since he uttered them, would have produced the following dire results, to wit:

It would have increased the purchasing power of the gold dollar.—Madison Square Garden speech.

It would have been as certain to make prices fall as a stone is to fall when it is thrown into the air.—Newton, Ia., speech.

It would have increased the debts of the people and lessened their ability to pay them.—Baltimore speech.

It would have made times harder and harder.—Same speech.

It would have starved everybody except the money changers and the money owners.—New Haven speech.

It would have transferred the bread which one man earns to another man who had not earned it.—Hartford speech.

It would have made the rich richer and the poor poorer.—Newark, O., speech.

It would have decreased the number who are happy and increased the number who are in distress.—Same speech.

It would have destroyed the hope of the toiling masses.—Minneapolis speech.

It would have destroyed the opportunity to work.—Same speech.

It would have increased the number of idle men.—Same speech.

It would have decreased the volume of standard money.—Same speech.

It would have encouraged the hoarding of money.—Hornesville, N. Y., speech.

It would have made it more and more difficult for the farmer to live.—Madison Square Garden speech.

It would have injured the wage-earner.—Same speech.

It would have made employment less certain.—Same speech.

It would have discouraged enterprise.—Same speech.

It would have paralyzed industry.—Same speech.

It would have lessened the ability of savings banks to collect their assets.—Same speech.

It would have increased the danger of depositors losing their deposits in savings banks.—Madison Square Garden speech.

It would have compelled depositors in savings banks to withdraw their deposits to pay living expenses.—Same speech.

It would have lessened the [illegible] of those engaged in business occupations and would have lessened the permanency of such salaries.—Same speech.

It would have injured those who have permanent investments in railroad stocks and other like enterprises.—Same speech.

It would have injured or destroyed the manufacturers of agricultural implements, wagons and buggies.—Springfield, O., and Flint, Mich., speeches.

It would have lessened the ability of the masses to buy goods and thereby would have lessened the number of traveling men.—Indianapolis speech to traveling men.

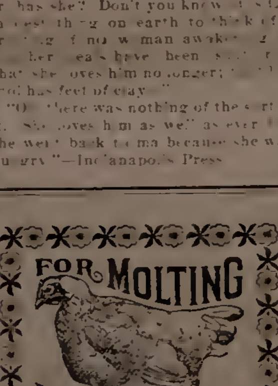
It would have made it impossible for husbands and wives to pay off the mortgages on their homes.—Minneapolis speech to ladies.

It would have made it necessary to advocate the closing up of our public schools.—Monmouth, Ills., speech.

Prosaic Reason.

"So she has gone home to her mother, has she? Don't you know it's the saddest thing on earth to think of a trusting young woman awakening to find her ideals have been shattered, that she loves him no longer; that her idol has feet of clay?"

"Oh, there was nothing of the sort in it. She loves him as well as ever, but she went back to ma because she was hungry."—Indianapolis Press.



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GENERAL HARRISON'S OPINION.

Bryan's Election Would Throw the Country's Affairs Into Confusion.

"I think, therefore, that voters ought to vote with a view to the right decision of those questions that are directly and finally in the control of the president and congress.

"The general reasons I gave in my Carnegie hall speech in 1896, why Bryan should not be elected, still hold good with me. His election would, I think, throw governmental and business affairs into confusion.

"We should not aid the election of a president who would, admittedly, if he could, destroy the gold standard and other things that we value even more, upon the deceptive suggestion that he has been bound and that the Republican party will, after defeat, still have strength enough to save the temple. It will be much better not to allow the man with destructive tendencies so much as to lean against its pillars.

"Perhaps it will save you much trouble if I give you and underwrite as of this date, this extract from my Carnegie hall speech: 'When we have a president who believes that it is neither his right nor his duty to see that the mail trains are not obstructed, and that interstate commerce has its free way, irrespective of state lines, and courts that fear to use their ancient and familiar writs to restrain and punish law-breakers, free trade and free silver will be appropriate accompaniments of such an administration and cannot add appreciably to the national distress or the national dishonor.'

"The economic policies of the Republican party have been vindicated by the remarkable and general prosperity that has developed during Mr. McKinley's administration—succeeding a period of great depression.

"A change of administration this fall would almost certainly renew conditions from which we have so happily escaped. The full dinner bucket is not a sordid emblem. It has a spiritual significance for the spiritually-minded. It means more comfort for the wife and family, more schooling and less work for the children and a margin of saving for sickness and old age."

THE FUTURE MARKET.

The Time Is Coming When It Will Be In the Far East.

"A great change has recently taken place in the manufacture of goods. It is now necessary to have an outlet for our overflow of all kinds of manufactured goods. The home market is safe. We are able to compete in most of the markets of the world. We have met hostile tariffs abroad, but we have by our business ability been able to overcome opposition.

Photo by Bell, Washington.
SENATOR HENRY CABOT LODGE.

"The great markets of the future will be in the far east. China is particularly a market which needs attention of such an industrial State as Massachusetts.

"The time has come when we must have our share of the eastern trade. There are powers which would close us out. We will take our chances in fair competition. Unfair restrictions will perhaps close some of our mills and large machine shops. Russia would like to shut us out of China, and will attempt it elsewhere. That is the reason the Chinese question must be important to Americans.

"We demand that the Chinese empire should be upheld and that the open door policy should be maintained to all the world. The United States is taking an important part in Chinese affairs. In that Pres. McKinley and Sec. Hay have taken an important part."—Senator Lodge.

Which Party?

Which party can you trust in this matter—the party that has done everything that has been accomplished for liberty in the past, or the party which has resisted everything that has been accomplished for liberty; the party that sustained slavery, or the party that abolished it; the party that made war upon the Union, or the party that put down the rebellion; the party that adopted the three great amendments which made every slave a freeman and every freeman a citizen and every citizen a voter, or the party that filibustered for days and nights against the adoption of the 13th amendment, which was carried by a single vote? Will you trust the party that governs Massachusetts, or the party that governs New York city and Mississippi?—Senator Hoar.

"If Bryan Is Honest."

"If Bryan is an honest man and has the convictions he avows, his first and greatest effort will be to promote the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. His next step will be to reorganize the supreme court as to take from it the functions the exercise of which has made it great, and which have differentiated it from any court which ever before existed.—W. H. Peckham (Dem.), nominated by Cleveland for United States supreme court.

Disfigured Skin

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Many Royal Palaces in Siam.

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Rather One-Sided.

Dixmyth—How do you like your new boarding house?

Hojax—By reversing the order of things it could be made an ideal home.

"How so?"

"What it requires is less hair in the butter and more in the mattress."—Chicago Evening News.

A Big Woman.

One of the biggest women in the world lives in Greece, at a little village near Corinth. Her name is Vassiliki Calliaudji, she is 22 years of age, and her height is six feet seven and one-half inches. Her eyes are said to be as large as hen's eggs, and her head, feet and hands are enormous.—Washington Star.

Polite Sarcasm.

Boy (who has lost his way)—I say, mister, how far is it to Camptown Creek?

Man (surlily)—Find out. I ain't no city directory.

Boy (with acute emphasis)—No, you aint; you're a wolume on good manners, you are!—Harlem Life.

The Cause of It.

"Miss Newrich has a tremendous amount of assurance."

"Well, rather; her father was a dealer in old brass."—Judge.

Came Near Dying.

"For three days and nights I suffered agony untold from an attack of cholera morbus brought on by eating cucumbers," says M. E. Lowther, clerk of the district court, Centreville, Iowa. "I thought I should surely die and tried a dozen different medicines, but all to no purpose. I sent for a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and three doses relieved me entirely. I went to sleep and did not awake for eight hours. On awakening a few hours ago I felt so gratified that the first work I do on going to the office is to write to the manufacturers of the remedy and offer them my grateful thanks and say, 'God bless you and the splendid medicine you make.'" This remedy is for sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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Sillicus—When would you say that a man has acquired greatness?

Cynicus—When he deserves his own opinion of himself.—Tit-Bits

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How To Find Out.

Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

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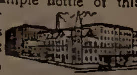

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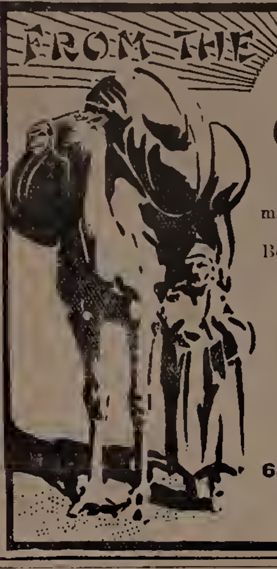

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Applicant—Aye, but I'd be the man that used the hair restorer that Jinx sells in the shop around the corner.

Master Barber—I never thought of that; you can start work at once.—Tit-Bits.

Why He Couldn't Understand.

Two commercial travelers in a railway carriage entered into conversation.

One of them tried very hard to make the other understand something, but he was either very hard of hearing or slow in believing.

At last his friend lost his temper and exclaimed: "Why, don't you see? It's as plain as A, B, C!"

"That may be," said the other; "but, you see, I am D E F."—Tit-Bits.

The Next Thing.

"The fire insurance companies have had some large losses in the last 12 months," said Hojack.

"What is needed," added Tomdik, "is a company to insure insurance companies against loss."—Judge.

Notes from a Wedding.

"All the girls were in white mull, and the men in white duck."

"Wasn't there any color about the wedding at all?"

"Yes; the groom had red hair."—Chicago Record.

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TO YOUNG VOTERS.

Secretary Long Offers Some Sound Advice.

Secretary Long has issued through the national Republican committee headquarters in Chicago an address which is in the nature of an explanation to a first voter of what he must consider before casting his ballot on Nov. 6. Among other things, Secretary Long says to the first voter that the problems set before him are too grave for snap judgment. Secretary Long says:

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HON. JOHN D. LONG.

"He must decide whether, being now on a tidal wave of prosperity brought about us the result of Republican principles, he is justified in promoting the supremacy of the Democratic principles which were responsible for the years of national depression which characterized the recent administrations of the Democratic party.

"He must decide whether he favors honest and stable money which the Republican party insured by its enactment of the gold standard, or debased money, the sure consequence of the free silver heresy which the Democratic party specifically advocates.

"He must decide whether he shall support the administration which carried the nation through a successful war and added to its jurisdiction new possessions which his country's intelligence and humanity will develop to the enjoyment of stable institutions and local self-government, or shall repudiate the victories he and his brothers in arms won at Santiago and Manila and abandon to anarchy, or to the sway of foreign governments, the islands which are a sacred trust on the American people.

"If he live in the country, he sees the product of the farm bringing a higher price than it did before the Republican party gained control of the national administration. If he live in the manufacturing town, he sees the doors of the factories open and hears the hum of their business works. In all walks of life he finds that labor is receiving a higher wage for its output, and, carrying his investigation still further, he discovers that his wage has a greater purchasing power.

"In spite of the manifest advantages of the gold standard law, the Democratic party has vigorously denounced it and has asserted its purpose to bring about its repeal as promptly as it is able to do so.

"The intelligent young voter will not neglect to calculate the effect of the overturning of a law which is in great measure responsible for the prosperous condition of the country today, and that has made the United States a creditor nation. Nor will he forget to consider that the success of the party that stands for a principle that involves a reduction of the value of the nation's unit of money in the markets of the world will of itself cause vast injury to business interests and incidentally to himself

"He has been told that we should at once grant the Filipinos self-government and establish a protectorate over the islands when he knows there are 84 tribes in the islands and that millions of money and thousands of men would be necessary to support them against the assaults of the others, and that the war-making power which rests under the constitution in the hands of his representatives would be transferred to an irresponsible people whom we would be obliged to uphold."

The German Vote.

New York, Oct. 8.—The New Yorker Staats Zeitung, the big independent German daily of this city, in its leading editorial today announces that it is unequivocally and unqualifiedly in favor of the re-election of McKinley. The editorial, in part, follows:—

"The lack of confidence in Bryan's character is so pronounced that his election would suffice to produce grave economic convulsions, even if his hands were completely tied, but he can do untold harm without the assistance of congress. And we must consider that his election would be interpreted by the politicians as a victory of silver.

Lincoln's Logic.

Abraham Lincoln told his countrymen in 1864 that it was not a good time to swap horses when they were crossing a stream. It does not seem to me to be a very good time to swap horses now, while we are crossing the tempestuous Chinese sea in a typhoon. I like the way President McKinley and the department of state are handling this great and difficult Chinese question. They will go through with it to the satisfaction of the American people.—Senator Hoar.

WHAT SHALL IT BE?

Results of Republicanism and Democracy Compared.

LOOK UPON

This picture— Republicanism.	And this— Democracy.
Plenty.	Want.
Hope.	Fear.
Confidence.	Distrust.
Good times.	Hard times.
Protection.	Free trade.
Steady employment.	Half time.
Honor.	Repudiation.
Security.	Altgeld sm.
Good wages.	Soup houses.
Self-respect.	Pettigrewism.
Thrift.	Pinching.
Prosperity.	Stagnation.
Industry	Tramps.
Commercial activity.	Panics.
Steady business.	Idleness.
Good credit.	Despair.
Fly the flag.	Furl the flag.
More foreign trade.	No trade at all.
A foreign policy.	No foreign policy.
100-cent dollars.	48-cent dollars.
Abundant money.	Bankruptcy.
Good clothes.	Cheap clothes.
Good prices.	No markets.
Optimism.	Pessimism.
Sincerity.	Tillmanism.
Satisfaction.	Dissatisfaction.
Aspiration.	Depression.
Americanism.	Europeanism.
EXPANSION.	CONTRACTION.

WHICH WILL YOU CHOOSE?

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WINTHROP M. CRANE.

OLNEY IS THE ONLY ONE

Of Surviving Members of Democratic Cabinets Who Is For Bryanism.

The Bryanites throughout the country have been so pleased over the fact that ex-Secretary Olney, a life-long Democrat, intended to support Bryan for the presidency this fall, that the Republican national committee took the trouble to look up the present political affiliations of all the men who were in the two Cleveland cabinets—the only Democratic cabinets since the war.

There were 20 of these men in all, and of them Olney is the only one who has declared himself for Bryan. The committee says in its statement:

"It was Mr. Olney who interpreted the law of injunction by the courts so as to restrain the strikers at Chicago, a doctrine that the Democrats have found to be so obnoxious.

"Six members of the Democratic cabinets are now dead. Six of the living members have come out in the support of sound money and the party that stands for law and order. No one doubts where these men stand in the present campaign—Fairchild, Carlisle, Lamont, Whitney, Dickinson and Morton. The Bryanites do not say much about the others besides Mr. Olney.

"In the list of campaign speakers the names of H. A. Herbert, Hoke Smith, D. R. Francis, W. S. Bissell, W. F. Vilas, Judson Harmon and W. L. Wilson do not appear. Their silence expresses their feelings toward the crowd that is running the Democracy today. Not one of these former cabinet members has announced that he will support Mr. Bryan."

Carlisle's Prediction.

Ex-Secretary Carlisle has told intimate friends that he would not vote for president in the coming election. He said he was satisfied that McKinley would be elected, and that he would probably receive a larger vote in the electoral college than he had four years ago.

As for New York, Mr. Carlisle said it was as sure for McKinley as was Iowa, and that he would probably carry the state by between 65,000 and 70,000. Mr. Carlisle said that even the Democratic leaders in New York admitted that they had no confidence in carrying the state and no hope of electing Bryan.

Then and Now.

During Cleveland's two administrations the most sanguine prayer either workman or employer dared to breathe was, "God grant I may be no worse off tomorrow than I was yesterday." Under President McKinley the employer gets rich, and the workman every Saturday night lays up a half or a third of his wages.—Senator Hoar.

How Bryan Has It.

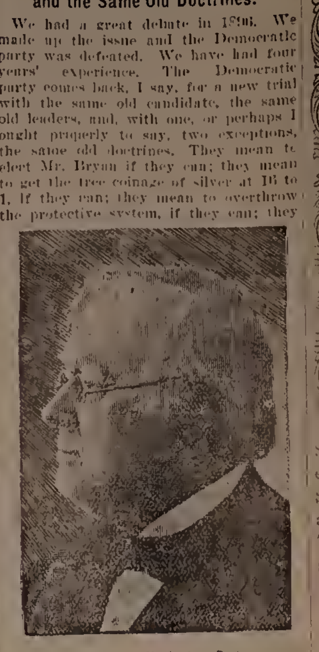
There was a Democrat once who said: "If any one attempts to haul down the American flag, shoot him on the spot."

The paramount chief of the so-called Democratic party of today says, in effect and substance: "If any man fires on the American flag, haul it down."—N. Y. Sun.

SENATOR HOAR'S SUMMING UP.

Democrats Have the Same Old Leaders and the Same Old Doctrines.

We had a great debate in 1896. We made up the issue and the Democratic party was defeated. We have had four years' experience. The Democratic party comes back, I say, for a new trial with the same old candidate, the same old leaders, and, with one, or perhaps I ought properly to say, two exceptions, the same old doctrines. They mean to elect Mr. Bryan if they can; they mean to get the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1, if they can; they mean to overthrow the protective system, if they can; they mean to adopt Mr. Bryan's remedy for what they call "trusts" or great and overgrown aggregations of capital, if they can; they mean to impose an income tax by national authority, if they can, and they mean to reconstruct the supreme court of the United States, if they can. Two other questions have assumed prominence at the present time not discussed in the last election, but practical questions now. In five states at the south the Democratic party has succeeded, by ingenious processes, in taking away from the colored men the right to vote. Other states are following their example, so that before long if they do not stop there are to be 10,000,000 colored people in the United States deprived of the rights of American citizenship, and the question is upon us whether we shall execute the constitutional mandate that the southern Democratic states which have done this thing shall have their representation in congress proportionately reduced, or whether you and I also are to be disfranchised and have 50 or 60 men make laws for us who represent nothing but usurpation. That question demands our attention now.—Senator Hoar.



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SENATOR GEORGE F. HOAR.

HE WOULD CHECK EXPANSION.

Yet Bryan Does Not Promise Exploitation of New Enterprises.

"The present campaign," says Senator Chauncey M. Depew, "emphasizes the difference in practical life between a prophet whose predictions must stand the test of time and experience, and the pledge of a party whose promises are based upon principles which have worked out in the past the results which are guarantees for the future. In other words, theory and experience are again, as in 1896, in hostile array.

"Having proved himself such a colossal failure as a prophet in 1896, we can hardly believe in 1900 that Col. Bryan has now the real mantle of Elijah. The difficulty with the terrors which he depicts from Republican principles and policies is that they have all been tested, both under Republican and Democratic Administrations. Protection of American industries has given America to Americans and sent forth our products to the conquest of the markets of the world. The gold standard of value has divorced us from Mexico and China, has placed us in commercial relations with and upon the same commercial basis as the great industrial nations of Christendom. It has given stability to our credit; it has made the American dollar recognized upon an equal value with the English sovereign or the French louis everywhere around the globe; it has given steadiness to our business, unexampled credit to our Government

"Mr. Bryan does not deny the wonderful prosperity of our country and of our people; he does not promise any better returns to the farmer or the manufacturer or the merchant; he does not promise any greater employment or higher wages to the laborer; he does not promise the exploitation of new enterprises and the conditions which make money active and capital useful by new additions to the productive powers of the country, and therefore a larger employment and a greater distribution of money. The country is to be no better than it is today or was yesterday by his election, even upon his own showing, upon his own prophecy, and upon his own promise.

"His position, measured by plain standards of business, is simply this: 'The country is drunk with prosperity; it is an inebriation which is unhealthy and cannot last; if you elect me I will check the pace, curtail this unhealthy expansion; my methods and my remedies will arrest the disease and eradicate it before it has destroyed the body politic.' In other words, through the process of a milder catastrophe he will prevent the greater one which he thinks otherwise inevitable. He is the veritable successor of the doctor in the well-known and venerable story who threw his patient into fits because he was death on fits.

"But, dear Dr. Bryan, except a little surface irritation here and there from too good living, there is nothing the matter with the American patient. He is in magnificent health, his vitality was never so vigorous, his brain never so active, his purposes never so clear and his future never so promising before. It will be many years before he leaves the healthy diet upon which he is now feeding for your patent medicines.

"A prophet who attempts to fool the people by holding up as untried theory demonstrated results and upon that theory predicting the reverse of what history has established, insults the intelligence of every person who is familiar with the story of the marvelous growth of the United States in the nineteenth century."

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Found Out.

"Those people next door can't fool me; they haven't been married very long."

"How do you know?"

"She says she just loves to get up at five o'clock and get his breakfast."—Chicago Record.

The Modern Youth.

"Maud blistered her hands terribly rowing Charlie Gamp around the bay."

"Why didn't she let Charlie row?"

"Charlie can't stand the sun, you know, and so he held up the sunshade."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

American Tips Too Large.

Frenchman—Vat you gif zat wataire?

American—I gave the waiter half a dollar.

Frenchman—Mon Dieu! Zat ees von teep; zat ees one bribe.—N. Y. Weekly.

Apologies All Around.

Mrs. Niblick—You mustn't mind my husband, Mr. Von Bunker, if he swears terribly while he is playing golf.

Von Bunker—And you mustn't mind me, Mrs. Niblick, if I take the words out of his mouth.—Brooklyn Life.

No Wonder.

Rector—I never in my life touched a congregation as I did this morning. Every eye was on me.

Wife—No wonder. When you took your hat off your gloves remained on the top of your head.—N. Y. World.

Well Named.

Alice—Charley is going to call his new race horse "Bad News."

May—Why?

Alice—Because he says bad news travels fast.—Town Topics.

He Was No Humbug.

Madge—Another of those swindling beggars. He said he was blind and asked for "a penny, beautiful lady."

Rose—Well, I dare say he was blind. —Tit-Bits.

A Necessity.

Mrs. Grogan—Phwat are yez letting in de cat for, ye fule?

Mr. Grogan—Shure, an' don't ye suppose Oi want something to kick whoile Oi'm walkin' th' baby?—Puck.

A Year of Bargains.

He—Our expenses this year are greater than ever.

She—Well, you know there have been a great many more bargains.—Town Topics.

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Killed His Trade.

Dr. Nursum—Couldn't think of it. It wouldn't do for me to take a vacation and neglect my patients.

Ascum—Why not get a brother physician to attend them in your absence?

Dr. Nursum—Not much. I did that once, and he cured them all.—Philadelphia Press.

Keeping Track of Him.

"Mr. Flimmis is wonderfully devoted to his wife. When they are away from each other he writes her at least three letters a day."

"Yes," answered Miss Cayenne. "She requires him to do that so that she can look at the post office marks and know exactly where he is." — Washington Star.

What It Needed.

Bobby had been staring at his grandfather for a very long time.

"Well, Bob!" exclaimed his grandfather at last, "what do you think of my face?"

"It's an awfully nice face, grandad," said Bobby; "but why don't you have it ironed?"—N. Y. World.

If He Were an Ostrich.

"Now, if I were only an ostrich," began the man at the breakfast table, as he picked up one of the rolls his wife had made, "then—"

"Yes," interrupted the patient better half, "then I might get a few feathers for that old hat I've worn for three years" — Chicago Inter Ocean.

In the Suburbs.

Lonely—I guess I'll bring you home that new book, "How to manage a servant."

Mrs. Lonely—It begins to look as if I would have more use for a copy of "How to do one's own housework."—Judge.

She Knew the Kind of Tense.

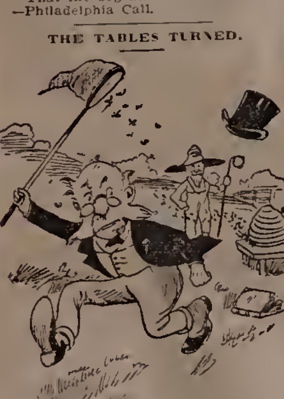
Teacher—The sentence, "My father had money," is in the past tense. Now, Mary, what tense would you be speaking in if you said: "My father has money?"

Little Mary—Oh, that would be pretense.—Philadelphia Record.

A Sign of Autumn.

Golden sunsets, hazy mornings,
Ripening fields along the way,
Teach us in their autumn promise
That the dog has had his day.
—Philadelphia Call.

THE TABLES TURNED.



"After bugs, perfesser?"

"No; bugs after me."—Chicago American.

Found Out.

At science he was very deft,
And she was scientific, too,
But when the cook got up and left,
They didn't know a thing to do.
—Chicago Record.

Sneeze and Blow.

That is what you must do when you have catarrh in the head. The way to cure this disease is to purify the blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine soothes and heals the inflamed surfaces, rebuilds the delicate tissues and permanently cures catarrh by expelling from the blood the scrofulous taints upon which it depends. Be sure to get Hood's.

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Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2 65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit. The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save If your druggist can't supply you, it will be fowarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

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BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 46, 4 13, 5 13, 6 01, 7 13 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7 54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 6 05, 9 33 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 22, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

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WRENTHAM.

Joseph E. Chamberlin left Monday for a two weeks' visit to friends in Chicago ——Miss Helen Stobe is visiting Mrs. Margaret K. Bates ——The Wrenthams defeated the Plainvilles at football 5 to 0 ——A car will be at the station Wednesday to receive donations of fruit to be sent free of charge to the poor of the city of Boston.——George Varney of Kennebunk, Me., is visiting his brother-in-law, Charles M. Gill ——Elbridge J Whittaker, Esq., and Selectman W. F Maintien leave Nov. 7 for the Maine woods on their annual hunting trip —— Fifty two new names were added to the voting list at the last three meetings, 19 from Plainville, 5 from Sheldonville and 28 from Wrentham —— Mrs Ripley, mother of Mrs Alonzo Cook, is visiting her son, James M. Ripley of Providence, R. I. Mrs Ripley is in her 94th year, and is possessed of all her faculties and is exceedingly bright and active for one of her years——Miss Sarah Spooner and Mrs Webster of Brookline have been visiting Mrs. L. C. Dean ——The funeral of Mrs. William Bennett was held Friday She has been ill for many months and leaves two daughters, Mrs. Anna Lombard and Mrs Louisa Rogers

SHELDONVILLE.

Miss Elizabeth Scott and daughter are visiting in Maine

Mrs. D. B Culver is entertaining her grandmother of Taunton

Mrs. Charles Newell and son spent a few days last week in Boston

Mrs. I. M. Patten is making an extended visit in North Andover.

Mrs D A Cudworth is enjoying a visit from her mother of Chicago

Mrs. Bert Timbie of Brown University occupied the pulpit here Sunday

Mrs Charles Nash and daughter visited relatives in Boston last week.

The Ladies' Aid society gave a social in the vestry of the church last Thursday evening

Boring Metal Plates with Water.

Some fairly successful experiments have recently been made in drilling holes in and engraving on metal by means of electrolytic solutions. A nozzle of special construction was used. The lower end, which is pressed against the metal plate, is divided into two compartments, through which the electrolytic fluid flows. The upper end has two openings; through one the electrolyte flows in, down to the lower end against the plate, and finally up and out of the other The end of the nozzle, which is pressed against the plate to be drilled, is fitted with a rubber washer, whose shape determines that of the hole bored. A strong electric current is caused to flow through the plate into the electrolyte and back to the source of electricity. The nozzle circulation of the electrolyte in the nozzle carries off the metal as fast as the electrolysis liberates it. Some of the best results for iron were obtained with sulphuric acid as the electrolyte, but good work was also done with ordinary salt water.—Chicago Chronicle

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The Poodle—Well, he'll be in a sausage next.—Chicago Daily News.

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MAY PREVENT EXPLOSIONS.

Portable Electric Lamps to Be Introduced in Mining Operations to Succeed Present Oil One.

Old miners in England claim that they can always detect the presence of gas more quickly in their working places with a candle than with the ordinary safety lamp, and that they can always clear it off in a few minutes by fanning with their coats, the candle standing on the ground meanwhile, out of harm's way, the gas collecting near the roof. But mines are very different now from what they were in the typical old collier's days Explosions in those days, when they did take place, were only local and did little harm beyond burning the clothes and skin of those near. In these days an explosion often means the loss of hundreds of lives and the wrecking of the mine so that though many collieries are still worked by naked lights, either candles or small oil lamps, the number is becoming less every year, the pressure of mining inspectors being constantly directed to the adoption of safety lamps.

But the ordinary oil-burning safety lamp gives but a poor light and it must not be used in any position much out of the vertical or it goes out, and moreover, it is not a perfect safety lamp in the proper sense of the term, inasmuch as any one of the numerous forms will become red-hot and explode if it is exposed to a sufficiently powerful current of an explosive gaseous mixture for a sufficient time. Hence great efforts have been made to develop a portable electric lamp, which shall take the place of the present safety lamp at the face of the coal and in those parts of the mine where it is not considered safe to use lamps from the ordinary electric service

LESSON IN CHINESE WORDS

Here Is an Easy Rule by Which They May Be Pronounced Correctly.

If a few simple rules are observed Chinese words are not difficult to pronounce. A always about as a in far; e always approximately as e in they; i very like i in the machine or pin and u always as the u of rule. Every syllable has an independent value, and should be given that value in pronunciation. As for consonants, they are pronounced exactly as written These three rules will secure as correct a pronunciation of Chinese names as can be secured without oral instruction, says the Chicago Chronicle

For example, under the first rule one would say tah-koo for Taku, not take-you, as one may frequently hear the word pronounced: lee-hoong-chahng for Li Hung Chang, not lie-hung-chang; peh-king for Peking, not peek-in; shahng-hah-ee for Shanghai not shang-high; tsoong-le-yahmen for tsung-li-yamen, not tsunglie yamen and so on. Under the second rule Tientsin is pronounced teeyentsinn accenting the yen syllable, not teen-tsin Yunnan-fu is yoo-nahn-foo, not ynan-fyu. In like manner all words are pronounced with syllable distinctness and with uniform vowel sound. Under the third rule the province name Szechuan is sounded not zekuan, but nearly as zeh-choo-ahn, touching the choo very lightly; Liau-tong peninsula is li-hoo-tong.

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A Housekeeper's Fad That Astonished a Party of Roaming Bicyclists of Chicago.

In the northwestern part of Chicago is a little farm, removed from the main road over which the trolley cars rumble, and almost hidden by wide clover fields, says the Tribune of that city. It is not a regular stopping place for anyone going by on the main road, for no one would suspect that anything like civilization lurked among the tall weeds on that prairie.

Purely by accident some bicyclists stopped near the farmhouse, a little, tumble-down structure with a dilapidated shed attached to it, owing to a bicycle mishap to one of the party.

Inquiry for a drink of water brought to earth some of the most peculiar artificial well water ever drank by mortal man, but the surprise came when some honey was brought out. The spoons offered to the party were undoubtedly silver, and of the best. They bore the inscription of all the big hotels of the city, including the Grand Pacific, Palmer house, Tremont, Revere and a number of others.

Some one suggested that they were souvenir spoons, but just how they came to be where they were discovered by the bicycling party is a mystery

Changed Shirts with Each Other

The Outlook tells this story illustrative of the fussy, amateur generalship which has cost the British so dearly in South Africa: Notice was received in the various camps that on such and such a morning every man in Gen. ——'s army must change his shirt. The Imperial Light horse, who formed part of the command, had only one shirt apiece, and that was on their backs, so a messenger was dispatched to headquarters to explain But Gen. —— rose at once to the occasion. 'My orders,' he remarked grandly 'are imperative. If the Imperial Light horse have not got a second shirt let them change shirts with each other."

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FOR THE

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Nov. 6, 1900.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Franklin, greeting

You are hereby required, in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to notify and warn the qualified voters of the town of Franklin to assemble in their town hall, in said town, on

TUESDAY, the SIXTH day of NOVEMBER

next, it being the Tuesday next after the first Monday of said November, at seven o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to bring in their votes on one ballot for fifteen Electors of President and Vice President of the United States, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary Treasurer, Auditor and Attorney General for the Commonwealth, a Representative in Congress of the United States for the Eleventh Congressional District, Councillor for the Second Councillor District, Senator for the Second Norfolk Senatorial District, two Representatives to the General Court for the Tenth Norfolk Representative District, a County Commissioner for the County of Norfolk, a Register of Deeds and a County Treasurer

The polls may be closed as early as eleven o'clock in the forenoon

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, unto the selectmen, on or before said day and hour.

Given under our hands this twenty-fifth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

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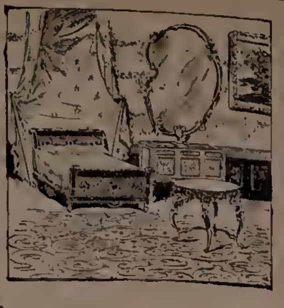

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(In effect Oct. 22.)

FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6.10, 6.45 a.m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10.15 p. m. Last cars to car barn at 10.45 and 11.15 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m., connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.15 a. m., and then on hour and half hour till 10.30 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham Four Corners for Caryville every hour from 6 to 9 a. m., 12 m. to 2 p. m., 4 to 9 p. m., returning on the half hour. Cars leaving Franklin at 6.45, 7.45, 11.45 a. m. and 12.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.45, 6.45 and 7.45 p. m. connect at Bellingham Four Corners with cars for Caryville.

FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave Franklin at 6.00, 7.45, 9.15, 10.45, 11.15 a. m., 1.45, 3.15, 4.45, 5.35, 6.15, 7.45, 9.15, 10.45 p. m. Returning, leave Plainville three quarters of an hour later. A special car leaves Plainville at 6.15 p. m. for Franklin.

WRENTHAM, PLAINVILLE AND ATTLEBORO — Leave Woonsocket, Main street Switch, at 7.00, 8.30, 10.00, 11.30 a. m., 1.00, 2.30 4.00, 4.30, 5.30, 7.00, 8.30, 10.00 p. m.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

Whereas, Simon Spellouski of Norfolk, in said county, has presented to said court a petition praying that his name may be changed to that of Simon Brown for the reasons therein set forth.

All persons are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of November, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this sixteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Jane [illegible], late of Millis in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JAMES A. SNOW, Administrator.

Address, Medway, Mass
Oct. 27, 1900.

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Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

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Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
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Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

High school reading tonight.

Mrs. J. E. Razee returned from her visit to Salem yesterday.

Miss Core Noyes of Melrose is visiting her brother, H. R. Noyes.

Mrs. Mima Holmes has gone to New Bedford for an extended visit.

Senator H. C. Atwell of Lynn has been the guest of Dr. J. C. Gallison this week.

The house occupied by D. W. Corson looks vastly improved in its new coat of paint.

Dr. E. C. Abbott has so far recovered as to be able to attend to his dental duties once more.

George W. Wiggin, Esq., has been spending a few days in his native state, New Hampshire.

A telephone is being put into the electric light station, which will be of decided convenience.

Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Fletcher have returned to the Plaza hotel, New York city, for the winter.

The school children are enjoying a holiday today, as the teachers are attending a convention in Boston.

The Medwey and Franklin town line was perambulated Monday, and the bounds found in good condition.

Miss Ethel Fulton, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Jacob Quilter, has returned to her home in Worcester.

Jeweler Guild is making improvements in his establishment, effording better facilities for conducting his business.

Don't fail to hear Mr. Williams, the reader, at the High school this evening, as the proceeds are to be devoted to the library.

Mrs. A. W. Edson, who has been spending a number of weeks at the L. W. Daniels farm, left yesterday for Worcester.

Patrons of the electric road should remember that cars to Wrentham and Plainville now run every hour, going at quarter past.

Frank S. Hills has given up farming at the old Hills homestead and gone to Newark, N. J., where he will engage in other business.

Fred. S. Farnum, who has been spending the summer et Nantucket, has been here a few days with his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Farnum.

Dr. Hodge gives next Sunday afternoon the second of his series of discourses on "Religious Movements of the Nineteenth Century"

Thursday was observed as All Saints' day in Catholic circles and is also a holiday of obligation. Masses were celebrated at St. Mary's church at 5 and 8 a. m.

The friends here of Mrs. Otis P. Keith, of Lynn, formerly Miss Mabel Flint, will be interested to know that she is the mother of twin girls, born a few days since.

M. F. Conroy will move shortly into one of the McCarthy houses on Cottage street, and Charles Elkerton will move into the house vacated by G. F. S Singleton.

Mrs. Mary Daniels of Cottage street and James Wheeler, a commercial traveler of Lewiston, Me., were married in Woonsocket Saturday evening. They will make their home in Lewiston.

Twenty six Masons from the lodge here went to West Medway, Wednesday evening, to enjoy the official visitation of the district deputy grand master to the Charles River lodge. A very pleasant time is reported.

Mrs. A. J. Butler, a very interesting speaker, will give an address at the Baptist church Sunday evening on "The Missionary Outlook." Mrs. Butler has been actively engaged in this work for some years and holds the closest attention of her audience.

James A. Barnstead leaves next week for Colorado Springs, Col., where he will go into the laundry business for himself. He has been employed at the Waterman laundry for the past three years, and his friends trust that his new venture will be a profitable one.

The Epworth league calls attention to a change of time in holding its weekly prayer meeting. Beginning with this evening, it will be held on Friday evening, at 7 30, instead of Sunday as before. All who are without a church home will find a cordial welcome at this service.

Daniel Kelly of Union street, who left Wednesday for Boston to accept a lucrative position in that city, was tendered a surprise by a number of his friends Tuesday evening and was presented with a gold ring. The visitors were well entertained until nearly midnight and the affair was a most pleasant one.

James S. Miller and Miss Helnor Hutchinson, both of Boston, were married here by Rev. Mr. Cook on Wednesday, the ceremony teking place at the residence of Mrs. James Peel. There was a goodly number of friends present, who attested their appreciation of the couple by useful and beautiful gifts. They will reside in Boston.

The winter meetings of the Farmers' club opened at the residence of Edward S. Cook, Central street, Monday evening, with a talk on forest trees. There was a good attendance and e season of profitable interchange of ideas. The next meeting, Nov. 5, at the house of S. C. Bourne, on the Medway road, has been given up, owing to an accident to Mrs. Bourne.

A new timetable went into effect on the Medway & Medfield Street railroad Oct. 29. Both the Franklin and Dedham cars now run to the top of the Medway hill and connect with Milford line. This is what the selectmen of Medway have been trying to bring about for the past few months, and it has been before the town in town meeting once. It is a great convenience to the traveling public.

Dean lost to Tufts second eleven on Wednesday in the football contest played on the academy grounds. Both teams were remarkably strong and the game was hotly contested throughout. The score stood: Tufts 10, Dean 6. This was the last game the academy boys are scheduled to play here, having a date with Tufts second at Medford next Wednesday and one with Friends' school at Providence on Saturday, Nov. 17.

On Sunday evening a series of special services will be inaugurated in the Congregational church. Dr. Sneath will give a number of talks on the sacred places of the Holy Land. He will take his audience on an imaginary trip to these different places, and as guide give all the most interesting facts concerning them. On Sunday evening the place visited will be Bethlehem. The quartet will furnish appropriate music. All are welcome to journey with us.

The Rummage sale to be held by the ladies of St. John's guild Saturday afternoon and evening bids fair to be most successful. We have heard of sales where the articles contributed ranged from onyx lamps, Bagdad portierres and dress suits to kitchen stoves and baby carriages. The Franklin sale may not offer such remarkable attractions, but the goods already promised show that an opportunity will be given to those who need them to purchase useful articles of good quality at very low prices.

The Hallowe'en party given by the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., at Central square hall on Wednesday evening was well attended and proved an enjoyable affair. From 8 to 9 an entertaining programme was rendered, including vocal solos by Misses Elizabeth Pendergast and Bessie Walsh, piano solos by Misses Katherine Costello, Agnes Sullivan and Louise Fiorani and a recitation by Miss Rose Walsh. Dancing was then enjoyed until midnight, Prof. J. A. O'Sullivan furnishing music. A goodly number were present from the surrounding towns.

The Chicago women teachers are the pluckiest corps on earth. It looks as if they would get $5,000,000 extra taxes as a result of their crusade against untaxed stocks. They provided data for $238,000,000 addition to the valuation of a few corporations." —Journal of Education. This crusade was a result of a movement to curtail the teachers' salary because of high rates of taxation. The teachers proved that if all taxable property were taxed there could be no outcry at the high rates, because the rates would be materially reduced.

Rev. Mr. Woodland, former pastor of the Baptist church, who has been away from here nearly two years, is now located near Yarmouth, Nova Scotia. A short time ago he was the recipient of a most pleasing surprise party from his parishioners, who left with him and Mrs. Woodland a large number of substantial gifts. An address of congratulation, written upon a pine shingle, was read, and the reverend gentleman responded feelingly and fittingly. The Yarmouth Herald says of the event, in closing: "During the two years that Mr. and Mrs. Woodland have resided at Lockport they have surrounded themselves with a host of friends, and we suspect that they also think that the lines have fallen to them in pleasant places." Their many friends here will be glad to learn that they are so pleasantly situated

Hallowe'en at Elm Farm.

On the evening of Oct. 31st a large number of ladies of the Alden club started for Elm farm in high expectation of a good time. As we entered the hall it presented a very weird appearance, lights only from Jack o'lanterns, while Hallowe'en spooks were gliding about everywhere. We were warmly but silently greeted by the spook, enchanting music seemed to pervade the whole place and we felt that the Hallowe'en fairies and elves must be all about us. Every once in a while there were evidences of witches, which heightened the spirit of the occasion.

After the club was called to order by Mrs. Margaret Rey, the president and hostess of the evening, the lights were turned on and revealed the beauty of our surroundings—Jack o'lanterns all about the room, vegetables, fruit and bunches of corn in profusion, Chinese lanterns and the national colors added color and beauty. The platform was very prettily decorated with vegetables and bunches of corn, as well as Jack o'lanterns. The background, however, was the chief attraction. It was beautifully decorated with a screen of unbleached cotton cloth, upon which large and beautiful sunflowers were painted. It was a real work of art and wes painted and designed by Mrs. Addison Thayer.

On either side of the room were tables tastefully arranged and decorated, loaded with refreshments suitable for the occasion. On one of these tables was a Cuban knife such as they use in their battles, also a candelabra, which Mrs. Ray assured us was brought over in the Mayflower.

After the reading and approving of the records and a report by Miss Minnie Bowers of the federation held in Amherst, Mrs. I. W. Sneath read a paper giving the origin of Hallowe'en, tracing it back as far as the third century. One of the spooks sang a solo, after which the lights disappeared and the witches came from glen and dale and all the surrounding woods of Franklin, and as they stirred their cauldron with their magic wands, they brought greetings and good fortune to the Alden club, its Mothers' section, the secretary, treasurer, and an especially bright and good message for the president. These witches were real good looking in their black robes and tall, pointed red hats. After several Hallowe'en games were indulged in and refreshments enjoyed, we returned to our homes, having spent an evening long to be remembered, thanks to our hostess, the spooks and the witches. S.

Dean Celebrates the Festal Night.

A most enjoyable Hallowe'en party was held at Dean academy on Wednesday evening, all of the students participating in the general jollity of the occasion. The festivities were held in the dining room, which was appropriately trimmed with corn and pumpkins, the students also attiring themselves in costumes befitting the occasion. One of the features was a cake walk, the couples being Messrs Baker and Currie, Mr. Echols and Miss Barron, Misses Burr and Schmidt, Mr. Kennedy and Miss Andrews, the judges deciding in favor of the latter. Among the games were finding the thimble, button, a potato race, a shoe race, fortune telling, doughnut eating and, dancing. The refreshments consisted of popcorn and fudge. Altogether the evening was a red letter one in school life.

Republicans.

In voting for representatives, remember the Republican candidates are George W. Bullard of Medway and Albion F. Bemis of Foxboro. Unusual caution should be used in regard to the latter, as the Democrats have nominated Charles A. Bemis of Medway, and some confusion may result. Be sure end merk for Albion F. Bemis of Foxboro.

Emerson's Market.

Fresh killed chicks and fowls, lamb, pork and veal. We also have spinach, sweet potatoes, squash, celery, onions, cabbages, new beets, cauliflower and turnips. Ten cent soups, all flavors. Best butter in town.

Plant Safe.

Remember the flower sale at the Colby store closes on Saturday evening.

Auction of household goods at the Opera house block this evening.

Farmers' Club Winter Program.

Oct. 29—Edward S. Cook. "Our Forests: What varieties of trees make them most valuable? At what age do the different varieties become suitable for timber?"

Nov. 5—S. C. Bourne. Election Evening. "How Can We Live Longer, Better and Happier Lives?"

Nov. 12—Horatio Metcalt. "Is General or Special Farming the More Likely to Bring Success? What are some of the mistakes most often made by farmers?"

Nov. 19—L. W. Daniels. "Farm Machinery and Tools and Farm Practices of Fifty Years Ago Compared with the Present."

Nov 26—Thanksgiving Week.

Dec. 3—To be supplied

Dec. 10—G. W. Bacon. "What Lessons Has the Last Season Taught Us, and How Can We Use Those Lessons for Future Advantage?"

Dec. 17—Charles Atkinson. Town Farm. "Is it for the Best Interests of the Town to Own a Farm on Which to Keep the Poor?"

Dec. 24—Christmas.

Dec. 31—Irving W. Trentham. "How to Select a Good Cow, and How to Feed and Care for Her to Produce Milk Most Economically."

Jan. 7, 1901—T. B. Allen—Annual Election of Officers. "Ought Personal Property to be Taxed by the State Instead of Being Taxed by Municipalities?"

Jan. 14—Prof. E. D. Daniels. "The Pros and Cons of Centralization of Country Schools."

Jan. 21—J. M. Parker. "Potatoes: History of and best way to cultivate and market; do different varieties need different soils for best results?"

Jan. 28—H. E. Ruggles. "Farm Law or Laws Relating Especially to the Rights, Duties and Responsibilities of Land Owners."

Feb 4—M. Morse. "Does Public Welfare and Justice Call for Free Rural Mail Delivery?"

Feb. 11—Walter E. Daniels. Experience Meeting. Each member to give his experience in farming during the past season. Don't omit to tell your mistakes.

Feb. 18—T. L. Martin. "Grass and Fodder Crops: Preparation of land, fertilizings, seedings, harvesting and comparative values."

Feb. 25—L. W. Whiting, Sheldonville. "Can Insurance Laws and Practices be Changed so as to Reduce Cost to Honest Patrons of the Business and Lessen the Crime of Incendiarism?"

March 4—Rev I. W. Sneath. "What Constitutes True Success in Farming? and life? and how can that success best be attained?"

March 11—N. E. Newell. "Legal Duties and Responsibilities of Town Officers."

March 18—J. L. Fisher. "What is the Best System for the Town to Adopt for Repairing the Town Roads?"

March 25—D. C. Coates. "Indian Corn: Its history, cultivation, harvesting, and its value and usefulness compared with other grains."

April 1—C. M. Allen. "New England Agriculture and its Products: What and how produced."

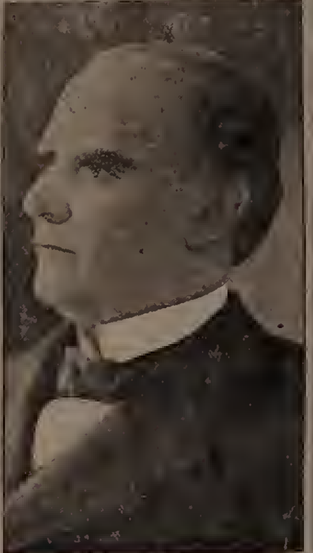
April 8—George R. Whiting. "Farming and Manufacturing Compared."

Republican Rally.

The first Republican rally of the campaign is to be held here Monday evening, when Hon. Samuel L. Powers, candidate for congress in this district, and ex-Senator A. L. Harwood, of Newton, will address the voters. Both gentlemen have been about the state and have been enthusiastically received, especially Mr. Powers, who has commended himself to the voters as an able and eloquent speaker. That he will be elected and that he will honor the district no one doubts. The Republican party is united in his support, while the Democrats are divided between candidates Baker and Storey. While no attempt at decorations will be made, yet it would be a gracious act if some of the business places would show by a little decorative effort that they realize the "campaign is on."

HON. SAMUEL L. POWERS.

The Franklin band will be in attendance at the Opera house and the gallery will be reserved for ladies. Turn out and give the gentlemen a hearty welcome.



HONEST and intelligent men believe that President McKinley has tried to do what was best for the American people and what they wanted done. That is why he will be given a second term.

ABOVE all things in Massachusetts vote for Republican congressmen. Every Republican nominee for Congress is worthy of every Republican vote. See that they are given

STUDY the character of the support of McKinley and Bryan and "Vote as you pray." If you want the rule of Croker and Tammany Hall and the Tammany "tiger" vote for Bryan. If you want the rule of a man who is the type of those opposed to "Tammanyism" and all that it implies, vote for McKinley

LEST we forget the miseries of the last Democratic administration, we can easily remember the souphouses that had to be opened in our large cities because there was no work for those willing to work. We can easily remember by what a tremendous vote the people said in 1896 that they had had enough of free soup. Those same men are not going to vote again for more soup.

ONLY a few days remain to complete the work of the campaign. Make the canvass of the voters so complete that all who can will be got to the polls. Once in four years you can well afford to give a day to help secure good government for yourself and your neighbors for the four years to come. You will get the best government possible by voting for the Republican candidates.

A LARGE employer of labor in Chicago tells briefly why he would vote the Republican ticket if he were a wage earner: because under Republican rule prosperity, happiness and contentment abound, where under Democratic rule, smokeless factory chimneys, silent mill wheels, idle men, flourishing soup houses, misery, discontent, disorder, lawlessness, cheap money, cheap men, no work, no money, starvation—are our every day companions.

ARE you a savings bank depositor? You cannot afford to vote for Bryan. Are you dependent on your daily labor? You cannot afford to vote for Bryan. Are you a manufacturer? You cannot afford to vote for Bryan. Are you a capitalist with your money invested on guaranteed securities? You may afford to vote for Bryan, for your income will remain the same while the cost of living will go down. No other living man can afford to exchange from certainty of reasonable prosperity under McKinley to certain disaster under Bryan.

MAKE up your mind between McKinley and Bryan, deliberately, carefully, conscientiously. You know perfectly well what the former has given you for four years. You know what a Democratic administration under a "sound money" Democrat gave you. Add to that all the evils you would suffer from a Bryanized Democratic Crokerized Democratic administration, and then decide. Face the fact as if your vote was to determine the administration for the next four years, and then vote your honest conviction. You will not vote for Bryan.

THE men behind the guns. In every battle they are the ones that bring victory or defeat. "The men behind the guns" of the Republican party in this campaign, and no one can successfully deny it, are the business men of the country, the professional men, the men of the college, the school, the church and the home. Every man of intelligence knows perfectly well that the majority of these divisions of our voters will vote the Republican ticket. They are pretty safe guides to follow. Where they lead there is no danger of "imperialism," "16 to 1," or any other of the fallacies known as "Bryanism."

WHY "hard times" if Bryan is elected? Because he proposes, by free silver, to halve the purchasing powers of every dollar. Prices of all commodities would fall, perforce. Sellers would appear on all sides, but no buyers. The mills and factories would close and labor would be walking the streets. All the terrible scenes of distress seen during the worst periods of depression would appear—just as we saw them in 1893 and again in 1896. It would come as surely as water runs down hill to find its own level, and by the time "bottom prices were reached," there would be the worst panic the country has ever seen.

BRYAN insults the intelligence and manhood of the American workingmen when he tells them they have to ask the financial magnates to "Give us this day our daily bread." The workman does not expect bread without working for it. But when he considers how much more and how much better "bread" he gets for his work than does his fellow workman anywhere else on earth he is satisfied to continue in power the very men whose administration gives him his fortune, even though it was not all he could desire. He knows the difference between the "full dinner pail" he has actually had under Republican administration and the soup house whose charity he had to crave under Democratic administration. He knows it is better to order the Republicans to "give us our daily bread" than to beg the Democrats to dole out a little soup. He has tried both kinds. He will continue his "bread" rather than than beg for "soup."

Vote for Powers for Congressman.

We would especially urge upon every Republican voter to see to it that he does not fail to vote upon the congressional question. When it is remembered that a few votes may turn the scale in some districts, the importance of voting will be understood. The small majority in congress which the Republicans now hold should not be imperiled. As the house now stands a change of four congressmen from Republican to Democrat would place the house in the hands of the Democrats, give them the speaker, the appointing of all the committees, and absolutely tie the hands of the president so far as carrying out his plans are concerned. Mr. Powers' record is clear; no one need fear giving him a vote, and he should have the vote of every loyal Republican in his district, and as many Democrats as can consistently support him.

The Grist Mill.

The case of Charles Cooley, charged with adultery, was continued to Nov. 8, in the district court. His Honor, Judge Doe, also adjudicated upon a dispute between the proprietor of the cobbling shop on Central street and a man who had some repairs made upon his shoes. He claimed to have tendered a $5 bill, while the cobbler insisted it was a $1, giving him the change therefor. The judge decided the cobbler was in the wrong, imposing a fine of $10. He also rendered a decision in the case of McGtunis & Wharle of Medway, who were tried a few weeks ago for maintaining a liquor nuisance at Medway. They were adjudged guilty and fined $50 each. The defendants served notice of appeal and gave bonds for their appearance et Dedham at the December term.

Richardson's Market.

Of course we keep meat, but we want to call your attention to our carefully selected home made sausage, choice veal and prime beef. Onions 75 cents a bushel. Fancy Jersey sweet potatoes, tender beef liver, with bacon. All the vegetables and soups. Chicks end fowls for Sunday dinner.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

White Plymouth Rock hens for sale. E. D. Hawes, Cottage street. 2*

Two hundred cords of trash wood for sale by E. S. Cook, Box 212. 26Ftf

To Let—A pleasant tenement of six rooms. Inquire at 40 Union street. Ftf

To Rent.—A desirable tenement of six rooms; $12 per month. Inquire of O. T. Doe. 14 tf

Forty second-hand novels, four lots, ten for fifty cents. First comers choose. SENTINEL Office.

Frank O. Dudley, formerly with R. G. Irwin, will do bicycle repairing at the corner of Central and Union streets 9-8t*

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Violets and 100 chrysanthemums. Slade's greenhouse.

Household Goods at Private Sale.

The entire equipment of six rooms will be sold at once, including two chamber sets, one mantel bed, kitchen utensils, dining-room furniture, parlor set in odd pieces, mirror, etc. Goods can be seen over Elkerton's Bakery.

J. A. BARNSTEAD.

Transient and regular patrons will find good service, clean and quick work at Ocbee's barber shop, Opera house block.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1900

Using Up the Horses.

The South African war has again given the horse a dignified place among the world's things of value, but it is doubtful whether he is to be congratulated upon his rehabilitation. Though he is no longer a drug on the market, says the Chicago Tribune, he has no brighter future before him than at any other time since the trolley car and the automobile began to crowd him off the earth. For the crowding-off process continues at a rate that might well alarm the whole equine race. Competent authorities estimate that the Boer war is killing at least 5,000 horses per month, which will account for 35,000 or 40,000 animals since the beginning of the war, not counting those used for table purposes in Ladysmith, Kimberley and Mafeking. There is every probability that the wastage of horses will be still greater when the British penetrate farther into the Boer country. The Boers take special pains to kill the enemy's horses, because the death of a horse is almost as great a military loss as the death of a man. The climate also causes the wholesale sickness and death of the unacclimated animals. To supply this enormous wastage the British are scouring the horse markets of the world. The war office is said to have arranged to convey 2[illegible] horses in 23 vessels from New Orleans, Buenos Ayres and Australian ports, while at the same time a New York dispatch states that a contract has been nearly completed in that city for 30,000 more. If the war continues long enough at this rate the American horse breeders will be in clover.

Disaster Sure to Follow.

Here is the latest story, according to the Kansas City Journal, on the man who is too stingy to take his home paper: "A man who was too economical to take this paper sent his little boy to borrow the copy taken by his neighbor. In his haste the boy ran over a four-dollar stand of bees, and in ten minutes looked like a warty summer squash. His cries reached his father, who ran to his assistance, and failing to notice a barbed-wire fence ran into that, breaking it down, cutting a handful of flesh from his anatomy and ruining a four-dollar pair of pants. The old cow took advantage of the gap in the fence and got into the cornfield, and killed herself eating green corn. Hearing the racket, the wife ran, upset a four-gallon churn full of rich cream into a basket of chickens, drowning the whole flock. In the hurry she dropped a seven-dollar set of false teeth. The baby, left alone, crawled through the spilled milk and into the parlor, ruining a brand new $20 carpet. During the excitement the oldest daughter ran away with the hired man, the dog broke up 11 setting hens, and the calves got out and chewed the tails off four fine shirts."

An odd method of pulling a tooth was tried a few days ago by a Bloomville (N. Y.) young man who had been suffering with toothache. In vain he tried to extract the molar with a pincers and string. Then his anger rose, and when his wife taunted him with not having a particle of sand he resolved upon desperate measures. Procuring a yard of stove pipe wire, he fastened one end of it firmly around the deeply rooted tooth in such a manner that it could not pull loose, and the other end he wound around a ramrod. Taking down his shotgun, he placed an extra charge of powder in the barrel, rammed the rod home, and, stepping to the door, he cocked the gun, opened his mouth and fired skyward. There was a loud explosion and tooth and ramrod sailed away skyward. He has not since been troubled with toothache.

A church society in Brooklyn discussed at a recent meeting the question: "Which is more demoralizing, fashion or tobacco?" The old contention between man and woman

ON GUARD

The warning cough is the faithful sentinel. It tells of the approach of consumption, which has killed more people than war and pestilence combined. It tells of painful chests, sore lungs, weak throats, bronchitis, and pneumonia. Do not suffer another day. It's useless, for there's a prompt and safe cure. It is

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

which cures fresh colds and coughs in a single night and masters chronic coughs and bronchitis in a short time. Consumption is surely and certainly prevented, and cured, too, if taken in time.

A 25c. bottle for a fresh cold; 50c. size for older colds; $1 size for chronic coughs and consumption.

"I always keep a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral on hand. Then every time I get cold I take a little of it and I am better at once."
JAMES O. BRUCER,
Oct. 19, 1898. El Paso, Texas.

Write the Doctor. If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice, write the Doctor freely. Address
Dr. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

It Made Him Weary.

"Do you drink?" asked the woman at the door.

Frayed Frawley looked at her reproachfully.

"You see me, don't you?" he said.

"Yes," she replied, somewhat surprised.

"You see my patched and tattered clothes?"

"Yes."

"And my busted-out shoes and all that?"

"Yes."

"And I ain't working an automobile nor driving a fast horse, am I?"

"No."

"Don't look as if I'd saved up money and bought a summer place, do I?"

"No."

"And yet you ask me if I drink! Say! you make me weary. How much evidence do you need?"—Chicago Post.

Expenses of the Sultan.

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SOUND MONEY DEMOCRATS

Who Believe McKinley's Election Would Continue Beneficial Conditions.

"I shall vote for McKinley this year," said H. F. Hurlburt, in reply to a question as to his preference in the presidential election. "I have always been a Democrat and I voted for Palmer and Buckner four years ago. The Democrats this year, however, have injected the anti-imperialist issue into the platform to cover up the Chicago platform of 1896, and that platform no gold Democrat could indorse. Personally, I believe, moreover, in the retention of the Philippines. The only business way out of the difficulty there is that which the administration has been compelled to pursue.

"Mr. Bryan said four years ago that if the country should adopt the gold standard, it would become bankrupt under any emergency, war, for example. He has proved a false prophet. Upon McKinley's election four years ago money which had been hoarded in fear was released and the country entered upon a season of great prosperity; and although I would by no means attribute the good times of the past few years wholly to the Republican party, I am very sure that if Mr. Bryan were elected in November a change in business conditions would ensue which would not be for the better. On the other hand, the election of McKinley would continue the beneficial conditions which developed after his election in 1896."

J. D. Crimins the well-known labor statistician of New York, says:

"To vote for Bryan is, in my judgment, to vote for populism, the destruction of the country's and the workingmen's best interests. The only alternative is to vote for McKinley and Roosevelt. There is no third ticket, no Democratic banner under which sound money Democrats may form and fight.

"Four years ago I voted for Palmer and Buckner. This year I shall cast my ballot for McKinley and Roosevelt. Such I believe to be the present duty of those Democrats who maintained party allegiance and yet supported their principles in 1896.

"A change of 20,000 votes can be made in New York city between now and Nov. 7. That change might decide which of the two great parties shall carry the state.

"The facts of the situation as they appear purely from a business point of view should be prepared concisely and set forth clearly to the workingmen. With capital employed, labor is employed. With capital assured of returns, labor is assured of wages. Mr. Bryan's adherents are not makers of employment, of wealth of prosperity, or of advancement."

For Instance.

Aunt Sally—These summer boarders puts all sorts of nonsense into the young people's heads.

Aunt Hannah—That's so! All the young gals in this village is worryin' about their freckles.—Puck.

Their Substitute.

"How do you suppose Adam and Eve reckoned the time without clock or calendar?"

"I don't know, but they had a date tree, didn't they?"—Town Topics.

Fooled Him.

"Come, old man, tell us where you got the courage to propose to your wife."

"They told me she had taken a vow never to marry."—N. Y. World.

Bridget's Little Joke.

Mistress—Bridget, I wish you wouldn't be so boisterous with the butcher.

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POPULAR SCIENCE.

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There are 400 miles of icebergs, floating ice, plains of ice and all other sorts of Arctic obstructions to traverse between the nearest discovery to the pole and the pole itself. Perhaps some means of overcoming these difficulties may present themselves within the next century as science goes on in its progressive way.

The eruption in 1883 of Krakatua, a volcano on the island of that name in the Strait of Sunda, which connects the Java sea with the Indian ocean between Java and Sumatra, East Indies, was the worst and most destructive eruption ever known, including that of Vesuvius in 79, A. D.

The earth has a shadow, but few ever see it, except in eclipses of the moon. Nevertheless many of us have noticed on fine, cloudless evenings in summer, shortly before sunset, a rosy or pink arc on the horizon opposite the sun, with a bluish-gray segment under it. As the sun sinks the arc rises until it attains the zenith, and even passes it. This is the shadow of the earth.

SAYINGS OF THE SAGE.

A woman can afford to forgive her husband for everything except marrying her.

A woman never forgives a man for his kindness in bringing her husband home drunk.

A baby's smile is the sweetest thing in the world; it is a combination of contentment, idiocy and gums.

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A PURPLE GRACKLE.

BY MAURICE THOMPSON.

THIS summer I have been studying the purple grackle under very favorable circumstances, and (contradictory as it may seem) these same circumstances have been extremely annoying. The trees amid which our summer home is set became the chosen nesting place of 30 grackles, 15 pairs; they were early comers, too, and so got ahead of all the other birds, even the robins.

You may be sure it takes an early bird to beat the robins, who, as a rule, have the choice of nesting places because they are first on the scene. And who does not love a robin sufficiently well to wish them the good fortune to secure their choice of nesting places? As for myself, I would willingly see them ahead of the grackles, and it would please me well if they could replace the grackles entirely, as you will know before you have finished this chronicle of their doings around our summer home.

The first known about their nesting was a morning concert in April. They awoke me at break of day with a sudden swish of wings, like an erratic breeze-gust, followed by short, twanging cries scarcely musical, yet touched with a promise of spring-time freshness. A silent few had been seen coming and going in the pines for a fortnight; but this was the first outright assumption of proprietorship over my premises.

At first I was bellicose, and I began to investigate the propriety of slaughter. These birds are of filthy habits—not to a greater extent than most other large species, perhaps—and they like making a great racket. They scatter egg shells and unhatchable eggs on your lawn; moreover, they attack your small fruit and garden dainties in the bud, as it were. Thirty of them make quite a little army; 30 voices sound like a legion; 15 nests of the ordinary grackle architecture are not ornamental up in your tree-tops. And when comes a heavy rain with wind, these same bulky nests are shaken down on the grass, hideous disfigurements, to be removed at no little trouble.

I knew all this and more: I weighed it against the claim of the grackles and decided to shoot the whole rookery of them. But for some inscrutable reason a dilatory mood delayed the beginning of slaughter and I became interested in the nesting details which were frankly offered to my observation. Two and two, a sheeny male and a dusky female, the whole flock strutted here and yonder in the grounds industriously looking for building materials. From my desk, drawn close to a window, a glance was sufficient to take in the movements of one or two pairs at almost any moment, especially during the early morning hours. They are good workers, male and female sharing the burdens; but the male loses considerable time in going through certain grotesquely common antics for the purpose of displaying his beauty to his wife. He lifts the gay, copper-dashed feathers of his neck and shoulders, slightly spreads his iridescent wings and struts in a close circle around the object of his adoration. She pays him scant attention; but demurely keeps up the search for sticks, stringy grass-roots, leaves and pine-needles for the making of her house.

It is a great rest for the desk-weary eyes of a plodding penman to look out upon a soft green sward dappled with shade and sunshine, where the grackles, robins, doves and golden winged flickers take turns at their restless activities. My working window gives upon a fair garden of native trees with some alien pines 40 years old set here and there. In spring the grass is flecked with violets, claytonias, wake-robins and wild wind-flowers, among which the grackles strut high-headed with a peculiar wagging motion. Their eyes—pale straw color—look glassy white and seem to stare in a spirit of cold atrocity at nothing in particular. They and the robins fight, victory alternating evenly, and at last they agree to share my trees and other out-door belongings. But the grackles prove treacherous, occasionally tearing eggs or young from the sweet singers' nests and even scattering the nests themselves in fragments all about. While this does not happen frequently, it exasperates me on principle. A broken compact under circumstances of such unlimited villainy seems to call for capital punishment.

Still I withhold the stroke. I know it is due; that by all the laws of men these villains should be punished with death and destruction, but for same reason they have interested me; their very villaionousness has staid my hand in the work that it should do.

Early in May a pair of doves built a rickety, uncertain sketch of a nest on a level bough not 25 feet from my window. Two eggs were laid in it. The doves were happy and on the point of beginning incubation, when early one morning along the limb sidewise crept a male grackle. I saw him just before he reached the nest; but by the time I had rushed out to drive him away both eggs were smashed and the flimsy, scaffold-like nest was a little puff of scattered sticks agitating the circumambient foliage. "Chack! Chack!" snapped the grackle, contemptuously, and then he flew away. It was a deed worthy of a jay. I had not expected it of a grackle.

I have not convicted the grackle of stealing fruit. He may taste a berry or a grape. But he has a nasty habit of snipping off flower-buds. I watched three or four in a cherry tree deftly cutting away with their keen mandibles the fruit blossoms that were nearly ready to open. They did not eat them; but I observed that they took them into their mouths, nibbled them and seemed to get from them something that they liked. In the vegetable garden they pluck the lobes of bean and pea as soon as they appear above ground. Many of these they had scattered between the rows, and I do not know that they eat any of them.

It is difficult to understand why a bird so trim, neat and beautiful as the grackle uses mud in the making of its nest. Presumably the object would be to fasten the cup in place, but every displaced nest that I have examined seemed to have fallen wholly on account of the great weight of the mortar when saturated with rain.

The grackles, on the whole, have not permanently won their way with me; the trouble they have given outweighs their beauty, their cheerfulness and their interesting characteristics. Next year they must go elsewhere or be shot. Probably more robins than grackles nested in our trees, and quite as many doves; but it was to the grackles that we had to charge nearly all the filth and litter. We shall welcome dove, robin, catbird, cardinal grosbeak, flicker and brown thrush next spring. The grackles are forewarned. They must not lead their "clanging rookery home," expecting a pleasant greeting from us. Fifteen huge, filthy, mud-daubed nests, cherry trees clipped off their bloom buds, the nests of singing birds destroyed, a vegetable garden maliciously raided time and again, a fair lawn splashed with offensive droppings and such a din every morning at daybreak as only grackles can make amount to a sum of objections quite prohibitory of amicable arrangements. Come all the other birds; but let the grackles beware!—N. Y. Independent.

IF BRYAN IS ELECTED

We Shall Lose Respect For Our Sagacity, Sincerity and Integrity.

By Harry Wallerstein.

"If there is any one," said Bryan in 1896, "who believes that the gold standard is a good thing, I warn him not to vote for me, because I promise him that it will not be maintained in this country longer than I am able to get rid of it."

Bryan's purpose is unchanged. In a recent speech at Topeka, Kas., he said:

"Since the farmer and workman produce merchandise and not money they do not profit by the appreciation of the dollar."

Ask the people who live in Mexico whether they prefer to be paid in their dollar, which intrinsically contains more silver than ours, or in our dollar.

They will tell you that they prefer our dollar.

The Mexican dollar is worth only 50 cents, and that is what our dollar will be worth if Bryan is elected. He will order all payments to be made in silver, the country will be flooded with a depreciated coin; gold will be withdrawn from circulation, wages will remain stationary, while living expenses will be materially higher.

The workman will have less demand for his labor, and will be paid in a dollar whose purchasing power will be cut in half.

Four years ago thousands of workingmen were idle; agriculture and nearly every other line of industry had entered upon a long period of paralysis, bankruptcy and despair. The country was then suffering from the greatest industrial depression it had ever experienced, and the period from 1893 to 1897 was one of "hunger, horror and misery." That terrible time ended with the dawn of the year 1897. Bryanism had been defeated. The silver conspiracy had been thwarted. McKinley had solemnly pledged himself to safeguard the gold standard, and as a result industry revived, confidence was restored, factories were reopened, wages were advanced, and the entire country entered upon a golden era of American enterprise.

Today we see all employed at remunerative wages, the country prosperous, the people contented and happy and our flag respected and honored all over the world. Shall this be changed? Shall we return to the misery of four years ago, and to the industrial depression and low wages prevailing then? It was at that time that Bryan warned the farmers and workingmen that, if silver declined, the products of their labor would likewise decline, and prophesied universal ruin and destruction, if the gold standard would be maintained.

Since then, all products of agriculture and of manufacture have materially advanced, wages have been largely increased, and prosperity has reigned throughout the land.

Our country enjoys today a higher degree of influence and consideration all over the world than it has ever before attained. It means a large and increasing export trade. It means a growing market for the product of our farms and factories. The moment we take the backward step to declare for free silver, we lose the confidence of the rest of the civilized world, and this would be followed by serious loss of commerce and export trade. The South American republics are earnestly striving to get away from their depreciated currency, and to rise to the gold standard. They know by long and bitter experience the curse of the silver dollar. They have looked upon us as the possessors of an ideal government. They have confidence in the wisdom and ability of our people.

Shall we follow the lead of Bryan, declare in favor of the silver standard, and thereby lose the respect for our sagacity, sincerity and integrity?

Bryan's election would bring confusion and distress upon the business interests of the country, especially including the interests of labor.

In the contest for a sound and honest currency, the straightforward common sense and patriotism of the people came out nobly four years ago for the rescue of the country. In the course of a speech at that time Bryan made the dismal prediction: "The gold standard means half time in the factories and it means double time on the farms." How far has this gloomy prophesy been fulfilled? There was then not even half time in the factories. Many wage-earners were idle, their families were hungry.

Today under the gold standard those mills and factories are all in operation on full time, and those wage-earners are all at work at the highest wages they ever received. The gold standard does mean double time for the farmer. The people want more of his grain, his live stock, his wool, and his other products.

The agriculturalist has fewer mortgages on his land, larger herds of cattle, greater crops and prices of his staples are higher.

Was Bryan, is he, a student of financial and industrial conditions and laws? Was he, is he, only guessing? We want not this prophet of ruin and calamity, whose judgment has been so frequently at fault, and is at fault now. We want happiness, not misery. We want full purchasing power for our dollar. We want good wages and constant employment for all. We want an honest dollar and an honest government. We want not the owners of silver mines to become rich, while impoverishing the entire community, and destroying the credit of the nation.

Bryan's policy is "destruction, calamity and repudiation."

McKinley says today: "The nation faces the new century gratefully and hopefully, with increasing love of country, with firm faith in its fine institutions and with high resolve that they shall not perish from the earth." His paramount issue is "The happiness of our homes, the prosperity of our people."

New York, October, 1900.

Bryan Angers Honest Democrats.

The Democratic Honest Money League of America, at a special meeting, heard a number of reports received from throughout the country. All of these were encouraging. Major John Byrne, president of the league, in discussing them, said:

"The honest Democrats all over the country are incensed at Mr. Bryan's latest utterances. He is dragging the great position of the candidacy for the presidency to the lowest level it has ever been brought in this country.

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Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2.65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, disolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and uselesa materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit. The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save If your druggist can't supply you, it will be fowarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

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Would quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by A. C. Mason, druggist.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
BOSTON, Oct. 29, 1900.

I certify that the following is a list of all the candidates duly nominated to be voted for in the county of Norfolk November 6, 1900.

WILLIAM M. OLIN,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Electors of President and Vice-President—Mark ONCE.

BRYAN AND STEVENSON, Democratic.

At Large.—
Thomas Wentworth Higginson of Cambridge.
Thomas J. Gargan of Boston.
By Districts —
1 William Nugent of Pittsfield.
2 Charles J. Bellamy of Springfield.
3 Eben S. Stevens of Dudley.
4 Robert E. Bisbee of Pepperell.
5 Nathan D. Pratt of Lowell.
6 Arthur Withington of Newburyport.
7 Thomas E. Dwyer of Wakefield.
8 Henry T. Schaefer of Winchester.
9 Thomas F. Keenan of Boston.
10 Richard Sullivan of Boston.
11 John H. Lee of Boston.
12 Albert P. Worthen of Weymouth.
13 Charles R. Codman of Barnstable.

DEBS AND HARRIMAN, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.

At Large —
Charles S. Grieves of Amesbury.
Herbert L. Wood of Brockton.
By Districts —
1 Leon S. Oliver of Westfield.
2 William H. Lawler of Springfield.
3 Charles E. Fenner of Worcester.
4 John P. McDonald of Clinton.
5 James A. Wilkinson of Methuen.
6 George L. Evans of Haverhill.
7 Ernest W. Timson of Lynn.
8 John A. Aitken of Cambridge.
9 Morris Kaplan of Boston.
10 William M. Packard of Quincy.
11 David M. Chase of Boston.
12 Samuel L. Smith of Brockton.
13 Lawrence Roettinger of New Bedford.

MALLONEY AND REMMEL, Socialist Labor Party.

At Large —
Patrick O'Keefe of Salem.
John A. Henley of Lynn.
By Districts —
1 Henry Noflke of Holyoke.
2 James Noonan of Springfield.
3 Walter J. Hoar of Gardner.
4 Francis H. Taylor of Fitchburg.
5 John F. Bradley of Woburn.
6 Burton C. Woodbury of Haverhill.
7 John Welton of Chelsea.
8 Herman W. A. Raasch of Boston.
9 William H. Young of Boston.
10 William H. Carroll of Boston.
11 C. Arvide Olson of Hyde Park.
12 Thomas L. Leonard of Taunton.
13 Wright Wilde of Fall River.

McKINLEY AND ROOSEVELT, Republican.

At Large —
Roger Wolcott of Boston.
William Whiting of Holyoke.
By Districts:
1 James W. Toole of Holyoke.
2 Charles E. Stevens of Ware.
3 Josiah Perry of Dudley.
4 Josiah P. Thacher of Littleton.
5 William Beggs of Woburn.
6 Arthur D. Story of Essex.
7 George L. Morse of Melrose.
8 William H. Dyer of Boston.
9 Henry C. Richardson of Boston.
10 John Shaw of Quincy.
11 Eben S. Draper of Hopedale.
12 Wilmon W. Blackmar of Hingham.
13 Edmund Anthony, Jr., of Fairhaven.

WOOLLEY AND METCALF, Prohibition.

At Large:—
Edward Kendall of Cambridge.
John Bascom of Williamstown.
By Districts:—
1 Thomas A. Frissell of Hinsdale.
2 Oliver W. Cobb of Easthampton.
3 William W. Nash of Worcester.
4 Alfred L. Cutting of Weston.
5 William W. Sherman of Lowell.
6 Frank N. Rand of Haverhill.
7 George H. Harwood of Lynn.
8 George E. Crosby of Medford.
9 Herbert B. Griffin of Winthrop.
10 Samuel F. Smith of Quincy.
11 Samuel B. Shapleigh of Boston.
12 Edward G. Knight of Hull.
13 Elijah Humphries of New Bedford.

Governor. Mark One.

Michael T. Berry of Haverhill, Socialist Labor Party.
Charles H. Bradley of Haverhill, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
W. Murray Crane of Dalton, Republican.
John M. Fisher of Attleborough, Prohibition.
Robert Treat Paine, Jr., of Boston, Democratic.

Lieutenant Governor. Mark One.

John L. Bates of Boston, Republican.
John B. O'Donnell of Northampton, Democratic.
Wilbur M. Purrington of Williamsburg, Prohibition.
Moritz E. Ruther of Holyoke, Socialist Labor Party.
George H. Wrenn of Springfield, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.

Secretary. Mark One.

Addison W. Barr of Worcester, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
Alfred E. Jones of Everett, Socialist Labor Party.
William M. Olin of Boston, Republican.
William H. Partridge of Newton, Prohibition.
Luther Stephenson of Hingham, Democratic.

Treasurer. Mark One.

Edward S. Bradford of Springfield, Republican
Joseph L. Chalifoux of Lowell, Democratic.
Napoleon B. Johnson of Milford, Prohibition.
Fred A. Nagler of Springfield, Socialist Labor Party.
Stephen O'Shaughnessy of Boston, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.

Auditor. Mark One.

Elbridge Gerry Brown of Brockton, Democratic.
Frank Albin Forsstrom of Worcester, Socialist Labor Party.
William G. Merrill of Malden, Prohibition.
Henry E. Turner of Malden, Republican.
Frank S. Walsh of Brockton, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.

Attorney General. Mark One.

John A. Billings of Rockland, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
Allen Coffin of Nantucket, Prohibition.
John C. Crosby of Pittsfield, Democratic.
Hosea M. Knowlton of New Bedford, Republican.
Frank MacDonald of Stoneham, Socialist Labor Party.

Representative in Congress. Mark One.

FOURTH DISTRICT.

Charles D. Lewis of Framingham, Democratic.
Charles Q. Tirrell of Natick, Republican.

Representative in Congress. Mark One.

TENTH DISTRICT.

Henry F. Naphen of Boston, Democratic.
George B. Pierce of Milton, Republican.

Representative in Congress. Mark One.

ELEVENTH DISTRICT.

William H. Baker of Newton, Democratic.
John A. McIsaac of Boston, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
Samuel L. Powers of Newton, Republican.
Moorfield Storey of Lincoln, Independent.

Representative in Congress. Mark One.

TWELFTH DISTRICT.

George J. Hunt of Taunton, Socialist Labor Party.
Charles F. King of Holbrook, Democratic.
William C. Lovering of Taunton, Republican.
Charles E. Lowell of Whitman, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
Herman T. Regnell of Attleborough, Prohibition.

Councillor. Mark One.

FIRST DISTRICT

John J. Fox of Abington, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
George R. Rigby of Fall River, Socialist Labor Party.
Henry A. Rosa of Fall River, Democratic.
David F. Slade of Fall River, Republican.

Councillor. Mark One.

SECOND DISTRICT.

Max Hoewe of Taunton, Socialist Labor Party.
Arthur A. Maxwell of Boston, Republican.
Thomas T. Watt of Wellesley, Democratic.

Senator. Mark One.

FIRST NORFOLK DISTRICT.

William C. Deagle of Hyde Park, Democratic Social Nom. Paper
Edwin C. Jenney of Hyde Park, Democratic.
Eugene H. Sprague of Quincy, Republican.

Senator. Mark One.

SECOND NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Frank A. Fales of Norwood, Republican.
James J. Lynch of Brookline, Democratic.
Horace W. Mann of Walpole, Prohibition.

Senator. Mark One.

FIRST PLYMOUTH DISTRICT.

Henry O. Cook of Abington, Socialist Labor Party.
Charles H. Drew of Hanover, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
Jacob Hersey of Whitman, Prohibition.
Amos A. Lawrence of Cohasset, Republican.
Benjamin F. Peterson of Whitman, Democratic.

Representative in General Court. Mark One

FIRST NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Thomas P. Murray of Dedham, Democratic.
George A. Nickerson of Dedham, Republican.
Charles W. Towne of Dedham, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.

Representative in General Court. Mark One.

SECOND NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Benjamin C. Dean of Brookline, Republican.
Osborne Howes of Brookline, Democratic.

Representative in General Court. Mark One.

THIRD NORFOLK DISTRICT.

John W. Griffin of Hyde Park, Democratic.
Frank H. Radford of Hyde Park, Republican.
Albert E. Tibbetts of Hyde Park, Democratic Social Nom. Paper

Representative in General Court. Mark One.

FOURTH NORFOLK DISTRICT.

J. Walter Bradlee of Milton, Republican.
William W. Brooks of Canton, Democratic.

Representatives in General Court. Mark Two.

FIFTH NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Frank E. Badger of Quincy, Republican.
John Curtis of Quincy, Democratic.
Hosea H. Johnson of Quincy, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
Eben W. Sheppard of Quincy, Republican.
Alexander C. Smith of Quincy, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
George H. Wilson of Quincy, Democratic.

Representatives in General Court. Mark Two.

SIXTH NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Daniel H. Coleman of Braintree, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
Horace R. Drinkwater of Braintree, Democratic.
Edward W. Hunt of Weymouth, Republican.
Edward J. Starr of Braintree, Democratic Social Nom. Paper.
Gordon Willis of Weymouth, Republican.

Representative in General Court. Mark One.

SEVENTH NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Henry Lawton Blanchard of Avon, Republican.
John J. Collins of Avon, Democratic.
William F. Harding of Avon, Democratic Social Nom. Paper

Representative in General Court. Mark One.

EIGHTH NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Edward O. Cox of Stoughton, Democratic.
Joseph S. Leach of Walpole, Republican

Representative in General Court. Mark One.

NINTH NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Harrison D. Barrett of Needham, Democratic.
James Ord of Medfield, Republican.
Stillman J. Spear of Medfield, Republican Independent Nom. Paper.

Representatives in General Court. Mark Two.

TENTH NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Albion F. Bemis of Foxborough, Republican.
Charles A. Bemis of Medway, Democratic.
George W. Bullard of Medway, Republican.
Louis W. Hodges of Foxborough, Prohibition.
Lawrence J. Kelley of Franklin, Democratic.
Elbridge G. Ware of Medway, Prohibition.

Representative in General Court. Mark One.

THIRD PLYMOUTH DISTRICT.

Jason M. Ennice of Cohasset, Democratic.
Frederic M. Hersey of Hingham, Republican.
Frank B. Young of Hingham, Prohibition.

County Commissioner. Mark One.

NORFOLK COUNTY.

John Cavanaugh of Braintree, Democratic.
James Hewins of Medfield, Republican.

Register of Deeds. Mark One.

NORFOLK COUNTY.

John H. Burdakin of Dedham, Democratic. Republican.

County Treasurer. Mark One.

NORFOLK COUNTY.

Charles H. Smith of Dedham, Democratic Citizens Nom. Paper. Republican.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Daniel Kempton to the Milford Savings Bank, dated October 17, 1877, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, book 494, page 73, and for a breach of the condition thereof, will be sold at public auction upon the premises, on

SATURDAY, THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1900,

at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely: "A certain tract or parcel of land situated in Bellingham in our county of Norfolk, containing about fifty acres of land bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at the southeast corner of the premises on the Scott hill road leading from said Bellingham to Woonsocket, at corner of land of Israel B. Salisbury; thence running westerly by land of the heirs of Lebbeus Gaskill and Nahum Cook to land conveyed by the grantor to Otis D. and Warren J. Ballou; thence northerly by said last-named land to land of Nahum Cook; thence easterly by land of Nahum Cook and Mrs. Anson Salisbury to the said road, thence southerly by and with said road to the point of departure; being all the land described in a deed from Elias Kempton and others, dated May 22, 1872, recorded in said registry, book 440, page 119, except one tract sold to Otis D. and Warren J. Ballou."

Terms made known at time of sale or upon application to Jesse A. Taft, Counsellor at Law, Milford, Mass.

MILFORD SAVINGS BANK,
By JAMES E. WALKER, Treas.

26,2,9

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Hubbard M. Bullock, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Mira S. Bullock of Franklin, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of November, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

SUPERIOR COURT.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court, next to be holden at Dedham within and for the County of Norfolk on the first Monday of December next.

Respectfully libels and represents Achsah Camp of Bellingham, in said county, that she was lawfully married to Fred Camp, now of parts unknown, at Medway on the twelfth day of December, A. D. 1879, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Fred Camp lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit., at Medway in said county; that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Fred Camp being wholly regardless of the same at Medway aforesaid on or about the first day of August, 1889, utterly deserted your libellant and has continued such desertion to the date of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Fred Camp.

Dated the sixteenth day of October, A. D. 1900.

ACHSAH CAMP.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
NORFOLK, ss.

SUPERIOR COURT.

On the foregoing libel it is ordered that the libellant give notice to the said Fred Camp, the libellee, to appear before the Justices of this Court, to be holden at Dedham within and for said county, on the first Monday of December next, by causing an attested copy of said libel, and of this order thereon, to be published once in a week for three successive weeks in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first Monday of December next, and further, by sending through the mail, as soon as may be, by a registered letter addressed to the last known residence of the said Fred Camp an attested copy of said libel and of this order thereon, that the said Fred Camp may then and there show cause why the prayer of said libel should not be granted.

By the Court,

LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.

October 22, A. D. 1900.

A true copy of said libel and the order thereon.

Attest R. B. WORTHINGTON,
Assistant Clerk.

26,2,9

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator de bonis non, with the will annexed, of the estate of Goldsbury Pond, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

METCALF E. POND,
Administrator.

Address: Franklin, Mass.
Oct. 17, A. D. 1900. oc19,26,no2

New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad

— AND CONNECTIONS. —

EASTERN DISTRICT.

OCTOBER 21, 1900.

PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE. (DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAYS, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.)

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

BOSTON—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex.) 6 05, 9 38 p m; Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, 8 30 m; 12 04, 3 39, 4 34, 5 19, 6 22, 6 57, 8 17, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 19 a m, 5 19, 7 10 p m.

BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 28 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 46, 4 13, 5 13, 6 01, 7 13 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 6 05, 9 33 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 22, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 6 05 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m; f12 58, 5 25, 6 13, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 35 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

NEW YORK, all rail—9 15 a m; 4 25 p m. Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

New York, via Norwich Line, 7 45 p m. Return New Pier 36, North River, 6 00 p m.

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Trains leave FRANKLIN for

PROVIDENCE—7 03, 9 03 a m; 1 05, 4 40, 7.03 p m. Return, 6 04, 8 10, 12 04 a. m. 3 35, 6 00 p m.

MILFORD BRANCH.

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MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 23, 6 55 p m; S 8 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.

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OPP. POST OFFICE BLOCK, FRANKLIN.

WRENTHAM.

The first meeting of the Holly club will be held Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Miss Alice Carpenter. Thos. Whittemore is expected to address the meeting. ——A Republican rally will be held in the town hall next Monday evening. Ex-Speaker Charles J. Noyes and Samuel L. Powers, nominee for congress, will address the meeting. —— Walter Partridge of West Upton was in town Wednesday. ——Miss Charlotte Hawes is visiting her sister, Miss E. J. Hawes. —— A Hallowe'en party was held last night at the residence of Fred R. Bean. ——The interior decoration of the Congregational church will be finished by Saturday night. The Hawes chapel is to be redecorated and shingled. ——Mrs. Osgood Page entertained the ladies of Trinity Guild at a Hallowe'en party at her home on [illegible] street Wednesday evening.—— A pleasing entertainment is being arranged by the Odd Fellows.——Tax Collector H. V. Ha[illegible] was at Plainville on Wednesday collecting taxes.

Tourist Information, Rates, Etc., South

Tickets are now on sale via the Southern Railway, to all the prominent resorts of the Carolinas, Georgia, Florida, Cuba, Mexico, and California. The service of the Southern Ry. is most perfect, operating through and sleeping cars on all its trains. The route of the Washington & Southwestern Vestibuled Limited, New York & Florida Express, Washington & Chattanooga Limited and the U. S. Fast Mail. During the winter season the New York & Florida Limited, "the finest train in world." Descriptive matter of the winter resort rates is furnished upon application to either of its New York offices, 271 or 1185 Broadway. Berths in sleeping cars reserved in advance, and all information furnished. "No trouble to answer questions." For further information apply to Geo. C. Daniels, N. E. P. A., 228 Washington St., Boston.

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Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at [illegible]. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Mi[illegible], Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church — Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Baptist church.—At 10.30 preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper; theme, "Individual Responsibility." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45. At 7 address by Mrs. A. J. Butler on "The Missionary Outlook." Short testimony meeting in vestry.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D.D., pastor, will preach at 10.45; subject, "The Festival of All Souls." Vesper service at 5, second discourse on "Religious Movements of the Nineteenth Century; theme, "A Great German Prophet and Reformer." Y. P. C. U. at [illegible].

Congregational church.—Preaching at 10.45 by Rev. J. W. Sneath, Ph. D.; pastor, followed by communion of Lord's Supper. Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.15; consecration service. Preaching by pastor at 7 in auditorium, first of a series on sacred places in Palestine, theme, "Bethlehem;" music by quartet and congregation.

Methodist church.—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook, subject, "The Higher Christian Life;" special subject, "The Sanctification of the Nature." Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 3. Vesper service and general prayer meeting at 7, conducted by the pastor, subject, "The Mysterious Contest."

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending October 31, 1900.

Ladies—Mrs. A. G. Baker, Miss Sadie Howland, Mrs. Bert Rhoades.

Gentlemen—Fisher Copeland, Walter Fox, Roscoe Gay, Thos. McAdams, S. Lightie Morse, F. A. Tatro, F. F. Taylor, O. W. Titus, Castle Square Stock Co. (5), Atwood Mills. Foreign—Napoleon Gongou.

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FOR THE

GENERAL ELECTION,

Nov. 6, 1900.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Franklin, greeting:

You are hereby required, in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to notify and warn the qualified voters of the town of Franklin to assemble in their town hall, in said town, on

TUESDAY, the SIXTH day of NOVEMBER

next, it being the Tuesday next after the first Monday of said November, at seven o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to bring in their votes on one ballot for fifteen Electors of President and Vice-President of the United States, Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor and Attorney General for the Commonwealth, a Representative in Congress of the United States for the Eleventh Congressional District, Councillor for the Second Councillor District, Senator for the Second Norfolk Senatorial District, two Representatives to the General Court for the Tenth Norfolk Representative District, a County Commissioner for the County of Norfolk, a Register of Deeds and a County Treasurer.

The polls may be closed as early as eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, unto the selectmen, on or before the said day and hour.

Given under our hands this twenty-fifth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

J. CUSHING GALLISON,
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JEREMIAH J. McCARTHY,
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, ss.

To the Honorable the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Norfolk.

Respectfully represent your petitioners being five and more inhabitants of the town of Wrentham, in said county of Norfolk, that common convenience and necessity require that that part of East street, in said Wrentham, which begins at the line separating the towns of Wrentham and Foxborough and runs westerly to a point near the almshouse in said Wrentham, which point is the terminus of the former relocation of the westerly part of said East street as made by the county commissioners of said county of Norfolk, be located anew, the boundary lines thereof established and alterations made in its course and width.

Wherefore your petitioners pray that you will, after giving notice and proceeding in the manner prescribed in laying out highways, order and decree that that part of East street above described be located anew, the boundary thereof be established, that such alterations in its course and width as your Board deems proper be made, and that such further proceedings may be had as the premises as the statute requires.

Dated this eighteenth day of September, A. D. 1900.

DANIEL BROWN and nineteen others.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, ss.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners, begun and held at Dedham, within and for said County of Norfolk, on the fourth Tuesday of September, A. D. 1900, and by adjournment on the sixteenth day of October, A. D. 1900.

On the petition aforesaid, Ordered, that the County Commissioners meet at the town house in Wrentham on

SATURDAY the FIRST day of DECEMBER, 1900,

at [illegible] o'clock [illegible] m. and thence proceed to view the route described in said petition and hear and act thereon.

And that an attested copy of said petition, with this order thereon, be served upon the clerk of the town of Wrentham thirty days at least before the time appointed for said view, and also that a like copy be published three weeks successively in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Franklin, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said view, and also like copies be posted up in two or more public places in Wrentham fourteen days at least before said view, that all persons and corporations interested for or against said petition may then and there appear and be heard if they see fit.

LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.

A true copy of original petition on file and of order thereon.

Attest R. B. WORTHINGTON,
Assistant Clerk.

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FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6.10, 6.45 a.m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10.15 p. m. Last cars to car barn at 10.45 and 11.15 p. m.

FRANLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m., connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket. Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.15 a. m., and then on hour and half hour till 10.30 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham Four Corners for Caryville every hour from 6 to 9 a. m., 12 m. to 2 p. m., 4 to 9 p. m., returning on the half hour. Cars leaving Franklin at 6.45, 7.45, 11.45 a. m. and 12.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.45, 6.45 and 7.45 p. m. connect at Bellingham Four Corners with cars for Caryville.

FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave 6.00, 7.30, 8.15 a. m.; hourly to 6.15 p. m.; 8.15, 10.15 p. m. Return, 6.40, 8.15 a. m.; hourly till 7.15 p. m.; 9.15, 11.15 p. m.

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STATEMENT SEPT. 29, 1900

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$565,502 99
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 93
Interest Account		4,027 88
Real Estate Income Account		184 78
		$598,672 44

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$87,071 25
Bank Stock		27,759 32
Railroad Bonds		136,262 50
P. F. Boynton account		3,053 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		90,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		38,075 00
" " Mortgages		157,730 00
" " Personal Securities		174,269 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		6,000 00
Expense Account		522 22
Tax Account		542 53
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$3,028 14	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	1,304 95	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		4,417 25
Cash on hand		741 27
		$598,672 44

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

WALTER M. FISHER,
HORACE W. BUSIE,
Committee of Examination.

Sept. 29, 1900.

If you want to buy or sell anything, have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

Hattie M Fisher
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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Dr. Hodge will read at the Y. P. C. U. meeting tomorrow evening.

Joseph G. Hills, 78, says he has voted the whig ticket since he was 21.

G. S. F. Singleton has been confined to the house by illness the past few days.

The Jolly club and friends will enjoy a social dance at Red Men's hall tonight.

H. W. Nye of West Upton made a brief call upon friends in town on Sunday.

The Dean football eleven will play Tufts second at Medford tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Inez Jones has moved from Union street to the Charles Morse on Central street.

The Missss Nellie and Mamie Pickett of Blackstone visited friends here on Sunday.

Frank McKenzie of Woodstock, Vt., is the guest of Mrs. C. J. McKenzie of Dean avenue.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper has an article in the Chicago Standard of last week on "Pulpit Prayers."

St. Mary's parishioners will hold a coffee party at the Opera house on Wedday evening, Nov. 16.

The Young Giants request us to say that they beat the Tracy eleven on Saturday at Rugby 48 to 0.

Mrs. F. A. Drown of the Crescent house has gone to New York to visit her daughter, Mrs. G. E. Moody.

Mrs. V. N. Stocker of Stoneham, formerly a school teacher here, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Farrington.

Rev. W. W. Haslam preached last Sabbath at the Methodist church in East Blackstone for Rev. F. B. Adams.

George Bradley of Dickinson Centre, N. Y., has been visiting his sisters, Mrs. John Tyler and Mrs. S. C. Bourne.

W. A. Pond has sold the forty five acre farm of the George Grant heirs in Sheldonville to George D. Hutchinson of Maine.

Mrs. S. C. Bourne is confined to the house as a result of an accident, badly bruising a leg as she was moving about her cellar.

A meeting of the King's Daughters will be held Wednesday evening, at 7.30, at the home of Miss May Fales of Crescent street.

Mrs. Annie May Willard, who has been to the Mass. General hospital in Boston for the past six weeks, is a guest at Maj J. H. Onslow's.

A number from here will attend the Epworth league district convention at South Framingham tomorrow. They will leave on the 1.15 p. m. electric.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maloney are receiving congratulations over the birth of daughter last week. Mr. Maloney is a brakeman on Conductor Daniels' train.

Since the dropping off of some of the electrics a number of men have been laid off, among them being E. Lovell Metcalf, who is now engaged with O. F. Metcalf & Son.

O. G. Farrington of Franklin, N. H., died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George P. Gale, in Concord, on Friday. Mr F was born here and relatives of his still live here.

Raymond, the little son of Paul Peterson of Howard street fell Thursday evening, dislocating a shoulder blade. The little one was attended by a doctor and is doing well.

Rev. Dr. Sneath's father, mother and sister returned to their home in Pennsylvania today During the elder Mr Sneath's stay here he has been sick nearly all of the time.

Mr and Mrs. Charles E Whiting entertained Congressman-to be S. L. Powers upon his visit to Franklin last evening. Mr Powers and Mr. Whiting were classmates together at Darthmouth.

Mrs Ellen A Wilcox died at her home in Woonsocket on Thursday, aged 50. She was born in Franklin and was the wife of Daniel O. Wilcox, and mother of Willie S. Cook of South Franklin.

Regular business and social meeting of the Y. P. C. U. in the Universalist church parlors tomorrow evening at 7.45. Dr. Hodge will read from Eugene Field. Every member should come and bring a friend.

A letter received last week from Rev. J P. Chadbourne announces that his work in Cincinnati has opened very hopefully. At the time of writing, however, he was suffering with one of his nervous attacks.

Three new members received the hand of fellowship at the Baptist church Sunday forenoon previous to the Lord's supper. Several rose for prayers in the evening. The meetings are increasing in numbers and deepening in interest.

The Thurber Medical association will hold its postponed monthly meeting next Thursday afternoon in Milford. The program will be a symposium on medical ethics and will include a paper by Dr. J. C. Gallison on "Medical Advertising."

George W. Cochrane returned on Friday from a six months' stay in Minnewaukan, North Dakota, where he has been associated with his brother in a land office business. He will remain East for a month or more and then return to Dakota for the winter.

Friday evening the selectmen held a short session to order paid a number of routine bills, but no business of special importance was transacted. The board will meet again next Friday evening. Thursday evening the school committee held its regular monthly meeting for regular business.

Mrs. A. J. Butler of Canton gave a very fine address Sunday evening at the Baptist church on "The Missionary Outlook." Her description of the different mission fields, illustrated by the map, was exceedingly interesting and graphic. The audience gave the closest attention to her impartant discourse.

Franklin workmen are frescoing the Congregationalist church at Wrentham Centre, and the interior, when finished, will present a pleasant and artistic appearance. Some effort has been made to have the clock face gilded if the public in the vicinity feels interest enough to contribute the cash for the outlay.

A number from here are planning to attend the grand operatic entertainment at Woonsocket on Thursday evening, when "Martha" and "Cavalleria Rusticana" will be sung. This is an especially fine opportunity to hear grand opera, and Manager Ogden has arranged a special car after the concert to bring to Franklin all who take in the affair.

There was a decidedly interested audience at the High school on Friday evening to listen to Charles Williams' rendering of many of the strong points of the popular book, "To Have and to Hold." Mr. Williams had his book thoroughly committed, and gave a forceful and intelligent rendition. In many of the scenes he was fully up to the standard of dramatic action.

Publicity is what every business man of experience considers necessary to success. It is the aim of every enterprising merchant, manufacturer, agent or professional man to be so well known that his name will occur to people when they contemplate the purchase of anything in his line. It has been proved again and again that newspaper advertising is the most effective means of achieving publicity. Try the SENTINEL

A number from here are planning to enjoy the grand annual exhibition of chrysanthemums by the Mass. Horticultural society held at Horticultural hall 101 Tremont street, Boston, Nov. 6, 7, 8 and 9, from 2 o'clock Tuesday, the 6th, to 10 p. m. Friday, the 9th, inclusive. Appearances indicate that this show will be of unusual importance and well worthy of the attendance of all persons interested in this magnificent flower, "the golden queen of autumn."

Blanche LeClair, aged 9 years, died at the home of her mother on North Park street Friday evening of rheumatism of the heart. Cyril LeClair, the father of the deceased, died two weeks ago from an attack of typhoid and at present the oldest son is critically ill with the fever in a Boston hospital, while the youngest son is seriously ill with the same disease at home. The funeral of the little girl was held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from St Mary's chapel, where the service for the dead was performed by Rev. Father Lee. The children's sodality attended and the casket was covered with beautiful floral offerings.

Frank Shiner, who has an enviable record as a successful hunter, does not coincide with the views of some men who lately perambulated the woods hereabouts in quest of game, came home tired and empty-handed and then intimated that the woods in this section was a poor place for sportsmen. His dissent from these views of the "other fellows" would appear to have good ground from the fact that he, with dog and gun, took a stroll in the woods in this vicinity last Friday afternoon and a few hours thereafter came back with fifteen as fine-looking partridges as a huntsman ever laid eyes on. And Mr. Shiner insists that the woods are full of 'em.

The rummage sale of St John's guild at the Opera house block, last Saturday afternoon and evening, was a great success The counters were laden with goods of all manner of value, which were offered at merely nominal prices. Large numbers of people filled the store to its utmost capacity and sales were very brisk. A generous sum was added to the funds of the guild. It has been decided to continue the sale on Saturday, Nov. 10, afternoon and evening, when goods will be offered at prices lower than last week. Anyone who may desire to donate goods of any kind for the sale is asked to send them to St. John's rectory during the week, or to the store Saturday forenoon.

We have been having some glorious October weather. All nature has been cleanly washed and the fall colorings in foliage are thus made more attractive and beautiful. At mid day the heat of the sun recalls summer days that are gone and suggest Indian summer. Heavy autumn frosts will soon be here, already the chestnut burrs are wide open and the maple leaf has a more sombre shade. Days and nights are bracing and health-giving; keep out in them; you will be greatly benefited. Enjoy them while they last; it will make the long, dreary winter seem all the shorter. This is just the season of the year to enjoy walking, hiking and driving. If one seeks the open fields at this turn of the season he will find rich reward.

A Perfect Election Day.

The weather clerk prophesied clear weather for today, and for once he was not mistaken, as it proved to be a beautiful fall day. At this both Republicans and Democrats took heart, as it meant a full vote on both sides.

The polls opened at 7 o'clock, Chairman Gallison and Clerk Doe at the ballot box, C.F.Nye and M. J.Costello as checkers, and A. H. Martin, N.C.Nye and John A. O'Sullivan as ballot clerks. Officer Fitzpatrick was present in his official capacity. The balloting continued till about 9 o'clock, when the counters began their work, B. M. Rookwood, J. E. Barber, John Costello and M. F. Conroy. As the polls are to close at 5 o'clock it was expected that the work of counting would be completed about two hours later.

At 10.30 there had been 440 votes cast, which was nearly half of the entire list, and it was expected that about 90 per cent. of the vote, 910, would be polled. It was evident that most of the voters were throwing a straight ballot, with very little "knifing" or altering the tickets. The ballot this year is necessarily a big one, though the voter had an opportunity of voting for the electors as a body or singly.

Very little could be gathered as to the complexion of the voters, and it was evident that the party lines were pretty closely adhered to.

A Trip Abroad,

The Mothers' section of the Alden club met Friday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. E. Waite and listened to an interesting paper by Mrs Rebecca Farnum on her European trip. She entertained those present with an interesting picture talk, describing with much interest and enthusiasm her journey in a "diligence" over the Alps by the Simplon Pass. The time consumed was nine and one half hours. Now a tunnel is being constructed and one can go through the mountains in two hours. Time will be saved, but the beauty and grandeur of the scenery will be lost. On this pass there are nine refuges where travelers can be cared for if overtaken by storm. Pictures of sections of this road, which it took Napoleon six years to build, were shown.

Pictures, with vivid descriptions of Isola Bella and Isola Madra, made the listeners feel as if they themselves were in Lake Maggiore enjoying the beauties of the lakes and the islands. Photograph and word pictures of Milan, with its cathedral, the celebrated "Last Supper" and the "Arch of Peace," besides many of other points of interest, made the afternoon one of pleasure and profit. Mrs. Farnum was the recipient of a hearty vote of thanks at the close of the meeting.

In November

is the best time to sit for portraits for Christmas. Don't wait till the rush of December. Latest and best in portraiture now and always at

CALDIN'S STUDIO, Depot street.

An Effective Meeting.

The Opera house was completely filled last evening by Republicans and others to listen to the first campaign speech upon the Republican side, arranged by the Republican town committee, most of whom sat upon the stage The Franklin band discoursed army airs previous to the speechmaking and between the addresses and played well. The speakers were appropriately introduced by the chairman of the town committee, F. P Chapman.

The first speaker was E. Otis Thayer of Boston. He commenced by saying he did not consider that votes were made or changed to any extent by rallies, still they were necessities in order to keep the voter up to his duty. He considered this an important crisis in relation to the future of this country. The Democratic party was one of broken promises. The Republicans rejoiced in being the party of expansion, as it indicated progressiveness He closed with a glowing tribute to McKinley, which awakened applause.

He was followed by ex Senator A. L. Harwood of Newton, who covered a good deal of ground and was thoroughly at home in campaigning. He said that election days were important both to the individual and to the nation, and few realized what it had cost to give every man a right to vote It had been a conflict from the days of the Magna Charta to the present time. He did not think that party loyalty was to govern the voting in this election. Three things the voter should keep in mind—the personality of the candidates, the good judgment of the voter and the class of men each candidate would bring about him as counsellors and officeholders.

He referred to McKinley's education, his clear judgment and right acting, his military career, his performance of duty as governor of Ohio, and his service since he became president. Senator Hoar, who disagrees with him on the Philippine question, said he was thoroughly conscientious and lovable. He referred to Bryan's evident lack of fitness for the high office, and scathingly alluded to Croker, Altgeld and others. The Democrats are anti-everything. In regard to the trusts Massachusetts had done more than any Democratic state had ever done in passing the anti-stock-watering bill. It was nonsense to think that the Republican party desired to enslave anybody. That was not their record. During his excoriation of Croker he said, "Do we want such a man as Croker at the head of this nation?" A voice from the audience, full of enthusiasm, shouted back emphatically, "No."

During Mr. Harwood's speech Hon Samuel L. Powers, the candidate for congress, entered upon the stage, and the audience, recognizing him, broke out into applause. This was a graceful tribute to his personality. In speaking he said that this was his third rally that evening, and each one surpassed its predecessor in numbers and enthusiasm. He said the time for talking had passed away; now was the time for action. No people are better fed, clothed or housed than ours. The nation is going forward on correct lines of permanent progress. Protection, one of the issues, had made the country great and would make it greater. An honest currency places us on a par with any nation on the globe. The success of the republic should be above party success. He gave in detail the origin of the Spanish war, of the acquirement of the Philippines by the Paris treaty and of Mr. Bryan's indorsement thereof. He argued that the Democratic assertions of imperialism were unfounded. We must remember the charges come from people who said the freeing of the slaves by Lincoln was unconstitutional and the Florida and Louisiana purchases were unconstitutional

He said he was in favor of granting to them the largest measure of self government of which they were capable. He told of the expansions under Democratic administrations from Jefferson down and scored Aguinaldo as a blackmailer of Spain, but said he could not blackmail the United States. He praised the administration for its admirable success under more arduous difficulties than any administration had to encounter since Lincoln.

He then brilliantly pictured the national mission in civilizing the shores and islands of the Pacific, having civilized the vales and hills and coasts of the Atlantic under the inspiration and guidance of the Republican party, protecting all in their lives, property, religions and happiness, implanting the free school, the American flag and the institutions of the republic.

In closing he made a brilliant defence of the Republican party and of the McKinley administration, eulogizing its success under exceptional difficulties, giving to every citizen these free institutions and making this country one of the grandest in the world. He was liberally applauded and won the hearts of hundreds of constituents.

Horse Clipping.

I have secured Sydney Rogers, an experienced man, to clip all horses brought to my shop on East street.

J. D. HATCH.

'TIS FOOTBALL.

Here the skulls a-cracking!
Hear the heads a-whacking!
Hear the bones a crunching!
Hear the fellows munching
Other fellows' ears!
Listen to the cheers!
Hear the people shout!
What's it all about?
Gracious! Don't you know?
Why, you must be slow.
Don't you know the reason?
Gee! It's football season!

—Philadelphia Record.

Death of Mrs. Woolford.

Mrs. Agnes Patrick Woolford, wife of Frank Woolford, died at her home on Main street on Sunday afternoon, at 5 20, after a critical illness of only three days. She has been in a measure an invalid for about twenty years and has suffered a great deal. The immediate cause of death was blood poisoning of the brain. Mrs. Woolford was born in Glasgow, Scotland, and her age was 39 years, 6 months and 7 days. She was married to Mr. Woolford in Walpole twenty-four years ago, and leaves two sons, William F. and George D., and one daughter, Emma C. Woolford.

She was a member of the Congregational church and also belonged to the Alden club, the Grange, the Woman's Relief corps and the Pilgrim Fathers. Her life has been spent in caring for her children, who will feel her loss deeply.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the house, Rev. Dr. Sneath of the Congregational church officiating.

The Returns Tonight.

A paper has been in circulation whereby Mr. Croissant, the ticket agent here, is to furnish the complete returns to the Republicans tonight at the vacant store in Opera House block The returns will also come in by telephone and any subscriber can have them by requesting Mrs Tracy to connect them. There will be no calling of subscribers by the bell, but it will be necessary to keep one's ear to the 'phone continually to get the complete returns. It is expected that by 2 o'clock on Wednesday morning the returns will be definitely known, so that anxious voters may know which way the election has gone.

Dean Dramatics.

The Athletic association at Dean have arranged a most pleasing affair, for which admission will be charged, for Friday evening, when some of the best histrionic talent will produce two sketches, "Per Telephone," and "A Difference in Clocks." Not a little time has been spent upon this production and something especially good is promised. The proceeds are to be devoted to athletics, and the affair ought to be liberally patronized in view of the fact that all of the games, both base and foot ball, are entirely free to the public. Help the association, friends, and enjoy a good entertainment as well.

Local sportsmen say that game will be unusually plentiful this fall, as the breeding season has been an ideal one. Dry weather is the great necessity for all ground nesting birds like partridges and quail, and this season has been better than any for the past ten years But a new law just passed deprives bird shooters of the fifteen days in September in which game birds have been legal targets and does away with the entire month of December, which has hitherto been open season. It imposes a fine of $20 for every one killed or in possession except during October and November. The bill prohibits absolutely the year around the sale or exposure for sale of partridges or woodcocks.

NOTICE.—My wife Mary having left my bed and board without my consent, I hereby notify all persons not to trust her on my account.

Nov. 2, 1900 PATRICK McHUGH

Farm, Etc., for Sale.

A public auction will be held on Thursday, at 12 o'clock, noon, on the corner of Pond and Partridge streets, Franklin, where will be sold twelve cows, some new milch giving two cans per day, three horses, twenty hens, three shoats, lot of hay, a democrat wagon, farm and express wagons, harnesses, farming tools, also a farm of 25 acres. Sale positive and some rare bargains

W. H BLAKE.

Advertising is business news It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska

Fish received fresh daily. Oysters in and out of shell. Blue fish, butter fish, halibut, cod, haddock, Finnan haddie, clams and oysters at Paine's market,

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Violets and 100 chrysanthemums Slade's greenhouse

Invest your money in the only safe security at 5 per cent, our first farm mortgages; interest remitted free; established 25 years; references furnished. Address W. Borchsenius, Baldwin, Wis.

Transient and regular patrons will find good service, clean and quick work at Ochee's barber shop, Opera house block.

Thanksgiving Proclamation.

Governor W. Murray Crane has appointed Thursday, Nov. 29, as Thanksgiving day The text of his proclamation, just issued, is as follows:

"Conforming to a venerated custom of the commonwealth at this season of the year, after the harvest has been gathered, I hereby appoint, with the advice and consent of the council, Thursday, Nov. 29, to be a day of Thanksgiving and praise

Massachusetts has abundant cause for gratitude to Almighty God Her institutions of liberty, education and charity have wonderfully prospered; a strong and resolute people, obeying law and loving order, have reared here a great commonwealth, that has ever cherished —and never more ardently than now— those precepts of public and private conduct which promote good citizenship, and those beliefs in spiritual truths which exalt character and preserve society

"In grateful recognition of the Divine beneficence I recommend that on the day named the people of the commonwealth assemble in their usual places of worship and by family firesides to acknowledge anew their dependence upon the Giver of 'every good gift and every perfect gift.'

"Given at the council chamber, in Boston, this thirty-first day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundredth and twenty fifth

W. MURRAY CRANE.

"By his excellency the governor, with the advice and consent of the council.

WILLIAM M. OLIN, Secretary.

"God save the commonwealth of Massachusetts."

As a Franklin Lad Sees It.

Boston Sunday Globe, Oct. 28.

A great deal has been written by able writers about golf for the young; yet they all, or nearly all, tell how to play the game, but say nothing about where to play it

There are a few boys fortunate enough to have access to a good links through their parents. But, although these boys may not be numerous, there is no reason why every youth whose parents possess any means whatever should not enjoy this pastime

In the town where I live there are only about eight boys that "chum" together, and yet we hire a links and maintain a club ourselves The "craze" started in the following way: Two boys, arming themselves with spades and tomato cans, started out one September day for a cow pasture. They selected the three most suitable spots and put the cans in the ground. The next morning over half a dozen boys started out for their first golf game, not preceded by caddies with bags of clubs and dozens of balls, but carrying "shinny sticks" in their hands and solid rubber balls in their pockets But these boys soon became fiends, and one by one came into possession of good clubs, until at Christmas all owned at least one.

By this time an interest had been aroused among the older ones, and parties of girls and boys were seen almost daily on the formerly lonely field. At last a club was formed, consisting of six active and two honorary members, paying five and ten cents a month respectively. With these dues the field was hired, and as more holes had been added to the original three we now were the proprietors of a nine hole golf course. At present the club has doubled its membership and is steadily growing.

I am aware that we had many advantages, as we found a field abounding in natural hazards, such as trees, bushes, stone walls and brooks But plenty of the detestable things called bunkers may be made by piling brush, sand or stones in heaps, and there are no fields but what are somewhat irregular. The holes should not be less than 125 yards apart, and can be made by sinking a tin can, about four inches in diameter, in the ground

Franklin boys are not supernatural beings, and "What man has done man can do?" Why are there not more golf links for juveniles? ARTHUR STEWART

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

To Let—A pleasant tenement of six rooms. Inquire of O. A. Stanley at 40 Union street. 2 Ftf

Fifty cords fine birch wood for sale; $3 75 cord Address E. S. Cook, Box 212. 23,30,6

Frank O Dudley, formerly with R G. Irwin, will do bicycle repairing at the corner of Central and Union streets 9-8t*

Signs and Wonders, corner Garfield and Crescent streets. Laura Lee, scientific palmist and inspirational card reader. Ladies 25c., gentlemen 50c. 6*

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Cbilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J.B.McKINNON, Agent.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1900

Another New Swindle. It appears from the Cincinnati papers that an entirely new and successful swindle is being worked in that city. Five different firms were victimized last week, and though the matter has been referred to the police, the person who is profiting by the scheme is still undetected. Its very simplicity insures success almost every time, the crook managing at the same time to keep himself so well in the background that the police have not even a description of him. The scheme is this: The man first obtains the name and address of some workman employed in a large establishment. He generally selects one who lives quite a distance from his place of employment. The next step is to go to a telephone, call up the establishment and ask the party answering the telephone to either call the workman or take a message to him. In either case the message is that some member of the family has been seriously injured or taken ill suddenly and that the workman is wanted at his home immediately. The result is that the workman hurries home. During his absence another telephone call is sent to the place. The party working the swindle represents himself as the workman and says owing to the serious danger of the wife, mother, child or whoever is supposed to be injured, he must remain home several days. He adds that he must have money and requests his employer to give what is due him on the week's work to a messenger to be sent at once. Of course the firm agrees, thinking its employe is in need, and when a messenger boy calls no question is asked, but the wages due are handed over in an envelope. Instead of the workman sending for it it develops an hour or so after—when the man returns to the establishment—that the boy was sent by some man he does not know, and generally from some down-town store. The swindler gets the money, pays the boy for delivering the message and is well away before the workman has returned from his home, where, of course, the supposed accident or sudden illness has not been heard of.

American Genius. There seems to be something in the American atmosphere which develops genius, without the assistance or consent of any other country. Every visitor to Washington falls in love with the National library the splendid structure which faces the United States capitol, writes Walter Wellman. Not long ago the official architect of the French government was there, and he proceeded to go into raptures over the library. "It is the most magnificent building of its sort in the world," he said, "and I must see the great man who designed it." So he hunted up Paul Pelz—modest, artistic Paul Pelz, whose genius flashed forth in the drawings for the finest building on the American continent. After paying many enthusiastic compliments to Mr. Pelz, the Frenchman asked: "Of course, you were educated abroad?" "No. I was born in Germany," replied Pelz, "but I came here as a boy and studied in this country." "Then you travel much in Europe—every year a few months, perhaps?" "No. I have not been back to Europe since I came over many years ago." "Where, then," asked the astonished stranger, "did you get your inspiration for this great creation?" "I sucked it out of my paws, like the bear," was the reply.

"The manager of an immense business," says a writer in Youth's Companion, "declares that it costs his house $25,000 a year to correct errors in invoices and other papers—mistakes due to poor writing and poor English." If it costs so much to correct the avoidable blunders of one house, think what the aggregate cost of the blundering and bungling of the business establishments of the whole country must amount to!

REBUILDING.

You would like to be as strong as an athlete. You would like to have muscles like his. You would like to have the Strength that knows no weakness. But you are all run down, miserable, can't sleep, no appetite, nervous, ambition gone, no zest for life.

What you need is Smith's Green Mountain Renovator. Why? Simply this. The Greens were a strong people. They believed in the curative and strengthening power of the herbs of the field, and used them. Now the Renovator is made of pure, wholesome herbs, and is redolent of the green fields, fragrant woods and bracing air. It will give you Strength. You will find yourself a new person. This has been the experience of thousands. Try it.

"Your Smith's Green Mountain Renovator is all it is recommended to be. I [illegible] weight in [illegible] it. It really is [illegible] the way I gained strength after using the Renovator. I was completely run down, nervous [illegible]; could not eat, sleep, or do a bit of work; was depressed and discouraged. After [illegible] I felt its strengthening effects, and [illegible] its use, until after using a few bottles I now feel like a new woman. My appetite is [illegible], and I sleep like a [illegible]. I [illegible] strong, and my nerves no longer set me on edge. I cannot say enough for your wonderful medicine, and [illegible] my power to help you in getting [illegible] weak to use it."

MRS. M[illegible] J. P[illegible]
[illegible] Springs [illegible] Me.

FOR FEMININE READERS.

A novelty to be introduced this autumn is phosphorized silk, so called because the texture has a phosphorescent effect, intended to suggest the glimmer of the sea.

Picture hats will be the keynote of autumn millinery, and hats are even now being made like those worn by the fair sitters of [illegible] Reynolds and Romney.

A newspaper correspondent who recently visited the Bryan home, says that Mrs. Bryan is one of the best story tellers among the women of the United States. She has rare powers of mimicry, which aid her [illegible] in relating her anecdotes.

The overskirts heralded in the early summer have, apparently, fallen by the way, and, for the present at least, woman is saved from panniers and need not be a Watteau shepherdess unless she really longs for the role.

Princess Mlle. Barese of Naples is the founder and head of that city's branch of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. The organization has done much through her efforts to check the cruelty which so shocked visitors to Naples a few years ago.

One thing the new queen of Italy has yet to learn—how to smile. Handsome as she is she is also cold, or so she seems, for the simple reason that she is shy. As a princess she has not achieved the art of always rejoicing in public, and the Italian people, who set great store by outward demonstrations of sympathy, have noted their absence.

Mme Richter, Meyerbeer's daughter, has presented to the museum her father's piano, a well-preserved Erard, and another donor has added an eighteenth century lyre-shaped piano of great beauty. The royal collection also includes the oldest upright oblique piano in existence. It was made in Paris by the inventor, Henri Pate, in 1836.

AS THE PROCESSION PASSES.

Dreams and weather predictions usually go by contraries.

A lie is always in a hurry, but the truth is willing to wait.

The ague gives a man the shake, but it has to repeat the dose.

What a witness has seen depends upon the cross-examiner.

Paring potatoes thin is a pretty good example of household economy.

The greater the difficulty the more glory there is in surmounting it.

Brandy brands the nose of the man who is unable to control his appetite.

A man who imagines he has a will of iron may discover after marriage that it is lead.

Some woman is sure to make a fool of some man—unless nature saves her the trouble.

A play with an all-star cast will never succeed until some genius invents an all-center stage.

After a young man leaves college he usually loafs for awhile in order to give the world a chance to catch up.—Chicago Daily News

It Stutters, Evidently.

Bobbs—Is yours a stop watch?

Dobbs—Nearly all the time.—Baltimore American.

Over-Work Weakens Your Kidneys.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

All the blood in your body passes through your kidneys once every three minutes.

The kidneys are your blood purifiers, they filter out the waste or impurities in the blood.

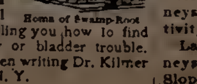
If they are sick or out of order, they fail to do their work.

Pains, aches and rheumatism come from excess of uric acid in the blood, due to neglected kidney trouble.

Kidney trouble causes quick or unsteady heart beats, and makes one feel as though they had heart trouble, because the heart is over-working in pumping thick, kidney-poisoned blood through veins and arteries.

It used to be considered that only urinary troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all constitutional diseases have their beginning in kidney trouble.

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root**, the great kidney remedy is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.



Home of Swamp-Root

Not an Impersonation.

"You charge this man with impersonating an officer, do you?"

"I do, your honor."

"Tried to make you believe he was a policeman, did he?"

"He [illegible]."

"When he was in the saloon [illegible]"

"He [illegible]"

"[illegible] prisoner is [illegible]"

Astonishing Ignorance.

[illegible] Palmer [illegible] his [illegible] Sunday [illegible]

[illegible] teacher [illegible]

[illegible] for this age?"

[illegible] think [illegible]

[illegible] Tit-Bits.

Scrofula

This root of many evils—

Tumors, abscesses, cutaneous eruptions, dyspepsia, readiness to catch cold and inability to get rid of it easily, catarrh, and other ailments including the consumptive tendency—

Is removed by Hood's Sarsaparilla so completely that a radical and permanent cure is effected.

This statement is proved by thousands of voluntary testimonials. SILAS VERNOOY, Wawarsing, N. Y., writes. "When our daughter was two years old, she broke out all over her face and head with scrofula sores. Nothing we did for her seemed to do her any good, and we had become almost discouraged when we thought we would try Hood's Sarsaparilla. The first bottle helped her and when she had taken six the sores were all healed and her face was smooth. She has never shown any sign of the scrofula returning."

Hood's Sarsaparilla

cleanses the system of all humors inherited or acquired and makes rich, healthy blood.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills; the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla

There Are Many Such.

Mrs. Hoon—You can believe very little that Mrs. Gabbleby says.

Mr. Hoon—No; the poor woman is sadly afflicted with palpitation of the imagination.—Puck

The Light That Fails.

She—It is said that the light of a parlor match will frighten a wolf.

He—Yes, but the light of a love match doesn't frighten the wolf from the door.—Chicago Daily News.

That Made a Difference.

Dick—He married, did he? Well some fellows don't know when they're well off.

Jack—Well, in this case he knew the girl was well off.—Puck.

An Unpleasant Reminder.

"Why did all of those actors leave that boarding-house so suddenly?"

"The landlady bought an egg plant."—Town Topics.

A Village Blacksmith Saved His Little Son's Life.

Mr. H. H. Black, the well-known village blacksmith at Grahamsville, Sullivan Co., N. Y., says: "Our little son, five years old, has always been subject to croup, and so had have the attacks been that we have feared many times that he would die. We have had the doctor and used many medicines, but Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is now our sole reliance. It seems to dissolve the tough mucus and by giving frequent doses when the croupy symptoms appear we have found that the dreaded croup is cured before it gets settled." There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains no opium or other injurious drug, and may be given as confidently to a babe as to an adult. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

Tourist Information, Rates, Etc., South.

Tickets are now on sale via the Southern Railway, to all the prominent resorts of the Carolinas, Georgia, Florida, Cuba, Mexico, and California. The service of the Southern Ry. is most perfect, operating dining and sleeping cars on all its trains. The route of the Washington & Southwestern Vestibuled Limited, New York & Florida Express, Washington & Chattanooga Limited and the U. S. Fast Mail. During the winter season the New York & Florida Limited, "the finest train in world." Descriptive matter of the winter resort rates is furnished upon application to either of its New York offices, 271 or 1185 Broadway. Berths in sleeping cars reserved in advance, and all information furnished "No trouble to answer questions." For further information apply to Geo. C Daniels, N. E. P. A., 228 Washington St., Boston

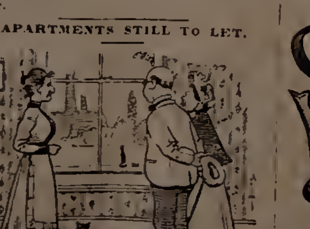
Dyspepsia is difficult digestion, due to the absence of natural digestive fluids. Hood's Sarsaparilla restores the digestive powers

Ended His Vacation.

Sissy Summergirl (lazily)—I'd like a good novel.

Harold D'Rygoods (the erstwhile "clubman," absently)—Third floor—second counter to the right.—Brooklyn Life.

APARTMENTS STILL TO LET.



The Professor—Yes, I like the rooms with their view of the factory chimneys, symbolical of life and human activity.

Landlady—Lord! them's the chimneys of the crematorium! — Ally Sloper.

HOUSEHOLD WASTES.

[Every careful housekeeper knows how easy it is to deplete her husband's purse by permitting small leaks to continue about the home and how much may be saved by a judicious attention to little things. Little [illegible] spoil the vines and it requires no effort of a careless woman to keep up a constant drain from the exchequer. A list of avenues through which wastefulness makes itself felt would occupy much space. A few of them, however, may be mentioned.]

Pieces of lace and ribbon thrown away.

Putting skirts wrong side out when hanging them up.

Failing to dry a box of soap for several days before using it.

Wearing the same [illegible] each week as it comes from the wash.

Buying articles because they are cheap and will come in some time.

Sweeping the house in the usual morning dress with head uncovered.

Dried fruits left uncovered and consequently allowed to become wormy.

Pieces of bread and cake allowed to dry and mould and then thrown away.

Leaving a silk gown in a case, thereby causing it to split in the folds.

Failing to sew glove buttons on before wearing, or [illegible] before cleaning.

Allowing whalebones to rub through the waist, thereby ruining an elegant gown.

Wearing rubbers over new shoes, thereby making the leather dry and hard and easily cracked.

Making the sewing woman wait in the house idle or doing fancy work because you have neglected to get materials before her arrival.

PICKED UP HERE AND THERE.

Westralia is the only Australasian colony that pays neither the members of the legislative council nor those of the legislative assembly.

In Zante, one of the Ionian islands, there is a petroleum spring which has been known for nearly 3,000 years. It is mentioned by Herodotus.

In Sydney, N. S. W., it has been observed that people prefer to stand in the new trolley cars to patronizing the old steam dummy cars, which run over the same route, and which are now comparatively empty.

Under orders from the interior department hundreds of miles of wire fence is being taken down in Oklahoma, and cattlemen who put up the fence without any authority whatever are making loud complaint. The fence saved them a handsome sum in cowboy hire.

A Florida man has purchased 300 acres of swamp land near Swan Bridges and will turn it into a breeding place for alligators. These reptiles are becoming scarce owing to the activity of northern hunters, and as there is a steady demand for alligator skin the speculator hopes to do well.

Africa comes next to South America in the amount of rubber produced, and in the interior of that country there are great rubber forests as yet untouched. Rubber is to be found on the east and west coasts and also on the island of Madagascar. The East Indies furnish comparatively little rubber, the first exported coming from Assam.

OF INTEREST TO FISHERMEN.

The tunny is a Mediterranean fish, which visits our coast sometimes in summer. It runs to ten feet long, weighs half a ton, and makes excellent eating.

The sea-hedgehog, or globe fish, can inflate its body with air. In this state it looks like a balloon covered with spikes, and is quite safe from any enemy.

Flatfish, when young, have an eye on each side of the head. As they grow older, and lie flat on the sand, the lower eye gradually travels across to the upper side.

Mud-skippers may be seen lying in hundreds along the edges of Burmese rivers. When disturbed they spring back, not into the water, but inland among the trees.

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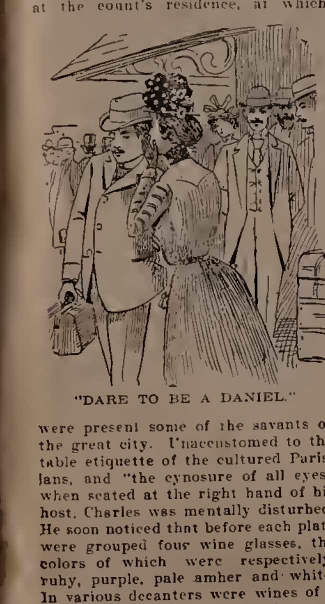
"Only that old saw," said he, while a look of disappointment shadowed his face.

"That only, Charley, but it may mean much to you," was her answer.

The bearer of a letter of introduction to a distinguished nobleman and scientist in Paris, the young American was soon received with marked kindness.

In a few days he was the recipient of an invitation to a small banquet at the count's residence, at which were present some of the savants of the great city. Unaccustomed to the table etiquette of the cultured Parisians, and "the cynosure of all eyes" when seated at the right hand of his host, Charles was mentally disturbed. He soon noticed that before each plate were grouped four wine glasses, the colors of which were respectively, ruby, purple, pale amber and white. In various decanters were wines of a corresponding hue, of which each guest indicated to the waiter his or her choice by simply touching a glass. The white ones, alone, and those before Charles were left undisturbed.



"DARE TO BE A DANIEL."

During the progress of the feast the host, filling his ruby tinted glass (an example which his guests followed), proposed a toast, "To the wives, daughters and sweethearts of America," to which he invited a response from his youthful guest, motioning a servant meanwhile to fill his glass with the red wine.

What followed can best be told in the young man's own words: "Mother (he wrote), for a moment I was in an agony of trepidation. I would rather have faced a cannon. All had risen and in the hand of each was the cup of wine which I had been pledged from my chidlhood not to 'touch, taste nor handle.' My head swam. Suddenly I heard the words: 'Dare to be a Daniel!' They shot through my brain like an electric flash. Instantly my resolution was taken. Touching my white glass, a servant filled it with water. Rising, I said as well as I could for the great lump in my throat:

"'I beg leave to say that to the typical wife, daughter and sweetheart of America the purity of this, nature's own beverage, illustrates the lives they aim to lead and the dangers which they seek to avoid. Permit me to use it in their dear name.'

"Following the example of Count B., every white glass was instantly raised and the toast drunk."—Temperance Cause.

A New Treatment.

Another mode of treating the drink habit is said to be in successful operation in Paris, where three physicians—Drs. Rapelier, Thebanet and Broca—announce that they have discovered a new serum. Of 57 cases treated 32 were cured and 15 were improved, only ten failing to show improvement. The serum is obtained from horses that have been dosed with alcohol until their systems are drenched with the poison. When administered to patients the serum revives natural repugnance to alcohol, which continued use has broken down.

They Feel Its Disgrace.

The business of selling liquor in this country is looked down upon, and a stigma rests upon the man who is engaged in the business. The degree of stigma may vary with the intelligence of the community in which a person who is a liquor dealer resides, but the loss of caste is clearly observable and you can't get away from it.—Liquor Trades Review.

No Cause Known for the Act.

A young man, 33 years of age, employed in a hardware store, who had been drinking freely for some time past, went into a hotel bar in an intoxicated condition and that night shot himself. A paper in its report of the affair says: "No cause is known for the act."

ALL MAKE MISTAKES.

THE trim, somewhat stylish, m[illegible]-aged woman tripped into the G st[illegible] real estate man's office, sm[illegible] pleasant[illegible] approached his desk, shifted the [illegible] package she carried to the other arm, [illegible] began:

"I have called Mr. F[illegible], to [illegible]"

"Well," cut in the re[illegible] glancing suspiciously at th[illegible] the middle-aged wom[illegible] I ha[illegible] time to look at it to-[illegible] no, home is comp[illegible]te w[illegible] from the Old F[illegible] bers, at 50 cents per [illegible] weekly, but my w[illegible] for ten or fifteen [illegible] publications of th[illegible] F[illegible] masters, old or young, [illegible] a little bit, anyhow, and I [illegible]

"But," ventured th[illegible] woman, c[illegible]ming to some qu[illegible] "If [illegible] that you misappreh[illegible]

"Well, I really don't feel [illegible] the three volumes of 'Famous W[illegible] tory' to-day, either," interrup[illegible] of the real estate firm [illegible] & Co., "seeing that my wife b[illegible] been [illegible] that highly ornamenta[illegible] work every two [illegible] three years ever since we've been married, so that now we've got a whole attic full of 'em. Nor do I exactly see my way clear to purchasing a handsomely-illustrated copy of 'The War in Cuba,' or 'The War in China,' or 'The War in Guam,' or 'The War in Painted Post,' or the war in anywhere else. I'm a man of peace, first and foremost, and, so long as war doesn't rear her fearsome head right here in Washington, thus tending to depreciate values, I don't care where they scrap. I believe in—"

"I really think," put in the somewhat stylish middle-aged woman, the smile beginning to fade a trifle from her amiable features, "that you should be put right as to the nature of my—"

"Oh, it's not a war book, then, eh?" inquired the G street real estate man. "Well, if it's a new cook book, containing 1,983 salad recipes, together with hints as to how to gild milking stools, I'm afraid I shall be compelled to desist from purchasing it to-day. We're having all of our meals sent in by a caterer now, and the arrangement is entirely satisfactory, thanks, and as for the suggestions in the book bearing upon the best means of converting an ordinary barrel of the common or garden variety into a folding bed or a roll-top desk, we're so stocked up with furniture now that I'm seriously thinking of having a lot of it auctioned off. We don't—"

"I see," interrupted the middle-aged woman, shifting to the other foot and beginning to look somewhat lukewarmly upon the real estate man, "that you are disposed to jest and to—"

"Not at all, not at all, my dear madam," broke in the real estate man, "but, supposing I did feel in a jestful mood, I surely couldn't be made to feel any jestier by a perusal of your 'Spare Weeks With Great Poets,' for I find that as I grow older poetry has an ineffably saddening effect upon me, moving me even unto tears when I read too much of it, and—"

"Please allow me to explain the object of my call upon you," again interrupted the woman, "and to assure you that I am not selling the works of the poets, but—"

"My dear madam, I assure you I apologize for my mistake, but it really makes but little difference whether it is 'Spare Weeks with Great Poets' or 'Half Hours with the Wits;' I am simply overloaded. My wife is the wittiest woman in the world, and she would be highly insulted if I should dare to take such a work into our house. That is one thing that an agent has never been able to sell to her, and should I buy a copy she would take it as a reflection upon her sense of humor, and there would be open rebellion, for which I am sure you would not blame her. No—"

"Just a moment, if you please, sir," again interrupted the comely middle-aged woman, "until I endeavor to make it clear to you that I have no book whatsoever—"

"Oh, it's not a book, then?" said the real estate man, again glancing suspiciously at the small package carried by his visitor. "Well, I've got so many different kinds of fountain pens now that I can't write with that it would be simply a waste of time for you to show me your stock. If it's a new kind of button fastener, I beg of you to excuse me, for I am the inventor of seven different kinds of button fasteners myself, on none of which, however, have I yet had time to secure a patent. If your line is toothpicks that can be converted into nail files, again I will ask you to spare yourself the bother of showing your stock to me, for I haven't any teeth of my own to speak of, and as for my nails, I'm so far advanced in the study of Buddhism now that I'm seriously thinking of imitating the example of some of the Mahatmas by letting my nails grow, so that you'll see—"

The neat-looking middle-aged woman brought her parasol down on the real estate man's desk with a bang just at this moment, and when he looked up from his blotting pad, upon which he had been making geometrical figures, she impaled him with her eye.

"Just be good enough to punish yourself by remaining quiet long enough for me to state to you my errand here," she said, in a clear, distinct tone, never removing her eye from his. "You will understand that I can derive no pleasure or profit whatsoever by talking to or with a born windbag, and if I had known that that's what you were I shouldn't have come down here to your office at all. Now that you're resting your countenance for half a moment or so, I will state to you that, while down at the seashore, I met your wife, who is a very charming and delightful little woman, and a very great deal too good for you. I became so much interested in her that I determined to put all of my Washington property, consisting of several rows of houses in Mt. Pleasant, in your hands as agent upon my return here, and it was upon this errand that I called. However, you have proven yourself to be such a garrulous nonentity that—"

And she swept grandly out of the office, despite the efforts of the apologetic real estate man to block her.

"Well, I'll bet that bluff threw a scare into him, anyhow," said the stylish-looking middle-aged woman to herself as she reached the street, and then she went into an office building further down the block and succeeded in selling four bottles of her patent shoe polish to the typewriter girls.

And the G street real estate man? Oh, he occupied his leisure hours for the next couple of weeks in kicking himself around the block several times daily, and then it suddenly dawned upon him one day that his wife had not been at the sea shore, and could by no possibility have met his charming caller there. Then he indulged in a choice bit of language directed principally at himself, and let the matter drop.

But, just the same, every woman caller receives an exceptional amount of consideration, even though he is rapidly accumulating a great variety of odds and ends for which he has no earthly use. One of these women peddlers might be a profitable customer.—Washington Star.

Artless Thing.

Charming Maiden—Then they went to Woozey's did they? Ah, that's a delightful place. When a friend asks me to go to Woozey's I know he must think an awful lot of me, for they serve the most elaborate and expensive luncheons in the city.

Helpless Youth—Let's go to Woozey's, Miss Quickstep.—Chicago Tribune.

A Modern Merchant.

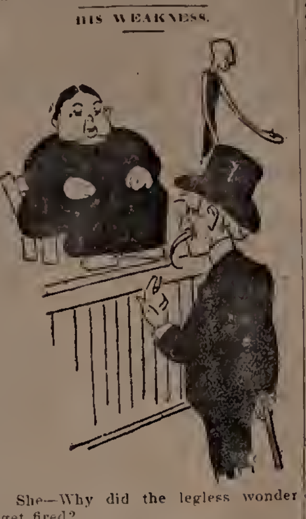
Clerk (to employer)—What shall I mark that new lot of black silk?

Employer—Mark the selling price at three a yard.

Clerk—But it only cost one dollar a yard.

Employer—I don't care what it cost. I am selling off regardless of cost.—Columbus Journal.

HIS WEAKNESS.



She—Why did the legless wonder get fired?

He—'Cause he was kicking for more salary.—Chicago Daily News.

Ordered to Leave.

May—Cholly Chump is of the opinion that Miss Topnotch's father is taking quite too much interest in the war in South Africa.

Mattie—How is that?

May—Why, Cholly called on her the other night and the old gentleman called him a Boer and told him to trek.—Judge.

His Strong Case.

Mr. Hubbsley—I don't see how you can sit there claiming that the baby takes after you.

Mrs. Hubbsley — Why, everybody says she's the very picture of me.

Mr. Hubbsley—That's all right, but here she is nearly nine months old and doesn't say a word. — Chicago Times-Herald.

Reminders.

Crawford—How was it you didn't have any fresh vegetables at the farmhouse where you were boarding?

Crabshaw—I fancy the old farmer was sensitive and didn't like to have any green goods around.—Town Topics.

Knew Her Limitations.

"Norah, these are as heavy as lead. Didn't you tell me you knew how to bake biscuit?"

"Yis'm, an' so I do, but I'm a little shy on the mixin' av 'em, mem."—Chicago Tribune.

The King and His Fool.

"Prithee, your majesty, what is the difference between yourself and Shakespeare?"

"What is it, fool?"

"Because he knew it all and you only think you do."—Indianapolis Sun.

Pretty Tall.

Englishman—You have some pretty high buildings in Chicago, haven't you?

Chicagoan (in London)—Well, I should remark! Why, the tops of them are covered with snow the year around!—N. Y. World.

No Zest to It.

Miss Summit—He is too enormously rich for you, dear.

Miss Palisade—What do you mean?

Miss Summit—Why, with a man like that, there would be no fun in being extravagant.—Town Topics.

Tangled.

"How many fish have you caught?"

"Not one."

"I thought you said you had a fine mess."

"Oh, I was speaking of my line."—Brooklyn Life.

Analogous Accidents.

Phlett—When a man is in love everything about looks different to him.

Brett—Yes; it's the same when he knocks his head against a lamp post.—Tit-Bits.

Thought They Were Invited.

"How did you gather such a large congregation of old and middle-aged people?"

"I advertised a sermon to the young," was the latter's reply.—London King.

On Account of the Family.

"What is meant by a 'family failing,' pa?"

"I never heard of a family failing, my son; it is the head of the family that fails.—Town Topics.

An Explanation.

Weeks—Your wife flares up pretty often, doesn't she?

Meeks—Yes; you see, I married one of my old flames. — Chicago Daily News.

Encouragement.

He—Would you object seriously to my kissing you?

She—Well, you see, I must resist on general principles; but, then, I'm not very strong.—Smart Set.

His Modest Self-Estimate.

She (haughtily)—I wouldn't marry the best man on earth!

He (calmly)—Yes, I know; but how about me?—Puck.

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WHAT SHE THINKS.

Opportunities sometimes serve the man, but more often the man must serve the opportunities.

"Incircumscriptibleness," meaning incapable of limitation, has been admitted into the newest dictionary.

It is a foolish woman who packs a bottle of shoeblacking in the same compartment with her best white petticoat.

To the one-adjective woman "grand" is as applicable in describing a glorious sunset as in extolling the merits of a piece of huckleberry pie.

The woman who loves a man does not love him as well as she ought to if she is not willing to give up some pleasures and comforts to help him rise.

After all, it doesn't do to be too hard on Li Hung Chang; he probably has troubles that the world wots not of; more than 1,000 servants are employed in his household.—Philadelphia Times

IN FAR OFF CHINA.

In China a doctor's fee varies from eight cents to a quarter.

There is no word in the Chinese language that conveys an intimation of what we term public opinion; nor is there a synonym for patriotism.

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A Wearisome Spouse.

Mrs. Henpeck—You are the most unreasonable man!

Henpeck—I?

Mrs. Henpeck—Yes, you! You always agree with me, when you know how I love to argue.—Syracuse Herald.

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FASHIONS IN MEN'S DRESS.

The trend in all things is toward the moderate and unobtrusive. There will be no radical introductions and no color fads.

The high or silk hats, as well as the crush hats, will show a slightly belled crown and rather narrow well-curled brim. The derby will be very small and very much like last spring's model. The soft hats will continue to be popular. They will have wide brims and high crowns, and will be worn with plain ribbon band.

In shoes we will stick to the flat sole, with outswung last, the vamp to have a plain tip, with row of hole ornament on the inner side and another row where the uppers are attached to the vamp. For day wear, black calf with laced uppers. There is no place in the entire bill of correct dress for laced patent leathers.

In gloves our staple colorings will be maintained. The heavy red tan cape, saddler-stitched, will be proper for walking; the smoke pearl, with self backs, for full dress, and the slate and tan chevrettes for afternoon. The gloves will close with the bone or pearl button. To-day the metal clasp is the earmark of the cheap glove. For walking and outing the gloves should be at least a size larger than is usually worn. For dress gloves should fit faultlessly.

There are unmistakable evidences of a return to less color and to more white and black in our dress. The fancy flannels have just about killed color. With shirts screaming to heaven, ties proclaiming every tone in the rainbow and half-hose and hat bands vying with each other in brilliancy, it only needed the colored suit to make men of taste run to cover. Now white negliges, if you please, black belts, quiet ties, black shoes, black hat bands, blue serges, neat black and white and brown suitings—there it is—the pinnacle of fashion, the acme of good form.

In shirts there are likely to be very few changes, certainly none of importance, in either the white or colored. The dress shirt will be made of pure white, plain bosom showing three stud holes. Embroidery or plaits will not be correct. The cuffs will be very slightly rounded and square. The return to square points is not at all assured. I mention it because several very smart custom shirtmakers have brought it out. In colored shirts the percales will show neat combinations in colors and small units and stripes. The striped madras shirtings will be in every treatment, in either blue, ox blood, black or helio in combination with white. The stripes will run up and down the bosom, but some patterns will be made with the cross-stripe treatment

REFLECTION ON LIFE.

Tenderness is the repose of passion. —Joubert.

Patience is God's foster-daughter.—Tertullian.

Religion is a frame of mind, not a set of opinions.—Plato.

Not being untutored in suffering, I learn to pity those in affliction.—Virgil.

The intellect is developed only for earthly things and by earthly things. —Du Prel.

Truth is as impossible to be soiled by any outward touch as the sun beam —Milton.

The two most important properties of soul are simplicity and immortality. —Rosmini.

Most men are like eggs, too full of themselves to hold anything else.—Josh Billings.

Sorrow concealed, like an oven stopped, doth burn the heart to cinders.—Shakespeare.

What distinguishes us from one another is our varying relations with infinity.—Maeterlinck.

Nothing is superior to the human mind save Him alone who made it.—St. Bonaventura.

No man can be a healthy jester unless he has been nursed at the breast of wisdom.—Josh Billings.

Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2.65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 10 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit. The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save. If your druggist can't supply you, it will be fowarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

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CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 6 06 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m; f12 58, 5 25, 6 13, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 35 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD — 9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

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WRENTHAM.

The North Attleboro football team defeated the Wrentham High at a game played Saturday.—— Mrs. Charles J. Randall is critically ill and her death is only a question of a few days.——Henry Thompson has been the guest of his sister, Miss Carrie Thompson.——George W. Jackson, who fell from an apple tree some weeks since, is improving.——Owing to the electric car service the straw hat factory of Daniel Brown commences at 12.40 o'clock and shuts down at 5.40 p. m. in order that the employes may use the cars.——The Congregational church will probably be ready for occupancy next Sunday.

Planted Pine a Success.

The great bulk of the forest planting has been done in the states west of the Mississippi river. In the eastern states, except in a few instances, the planting has been done on a smaller scale and usually as an experiment. An interesting plantation is that belonging to Isaac Adams, at Moultonboro, N. H., covering altogether about 50 acres, and composed of white pine and Norway pine set out about 25 years ago. The trees have grown admirably, and, so far as showing what planted pine will produce, the experiment is very valuable.—Washington Star.

Population of First-Class Power.

Although Japan is not ranked as a first-class power, she has the population to give her that rank—44,000,000 people. At the present writing Japan takes the same position as the United States against the division of China, but some of the European nations only see in this an expression of Japan's ambition to become later the ruling power in China, which they fear might result in uniting the yellow races against the white in a war for the control of the world.—Little Chronicle.

Golf Playing in Thibet.

The people of Thibet are good golf players in their way. Instead of a club the player swings his leg and strikes the "ball," which is a small round stone, with his instep, knocking it into a hole some distance away. Another way of playing the game is to use a stone weighing about 40 pounds and throw it into the hole with the hands. Some of the men can throw this large stone over 30 feet.—Little Chronicle.

Neither Bright Nor Shining.

Heine's wit was caustic. When forced into the arena to fight a silly duel, he said:

"The field of honor is dirty!"

This is so true that it is hard to understand why this popular bubble thus deftly pricked did not collapse for good and all.—Youth's Companion.

A New Domestic Arrangement.

"How do your folks manage with the family wash, Giddings? We haven't room in our flat to hang a clothes line."

"Oh, we hang ours in the kitchen over night."

"But do the clothes dry?"

"Yes, my wife sits up all night and fans them."—Buffalo Morning News.

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Impressed on Her Memory.

"It's been four years now," said the deserted lady, "since he left me and his happy home. I remember it just as well as yesterday—how he stood at the door, holding it open till six flies got in the house."—Indianapolis Press.

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IN THE QUEEN'S ISLES.

The baggage checking system which is vice versa in America, is coming into use in England.

Since 184[illegible] the population of England, Scotland and Wales has increased 75 per cent, while Ireland shows a decrease of 4[illegible] per cent.

At Peckforton, Cheshire, is to be seen a very queer beehive. It is in the shape of a castle on an elephant's back, and is carved in stone.

The biggest find of ancient treasure ever made in England was [illegible] gold pieces of King Cymbeline, B. C. 55, in Whaddon Chase, Buckinghamshire.

A new legal record has been established by a London police magistrate. He disposed of a docket of 60 cases in an hour. Some of the prisoners were sent to jail almost before they knew their cases had been called.

Notwithstanding the great enlargement of the city of Liverpool in 1895, when out-districts all around the city were added to the municipality, bringing the population up to the estimated total of [illegible], a movement is on foot for further extension.

The British government has suppressed the district messenger companies and transferred the business done by them to the post office, on the ground that the companies are encroaching on the prerogatives of the state which claims a monopoly of the conveyance of messages by letter and by wire.

PEOPLE OF TITLE.

In receiving some Americans the other day King Oscar of Sweden said: "I welcome you as Americans and therefore fellow-monarchs."

Prince Maximilian of Saxony has accepted the professorship of canonical law at the University of Freyburg, Switzerland. He was born in 1870, and in 1896 was ordained a priest. At present he is pastor of a church in Nuremberg.

The prince of Wales has lately amused himself by collecting pens of famous writers of the Victorian era. He has one that belonged to Tennyson, one of Browning's, of Hardy's, and 50 or 60 more, including a curious inkstand once the property of Robert Louis Stevenson.

Lord Hopetoun, the new governor general of Australia, is expected to dazzle the colonies with his magnificent entertaining. He took an enormous amount of baggage with him from England, and what he may do is inferred from the fact that when he was governor of one of the colonies a few years ago the sum spent on his table alone was many times that of his official salary.

SCRAPS OF INFORMATION.

"Tuppenny Tube" is the name given by the Londoners to the new underground railroad, which seems to be very popular.

The screw in the fourth jewel wheel of a watch is so small that a lady's thimble would hold [illegible] of them.

The republic of Guatemala has imposed a tax of $7 a head on all cattle exported from the country. It is intended to be prohibitive.

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GOSSIP OF LITTERATEURS.

Richard Henry Stoddard, the blind banker and poet, has given up dictating much of his copy and writes most of it. In spite of his blindness he writes a remarkably clear hand.

Charles Upson Clark, Brooklyn, N. Y., has been commissioned by the Royal Academy of Science, Berlin, to prepare a new edition of Ammianus Marcellinus, the Roman historian of the fourth century. The commission carries a grant of 1,500 marks. Mr. Clark was valedictorian of the class of '97, Yale university.

Literary Paris is greatly agitated over the difficulty of deciding which is the genuine copy of "L'Ami du Peuple," which was stained with the blood of Marat when the revolutionist met his death at the hands of Charlotte Corday. So far seven copies have turned up, all solemnly accredited and all bearing the blood stain.

Several descendants of the poet Longfellow have been enjoying the hospitality of the Ojibway Indians away up at Desbarata, Ont. These Indians are descendants of the Sagamores, so picturesquely treated in "Hiawatha." Miss Longfellow, the poet's daughter, has been formally adopted into the tribe. A select corps of chiefs, braves, squaws and pappooses gave in presence of the visitors and beneath the primeval trees of Desbaratas islands a dramatization of the famous poem. The performers were garbed in buckskin costumes, with headdresses of feathers.

Direct Steamer Service with St. Johns, N. F.

The direct steamer service between Halifax and St. Johns, N. F., which was inaugurated last winter by the Newfoundland railway in connection with the Plant line from Boston, will be resumed on Nov. 13th. Passengers and freight leaving Boston on steamship Halifax every Saturday noon reach St. Johns the following Thursday morning without transfer, except going from one steamer to the other at the Plant wharf at Halifax. This enables the through rate to be made cheaper than any other way. Full particulars of J. A. Flanders, N. E. agent, 290 Washington street, or E. H. Downing, agent, 20 Atlantic avenue, Lewis wharf, Boston.

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NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Cornelius Sullivan, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Daniel Sullivan of Bellingham, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

no6 13,20

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Jane O. Stanley, late of Millis, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6.10, 6.45 a.m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10.15 p. m. Last cars to car barn at 10.45 and 11.15 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m., connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket. Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.15 a. m., and then on hour and half hour till 10.30 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham Four Corners for Caryville every hour from 6 to 9 a. m., 12 m. to 2 p. m., 4 to 9 p. m., returning on the half hour. Cars leaving Franklin at 8.45, 7.45, 11.45 a. m. and 12.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.45, 6.45 and 7.45 p. m. connect at Bellingham Four Corners with cars for Caryville.

FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave 6.00, 7.30, 8.15 a. m.; hourly to 6.15 p. m.; 8.15, 10.15 p. m. Return, 6.40, 8.15 a. m.; hourly till 7.15 p. m.; 9.15, 11.15 p. m.

oc19S H. M. YOUNG, Sup't.

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STATEMENT SEPT. 29, 1900

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$565,502 90
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 99
Interest Account		4,027 62
Real Estate Income Account		1 4 78
		$598,672 44

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 75
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,021 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 10
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,275 00
" " Mortgages		157,700 00
" " Personal Securities		174,263 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		522 22
Tax Account		5 2 73
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$3,028 14	
Nat Bank of Redemption	1,304 95	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		4,417 25
Cash on hand		741 27
		$598,672 44

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

WALTER M. FISHER,
HORACE W. HOSIE,
Committee of Examination.

Sept. 29, 1900.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

Whereas, Simon Spetonoski of Norfolk, in said county, has presented to said court a petition praying that his name may be changed to that of Simon Brown for the reasons therein set forth.

All persons are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of November, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this sixteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Business Announcements in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL are invariably read.

The Franklin Sentinel.

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A GREAT VICTORY

For Americanism, Protection and Sound Money.

The expected has happened. The American people have repudiated free silver even more emphatically than they did four years ago. Bryan and Bryanism are dead. Republicanism, as indicated by a stand for sound money, home protection and a new colonial policy, has received an emphatic endorsement at the hands of nearly eight million voters. As was to have been expected the gold Democrats returned in large numbers to their original party, though not diminishing the Republican plurality, and an increased number of states have endorsed the principles of the Republican party and the acts of President McKinley.

He is no longer a "dictator," a "czar;" fullest authority has been given him, with the consent and advice of congress, to clarify in the quickest and wisest manner the cloudy and unsettled Philippine condition, and no one doubts but that the desired result will be accomplished. Just how it is to be done no one knows. Mr. Bryan himself, had he been elected, would have been obliged to feel his way carefully, relying upon the good judgment and sound sense of the country to guide him in his acts.

Imperialism never existed, except in the minds of those who would use the word for a campaign cry. Extension, a new colonial policy, were words that the Republican party welcomed, were prepared to stand by and were convinced were measures that would meet with the approval of the people. They did meet with that approval.

The effects of the election were felt instantly and they will be far reaching. Better times are as certain as the law of cause and effect. Already plans are being carried out which had been projected only upon the basis of Republican success. Uncertainty now gives way to certainty. The tariff, the monetary question, etc., will not now embarrass financial operations, and the merchant, the manufacturer and the laborer can face the future without a misgiving.

The election has also proven that the laborer recognizes that his interests are identical with those of his employer. It is essential that the employer should recognize that the laborer is entitled to more consideration than, we fear, he has been receiving. Combinations of capital tend to hardness of heart. This is one of the problems with which the Republicans must speedily grapple, since the voters have elected to leave the matter in their hands rather than trust it to the Democrats for settlement.

Instead of a meagre majority in congress the Republicans will now have a large working majority, and the president's efforts at the extension of good government, a sound currency and adequate protection to American interests will receive fullest support. The party will be responsible for its acts and will be held accountable.

Mr. Bryan has been personally regarded as an honest man. Nevertheless, his policy of raising the standard of free silver in the West, where it was supposed to have somewhat of a hold upon the people, and of practically ignoring it in the East, brought him under the ban of distrust and branded him as one who would trim his sale to catch a wavering breeze from whatever quarter it might blow. This cost him votes.

His alliance with Croker was most unfortunate. The honest people of the country knew that Croker represented all that was base in politics, all that was ignoble in act. Victory for Bryan with Croker as an ally would have been a defeat deplorable indeed. Croker and his horde of henchmen would demand, and would be entitled to, recognition. Bryan could not ignore their demands. Financial theorists of the West would demand recognition and would have it. Altgeld, of brilliancy of mind but oblique of vision, would receive his due. Tillman must have his share. All who would weaken the foundations of government by attacking the supreme court would have sought from Bryan the reward for their labors. Such a condition is past comprehension. It can be viewed only with a shudder.

Croker, who essayed the role of a Warwick, finds that he has simply been the court fool. His claims were baseless and his prophesies idle as the winds. His hold upon New York through Tammany has been one of pure "bluff." Gotham might submit, but the nation will not. A king-maker should have kingly material with which to work. That Bryan was not. The clay crumbled, the statue fell, never to rise again. This does not mean that he will go into obscurity. He is ambitious, a glib talker, has a pleasing personality, and is still the idol of over seven million people.

Twice have the legions of the Democracy, under orders from Bryan, been flung against the bulwarks of Americanism, only to be hurled back overthrown and bewildered. But they will not follow him further with that blind fatuity which has characterized them hitherto. Already they of the old Democracy, who recognize that theories and vagaries have been followed in order that the "hero of the Chicago convention" might attain the goal of his ambition, are getting together to discuss the situation, reunite the scattered elements of the party and prepare to wage again a battle for supremacy.

President McKinley now having no third term in mind, with no occasion to guide his acts by a desire for re-election, will be in a position to give his country his best and most intelligent service, as devoid of partisanship as possible, and with an eye single to his country's good. With the exception of Grant, no president has had eight years' continuous term of office since Jackson, Lincoln's untimely death cutting short his second term. McKinley will not disappoint the country, and it will have made no mistake in giving him a second term.

It has been urged that President McKinley has had no policy. This is true to the extent that he has had no hard and fast plan of his own which must be carried out at any cost. He has recognized the necessity of counsellors among the men of his own party, among whom it is possible to find a difference of opinion. He has avoided the pitfall into which Cleveland fell, and which was in a measure the cause of his failure—that of ignoring the advice or counsel of senators and congressmen—and during the past four years President McKinley's relations with congress have been amicable and harmonious in the extreme.

Landslides are not desirable things. They either indicate wholesale abuse or wholesale distrust, both of which are fatal to party supremacy. With the balance of power nicely adjusted the party in power is certain to guard its acts with caution, ever keeping its eye upon the future, careful both as to its sins of omission and commission. The more enlightened the voter, the more he will demand from the statesmen of the party of his choice. The campaign of education must succeed the campaign of personal abuse, the appeals to class hatred, bigotry or revenge. To this end all honest, intelligent citizens are working.

"Long may our land be bright
With Freedom's holy light;
Protect us by Thy might,
Great God, our King."

ELECTION GLINTS.

Croker was Bryan's "old man of the sea."

George Fred's scalding tears are full of Bryan.

The president will continue to preach patriotism, anti-pessimism, progress and prosperity.

Bryan says "Prosperity did it." That's so, but it was future prosperity as well as past.

The "full dinner pail" was a campaign slogan, and surely the Republicans have got a stomach full this time.

Bryan will not now look forward to March 4th. The American people gave him that order Nov. 6th.

Every town and city in Rhode Island went for McKinley. What's the matter with little Rhody? Nothing.

The new century will start out with a Republican president. That is as it should be, and may it continue.

The American people can always be relied upon to be right. Leaders sometimes go astray; then they fail of a following.

Congress will have more Powers than ever. The 11th Massachusetts congressional district contributes her portion, and it's a good one.

Thousands of anxious hearts in the Philippines will hail the re-election of McKinley with a joy that is unspeakable. It will mean home to them.

Is Lieut. Gov. Bates gubernatorial timber when Crane steps down? His increased vote over Crane indicates the hold he has on the hearts of the Massachusetts Republicans.

Those who object to Hanna will have to admit that he wrought yeoman service for the country and proved himself for the second time a master hand at organization and achievement.

Populism is no longer popular, even in the West. It has gone the way of greenbackism, free tradeism and other idiosyncracies which hold public attention for a moment and then vanish away.

Broad statesmanship demands that candidates for the highest office in the gift of the people should avoid appealing to class hatredism, demagogism, vituperation, repudiation and personal ambition.

If Thayer has won in the Third Massachusetts district it is a magnificent testimonial to his popularity, and indicates the confidence that Republicans and Democrats alike had in their genial representative.

Bryan is reported to have said that this was his last attempt to gain the presidency. Bryan is wiser after election than before. It is not impossible that his native state may send him to the senate, where his ability at speechmaking may have full scope.

Massachusetts has no apologies to make over this election. Up to 1896 a plurality of 83,000 had never been reached in this state, and it is nearly twice as many as the state gave Garfield, three times as large as it gave Harrison, and nearly four times as large as it gave Blaine. High water mark is always a difficult point to maintain.

Roosevelt is the hero of the hour. As a campaigner he outdid Bryan himself, covering more miles, speaking to more people, holding fully as much of the popular interest and winning votes by thousands. Indeed, the eyes of the country were centered upon him equally with Bryan, and if all signs do not fail he will spend the coming four years fitting himself for higher honors. His star is in the ascendancy.

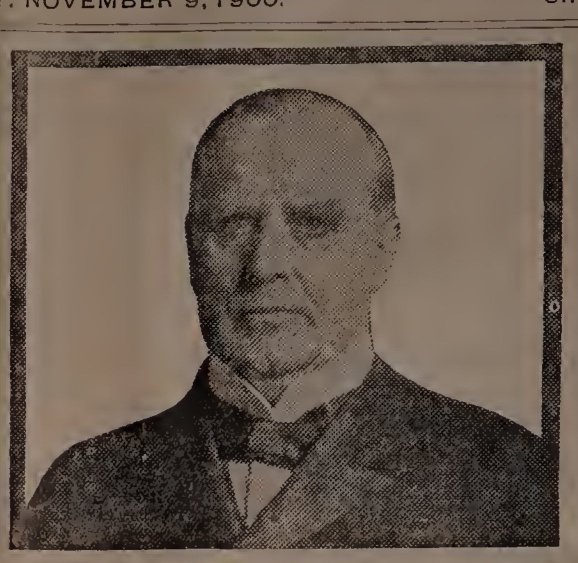
HOW WE GOT THE NEWS.

The counting of the local votes was over before 6 o'clock, and though the Republican vote was smaller than in '96, still there was no occasion for discouragement. Everyone was anxious to hear from neighboring towns, the state and the nation. Through the efforts of interested parties, a room was secured in Opera house block and the returns were taken there by the telegraph messenger, James Leonard, as fast as they were received. The receiving end was in charge of Ticket Agent Croissant, and it is simple justice to say that the returns were never so carefully and intelligently handled in any previous year. He was the right man for the place.

At the Opera house block the returns were read off to a large number, most of whom remained till nearly midnight, when it appeared as if the country had gone safely Republican, when they went home. A few exuberant spirits procured a drum and a following, and went about the streets to let the town know that a victory had been won. Returns were also received by telephone, Mrs. Tracey remaining at the switchboard until morning. The telephone service was satisfactory and more than usually complete.

THE VOTE IN FRANKLIN.

President—	
McKinley, R,	499
Bryan, D,	200
Woolley, Pro,	22
Debs, D So,	4
Malloney, So Labor,	2
Governor—	
Crane, R,	436
Paine, D,	181
Bradley, D So,	18
Fisher, Pro,	14
Berry, So Labor,	5
Lieutenant Governor—	
Bates, R,	487
O'Donnell, D,	186
Purrington, Pro,	10
Wren, D So,	8
Ruther, So Labor,	3
Secretary—	
Olin, R,	470
Stephenson, D,	176
Partridge, Pro,	13
Barr, D So,	6
Jones, So Labor,	4
Treasurer—	
Bradford, R,	482
Chalifoux, D,	181
Johnson, Pro,	13
Nagler, So Labor,	4
O'Shaughnessy, D So,	8
Auditor—	
Turner, R,	465
Brown, D,	182
Merrill, Pro,	22
Walsh, D So,	7
Forsstrom, So Labor,	4
Attorney General—	
Knowlton, R,	481
Crosby, D,	183
Coffin, Pro,	13
Billings, D So,	7
MacDonald, So Labor,	4
Congress, 11th District—	
Powers, R,	492
Baker, D,	213
Storey, Ind,	11
McIsaac, Dem So,	6
Councillor, 2d District—	
Maxwell, R,	487
Watt, D,	191
Boewe, So Labor,	7
Senator, 2d Norfolk District—	
Fales, R,	488
Lynch, D,	197
Mann, Pro,	15
Representatives, 10th Norfolk Dist.—	
A. F. Bemis, R,	463
Bullard, R,	400
Kelley, D,	194
C. A. Bemis, D,	165
Hodges, Pro,	15
Ware, Pro,	13
County Commissioner, Norfolk—	
Hewins, R,	488
Cavanaugh, D,	191
Register of Deeds, Norfolk county—	
Burdakin, D-R,	557
Smith, D-C-R,	512



PRESIDENT M'KINLEY.

VICE-PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

THE ELECTORAL VOTE.

STATES VOTING FOR M'KINLEY.

California	9
Connecticut	6
Delaware	3
*Idaho	3
Illinois	24
Indiana	15
Iowa	13
*Kansas	10
Maine	6
Maryland	8
Massachusetts	15
Michigan	14
Minnesota	9
*Nebraska	8
New Hampshire	4
New Jersey	10
New York	36
North Dakota	3
Ohio	23
Oregon	4
Pennsylvania	32
Rhode Island	4
*South Dakota	4
*Utah	3
Vermont	4
*Washington	4
West Virginia	6
Wisconsin	12
*Wyoming	3
Total	295

*For Bryan in 1896.

STATES VOTING FOR BRYAN.

Alabama	11
Arkansas	8
Colorado	4
Florida	4
Georgia	13
Louisiana	8
Mississippi	9
Missouri	17
Montana	3
Nevada	3
North Carolina	11
South Carolina	9
Tennessee	12
Texas	15
Virginia	12
Total	139
DOUBTFUL.	
Kentucky	13
Total	447

10TH NORFOLK REPRESENTATIVE DIST.

Below will be found the vote for candidates for representative in the general court in the tenth Norfolk district:

	A. F. Bemis, Rep.	C. A. Bemis, Dem.	Bullard, Rep.	Kelley, Dem.
Bellingham	107	50	102	36
Foxboro	324	108	253	58
Franklin	463	165	400	194
Medway	230	144	272	111
Norfolk	77	18	64	11
Wrentham	290	238	44	32
Totals	1,574	723	1,115	442

Hodges and Ware, the Prohibition candidates, each received 43 votes in the district.

11TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Following is the full vote for the three leading candidates in the eleventh congressional district:

	Baker, Dem.	Powers, Rep.	Storey, Ind.
Boston Wards	4,680	7,603	1,325
Bellingham	41	119	3
Belmont	103	290	52
Brookline	617	1,804	513
Dedham	399	707	76
Dover	18	59	13
Foxboro	98	325	18
Franklin	213	492	11
Holliston	149	259	29
Hopedale	38	297	....
Hyde Park	506	1,293	101
Medfield	48	210	....
Medway	148	274	12
Milford	851	816	....
Millis	30	90	6
Needham	120	371	42
Newton	1,150	3,200	881
Norfolk	18	81	1
North Attleboro	224	705	8
Norwood	359	508	32
Sharon	52	202	....
Sherborn	116	11	....
Walpole	132	297	15
Watertown	533	764	84
Westwood	82	83	8
Wrentham	42	324	5
Totals	15,747	20,981	2,740

(4 wards, 1 city, 23 towns.)

Republican Jubilation.

Plans are now being formed for a jubilation some night next week, probably Tuesday, when all will be given an opportunity to express their satisfaction at the result of Tuesday's election. The town committee are now working up the affair.

Woonsocket Opera House.

With the Morrison Comedy Co., opening next Monday night at the Opera house for a week's engagement in "The Princess of Patches," comes Sunetaro, the Japanese wonder worker. His act is a novelty of the highest order, and during the week he will introduce novel experiments in Japanese conjuring and curious Hindoo feats as performed by the Fakirs of India. This specialty is the acme of the art that deceives people and makes them laugh. It is in itself a most wonderful and bewildering entertainment. Sunetaro appears at every performance.

NOTICE.—My wife Mary having left my bed and board without my consent, I hereby notify all persons not to trust her on my account.

Nov. 2, 1900. PATRICK MCHUGH.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

Are You Going?

Don't forget the entertainment at Dean academy this evening, as it will be well worth the price of admission. The two plays have been given careful rehearsal, and an unusual dramatic triumph is assured. The proceeds are to be devoted to the Athletic association, which is surely worthy of hearty support at the hands of the public.

"Prince Pro Tem."

The lovers of opera, on Friday evening, Nov. 28, at Morse opera house, will have "Prince Pro Tem." Mr. Packard heads the company, which numbers about forty people, including an orchestra. This opera will doubtless prove a happy selection for Manager Partridge as "Prince Pro Tem" has met success both in Boston and on the road. Lovers of light opera should not miss this opportunity to hear Barnet & Thompson's favorite musical fantasie.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Violets and 100 chrysanthemums. Slade's greenhouse.

Transient and regular patrons will find good service, clean and quick work at Oohee's barber shop, Opera house block.

FRANKLIN NEWS.

An interesting service will be held in the Congregational church on Sunday evening at 6 o'clock. It will be a past presidents' meeting of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor. All those who have acted as presidents in the past will respond in person or by letter. The meeting will be in charge of Mr. Bradley M. Rockwood. All welcome.

People taking boarders should beware of a curly haired individual, between 45 and 50 years of age, calling himself a railroad man. He is about 5 feet, 8 inches in height, hair slightly gray, and when last seen wore a mustache. He has victimized several boarding house keepers in town by taking French leave in the early morning hours, with his grip, leaving nothing behind but a board bill.

A very pretty wedding took place Wednesday morning, at 9 o'clock, at St. Mary's chapel, when Miss Agnes E. Callahan, daughter of Mrs. Timothy Callahan, of Washington street, was united in marriage to James J. O'Connell of Woonsocket. Rev. M. J. Lee performed the ceremony, after which he celebrated a nuptial mass. A wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's mother, only the relatives and immediate friends being present. The happy couple left on the 4.25 train amid showers of rice, for Woonsocket, where they will reside in their newly furnished home.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper will give an address before the High school teachers and scholars at the Horace Mann school Monday evening, at 7 o'clock. He will have from the State house in Boston a facsimile of the original Gov. Bradford manuscript brought from Fulham palace, London, three years ago, and delivered by Ambassador Bayard to our state legislature. It is an old volume full of curious spelling and ancient style. Certain remarkable specimens of the style will be put on the blackboard. Those who are interested in the old Pilgrim history and characteristics will be glad to attend. Interesting historic incidents will be given. All the people in town are cordially invited to be present and examine this ancient volume.

Prices Meat With a Reduction.

Meat has gone off, and you get the benefit. Note these figures: Roast beef from 10 to 20 cents; sirloin steak 20 to 25c; rump steak 20 to 25c; round steak 12 1-2 to 18; choice chickens 20c; fowls 15 to 18; Hamburg steak 10, 12 1 2, 15; pork and sausage 10, 11 and 12; plain tripe 5c, honeycomb 8; pigs feet 8c; liver 10c, 3 lbs for 25c; corn beef 5 to 12; all the vegetables, such as celery, spinach, squash, cabbage, selected onions 75c a bushel, 20c per peck; Cape Cod cranberries 10c per qt, 3 qts for 25c; fancy Jersey sweet potatoes at 2c per lb; a No. 1 50c English breakfast tea for 40c, something rare; finest butter in town. Richardson, the marketman.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

Boarders wanted at No. 3 Howard street. Mrs. Potter 9,13*

Two hundred cords of trash wood for sale by E. S. Cook, Box 212. 26Ftf

Furnished rooms to rent, with board, at 39 Dean avenue. Box 709. 9,13*

A capable girl for general housework wanted at once. Mrs. G. R. Winsor, Unionville.

To Let—A pleasant tenement of six rooms. Inquire of O. A. Stanley at 40 Union street. 2-Ftf

Frank O. Dudley, formerly with R. G. Irwin, will do bicycle repairing at the corner of Central and Union streets. 9-St*

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

If the person who picked up from $35 to $40 which fell from my wallet in Fairfield's bakery Thursday evening will return same to me I will pay a liberal reward. D. W. Fisher. 9*

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKinnon, Agent.

Emerson's Market.

We are fully stocked up with a fine line of meats such as beef, lamb, pork, sausage, ham, liver, tongue, fresh killed chickens and fowls; all the vegetables, lettuce, cauliflower, parsnips, Hubbard squashes, Boston market celery, the finest; carrots, red cabbage, large, fine cranberries from the Bay meadows here. Think of it! string beans! Elegant apples, prime butter, cream cheese, etc. Anything you want in the market line.

In November

is the best time to sit for portraits for Christmas. Don't wait till the rush of December. Latest and best in portraiture now and always at

CALDIN'S STUDIO, Depot street.

Horse Clipping.

I have secured Sydney Rogers, an experienced man, to clip all horses brought to my shop on East street.

J. D. HATCH.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

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Contributions of [illegible] news [illegible] always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, [illegible], agricultural and personal items.

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Reading Notices, [illegible] Business Announcements, [illegible] less than [illegible].

Business and Professional Cards, [illegible] one-half [illegible], $5 per year, [illegible] $1 [illegible].

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1900

Good Thing for Ham Orators.

The employment of the phonograph as a mechanical [illegible] for the [illegible] bashful candidates is likely to be an interesting feature of the approaching general election. For some years the talking machine has played an important part in the [illegible] of America, where in many instances the candidate has, from the retirement of his own home, [illegible] himself with treating his political views into the funnel of a phonograph and allowing the machine to [illegible] the rest on tour. In [illegible] case the agent, and under the direction of a popular chairman, the meeting of electors takes place just as if the [illegible] were present in person. [illegible] certain advantages which many unsuccessful candidates will readily appreciate. For the [illegible] candidate the phonograph as a [illegible] work ex[illegible] of political [illegible] is an unmixed blessing. The hostile constituency may roar itself hoarse with [illegible] friendly criticism, it may refer to the candidate in every unpublishable term imaginable, it may even [illegible] throw antiquated vegetables at him, but the machine, deaf, blind and impervious, will go right along, steadily grinding out its proprietor's views on the war or the youthful offenders [illegible] without even pausing to say: "Gentlemen, I am much touched," when a retired egg breaks impotently inside the funnel. By a simple contrivance the phonograph may be made to register the feeling of the audience, so that when the meeting is over the records can be sent back to the candidate, who reproduces the proceedings and perhaps feels gratified that he did not attend in person.

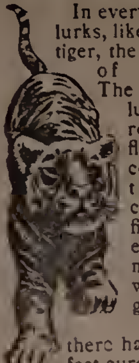
Thirty years ago John Taborn was placed behind the walls of the Ohio penitentiary, where he still remains, holding the record for long sentences. Taborn was sentenced from Delaware county to life for murder in the second degree, and was 22 years of age when he arrived, August 16, 1870. The prisoner was a resident of Cardington, where his mother and sister still reside, and killed a man who was going to a wedding. Taborn's serial number is 8,527, and the number of the last man to arrive is 32,697, showing that 24,170 prisoners have been sent to the institution since he lost his freedom. According to the statutes, a man is eligible to parole who has served 35 years' actual imprisonment, but Taborn prefers to end his days in the penitentiary.

Late reports say there is considerable mining activity in the Black hills, and a number of new mines are being opened up. Comparisons made between the present condition of mining in the Black hills and that of Colorado, Idaho and other western precious metal states are not at all unfavorable to the former. Last year upward of $8,000,000 was taken from Lawrence county mines, one of them being the Homestake. There is said to be not more than one stamp mill standing idle in the county. And yet the Black Hills mining industry can be said to be practically in its infancy, for there are great areas which will ultimately prove of great productiveness that yet remain unnoticed and unexploited.

The neighborhood in Connecticut where the late Collis P. Huntington was born is noted for romantic names. He first saw the light in Poverty Hollow, adjacent to Squabble Hill, Hell street and Skunk's Misery.

New York women are going to saw wood at a church festival, but in all probability their ruling instinct will be too strong to permit them to carry out the "say nothing" end of the popular phrase.

The engagement between the duke of Manchester and a Cincinnati girl has been broken, perhaps because he found that her purse strings were tied in a hard knot.



Crouching

In every cough there lurks, like a crouching tiger, the probabilities of consumption. The throat and lungs become rough and inflamed from coughing and the germs of consumption find an easy entrance. Take no chances with the dangerous foe. For 60 years there has been a perfect cure. What a record! Sixty years of cures.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

soothes and heals the wounded throat and lungs. You escape an attack of consumption with all its terrible suffering and uncertain results.

There is nothing so bad for the throat and lungs as coughing.

A 25c. bottle will cure an ordinary cough; harder coughs will need a 50c. size; the dollar bottle is cheapest in the long run.

"One of my sons was spitting blood with a high fever and was very ill. We could hardly see any signs of life in him. The doctors did him no good. But one bottle of your Cherry Pectoral cured him and saved his life." C. G. ANDERSON, Nov. 19, 1898. Pukwana, S. Dak.

Write the Doctor. If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice, write the Doctor freely. Address Dr. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

INDIVIDUALITIES.

The late Collis P. Huntington was not a bright student in his school days, and was finally expelled from the village school for trouble with the teacher. That was when he was 1[illegible] years of age.

James S. Baker, of Missouri, is the sole survivor of the expedition formed in 1847 for the relief of Gen. Zachary Taylor in the City of Mexico. He rode on horseback from Missouri to Austin, Tex., to enlist in Col. Hayes' regiment.

President Eliot, of Harvard, has declared himself in favor of the shirt-waist man as student. Several members of the faculty complained of the fatigue costumes worn to lectures by students in June, but President Eliot did not sympathize with the complaining faculty.

Gov. Roosevelt, unlike most men who are public speakers, objects to dictating to a stenographer what he intends to say. When he does not speak from notes he writes out with his own hand and with many corrections his whole speech and then has it carefully typewritten.

According to the New York Evening Post, Gen. Miles has received from a private soldier in the Philippines a box of the cigarettes native to those islands. Inclosed was this note: "Dear Sir: When you were riding by in Porto Rico you once overheard me say how much I wanted to smoke, and you immediately had an orderly give me some cigars. I now desire to return the compliment."

In speaking of the late Ballard Smith the Louisville Courier Journal says that when he first sought a position in a newspaper office after graduating from Dartmouth college he entered the sanctum with an air of condescension. He wore a silk tile and a velvet jacket. He said he would like to be dramatic editor, but he was given a place on the local staff. In less than six months he was made city editor.

The Stork's Visits to the White House.

The only child born in the white house to a president of the United States during his term of office is Esther Cleveland, who was born September 9, 1893. Nine other children have been born in the white house: Julia Dent Grant, born in the closing days of her grandfather's second term; two grandchildren of President Tyler; four children of Col. Andrew Jackson Donelson, born during the Jackson administration; Mary Louise Adams, granddaughter of John Quincy Adams, born in 1829; James Madison Randolph, born during the second term of his maternal grandfather.—Ladies' Home Journal.

WHY NOT EXCHANGE THAT OLD PIANO

That has outgrown its usefulness for a beautiful new Ivers & Pond Upright? We will make you a liberal allowance for your old instrument, balance in easy monthly payments. If inconvenient to call, write to-day and we will send a man to place a value on your instrument. We will place a piano in your home at our expense for trial and guarantee satisfaction. It will not be necessary to part with the old till you have seen and approved the new.

IVERS & POND PIANO CO.,
114 & 116 Boylston St., Boston.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Dr. Hodge will speak Sunday afternoon on Coleridge.

The Whiting store building on Central street is being improved.

Mrs. S. E. Finley left yesterday for a hospital in Hyde Park for treatment.

Remember the public teachers' meeting at the High school building Monday evening.

The selectmen will meet this evening for the consideration of such business as is in order.

Miss Bertha Hood has been unable to attend to her school duties the past few days owing to throat trouble.

The Norfolk and Franklin town line will be perambulated Nov. 17, unless active business requires a change of date.

Mrs. Alexander McCullough of East street is confined to the house with neuralgia of the face. Dr. Abbott attends.

Harry Sparr of Southboro was the guest of friends in town yesterday on his way back from Nova Scotia, where he went to vote.

A. I. Oliver, teacher at the Horace Mann building, visited schools in Lynn on Tuesday, going there to cast his ballot for the winning party.

Joseph G. Ray is serving as quarter back upon the Tufts Varsity football eleven, the regular player being unable to play owing to the death of his father.

Don't forget the rummage sale at the Opera house block on Saturday. A larger variety of goods, and prices within reach of all. Sale in charge of St. John's guild.

The amount and importance of the election news entirely overshadows the ordinary local matter, which must give place in this issue to the political news of the week.

The Middlesex and Norfolk Pomona grange will meet in Medfield Wednesday, Nov. 14. Several members of the Franklin grange will attend, going by way of the electrics.

The next regular meeting of the Alden club Monday evening next. Subject, "Current Events," Mrs. May Alden Ward. A large attendance is assured. Open to visitors, gentlemen and ladies.

The Bellingham selectmen have notified the M., A. & W. railway company that certain improvements must be made in the street railroad and that cars must run hourly or legal action will at once be taken.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church will meet in the parlor Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Supper will be served at 6.30. Tickets usual price. Social and entertainment in the evening.

The census of 1900 gives Franklin 5,017 as against 4,831 in 1890. While there has been a gain since the last national census, yet there has been a loss since the state census of 1895, which then gave us 5,136.

The improvements at the postoffice are now practically completed and are a credit to Contractor Grant who made them. Patrons of the office should remember to keep to the right in entering or leaving the office.

A large audience accompanied Dr. Sneath on last Sunday evening to Bethlehem. In consequence of the illness of Miss Whiting, Mrs. Jenks most kindly assisted the quartette. On Sunday evening a visit will be made to Nazareth.

Mrs. George R. Winsor is to give a luncheon next Friday afternoon at her home in Unionville in honor of Miss Clara Knott, one of the leading ladies in Andy Mack's "The Rebel" company now playing at the Boston Museum.

Next Monday evening the Farmers' club go down to Sheldonville and meet with Horatio Metcalf, when general as compared with special farming will be considered and incidentally some mistakes that farmers make will be talked over.

The funeral of Mrs. Frank Woolford was held on Wednesday afternoon, many of the relatives and friends being present to pay their last tribute of love and respect to the deceased. Rev. Dr. Sneath officiated, and interment was made in the Union street cemetery.

As Miss Helen Pendleton was driving down Union street on Tuesday afternoon a wheel came off the carriage, precipitating her to the ground and breaking both bones of her leg. The horse proceeded until he struck an electric light post, where he demolished another wheel.

A large, finely framed picture of Charles J. McKenzie, the gift of Mrs. McKenzie, and also one of James M. Freeman, the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Baker, have recently been donated to the Benjamin Franklin Savings bank. Both gentlemen were members of the board of trustees.

The Eastern star had a most enjoyable time on Wednesday evening, the occasion being the official visitation of Grand Matron Vincelette and suite of Leominster. Guests were present from Foxboro, Medway and Milford. Refreshments were served and a most fraternal time was the result.

Next Sunday at the Baptist church will be the observance of the annual "Bible day." Rev. F. B. Sleeper will preach in the forenoon on "Unfelt Truth and Religion." In the evening there will be a Sunday school concert. A very fine and interesting program has been arranged with excellent singing.

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Every word the British minister uttered at the tsung-li-yamen was reported to the Russian legation with almost electric promptness, until the envoy threatened to suspend negotiations and withdraw. Wily concessionaries know each night where their rivals are dining and what they have said; whether any peace of written paper has passed and what has gone on at each legation in Peking and each consulate at Tientsin. Every legation keyhole, crack and chink has its eye and ear at critical times, and by a multiplication in imagination one arrives at an idea of what the palace may be like.

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Prof. Broadhead—Why, the former does it for fun, and the latter for the money there is in it.—Puck.

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EXORBITANT TIPS.

They Prove a Severe Drain on People of Small Means—System Is Altogether Wrong.

The "tipping" question is one to be carefully taken into consideration before ending a round of visits or an itinerary. From time to time discussions have arisen as to the possibility of doing away with the douceur. Some people have steadfastly set their faces against it so far as their own house servants are concerned, but it is obviously impossible to put an end to the practice altogether, because there are some people who would always persist in buying attention and favors, whatever might be the custom, and others who would "tip" from sheer generosity, but we may well pray that some kind of restraint may be laid upon the very rich, who nowadays are so many in number.

The millionaire is no longer a rara avis, and if the very rich set the example of presenting douceurs of such magnitude that the aggregate sum of their tips while visiting here or staying there is duly paragraphed, how many of those of limited income ever hope to win any respect or command any attention? The result of such absolutely indiscreet generosity is to make it almost impossible for those of limited means to go about at all, says the Philadelphia Ledger. How, for example, can women with purses but sparsely lined accept invitations to stay in the same house with the wives and daughters of men who think nothing of giving $5 where the less endowed can give but 50 cents? The system is altogether wrong; and if hostesses allow their servants to receive money from their guests they should take some means of making it known that it will be taken as a personal favor if a certain sum is not exceeded.

A Humane View.

Willie—I should think it would be a good thing to put the watering cart before the horse.

Mamma—I can't see, why, Willie.

"Why, then the poor horse could wade all over the town and keep cool."—Detroit Free Press.

The Restful Interval.

"You don't seem to mind the warm weather, Mrs. Wigner?"

"No; in August, you see, Mr. Wigner quits bragging about the hot waffles his mother used to bake."—Indianapolis Journal.

In the Darkest South.

First Traveler—Dense population? Why, I understand it isn't over 20 to the square mile.

Second Traveler—No; but some of it is pretty dense.—Puck.

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Father—The secret of success is hard work.

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BY KEZIAH SHELTON.

"IT'S no use talking any more about it, Ann, the roads ain't broke out and can't be to-night; I know, for I'm surveyor of this deestrict. It's drifted dreadful, for the wind has blowed a harrycane from all pints o' the compass ever sence sun-up; and I just warn't a-going to ask no men to shovel out in this weather, for northing less than a sick cow or a collicky hoss!"

"I s'pose anybody's wife could get along without a doctor, till the sun breaks out a path, eh?"

Even as the worm turns, so Mr. Grant's wife was stung into bitterness, as his words recalled his own mutterings at the trouble of going for a doctor, and his evident belief that he should have received the sympathy that was sometimes accorded to the sufferer!

His only satisfactory listeners were the old maids of the neighborhood, and the widows.

Even they would not always agree with Mr. Grant, but it mattered but little to him whether they did or not. He said what he thought without regard to the feelings of others, and in many respects could not be said to have made a model husband, though he provided well for the physical needs of his family when he could do so without inconvenience to himself or his property.

Mr. Grant was ever slow to reply, so it was several seconds at least before he said: "Yes, generally there's somebody that can do well enough for women folks' sickness, but with a good cow, or hoss, it's another thing, and you can't afford to take no resks, it needs a man that knows his business to deal with stock, they cost money!"

"And wives are to be had for the asking, eh?" exclaimed the wife, exasperated, as painful memories came back to her mind.

"Wives? If a man needs a new wife, he'll find an acre full ready and waiting, he needn't run after them, they'll invite him to tea! There, do let's stop quarreling, you're old enough not to be so pesky aggravatin'! Do stop sniveling, Ann; you make me ashamed of ye, a great grown-up girl like you, to bawl so!"

"But—I—want to go—to that party—so much; I'm dying—to see new faces, and hear new things, and have a good time."

"I know why Ann wants to go, broke in Mrs. Grant. "That young dandy cousin of Kate's, that she saw last summer at the picnic, has upset her mind, an' she wants to see him agin. I ain't in no hurry for her to get a stiddy beau, an' I'm glad enough that the snow's so deep that she can't go to that dance."

"You needn't worry. I ain't likely to see a beau, nor be seen by one, as close as you keep me here at home, so there!"

"You needn't begin to worry, Ann, at your age! Ef the good Lord's made anybody for you, fences nor snowbanks ain't a-going to keep him from finding you. 'Tain't the girls that 'go' the most, an' have the most fellers a-hanging round 'em that marries first, nor the best."

"No," chimed in her father, "'tain't no recommendation to a likely man to have it said that the girl he's all took up with has gone buggy riding, and sot up with half the gay boys in the town."

"It won't never be said about me!" said Ann, bitterly. "Louisann Green told Jemima Brown the other day that she didn't know what ther was agin' me, but she did know that I didn't take with the fellers, like the Ellery girls; that there was a light every Sunday night in their parlor, and they warn't no beauties, either."

"I'm glad for once that Louisann Green told the truth; when you're older the sense will come into your head—for you're no fool, an' you'll know then why it's a compliment to you that folks can say such things about you, and prove it, too!"

"No, Ann, I don't feel worried about your being a old maid, you ain't a-going to get left, onless it's best for you. Things come along about as the Lord orders."

"What's that, down by the bend in the Great road? Looks like an ox team; can't be that the lower deestrict is a-trying to break out the road this time o' day, and the wind a-blowin' like Sam Hill! Somebody must a-got storlled and made 'em start to shovel him thru."

"It's the lower deestrict's men and teams, sure enough! I can tell Benn Boss now, by his blue woollen frock, tied round his waist with a red 'comforter' as usual.

"They can't get no further to-night, for that air nex' bank's piled up too high; guess I'll go an' see who's in that red sleigh a-hind the ox teams. They're trying to help somebody through, sure's my name's John M. Grant."

"Hello, Grant! I guess you'll have to do as the Bible says and take this stranger in! Seems to be a sort of you've got to do it whether or no; for here he is, and here's his hoss and sleigh. He was mighty sot on getting to Rakeville to-night, but it can't be did, for I can't get through here to-night, an' the upper deestrict is wuss nor this; this is the biggest snow we've had this many a year."

Thus it came about that the Grants had a guest for the night, and late into the next day, and Ann Grant enjoyed the unexpected pleasure of seeing a new face, and hearing a new voice.

It chanced—or was it ordered?—that his father had been a boyhood friend of Mr. Grant's, a great recommendation to a man of his type, who held to old notions and was afflicted with that idea that men he knew were probably more worthy than those who came to him as strangers!

Late the next afternoon, the "deestrict teams" from the upper district came down, and he prepared to follow them back, hoping to meet with no further delay.

He made his "dinner call" a day or two later on his return trip to Providence. The sleighing was so unusually fine that he would have been a very strange youth indeed if he had not asked Ann to take a snow-ride of a few miles with him in his cutter.

Other sleighrid[illegible] with susp[illegible]ght! [illegible] ved in [illegible] s the wooing that [illegible] not long a doing.

For when the first warm days of March began to touch the forests with that rosy glow so prophetic of spring that it is easy to forget that snow is still with us, it was common talk that, "Louisann Green's a telling all over town, that Ann Grant's not only got her first beau, but it means business, and she's a-going to be married afore any of the other girls who've all had a dozen beaux to her one."

"Just as we told you, Ann, if there's anything made for a girl, she needn't run after it, 'twill come direct—if you'd a-had your way, you'd missed it by a-going to that party. Good luck won't follow if you run agin its grain too much," said Mr. and Mrs. Grant that proud May morning that was to speed Ann toward her city home.—Boston Globe.

FALLING LEAVES.

When Crickets Sing.

When crickets sing and asters bloom in all the woodland ways,
And smoke hangs low, and far away the fields are lost in haze,
When in the corn there is a voice that whispers: "Summer's gone,"
And here and there a red leaf glows, first lights of autumn's dawn,—
Then, soft as milkweed down, on me
Is laid the hand of mystery.

The woodland wavers at my feet, I hear the tall grass sigh,
A low, sweet music of regret runs through the earth and sky.
The creek is caught in a net of mist whose silvery meshes gleam,
And my heart beats low, and I walk as one walks wandering in a dream,
For, soft as milkweed down, on me
Is laid the hand of mystery.

Ah me! My thoughts are one to-day with this new wind that brings
A note of death, a holier word, a song no mortal sings.
I dance a-spring with the falling leaves, with tears to see them fall,
And the flute of the field lark seems to me a far-off spirit call.
For, soft as milkweed down, on me
Is laid the hand of mystery.
—Ingram Crockett, in Youth's Companion.

They Are Back Again.

We are back again with pencils, we are back again with pens, we are chalking up the ciphers on the board,
But we sigh for velvet meadows and the songs of treetop wrens, and we long to wade the swiftly rushing ford.

We are back again with grammars, we are back again with maps, we are busy tracing China's musty wall,
But our thoughts are in the timbers where the bright woodpecker taps, and the saucy blue-wing jaybirds loudly call.

We are back again with lessons, we are back again with slates, we are pouring over half a dozen books;
But we wish that we were fishing with the little fat grub baits in the shadow of the meadow minnow brooks.

We are back again with studies, we are back again with rules, and the multiplication tables we now hear;
But we'll dream of some Utopia where there aren't any schools, and vacation is a dozen months a year.
—Chicago Daily News.

Behind the Outer Man.

You can't make a soldier with only gold braid,
And nobody thinks you can;
Ere the fine-looking suit by the tailor is made
There's much to be done to the man.
You can't make a surgeon with knives and all that,
You can't make a judge with just a silk hat,
You can't make a preacher with robe or cravat,
And nobody thinks you can.

You can't make a monarch with only a throne,
And nobody thinks you can;
Ere the actor may sway in a realm of his own
There's much to be done to the man.
You can't make a gentleman out of an ass,
Or a boor who is bravest in front of his glass,
By filling his pockets with pelf—but alas!
There are people who think you can!
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

Autumn Vespers.

All gray and quiet ends the heavy day,
In listless languor hangs the smoky air;
Through leafless branches gleams a sullen glare
Flung from the lowering sun—a parting ray.
Worn by the hours of hurry and delay,
Of feverish toil, and soul-tormenting care,
Lord, in this breathless twilight hour, I bear
My weary, aching heart to Thee, and pray.

Lord, show me strength for my infirmity;
In midst of change, let me the changeless know
That toward the Infinite my soul may grow,
And here, in time, hold fast eternity.
Open my eyes the invisible to see—
By faith to look beyond the false and low.
Letting Thy clear light on my darkness glow,
Illume my soul with Thy divinity.
—L. Marion Lockhart, in N. Y. Observer.

Intuition.

"How does it know—this tiny hidden thing—
Within its wilderness of tangled grass,
The hour when summer's languid footsteps pass,
And southward-flying birds are on the wing,
While earth is dumb with August's silencing?
How does it know the time for purplish haze,
Or guess the wondrous transformation scene,
Which sets the field and forest all ablaze?
Yet, in shrill notes, from drowsy ways of green,
Breaking the spell that passing summer sways,
The cricket first proclaims the autumn days.
—Henry Cleveland Wood, in Ainslee's Magazine.

From the Mystery of the Mist.

The Mystery of the mist is calling me
Across the marshes' silvery solitudes,
By phantom inlets and gray bordering woods
To surging silence of a hidden sea.

Swathed in a twilight haze of amethyst,
Beyond the salty sedges lies the verge
Of immemorial oceans' endless surge,
Entranced by the still Mystery of the mist. . . .

If I might disenchant the spellbound space,
To see beyond the veil that may not move
For mortals; if my soul and sense could prove
The beauty of her mist-enfolded face;

Perchance her loving penalty would be
To lay a darkness on my earthly sight,
And lead me forth to lands of other light
Far out beyond these marshes by the sea.
—Katharine Coolidge, in Atlantic.

Miracles.

They say the days of miracles are past,
But I have witnessed miracles to-day;
The world was drear, the sky was overcast,
And all the sweets of life had oozed away,
When lo! she smiled, and, smiling, looked at me—
The birds broke forth in chorus cheerily,
The vines put forth new blossoms and were gay!

I heard men utter words of discontent,
Their faces bore the marks of woes and cares;
Snares tripped my aching feet where'er I went
And gloom was over all mankind's affairs,
When lo! she spoke, and all the world was bright—
I heard glad people sing in pure delight,
And all the ways were free from hidden snares!
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

Geography.

"I almost dread vacation days,"
The sorrowing youngster said;
"The changes that they bring amaze
My sadly puzzled head.

"Now, year by year, I live in fear,
Some military chap
Whene'er I turn my back draws near
To dislocate the map."
—Washington Star

Makes a Big Difference.

Jinks—I hear that a [illegible] waiter was discharged the other day for demanding a tip.

Minks—Get out.

"True as preaching. He didn't ask for it, either, merely acted as if he wanted one."

"Don't believe it."

"It's so. He was new to the place and didn't know the man he was waiting on was the proprietor."—N. Y. Weekly.

Duration of Time.

"I told him you were as honest as the day is long."

"What did he say?" asked Senator Sorghum.

"He merely remarked that he guessed I must be talking about some of these days they have up around the Arctic circle that don't last more than a minute or two."—Washington Star

Not at All Improbable.

"Dogs in Hamburg are taxed according to size—the bigger the dog, the higher the tax," said the talkative boarder, at breakfast.

"By the way," came from the inquisitive boarder; "speaking of dogs—is that where the Hamburg steak comes from?"—Yonkers Statesman.

An Unfounded Rumor.

O'Batch—They say the reason the feet of Chinese women are squeezed is to keep them from running away from their husbands.

Henpeck—Oh, no. That's a mistake. It's to keep them from running after their busbands.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Forgot the Others.

Mabel—There are now over 4,000 avocations open to woman.

Clara—Dear me! What are they?

Mabel—Let—me—see. One of them is marriage and the other is—is— Dear me! I've forgotten the others.—N. Y. Weekly.

One of the Requisites.

"Why do you think he will be such an acquisition to the campaign committee? I didn't know he was posted on politics."

"He isn't," was the reply, "but he is a most resourceful and artistic liar, and will be invaluable in our press department."—Chicago Post.

An Accident.

"While I was abroad I witnessed a duel in France."

"Anybody hurt?"

"Yes; one of the principals had a rib broken embracing the other after the combat was over."—Philadelphia North American.

Good Reason.

Photographer—Excuse me, sir, but you have been sitting on your hat for the last ten minutes.

Customer (furious)—Well, why in the thunder didn't you tell me before?

Photographer—I wished you to look pleasant, sir.—Ohio State Journal.

A Real Vacation.

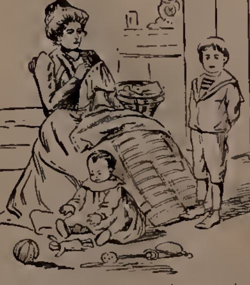
"You and your wife don't seem to talk to each other much when you travel."

"No; we agreed before we started that we'd get rested."—Chicago Record.

Love, the Besteger.

His heart was a moated castle,
But that did not work at all,
For she was a girl athlete,
And she neatly scaled the wall.
—Chicago Record.

WHAT CAN A BOY DO?



"Tommy, you must not interrupt your elders when they are talking. Wait until they stop."

"They never stop."—Chicago Chronicle.

Floral Comparison.

Miss Gusheigh—Do you not think that Miss Passe reminds you of a flower? She has a clinging, delicate sort of beauty that conveys the idea of a—

Mr. Bluntt—Of a century plant.—Baltimore American.

Clothed in Fresh Air.

An Irishman who had on a ragged coat was asked of what stuff it was made.

"Bedad, I don't know," said he, "but most of it is made of fresh air, I think."—Tit-Bits.

Proved It.

Henpeck—Did I understand you to say, sir, that you were the lucky suitor for my wife's hand?

Friend—Sure! You were the man who married her.—Syracuse Herald.

Rattle of the Wits.

She (sarcastically)—All the nice young men are not the most truthful.

He (sardonically)—And all the young ladies that paint are not artists.—Boston Herald.

Curious.

Silicus—Women are all curious.

Cynicus—And yet the most curious thing in the world is a woman who has no curiosity.—Philadelphia Record.

Had Not Left Much.

Young Edison—Well, she has left me.

A Friend—Eh? What has left you?

Young Edison—A comb and a toothbrush—that's all.—Town Topics.

THINK IT OVER. There's a reason for those pains in your back and sides, for those dull, dragging aches, that listless, "keep-away-from-me" feeling. The kidneys are to blame. They get sick, can't do their work and the whole system feels the effect, just as a whole town feels the effect of a blockaded sewerage system.

Doan's Kidney Pills

Set matters right quickly and easily. They never fail, even in the most advanced stages of kidney disease.

Mrs. C. V. Pitts, of 21 Broad street, New London, Conn., whose husband conducts a grocery store says:

"Previous to using Doan's Kidney Pills in the winter of 1896 I was greatly inconvenienced by pain and lameness across the small of my back. The treatment cured that particular attack, and I made the facts known to the people of New London through our daily papers. It is over three years since my original statement was given to the public and all I can add to it is that during the time specified I have found that a dose or two of Doan's Kidney Pills prevent recurrences."

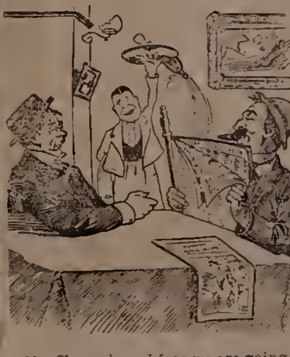
Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers; price 50 cents a box. Mailed on receipt of price by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

Go Him One Better.

When he flung down his cloak in Elizabeth's path
They thought Raleigh's grace was complete;
But when men love a maid in these days they think naught
Of laying their suits at her feet.
—Judge.

GREAT TROUBLE IN CHINA.



Mr. Chumpley—I fear we are going to have serious trouble in China.

Mr. Old Soak—Yes mine has come already. I got home last night and my wife smashed all the china in the house on my head.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

His Economical Course.

Farmer Skinflint (reading sign)—By gosh! Mandy, in I go an' find out By Gosh! Mandy, in I go an' find out if it's burtin' my eyesight tew read the paper.

Mandy—An' if it is, are yew goin' tew squander good money on spectacles?

Farmer Skinflint—No, sir-ee! I'm goin' tew give up the paper.—Brooklyn Life.

That Throbbing Headache

Would quickly leave you if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by A. C. Mason, druggist.

To the Deaf.

A rich lady, cured of her deafness in the head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear drums, gave $10,000 to his institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the ear drums may have them free. Address No. 5095C, The Nicholson Institute, 780 Eighth avenue, New York, U S.A. j127

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No baking; add hot water and set to cool. Flavors: Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. At your grocers, 10c.

Cultured.

Wilkins—I should think you would make up to Miss Plantain. She is a very clever girl.

Walker—Heaven, no! Why, she has been too busy for the last eight years acquiring an education.—Detroit Free Press.

You
May
Need
Pain-Killer
For
Cuts
Burns
Bruises
Cramps
Diarrhœa
All Bowel
Complaints
It is a sure, safe and quick remedy.
There's ONLY ONE
Pain-Killer
Perry Davis'.
Two sizes, 25c. and 50c.

May Come Later.

Tess—So he has really married Miss Crabbe?

Jess—Yes, he was hit hard. It was love at first sight with him.

Tess—Too bad he wasn't gifted with second sight.—Philadelphia Press.

Met His Match.

"I bought this cane of you yesterday, and you said the handle was genuine ivory, but I find it's imitation!"

"Indeed? Why, I order my goods direct from Ceylon, but it's not impossible, of course, that the elephants there wear false teeth!"—Der Floh.

Encouraging.

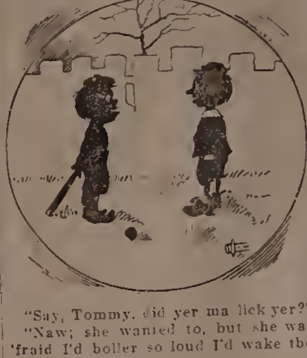
Whyte—They tell me your daughter is learning to sing.

Brown—I am glad to hear you say so. She is trying hard enough, I know, but I must say that so far I haven't seen any evidences of success myself.—Somerville Journal.

The Bad Penny.

The penny's bad that turns up thus.
That is, which never fails
On being flipped, to turn up heads,
When I have banked on tails
—Detroit Journal.

WHY TOMMY WASN'T WHIPPED.



"Say, Tommy, did yer ma lick yer?"

"Naw; she wanted to, but she was 'fraid I'd boller so loud I'd wake the baby."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Spread Like Wildfire.

When things are "the best" they become "the best selling." Abraham Hare, a leading druggist, of Belleville, O., writes: "Electric Bitters are the best selling bitters I have handled in 20 years. You know why? Most diseases begin in disorders of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, blood and nerves. Electric Bitters tones up the stomach, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, hence cures multitudes of maladies. It builds up the entire system. Puts new life and vigor into any weak, sickly, rundown man or woman. Price 50 cents. Sold by A. C. Mason, druggist.

Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2 65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit. The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save. If your druggist can't supply you, it will be fowarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

Easily Arranged.

"Mr. Jibbs, when will be the best time for me to speak about raising my salary?"

"Oh, one time is as good as another. You won't get any raise."—Chicago Record.

What Would You Give

To be cured of catarrh? If you or your friends have this disease, you know how disagreeable it is. Its symptoms are inflamed eyes, throbbing temples, ringing noises in the ears, headaches, capricious appetite and constant discharge of mucus. Fortunately its cure is not a question of what you will give, but what you will take. If you will take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great constitutional remedy, which thoroughly purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood, you may expect to be completely and permanently cured. The good blood which Hood's Sarsaparilla makes, reaching the delicate passages of the mucous membrane, soothes and rebuilds the tissues and ultimately cures all symptoms of catarrh.

DAVID CITY, NEB., April 1, 1900.
Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.:

Gentlemen:—I must say in regard to GRAIN-O that there is nothing better or healthier. We have used it for years. My brother was a great coffee drinker. He was taken sick and the doctor said coffee was the cause of it and told us to use GRAIN O. We got a package but did not like it at first, but now would not be without it. My brother has been well ever since we started to use it.

Yours truly, LILLIE SOCHOR.

Builds up the system; puts pure, rich blood in the veins; makes men and women strong and healthy. Burdock Blood Bitters. At any drug store.

"I suffered for months from sore throat. Eclectric Oil cured me in twenty-four hours." M. S. Gist, Hawesville, Ky.

Pyny-Pectoral Stops the Tickling, and quickly allays inflammation in the throat.

New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad

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EASTERN DISTRICT.

OCTOBER 21, 1900.

PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE. (DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAYS, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.)

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

BOSTON—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex. 6 05, 9 38 p m; Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, 8 30 m; 12 04, 3 39, 4 34, 5 19, 6 22, 6 57, 8 17, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 13 a m, 5 19, 7 10 p m.

BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 8 35, 11 34 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 46, 4 13, 5 13, 6 01, 7 13 9 10 p m, 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 6 05, 9 33 p m S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 22, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m, f12 50, 6 05 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m, f12 58, 5 25, 6 13, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 35 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m, 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m, 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

NEW YORK, all rail—9 15 a m; 4 25 p m. Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

New York, via Norwich Line, 7 45 p m. Return New Pier 36, North River, 6 00 p m.

Providence Extension.

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

PROVIDENCE—7 03, 9 03 a m; 1 05, 4 40, 7.03 p m. Return, 6 04, 8 10, 12 04 a. m, 3 35, 6 06 p m.

MILFORD BRANCH.

Trains leave Franklin for

MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 33, 6 55 p m; S 6 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.

ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

ANALYZED! And Stood the Test.
ESTABLISHED! And Highly Recommended for a Spring and Summer Drink

Malarial
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Can be prevented to a great extent by the use of the

SUNNYSIDE..
..Spring Water.

References and testimonials can be furnished on application by responsible parties.

This Pure Spring Water will be delivered to your house or office fresh from the spring every morning, at the following prices

One gallon every week day, per month......$1 00
" " three times per week............ 55
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Simply tells the public what you have got. If you never tell the people don't expect them to ask you. That's all here is to it.

Stop that Sneezing and Sniffling.

If you have a cold in your head we have remedies that are not to be sneezed at, as they always prove efficacious and are sure cures for influenza. Try

CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE.

Breaks up a cold in 24 hours. For that cough use

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We have also all the standard Cough Remedies.

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OPP. POST OFFICE BLOCK, FRANKLIN.

WRENTHAM.

The election was rather quiet here. The total vote polled was the largest in the history of the town, 419 ballots being cast. McKinley had 349, Bryan 38, Debs 2, Woolley 8. There were 24 blanks for president and 34 for governor.——Samuel A. Wing has purchased the residence of the late Mrs. Lydia Jenneys.——The friends of Mrs. B. C. Ruggles of Franklin street presented her with a handsome parlor table Wednesday, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. The presentation speech was made in a pleasing manner by Edgar A. Dart and was followed by games and music.——A very pretty wedding was celebrated at the residence of Mrs. Owen Bearse Wednesday afternoon, when her eldest daughter, Miss Mary Palmer Bearse, was united in marriage to Dr. William Wentworth Gannett of Boston. Rev. Dr. Reese of the Newton theological seminary performed the ceremony. In a bower of palms and ferns the happy pair were made one. The house was handsomely decorated with yellow and white chrysanthemums and on the front piazza were bunches of similar flowers, with yellow and white ribbons. The wedding presents were beautiful and costly.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending November 7, 1900.

Ladies—Mrs. R. S. Conners. Miss Clara Skinner. Foreign—Miss Tavesa Mactarzuska.

Gentlemen—D. C. Cruter, Henry Jahn, William Walker, J. S. Whitaker. Foreign—Isaic Alix, Petrizir Cirello.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Before and After.

"During the first year of her married life a woman's proudest boast is that she gets up at six o'clock and prepares her husband's breakfast."

"And after that what is it?"

"That her husband carries her breakfast to her while she remains upstairs in bed."—Chicago Times-Herald.

TYPEWRITING done at THE SENTINEL office.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Baptist church.—At 10.30 preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper; theme, "Unfelt Truth and Religion." Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45. At 7 Sunday school concert.

Universalist church.—Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D.D., pastor, will preach at 10.30; subject, "The Life of the Spirit Above All Else in Human Life." Vesper address at 5 on "Coleridge, and What He Did for Religion." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D., pastor; theme, "Our One Great Enemy." Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. Preaching by pastor at 7 in and return; the audience will journey to Nazareth.

Methodist church—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook; last on "The Higher Christian Life; special subject, "The Life in Holiness." Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 5. Vesper service and general prayer meeting at 7, conducted by the pastor; subject, "Christian Living a Factor in the World's Salvation."

Scrofula the Cause.

Eczema, catarrh, hip disease, white swelling and even consumption have their origin in scrofulous conditions. With the slightest taint of scrofula in the blood there is no safety. The remedy for this disease in all its forms is Hood's Sarsaparilla, which goes to the root of the trouble and expels all impurities and disease germs from the blood. The best family cathartic is Hood's Pills.

"Cure the cough and save the life." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs and colds down to the very verge of consumption.

Ten thousand demons gnawing away at one's vitals couldn't be much worse than the tortures of itching piles. Yet there's a cure. Doan's Ointment never fails.

Not Competent to Judge.

They were discussing the new minister.

"He has a fine delivery, don't you think?" she asked.

"Really, I couldn't say," he answered absent-mindedly. "I never saw him pitch."—Chicago Post.

Easy to Take
Easy to Operate

Because purely vegetable—yet thorough, prompt, healthful, satisfactory—

Hood's Pills

SUBSTANTIAL
AND
LOW-PRICED
Parlor Suits

TO ESTABLISH BUSINESS FRIENDSHIP AT ONCE.

Selected coverings on 5 pieces
Clean-cut frames around 5 pieces
Deep springs inside 5 pieces
A square firm back of 5 pieces
The price on these 5 pieces

$55.00 Terms $10.00 and $1.00 a week.

Your money back if you discover anything wrong.

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Storm Skirts.

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A fine assortment of all the
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WOONSOCKET, R. I.

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—AND WEEK.—

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Supporting ALLIE GERALD and EUGENE POWERS in a REPERTOIRE of STANDARD PLAYS.

Change of bill at each performance.
Prices—10, 20 and 30c.
Matinee every day except Monday.

Saturday Matinee and Night, Nov. 10, UNCLE SAM IN CHINA. Night prices, 15, 25, 35 and 50c. Matinee, 10, 20 and 30c.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

The Assessors will be in their office, Ray's block, on

SATURDAY, NOV. 10, 1900,

from 1 until 4 p., to hear causes for the abatement of taxes.

WILLIAM ROCKWOOD,
JAMES O. CHILSON,
ELISHA P. CHAPMAN,
Assessors.

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SHEET MUSIC.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, SS.

SUPERIOR COURT.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court, next to be holden at Dedham within and for the County of Norfolk on the first Monday of December next.

Respectfully represents Achsah Camp of Bellingham, in said county, that she was lawfully married to Fred Camp, now of parts unknown, at Medway on the twelfth day of December, A. D. 1879, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Fred Camp lived together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit., at Medway in said county, that your libellant has always been faithful to her marriage vows and obligations, but the said Fred Camp being wholly regardless of the same at Medway aforesaid on or about the first day of August, 1889, utterly deserted your libellant and has continued such desertion to the date of this libel.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and the said Fred Camp.

Dated the sixteenth day of October, A. D. 1900.

ACHSAH CAMP.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, SS.

SUPERIOR COURT.

On the foregoing libel it is ordered that the libelant give notice to the said Fred Camp, the libellee, to appear before the Justices of this Court, to be holden at Dedham within and for said county, on the first Monday of December next, by causing an attested copy of said libel, and of this order thereon, to be published once in a week for three successive weeks in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before the said first Monday of December next, and further, by sending through the mail, as soon as may be, by a registered letter addressed to the last known residence of the said Fred Camp an attested copy of said libel and of this order thereon, that the said Fred Camp may then and there show cause why the prayer of said libel should not be granted.

By the Court,
LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.

October 22, A. D. 1900.

A true copy of said libel and the order thereon.
Attest R. B. WORTHINGTON,
Assistant Clerk.
26,2,9

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Daniel Kempton to the Milford Savings Bank, dated October 17, 1877, and recorded with Norfolk deeds, book 434, page 73, and for a breach of the condition thereof, will be sold at public auction upon the premises, on

SATURDAY, THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1900,

at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely "A certain tract or parcel of land situated in Bellingham in our county of Norfolk, containing about fifty acres of land bounded and described as follows, viz. Beginning at the southeast corner of the premises on the Scott hill road leading from said Bellingham to Woonsocket, at corner of land of Israel B. Salisbury, thence running westerly by land of the heirs of Lebbeus Gaskill and Nahum Cook to land conveyed by the grantor to Otis D. and Warren J. Ballou, thence northerly by said last-named land to land of Nahum Cook; thence easterly by land of Nahum Cook and Mrs. Anson Salisbury to the said road, thence southerly by and with said road to the point of departure; being all the land described in a deed from Elias Kempton and others, dated May 22, 1872, recorded in said registry, book 410, page 119, except one tract sold to Otis D. and Warren J. Ballou."

Terms made known at time of sale or upon application to Jesse A. Taft, Counsellor at Law, Milford, Mass.

MILFORD SAVINGS BANK,
By JAMES E. WALKER, Treas.
26,2,9

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of William Mann, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, two certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament, and one codicil, of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Willard Everett of Lowell, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the fifth day of December, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this seventh day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

no9,16,23

UP IN SMOKE

There are many financial schemes that send your money "up in smoke."
The money you invest in

OUR CIGARS

Also goes "up in smoke"—with a difference—

YOU GET YOUR MONEY'S WORTH!

I carry a carefully selected stock of the Best Known Brands of

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ALBERT C. MASON, Druggist

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THIS SALE.
SPECIAL BARGAINS.

PRICES— **25c., 39c., 50c.**

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FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6.10, 6.45 a.m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10.15 p. m. Last cars to car barn at 10.45 and 11.15 p. m.

FRANLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m., connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket. Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.15 a. m., and then on hour and half hour till 10.30 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham Four Corners for Caryville every hour from 6 to 9 a. m., 12 m. to 2 p. m., 4 to 9 p. m., returning on the half hour. Cars leaving Franklin at 6.45, 7.45, 11.45 a. m. and 12.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.45, 6.45 and 7.45 p. m. connect at Bellingham Four Corners with cars for Caryville.

FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave 6.00, 7.30, 8.15 a. m.; hourly to 6.15 p. m.; 8.15, 10.15 p. m. Return, 6.40, 8.15 a. m.; hourly till 7.15 p. m.; 9.15, 11.15 p. m.

oc19S H. M. YOUNG, Sup't.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, SS.

To the Honorable the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Norfolk:

Respectfully represent your petitioners being five and more inhabitants of the town of Wrentham, in said county of Norfolk, that common convenience and necessity require that that part of East street, in said Wrentham, which begins at the line separating the towns of Wrentham and Foxborough and runs westerly to a point near the almshouse in said Wrentham, which point is the terminus of the former relocation of the westerly part of said East street as made by the county commissioners of said county of Norfolk, be located anew, the boundary lines thereof established and alterations made in its course and width.

Wherefore your petitioners pray that you will, after giving notice and proceeding in the manner prescribed in laying out highways, order and decree that that part of East street above described be located anew, the boundary thereof be established, that such alterations in its course and width as your Board deems proper be made, and that such further proceedings may be had in the premises as the statute requires.

Dated this eighteenth day of September, A. D. 1900.

DANIEL BROWN and nineteen others.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NORFOLK, SS.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners, begun and held at Dedham, within and for said county of Norfolk, on the fourth Tuesday of September, A. D. 1900, and by adjournment on the sixteenth day of October, A. D. 1900,

On the petition aforesaid, Ordered that the County Commissioners will meet at the town house in Wrentham on

SATURDAY, the FIRST day of DECEMBER, 1900,

at 10 o'clock a. m. and thence proceed to view the route described in said petition and hear and act thereon.

And that an attested copy of said petition, with this order thereon, be served upon the clerk of the town of Wrentham thirty days at least before the time appointed for said view, and also that a like copy be published three weeks successively in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed at Franklin, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said view, and that like copies be posted up in two or more public places in Wrentham fourteen days at least before said view, that all persons and corporations interested for or against said petition may then and there appear and be heard if they see fit.

LOUIS A. COOK, Clerk.

A true copy of original petition on file and of order thereon.

Attest R. B. WORTHINGTON,
Assistant Clerk.

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Business Announcements In the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL are invariably read.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

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North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
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Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
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" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

The Y. M. C. A. will meet in their rooms in Morse block this evening.

The Mothers' section will meet on Friday afternoon with Mrs. Eva Sherman.

An original widow's pension of $8 a month has been granted to Harriet E. Turner.

Miss Mary McCormick of Boston, a former resident, visited friends here last Saturday.

The Cooley adultery case has been settled and withdrawn from court by mutual consent.

J. E. Razee has been confined to the house the past week, but is now able to be out again.

Dean second defeated the North Attleboro High team at football Saturday afternoon, 6 to 0.

Mrs. Burr, Miss Burr and Mr. John Chase of Boston were guests of Mrs. W. E. Tower Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Kingston Ballard and Mrs. Gilpatrick have returned from a week's visit in New York.

Miss Jones and Miss Inez Jones have left their residence on Union street to board at 141 Central street.

Mrs. C. L. Stewart sang at a special meeting of the Y. M. C. A. in Milford yesterday afternoon and evening.

The assessors held a meeting on Saturday afternoon to listen to claims for abatement, some of which were allowed.

The will of the late Hubbard M. Bullock has been allowed, Mira S. Bullock being named as executrix in the sum of $7,000.

Mrs. M. V. B. Kinne and Mrs. Etta Potter of Providence were visitors over Sunday with W. W. Haslam of East street.

One retail store in town reports an increase trade over last year, which is attributed to the building of the electric street railways.

A mission at St. Mary's church will commence next Sunday and continue for two weeks. The first week will be devoted to women and the second to men.

At the Epworth league prayer meeting next Friday evening the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook, will take charge and speak on "The Epworth League Pledge. Everyone is invited.

A few of the farmers believe in the value of leaves for compost enough to gather loads of them in the village and cart them to the barn cellars, thereby relieving the villagers of a nuisance.

The rummage sale of St. John's Guild closed last Saturday evening after a successful run of two weeks. A number of articles are left, however, and will be offered for sale at extremely cheap rates in a few days.

The parishioners of St. Mary's have nearly completed all arrangements for the coffee party to be held at the Opera house next Friday evening. Many tickets have been sold and the affair is already an assured success.

The Epworth league will hold a social at the residence of Joseph T. Hutchinson, Jr., on Arlington street, tomorrow evening, at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be in charge of the social committee, Miss Lottie Waterman, chairman.

The Masonic fraternity go to Milford on Wednesday evening to enjoy a social evening with brethren there The trip to Milford will be made in the regular trolley car which leaves here at 6.45. The party will return in a special car.

"Prince Pro Tem" will be at the Opera house Nov. 23 This is the same big company that is playing in all large cities. The cast includes fine singers, a witty dialogue, a firstclass orchestra, and gives an entertainment worthy of a large audience.

As E. P. Chapman was moving a carboy of acid the other day the carboy broke in the middle, some of the contents streaming out upon him and his clothes. A hurried bath soon made him none the worse for his accident, though it might have been much more serious.

We noted in Friday's issue that there was to be an entertainment at Dean academy that evening in the interest of the athletic association. We made a slight mistake in the date. It should have been next Friday evening, when all who go will be amply repaid by the treat provided.

The work of grading the cemetery grounds is being carried on and will probably continue until cold weather puts a stop to operations. The lower or western end of the grounds is at present where the workmen are engaged, and the parts already seeded present a much improved appearance.

At the meeting of the selectmen last Friday evening Roswell K. Stevens was appointed chief of the fire department, vice J. B. McKinnon, retired. Complaints had been received by the board that the Sunday law was being violated, and the police officers were instructed to see that the law was enforced.

There will be a special meeting of the Young Men's Christian association this evening, at 7.30 o'clock, at the new rooms of the association in the Morse building opposite the Opera house. Every member should be present. The executive committee will meet at 7 o'clock to arrange for furnishing rooms at once.

Railroad train employes must be thoroughly disgusted with the time-worn custom of wedding parties which leads them to shower the departing pair with rice. On evening trains, which are usually taken by bridal couples, the trainmen see this ceremony gone through with, and it leaves depot platforms and cars literally littered with rice.

An improvement in the Wrentham and Plainville street railway service could be made by changing the time of starting at the ends of the route, instead of consuming the time in slow runs. The patrons of the road would be much better pleased to have the time at the ends of the run than to use it in unnecessary slowness in travel after making a start.

The Republican town committee at its meeting Saturday evening decided that as there was no regular campaign organization nor any marching uniformed body to make a parade, it was impracticable to have the proposed jollification. The members felt no other celebration than a parade would be adequate and so a formal observance was given up by the committee.

Eleven members of the Franklin Social club participated in a cross country run on Sunday afternoon. The route was from the club room in Central square to Diamond Hill, and from thence to the Monument House in Woonsocket. The run was made in two hours and fifteen minutes. First prize was taken by Philip Foran, second by Patrick Neelon and third by Fred Holbrook.

Business men who have done little advertising would be surprised if they could know how large a proportion of newspaper readers are really interested in "ads." People like to learn facts about almost any business, and do not have to be enticed into reading an advertisement that tells something. How to reach the buyers in a community is no problem to experienced advertisers; the reputable newspaper is their efficient medium.

As some of our election figures were compiled shortly after election, the revised figures gave some of the candidates a larger number of votes. This was the case in regard to Congressman elect Powers, who received 21,378, with Baker 10,663 and Storey 2,878. This gave Mr. Powers a plurality of 10,715, which was the second largest plurality given any of the congressional candidates, and is especially gratifying to Mr. Powers and his friends. We are pleased to make this note in the interest of correctness.

The Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket Street Railway company has presented a petition to the railroad commissioners for authority to increase its capital stock by the amount of $50,000, and to issue bonds for a like amount for the purpose of building extensions of the road, purchasing equipment, constructing power stations and acquiring real estate and other property. The company also petitions for approval of its acquisition of a pleasure resort. The commissioners will give a hearing on the petition at their office in Boston next Monday morning.

Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Miner will be the guests of John B. Anthony and Misses Anthony of 72 Manning street, Providence, during the sessions of the Church congress to be held in that city from Tuesday of this week until Friday night.

A farmer is moved to remark that a short crop is best for the farmer's pocketbook, because, while he has comparatively little to sell, that little nets him more money than the large product at low prices. In fruits this year this has been the case, and all kinds have been abundant and cheap. Apples are offered from $1 50 to $2 a barrel, and pears have been cheap all the fall. It is probable that the production of cider will be large this fall.

It is getting to be the custom for passengers using mileage books to ask conductors how many miles they detach. To obviate this a new mileage book has made its appearance on the Boston and Maine. The feature of the new book is the fact that upon the back cover there are numbers, counting by twenties, to the amount of mileage in the book. The orders are that when a conductor takes a fare be shall punch out a corresponding number from the back. Thus if a passenger goes twenty miles he will punch out twenty, etc. The object of this is that the passenger may readily see the number of miles that have been taken by the conductor.

Fred Clark of Medway was in town yesterday visiting friends, and incidentally relating his experiences in the Philippines. He has just returned from the service of Uncle Sam, broken in health. He does not appear to be very enthusiastic over the situation there, and thinks it will take some time to complete the subjugation of the natives, and guerrilla warfare may continue a long time. It is a hard place for an American, so unused to the climate and conditions, but if a soldier is careful he may be able to escape many of the dangers which menace the health of the foreigner. He doesn't care for any more foreign service.

Any cause which militates against the country press is to be deplored. It has a place and a mission which cannot be supplied by any other agency, and we hold that it is the bounden duty of every community to patronize and sustain the country newspapers. Outside the large cities and railroad towns the people have few opportunities for reading the dailies, and to them the weekly or semi weekly published in their own town ought to be a necessity, and they ought to help the editors and publishers to get out such a sheet as would be both a help and credit to the community and a welcome visitor to the citizens. It is the duty of every citizen to take his home paper and pay for it.—Fourth Estate.

The Monday evening lecture before the Franklin teachers was given this week by the Rev. F. B. Sleeper on "The Mayflower Log, or The Contemporary History of the Pilgrims," written by Gov. Wm. Bradford. Mr. Sleeper had obtained from the State house a fac simile of the original work, and this was eagerly examined at the close of the address. It is an interesting fact that as a result of Senator Hoar's visit to Fulham palace, where the original volume was kept, and his suggestion to the bishop of London that America was its most appropriate abiding place, this precious document was brought across the Atlantic by Ambassador Bayard and presented three years ago to the commonwealth of Massachusetts.

There are young men in every town who seem to consider themselves of superior importance when they pass along the streets puffing a cigar or a cigarette and using language unfit for ordinary conversation. Young ladies who claim respectability are often seen in company with such fellows, and do not seem to feel that they are lowering themselves in public estimation by keeping such company. Good habits should be one criterion for young ladies to consider among their main acquaintances. When a young man cannot be in public without habitually punctuating his sentences with profanity and vulgarity he ought to go away into some secluded locality and stay there until he can learn to be decent in word and act.—Exchange.

The annual "Bible Day" of the Baptist denomination was well observed last Sunday by the Baptist church in this village. In the forenoon Rev. F. B. Sleeper gave an impressive discourse on the danger of ignoring the Bible as God's Word, or admiring the scriptures rather than living according to their truth, of forcing contrary human opinion into divine revelation, and of restlessly looking for some higher philosophy to supersede the Bible. In the evening there was a large attendance at the Sunday school concert. The printed program was furnished for the occasion by the American Baptist Publication society. There was excellent singing, fine recitations, responsive readings and a short address by the pastor. A collection of a little more than $10.00 was taken for the work of the Publication society in sending out Bible and Christian literature.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

Ordered to Close.

At the last meeting of the selectmen an order was promulgated authorizing the clerk to notify a number of the places doing business in town that the Sunday law must be obeyed and the stores must be closed. This order included principally the confectionery and fruit stores, not affecting the drug stores, stationery stores or restaurants.

We have no desire to interfere with the legitimate business of any merchant in town, but when it becomes the general rule for stores to keep open all day Sunday with the same freedom as upon any other day the question arises, where shall the line be drawn? All of the grocery stores keep candy and cigars. Why not permit them to keep open, as well as confectionery and stationery stores? No doubt the state law permits the sale of medicines and papers and tobacco, but the law is quite likely to be abused, and goods of every name and nature come to be sold regardless of time or place. It is difficult to draw the line, but it is safe to say the accommodation to the public in the matter of Sunday selling is made subservient to mere money getting. If unrestricted selling is permitted one class of merchants, why not others? If the proprietors of prohibited establishments and others would but look at the matter fairly they would see that the less stores open in Franklin upon the Sabbath day the better it will be for the good name of the town and incidentally for the proprietors themselves.

Secured at Last.

For more than six weeks the young men, and some of the older ones, have been in quest of rooms suitable for the Young Men's Christian association, which has been recently formed here; but though a number of locations were considered there seemed to be some drawback that prevented their being just the thing. As time went on some of the members began to fear that the winter would get around before the association would find a home, but within the last few days things have taken a change, and through the persistent efforts of John E. Barber, chairman of the special room committee, a most desirable suite of rooms has been obtained in the Morse building, and at the present time is rapidly being put in readiness for the association. The suite consists of a reception and social room, reading room and gymnasium, and it is hoped a class room for educational work will be added in the near future.

The rooms are to be put in the best condition and furnished in an attractive and homelike manner, thus providing a most desirable place for the young men of our town. At the present time the membership numbers over eighty and additions are being made daily. The finance committee has already bonafide pledges for nearly $400, and they are very hard at work trying to, at least, double this amount, as it is the intention of those in charge to have the association's home one that any young man may well be proud of. If you have not already contributed, be sure to do so, as it is an opportunity to help on a good work and encourage the young men. It is expected the rooms will be fully equipped and opened before the end of the month.

Let the Good Work Go On.

In the district court on Saturday Nathan A. Daniels retracted his plea of not guilty and pleaded guilty to the charge of keeping intoxicating liquors with intent to sell. He was fined $50. This is the third of the four persons raided recently by Deputy Sheriff Fitzpatrick to plead guilty and pay the fines imposed Officer Fitzpatrick feels confident of eventually convicting McParland, whose case comes up Saturday. Not a little credit is due this officer not only for the successful raids, but also to the fact that the evidence was so strong against these parties by reason of his skillful management that the defendants did not even contest and pleaded guilty and paid. Many are not aware of the peculiar feature of the law, which provides that if convictions are found and fines paid in the district court the fines are paid over to the town, but if an appeal is taken to the supreme court at Dedham the fines thus imposed go to the county and not to the town.

The old hearse is for sale. It rests in a building in the Union street cemetery, and the building is wanted for other purposes. It was bought by the town about 40 years ago and for many years has been superseded by a more modern and more fashionable carriage. An old citizen recalls the first time it was used for a funeral, one of the wheel boxes became heated, the wheel refused to turn and extra horse power was required to drag the vehicle to the burial ground It did duty many years after that, the the only one in town, and in it many of Franklin's respected citizens took their last earthly journey.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Violets and 100 chrysanthemums. Slade's greenhouse.

Looking Backward.

When Henry Bailey of the state board of education gave a talk in the High school building recently he illustrated his subject by setting down on the blackboard twenty five numbers, commencing with one and counting up to twenty five. He set down opposite each number one article of common use, not luxuries, but necessaries. So common, and seemingly necessary were these articles, so unreal seemed any life without them, that it was almost impossible to believe that they had all been invented within the memory of some who were listening to the speaker's voice. We remember yet with what delight our childish minds took in the wonders of the Arabian Nights, but the real things that have grown up before our eyes, and become part of our civilization, puts them completely in the backgrond. Sitting in the bright electric glare of these closing days of the nineteenth century, and looking backward on all that was won for us by the light of the tallow dips of its early years, we may form some estimate of what we owe to the opening years of the twentieth. For the world's work is all of one piece, and we should be unworthy legatees of all the past did we not ask ourselves "What must we do?" The work of those who preceded us is perfected in us.

Great as has been the advance along material lines, along social and political lines, the development of religious thought has kept even pace with them all. Reforms work from the inside out, never from the outside in. Within the church have arisen men, pure and spiritual in their lives, who, with prophetic vision, have caught glimpses of something above and beyond the thought of their time, and possessing the reformer's spirit, as well as this prophetic instinct, they have not only risen themselves to a broader air, a clearer view, but they have been able to mould and influence the religious thought of the age along the lines of their own development.

To consider the work of these men, and its influence upon the development of the religious thought of the nineteenth century is instructive and inspiring. The possibility of doing this in the company of one whose patient research, whose historical knowledge, makes him a reliable guide is within our reach. A course of talks dealing with this subject solely from a historical standpoint, with no partisan or sectarian end in view, is being given at the vesper services of the Universalist church, by the pastor. All who heard the talk on the great German theologian and philosopher, Schleiermacher, must have felt it a privilege to study the character of this great Moravian preacher in the company of one who had evidently imbibed so much of the life and spirit of his subject.

To study the progress of any great reform is to become imbued with the spirit of that reform. Do we ever stop to think how much inspiration would have been lost to the world had the eleventh chapter of Hebrews, that Westminster abbey of the New Testament, never been written? Yet "these all died in faith, not having received the promises, God having provided some better thing for us that they without us should not be made perfect." That is, their work needed the co-operation of other generations to make it perfect. So the work of the great reformers of any age is perfected in their successors. Let us attend these lectures and learn what has been done for us that we may take up the work and make it perfect.

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In November

is the best time to sit for portraits for Christmas. Don't wait till the rush of December. Latest and best in portraiture now and always at

CALKIN'S STUDIO, Depot street.

"Ben Hur," which opens at the new Colonial theatre in Boston the second week in December, ran for twenty-four weeks in New York last season. The receipts aggregated nearly half a million dollars, and fully 475,000 people witnessed it. September 3d last it began a five weeks' engagement in New York. During that time over $75,000 were added to its New York receipts. Oct. 8 "Ben Hur" began an engagement in Philadelphia, where it is drawing the largest attendance and receipts ever known in that city.

DAVID CITY, NEB., April 1, 1900.
Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.:

Gentlemen:—I must say in regard to GRAIN-O that there is nothing better or healthier. We have used it for years. My brother was a great coffee drinker. He was taken sick and the doctor said coffee was the cause of it and told us to use GRAIN O. We got a package but did not like it at first, but now would not be without it. My brother has been well ever since we started to use it.

Yours truly, LILLIE SOCHOR.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Fish received fresh daily. Oysters in and out of shell. Blue fish, butter fish, halibut, cod, haddock, Finnan haddie, clams and oysters at Paine's market.

Transient and regular patrons will find good service, clean and quick work at Ochee's barber shop, Opera house block.

Sleepy People Make Sleepy Towns.

The editor of the East Hartford Enterprise, in criticising his own town in certain matters, utters some expressions which might fit some other places. He says in substance:

"Talk baby show and the whole town will turn out and the women folks will be delighted; talk baseball and all business men are interested; talk horse and immediately the alleged business men are up to their eyes in it; but talk sense and that which stands for the town's natural interests and growth and all our business men have engagements elsewhere. The town is here and the people are sleeping in it, and that is about all. Once in a while they open their eyes long enough to kick and then fall back upon the pillow and snooze again.

"Prince Pro Tem."

On Friday, Nov. 23, at the Morse opera house, the attraction will be the exceedingly popular musical fantasie, "Prince Pro Tem," with its wealth of beautiful scenery, its bevy of pretty girls, its opulence of costly raiment, its unctious comedy and other features. Those who evince a partiality for comedy of a refined order, for tuneful, prettily-conceived music and delightful scenes, find a surfeit of all these features in this clever opera. It is to be given here but one night so be sure and engage your seats in advance.

Nothing has been heard from the petition for a rural mail delivery route in this section, but it is supposed the postal authorities will consider the matter in due time. Some inquiries have been made, which might indicate that the subject is under investigation. The signatures for the petition were easily obtained, the people living on the proposed route being generally ready to accept such a convenience. But as large bodies, and especially governmental bodies, move slowly, some time will probably go by before anything definite is known.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

Boarders wanted at No. 3 Howard street. Mrs Potter. 9,13*

Five or six good cider barrels for sale. E O. Simonds, Dean avenue. 13*

For Sale—A good willing horse, price $45 F. S. Fownes, Box 197. 13 16*

Would like to do housework in small family. Address, Box 715, Franklin. 13*

Two hundred cords of trash wood for sale by E. S. Cook, Box 212. 26Ftf

Furnished rooms to rent, with board, at 39 Dean avenue. Box 709. 9,13*

Frank O. Dudley, formerly with R. G. Irwin, will do bicycle repairing at the corner of Central and Union streets. 9-8t*

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

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Every issue of the Youth's Companion for the nine weeks of November and December will be enlarged and the holiday numbers will be double the usual size, with richly decorated covers. From now until the end of the year the Companion will be crowded with articles and stories sufficiently varied to please every taste in both old and young—men and women, boys and girls.

Among the contributions announced for early issues are "How I Acted the Missionary," by Sir Henry Stanley; "With the Pretoria Guard," by Rider Haggard; "A Historic Game of Football," by Walter Camp; "Horse Sense," by Frank R. Stockton; "Pulpit Eloquence, by Dean Farrar; "Days of Long Ago," by Ian Maclaren; and "A Baritone Among Famous People," by Victor Maurel; in addition to which there will be serial and short stories by Margaret Deland, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps Ward, Bliss Perry, Charles W. Chestnutt and other writers of delightful fiction.

Those who subscribe now for 1901 will receive the Companion for the remaining weeks of 1900 free from the time of subscription, in addition to the "Puritan Girl" calendar for 1901, lithographed in twelve colors from exquisite designs painted expressly for the Companion.

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An Old and Large Carpet House.

An idea of the magnitude of the business of the John H. Pray & Sons company may be gathered from a list of some of the contracts taken this fall, among them being the furnishing of the new Colonial theatre, the Hollis Street Theatre, the Berkeley Hotel, the Rhode Island state house, Providence, and the new Hotel Lenox, corner of Exeter and Boylston streets, Boston. The last named contract was for about $100,000, and the entire furnishing of carpets, upholstery and furniture has been undertaken by Messrs. Pray & Co. The company has special facilities for handling large contracts, as it always carries an extensive stock of the most desirable goods, which are at all times available for prompt delivery.

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Their Work Is Injurious.

It is a mistake to defy a [illegible] need. Mental work performed [illegible] because [illegible] use is not a man's best, because [illegible] concentration is imperfect while [illegible] of the body is in revolt [illegible] physical authority. It would pay [illegible] in the quality of his work and the facility with which he does it to get up and take a short walk to relieve muscular irritability and insistence. The same thing is true of other bodily necessities. Refused satisfaction, they continue to intrude upon consciousness with more or less acuteness, disturbing the power of concentration and causing friction. And though habitual neglect finally [illegible] consciousness, there is always a dim sense of wrong. At length instinct and normal function become so perverted by neglect and caprice that they no longer suffice to keep the body in health and the brain must stop other work to devise artificial means and expedients to take the place of natural [illegible]. Then we have a state of [illegible]ism and the work of regeneration and return to health [illegible] painful comparatively few regain the straight and narrow path of compliance with nature's [illegible]. If people respected the body and obeyed its laws and knew the inevitable penalties which follow disobedience chronic disease would be less common. Habit becomes law to the body to a very great extent and bad habits pervert the action of beneficial physical laws. It is impossible to keep the organs tuned up to normal standards of function if we persistently ignore their promptings and turn our backs on their necessities. The man or woman who would have healthy regular, painless organs must earn their gratitude by recognizing their just claims and conceding them fair treatment. Delicate appetites, desires and instincts can be made more robust and hardier by intelligent cultivation.

A returned traveler from Porto Rico notes that the shopkeepers of San Juan are taking kindly to English. A placard in a leading cafe notifies patrons that they may obtain "soda wat" and "shaked milk;" a grocer advertises that he has "a constant stock of groceries" and makes a "great especialty of French and Spanish preserves," and a real estate broker has an "ause to let." Many stores, hotels and casinos have taken names connected with the American occupation of the island, such as "Twenty-fifth of July," "Uncle Sam's House," etc.

The qualifications of some men who hold public office in Bucks county, Pa., are not considered, judging from several amusing returns made. Among the causes of death, for example, reported to the clerk of the orphans' court were "hart parlias," "paraliya," "hart truble," "newmonia," "quinzie," "hooping cough" and "tumer." Another person was reported as having died of "live cupiat," which was translated into meaning "liver complaint." Another man is reported to have died of "fusion of the brain."

There is such a thing as too much realism. They are trying to have a "David Harum day" at Tully Lake Park, near Syracuse, where the famous "boss trade" scene is to be read by a professional impersonator. But the farmers in that region who were buncoed by the real David, says the Troy (N. Y.) Times, and who have never seen the humor nor the merit in the book, are vigorously protesting, and the chances are the day will not be held.

In a New Jersey town a man has declined a nomination for alderman because all the other members of the common council are Germans and German is the only language spoken at the meetings.

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N[illegible] P[illegible], [illegible] N. Y.

Strange Uses of Postage Stamps.

Most of us have read of [illegible] ways [illegible] used [illegible] stamps. These [illegible] we know [illegible] when [illegible] very [illegible] working [illegible] certain [illegible] at the [illegible] of St. [illegible] there is [illegible] transformed [illegible] by [illegible] the [illegible], decorating the walls with gorgeous landscapes glowing with color and full of life which are formed entirely by means of [illegible] stamps of [illegible]. Palaces, forests, streams [illegible] are represented, but [illegible] flit about in the air, birds of beautiful plumage perch on branches, snakes and lizards glide about, and innumerable animals find places here and there. The pictures are most artistic in the style of Chinese landscape gardening, and already between 9,000,000 and 10,000,000 stamps have been used.—Good Literature.

Philosophy of Improvidence.

"Why don't you take an example from the little busy bee?"

"I do," answered Meandering Mike. "I go around from flower to flower—that is to say, from house to house—gatherin' up de sweets of life. But I'm altogedder too wise to hunt a hive an' go fillin' it full o' de fruits o' me labor, so dat some udder feller kin come along an' rob it whenever he happens to feel de need o' honey."—Washington Star.

Not Worded Just Right.

"Did you kiss him?" demanded the mother.

"Certainly not," indignantly answered the girl. "Do you think I'd be so forward?" And a few minutes after she gave a deep sigh, and [illegible] muttered softly to herself: "The [illegible], she didn't ask if he kissed me."—Chicago Post.

One Kind of Kindness.

She—Is he kind to his family?

He—I think not. He never sends any money home when he is on the road.

"Well, that's what I would call unremitting kindness."—Chicago Evening News.

The Cat Out of the Bag.

Mrs. Homespun (cautiously) — I think Ethel has her mind set on Lieut. Le[illegible].

Mr. Homespun—Got her mind set on him! Great Scott! When I looked in the parlor the other evening she had her entire being set on him.—Judge.

The Usual Result.

Young Enoch (who has an inquiring mind)—Paw, when you drop a nickel into one o' them slot machines what happens?

Farmer Bentrack (who has been there)—Ye see how easy it is for a durn fool to lose five cents!—Puck.

A Candid Statement.

Fuddy—Honestly, now, what kind of weather do you like best?

Duddy—That is a subject that has bothered me a great deal. On mature reflection I think the weather I like best is the weather we are not having at the time.—Tit-Bits.

Not What He Meant.

She—Don't you think that I have a very pretty mouth?

He (absent-mindedly)—Yes, darling; it's simply immense.—Tit-Bits.

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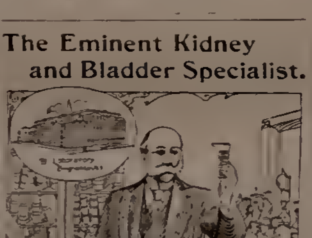

The Discoverer of Swamp-Root at Work in His Laboratory.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell. Then the richness of the blood—the albumen—leaks out and the sufferer has Bright's Disease, the worst form of kidney trouble.

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In six important particulars the Pan-American Exposition will outrival all former undertakings of this description. These are in the electrical effects, in the hydraulic and fountain effects, in horticultural and floral decorations, in the variety and splendor of its statuary, in color decorations and in the court settings. The highest skill has been employed in developing these features, and no pains will be spared to bring them to a degree of perfection never before achieved.

A large number of the most noted sculptors of America are engaged upon the models for the magnificent decorative display of original sculpture. About 125 groups of statuary will be employed in the ornamentation of buildings and grounds, aside from numberless small sculptures, such as beads, floral pieces, medallions, arabesques and work in relief upon all buildings and architectural works.

Among the 20 or more great buildings which will shelter the multitude of exhibits to be brought together for the entertainment and education of the public next year the Agriculture building ranks among the largest. This is situated on the north side of the Mall, opposite the Manufactures building and east of the huge Electric Tower, which is to be the centerpiece of electric illumination.

The Agriculture building is 500 feet long by 150 wide. It is very ornamental in its exterior aspect, having broad, high entrances richly adorned with appropriate plastic work. The southern facade is characterized by an open loggia which forms an attractive resting place or promenade from which the crowds upon the Mall may be observed. The roof of red tile, with broad overhanging eaves, will harmonize with the softer tints of the exterior walls. The broad cornice is to be particularly rich in its decorative detail.

The exhibit in the Agriculture building will embrace every possible phase of agricultural work, showing the advantages of different processes and methods of work and the products of the garden and field in their great variety, produced under all sorts of conditions.

The superintendent of this division is Mr. Frank A. Converse of Woodville, N. Y., a stock grower and farmer of thorough experience in Exposition work, who has been prominent in farmers' institute work on behalf of the New York state department of agriculture. Mr. Converse is receiving the cooperation of many prominent associations and individuals, and his correspondence at this early date indicates a most comprehensive exhibit of scientific farming in all its branches.

Under the classification of agricultural systems will be shown methods of fertilization, including the use of cover crops, commercial fertilizers, crop rotation, systems of soiling, with bulletins, statistics, addresses and exhibitions of crops raised by the use of particular fertilizers.

Under the classification of farm management and processes the different systems will be illustrated with the view of assisting farmers to determine whether it is best to keep a variety of stock or a particular breed and, if but one kind, which shall be favored.

The question of farm help and the different specialties in the way of fruit, grain and truck farming will be treated exhaustively. The experience of a large number of farmers under many conditions of the soil, climate, etc., will be brought together for the information of all who wish to learn.

Under the classification of agricultural statistics will be presented reports from different states and provinces issued by the departments of agriculture, experimental stations, various horticultural, live stock and dairying associations, showing the aggregate of crops and products of all kinds.

Under the head of cereals will be exhibits from different states and localities, wheat, rye, oats, barley, corn, buckwheat and rice. The exhibits will be arranged to prove which crop is best fitted for each state or locality. These exhibits will show the many varieties of cereals in their highest stage of development.

Apple Growers Much Interested.

Missouri apples are to have a prominent place at the Pan-American Exposition. Apple growers in many states are making plans to be well represented. By means of cold storage arrangements it is hoped to have a continuous and complete display of fruits throughout the Exposition season.

Preparing the Kansas Exhibit.

Kansas is preparing a grand display of fruits and other products for the Pan-American Exposition. Kansas is popularly looked upon only as a great corn state, but her possibilities in all round farming, stock raising and fruit and vegetable growing are to be shown by means of splendid object lessons in her exhibits at Buffalo next year.

Eruptions

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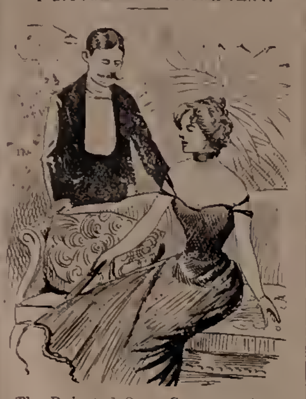

The Rejected One—Can you give me no hope? At some future time, perhaps—

She—Well, come to me again in ten years, and if I should be still unmarried I'll—I'll think of it.—Judy.

Reformer.

"You say that you are a reformer?"

"Yes."

"But you don't keep people from working all day and sleeping all night talking about the world going wrong and inventing social experiments."

"No. That's the habit I'm trying to reform."—Washington Star.

No Chance to Escape.

Newlywed—What is the right thing to do when your wife asks you for money and you haven't got it?

Oletimer—Oh! there is no right thing to do under those circumstances! Anything you do will be wrong!—Puck.

A Village Blacksmith Saved His Little Son's Life.

Mr. H. H. Black, the well-known village blacksmith at Grahamsville, Sullivan Co., N. Y., says: "Our little son, five years old, has always been subject to croup, and so bad have the attacks been that we have feared many times that he would die. We have had the doctor and used many medicines, but Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is now our sole reliance. It seems to dissolve the tough mucus and by giving frequent doses when the croupy symptoms appear we have found that the dreaded croup is cured before it gets settled." There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains no opium or other injurious drug, and may be given as confidently to a babe as to an adult. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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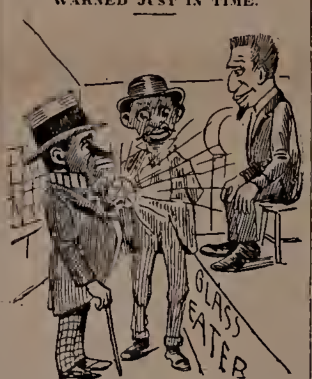
Another Young Schemer.

"Mamma," said small Willie, "when sister Mary had the toothache you took her to the dentist and had it filled, didn't you?"

"Yes, Willie," she replied.

"Well," continued the little diplomat, "I've got the stomachache; don't you think you had better take me to the candy store and get it filled?"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

WARNED JUST IN TIME.



Cautious Friend (aside)—Better cover up dat pin, Mr. Johnsing; de glass-eater's smackin' his lips. — Chicago Daily News.

Among the Classics.

"These eggs are older than history," whispered the sweet singer, as she broke the third shell.

"Perhaps they are the 'Lays of Ancient Rome,'" said the comedian boarder, who read classics during the summer months.—Chicago Daily News.

He Will Try It Soon.

"My lover's the man in the moon," trilled Miss Frocks, as she walked in the gloaming with young Goldthorpe.

"I'd prefer to be your lover in the honeymoon," cut in the young man.—Town Topics.

Happy Outcome.

Gilfoyle—Kilduff's elopement wasn't successful, was it?

Poindexter—O, I don't know. The old man caught them before they reached the minister's.—The Smart Set.

Mortgagee's Sale
—OF—
REAL ESTATE
In Franklin, Mass.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Samuel N. Fiske and his wife, Lizzie M. Fiske, in her own right, to the Dean Co-Operative Bank, dated the third day of July, A. D. 1893, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 6[illegible]6, folio 537, and to foreclose said mortgage for breach of the conditions thereof, will be sold at public auction, on the premises hereinafter described, on

WEDNESDAY, the NINETEENTH day of DECEMBER, A. D. 1900,

at [illegible] o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:

A certain piece or parcel of land, with all the buildings thereon, situated on the southerly side of Crescent street, in Franklin, in the county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the granted premises on said street at land of Lavina L. Pitts; and thence running southerly and bounding westerly on said land of said Pitts one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet, more or less, to land of Alfred C. Dana; thence easterly and bounding southerly on said land of said Alfred C. Dana seventy-four (74) feet, thence northerly and bounding easterly by land of Gregory A. Martin, formerly of the heirs of Albert E. Daniels, one hundred and eighty-eight (188) feet, more or less, to said street; thence westerly and bounding northerly on said street seventy-four (74) feet to the point of beginning, containing 13,801 square feet, more or less, being the same premises conveyed to said Lizzie M. Fiske by Mary J. Exley, by deed dated April 7th, 1893, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 690, folio 576.

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A BEER WATER BABY.

BY ELLA JEFFERISS.

WE HAD had our bath and were lounging round the tent watching the little Devonshire natives bathing, swimming far out to sea, diving off the smacks, and coming in at intervals to lie drying in the sun until they were burnt that beautiful brown that distinguished the Beer boys from the London visitors. Most of the small boys were in a state of absolute nudity. The girls, however, threw a sop to Mrs. Grundy by wearing bathing garments of some description—as a rule a cast off frock or petticoat which hung on to some part of the body, but as a rule came off in the water and had to be adjusted periodically. A nymph of five or six, with brown shapely limbs and bleached wet hair in a tangle over the blue eyes and freckled face, came stumbling barefoot over the pebbles toward us. She was clad in a shred of what courtesy would be called a bathing towel and was dragging after her a wet bathing dress. She stopped unabashed in front of my brothers and myself, demanding:

"Does you know where my clo'es is?"

"No; where did you leave them?"

She waved comprehensively round the extensive sea-scape, and sat down on the pebbles in a friendly manner.

"Suppose you wrap yourself in this bathing cloak," we said, rolling her in a big white cloak, which pleased her immensely.

"Now what clothes are there?"

"My fraak, shimmy, petticut and hoouts!" she said, decisively.

When I had come back from a search behind the rocks with the said "fraak, shimmy, petticut and hoouts," I found her vigorously rubbing her yellow mop with the wet old dishcloth she used for a towel, and interrogating my brothers in a businesslike way.

"Where be your house to?" she was asking as I came up.

"London."

"Be there sea there?"

"No; but there's a big river."

"Does you hafe in it?"

"No, it's too dirty."

"I has a w'ite fraak for Sunday, an' a red ribbon."

She dived into the pocket of the dress I had brought and produced some crumpled red ribbon, holding it up shyly and proudly above her head.

"She gave me ut!" pointing along the beach to where the French lady, whose dresses were a marvel to the quiet little village, was sitting with her poodle, and we recognized the ribbon as a cast-off top-knot of Pom-Pom's—Daisy then eyed us judicially for a minute.

"Be your house in London, too?" she asked me.

"Yes, we all live together."

"You don't, ut's a story," she said incredulously. "How would there be 'nuff to eat for those mans" (my brothers) "an' you an' the other lady?"

We turned the tables and found that Daisy had four sisters and a baby brother, and that her father was a fisherman and his "bott" was the one with the blue line round it.

"Then you have plenty of fish to eat?" I said, for raw onions and toffee were what Daisy generally made her lunch of on the beach.

"We has dog fish. The mack'rils an' dabs an' haddocks goes to Exeter. Has you a w'ite fraak for Sundays?

"Well, no. I haven't a Sunday frock at all here?"

She then eyed our black and red bathing dresses spread out to dry, and after looking at the old tweed rag that did duty for herself, said defiantly: "I have a bafing dress 's well as you!" Then she glared at it and spurned it with her shapely little brown foot.

"Well, we are going to dinner, now. What time do you have dinner, Daisy?"

"We doesn't have dinner, we has pitatus. I had some this morning."

"You seem to live on this beach?"

"Es. I be goin' to bathe again now." And she got into the old frock, put her three articles of raiment close up to our tent, and staggered over the pebbles down to the waves again. After that we always looked out for Daisy, and whoever was not on the beach we might be certain of finding her. She was the most ragged, the most neglected, and the most unkempt child in Beer, but the most charming, and she was hail-fellow-well-met with all visitors. She was delightfully lacking in self-consciousness or a sense of her "place" as a ragged little girl, and she would have requested the duke of Cambridge or the lord chancellor, had they wandered on the Beer beach, to "do up her fraack" with the utmost sang-froid. She bathed about 20 times a day, and she had only to ask the first person she encountered to get any small toilet office performed. We, however, were the most favored of her courtiers, perhaps because we possessed a certain dignity in her eyes through being the owners of the one and only bell tent; and she always honored us by spreading her dress and remnant of a towel close to ours. Once she favored me by requesting the loan of my comb. I hurriedly changed the subject. One day I was sitting reading, when she came to me with the complaint that "those mans" (my brothers) had gone off with her "fraack." She had hung it on the bows of their boat while she bathed, and meanwhile they had gone out with the boat and the unnoticed russet frock to sea. I had a pencil and paper and she requested me to write a letter for her.

"All right. What shall I say?"

That had not occurred to her, but after much pondering she dictated, to my utter mystification:

"Daisy Westlaake and Bob Hammett goes out courtin' every night an' day. So no more at present."

She scrutinized it carefully, and kept it in her fist, and then:

"Would the sky be pratty if it was brown?"

"No, I don't think so."

"Why?"

"Oh, because it wouldn't."

"But why wouldn't it?"

"Run away and bathe, Daisy!"

My brothers taught her to swim and float, and I have never seen a child so absolutely fearless of the water, almost too fearless, indeed, but these brown Devonshire water babies never seemed to come to any harm from that sea that had known them and their mothers from infancy. When the day came at last that I had to put off from Beer in the little boat that was to take me to Seaton and the unwelcome "London train," Daisy, clothed in naught but her innocence and a mop of bleached hair was rowing lustily in an anchored boat, and shouting orders in broad Devon to half a dozen other babies in the thwarts, and as I saw her for the last time I somehow felt that this wild, fearless little child of nature would in the future be something more than a fisherman's wife cleaning dog fish and making pillow lace.—Madame.

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Completely, though the fact is not confessed
You talk of reformation;
And you say you'll overturn
Our social system everytime you vote.
But a sad, perspiring nation
Breathlessly has paused to learn—
Have you nerve enough to go without a coat?

It is not a thing of beauty;
It is wrinkled in the back.
And has buttons which are not the slightest use.
But you think it is your duty.
Though the thirsty pavements crack,
To wear it and avoid the mob's abuse.
You may proudly face the firing,
You may scorn the foeman's blade
Which is murderously pointed at your throat;
But when weary and perspiring,
Are you wise and unafraid?
Have you nerve enough to go without a coat?
—Washington Star.

Happiness.

"I am so tired of Duty's face," I cried,
"Her changeless front, unsmiling and stern-eyed,
Dismays my spirit and repels my heart.
Release me from her thrall, bid her depart
From the circumference of my circle, and
Let happiness, the bright-browed angel, stand
Within her niche, my life to glorify."
Lo! simultaneous with my bitter cry
Departed Duty, the austere of look.
And straightway in the spot that she forsook
There stood an angel of such glorious guise.
I could not see her face with mortal eyes,
But in my heart there surged a rapture sweet,
And down I flung me prostrate at her feet.
"Thou art that long-desired Happiness
Whose smiling eyes have come my life to bless,"
I murmured as I kissed her garment's hem.
She lifted me, and raised her diadem,
That I the glory of her glance might bear.
I looked, and, lo, 'twas Duty standing there!
—Susie M. Best, in S. S. Times.

Steer by the Star.

Night on the sea, and one lone ship
In the midst of the darkness there,
A trackless waste spread all about
And the blackness everywhere.
But gleaming in the sky above
Are seen the beacons of the night,
Set there to guide that lonely ship
Across the trackless sea aright.

The waves roll high and toss the ship,
A plaything on their turbid crest;
The sea lifts up its eager arms
And opens wide its heaving breast,
But safely still the vessel rides,
For one there is who guides aright,
Because his eyes are fixed upon
Those faithful beacons of the night.

No vessel sailing o'er life's sea
But safely may the harbor find
If the Great Beacon of the sky
Be ever kept in sight and mind.
The light, at times, may shine but dim;
The way seem dark, the harbor far,
But he cannot get off the course
Who guides his vessel by the Star.
—Arthur J. Burdick, in Los Angeles Herald.

If I Wait.

I do not hear the message that
The robin hears in spring,
Which brings him homeward from afar
On swiftly flying wing;
But still I know he's coming, and
Will find his nest and mate,
In the tree which now is leafless—
So I wait.

I cannot feel the shiver that
The startled leaflet feels,
As autumn's breath, frost laden, through
Its vivid greenness steals;
And yet the change is coming, though
To me it may seem late;
And the green leaves will turn crimson
While I wait.

I cannot grasp the meaning of
Earth's happiness, and pain;
Yet both I know await me if
Life's best I would attain;
Each step I trust leads onward, and
God's universe is great;
To find no incompleteness
If I wait.
—Helen M. Richardson, in Ladies' World.

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"I WISH you would take them, Honor." The voice was the peevish, fretful one of the farmer's wife, who had added to her burdens by taking summer boarders. "Every room in my house is full, or I would be too glad to send them back to the city."

"But our house is not fine enough for city people," said Honor Eastman, looking deprecatingly at the blue cornflower pattern on the wall, and then through the open window toward the river that, winding its way between green banks, separated her farm from that of her neighbors.

"Nonsense," said the other, energetically. "You know you've got one of the finest places in Michigan, Honor, and they'll pay well and not be much bother."

Met thus with the convincing logic of experience, Honor laid aside her scruples and followed the example of her neighbors, who opened their home to the city folk that overrun the Michigan side of the lake all the summer long. She did it hesitatingly, regretting the invasion of the privacy of her home, and looking wistfully at her flower beds, brilliant with the many-hued marigolds and petunias and hollyhocks. "I hope they won't pick them all," she said to herself, and then chided her own selfishness.

Mrs. Harrington came with her small children and large trunks filled with pretty gowns that gave Honor the first pang of envy she had ever felt. Then her husband came out on Sunday, accompanied by a tall, handsome man, whom the children called "Uncle Tom," and Mrs. Harrington introduced as "My brother, Dr. Thomas Haddon."

"Uncle Tom" was a favorite with his small nephew and namesake, and that afternoon, when Honor went into the parlor to carry away her favorite book of poems from the marble top table, she saw through the window that young gentleman perched on the porch balustrade looking down admiringly at his uncle in the rustic chair enjoying his after-dinner cigar.

"It's jolly here, Uncle Tom," said the boy. "We have pie for breakfast and cake every meal, and there's an organ instead of a piano, and the cook comes in and says: 'Honor, do you want the eggs biled or scrambled for breakfast?' and never says 'Yes, ma'am,' or 'Miss,' like mamma's."

The gentleman laughed, and Honor escaped undetected as a listener, but her pride was hurt. She had thought her guests must see that she understood their standard of living. The cottage organ represented the profits of the berry crop, and her friends had praised her playing until Honor esteemed herself a musician.

The next morning there was no pie for breakfast, even the cake was reserved for the evening meal, and when the children teased for hymns Honor excused herself on the plea of much housework.

And so things went along for the remainder of the summer. Honor was making an effort to follow city ways without just knowing how, and she felt her lack of knowledge on these points quite keenly. She was of a retiring disposition, and one who did not like to be thought eccentric in any way, even though it was only to the extent of serving pie for breakfast, an eccentricity which the small nephew appreciated quite as much as though he had been born and raised on the farm. There were a few comments on the change that was noticeable to all, and then the matter was forgotten again by all save the nephew, to whom Honor relented sufficiently to supply pie between meals.

In the fall, when the Harringtons had gone back to the city, Honor found she had saved quite a sum above the expenses of the summer. It was lonely at the farmhouse without the children, and Honor could not think of Mrs. Harrington's beautiful manners and tasteful dress without a feeling of secret envy. An idea came to her, but it was too daring to be realized. "At my time of life, too," she said to herself. "Why, I'm nearly 30." But the face that looked back from the mirror was youthful and bright. "I believe I'll do it, there's nothing to hinder," she said, and the brown eyes in the mirror looked back with approving assurance.

There was much wonder and much comment in the rural neighborhood when it was learned that Honor Eastman had gone to Chicago to stay all winter. But Honor had left no explanation of why she went, and the letters she received were addressed in the care of a prominent woman's club.

All through the winter the wonder of Honor's prolonged visit to Chicago did not cease, and all through the winter Honor was acquiring those points of city etiquette that would enable her to appear better before her summer boarders.

In the early spring, almost as soon as the robin redbreasts came, Honor was back at the farm, taking up the lines of her duty where she had laid them down in the autumn.

When Mrs. Harrington wrote asking if she would take the family again for the summer Honor was glad, and they came when the strawberries were ripest and best.

Dr. Hadden came the following Sunday, and, in the afternoon, as he lay stretched in the hammock lazily watching the curling smoke of a cigar as it lost itself in the leafy canopy above him, Mrs. Harrington interrupted his reveries:

"I do not understand it," she said. "Everything seems unchanged, but there is a difference. It is more as I would do things myself. The meals are the same, but so nicely served. Honor's dresses are as simple, but her manners are those of the self-possessed woman of the world. And the daintiness of everything—you noticed the flowers on the table?"

"Pooh!" said her brother, looking at his handsome, elegant sister admiringly, "it's only your good influence, Alice."

Nevertheless, some weeks later Dr. Haddon declared that Sunday trips to the country were too brief, that he needed a rest and was not going back to the city for a month.

And Master Tom, if he thought that his uncle would devote all his time to him, mending his fishing lines and finding where the finest peaches and grapes grew, was doomed to disappointment. It even went so far that that young gentleman was forgotten or left out in the afternoon row on the river, for Dr. Haddon, discovering Honor's love of books, declared that there was no place so favorable for the enjoyment of one's favorite author as in a boat, resting in the shade of vine-laden branches overhanging the banks. The quick, unobtrusive young woman who could manage her house and farm equally well, and whose [illegible] cious and [illegible] of [illegible] woman of culture, [illegible] his [illegible] always [illegible] to love.

"Uncle Tom," said the young gentleman's namesake one evening, just before the Harringtons were to return to town, "I wish we could live here every summer, can't you?"

"Perhaps you may [illegible] visit her every summer," said his uncle, taking Honor's hand and turning to his sister for congratulations.

"Hurrah for my Aunt Honor," said Master Tom.—Chicago Tribune.

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"When I told her I had something laid by for a rainy day I thought I would win her."

"And you didn't?"

"No; what I'd laid by for rain was no protection from frost."—Chicago Post.

Conceit of Man.

"We women, this psychologist says, remember our dreams more vividly than men remember theirs?"

"Of course, my dear. You know you have us men to dream about."—Chicago Record.

The Wherefore of It.

Mr. Housekeep—The dinner is delicious to-day, dear.

Mrs. Housekeep—Yes. The cook expects some of her friends to visit her this evening.—Catholic Standard and Times.

A Definition.

Little Elmer—Papa, what's a stock company?

Prof. Broadhead—A stock company, my son, is usually a small body of men entirely surrounded by water.—Judge.

Built That Way.

"The mean thing! I don't belive it is possible for the truth to come out of her mouth!"

"Well, you know she has false teeth."

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The Chicago department store is popularly supposed to carry "everything," but it may surprise some members of the retail trade elsewhere to learn that the frog department is quite an important one in the western metropolis. More than 200,000 frogs, we are told, are sold in Chicago each week, and of these a great portion is retailed by the department stores.

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FOR THE GRANGERS.

A Headquarters For Patrons of Husbandry at the Buffalo Exposition.

The Executive Committee of the New York State Grange visited Buffalo recently to make such arrangements as might be possible for a Headquarters for the Order upon the Pan-American Exposition Grounds, the New York State Grange feeling itself to be occupying in a measure the position of host toward the members of the Grange throughout the United States who might visit the Exposition. In addition to this the New York State Grange alone comprises a membership of 60,000, so that the convenience and comfort of the members of the Order in the State of New York alone were deemed worthy of careful attention on the part of the Executive Committee of the Grange.

The Director General stated to the Executive Committee that an effort would be made on his part to bring about some arrangement that might be satisfactory to the Grange, so that it may be taken for granted that a Headquarters for the National Grange upon the Exposition grounds will be provided for in some manner. This will be very pleasant news to all members of the Grange.

Exhibit of Fences.

A display of interest to every progressive farmer at the Pan-American Exposition will be the variety and methods of farm fencing. Barring the old stump fencing of pioneer days and the stone walls of New England, a great variety of fences will be shown.

In tubers and root crops will be displays of beets, turnips, carrots, peanuts, potatoes, sugar beets, parsnips, onions, etc. In October a special potato display will be made showing the products of many states in comparison with one another. Farmers who are interested in the production of sugar beets will have an invaluable opportunity to learn about the wonderful development of this particular vegetable. A special display will be made of sugar beets, showing all varieties and making clear to every one the conditions under which they thrive best, including both soil and atmosphere. The necessity of abundant sunshine in the maturing of sugar beets and the absence of it at the proper season have been the causes of serious loss and discouragement to growers.

The value of various byproducts for food for live stock will be shown in exhibits of gluten meal, linseed meal, cottonseed meal, hominy meal and other prepared foods.

The display of grasses and forage will include all varieties, the purpose being to show the ones best adapted for farm uses with reference to particular soils and conditions. The proper mixture of seed for permanent pastures, meadows, lawns, etc., will be explained.

The display of vegetable fibers will include flax, jute, hemp, cotton and their different products. The fibers of animal origin will include hides, hair, wool, silk and the processes of preparing them for market.

Among the nonedible products of animal origin to be exhibited are glue, gelatin, stearin, wax, candles, bone and horn products, fertilizers, etc.

The question of fertilizers is always an important one to those who seek to obtain the best results from the soil. In the treatment of this subject the Division of Agriculture will endeavor to show the relative value of the natural fertilizers, both crude and compounded. It will bring to the information of all the sources and value of nitrogen compounds, guano, offal, phosphatic rocks, potash, nitrates, etc.

As a sort of catch all for many things impossible to classify satisfactorily the superintendent has set apart a separate class. MARK BENNITT.

Those who live long are nearly always small eaters. This will be of small consolation to those who can't get enough to eat.

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The funeral of Mrs. Maria Randall was held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. George E. Osgood of Grace church, North Attleboro, officiated. The bearers were Fred D. Randall, Lewis F. Perry, Fred L. Blatchford and D. S. Farrington. The deceased was a lifelong resident of the village and leaves three daughters, Mrs. George W. Blatchford, Mrs. Lewis F. Perry and Miss Clara J. Randall, and one son, Frederick D. Randall.——The Congregationalist church was reopened Sunday. The general effect was very satisfactory.——The Odd Fellows are making great preparations for a mock breach of promise trial, which will be held the first week in December.——A dancing school, under the management of Prof. Thurber, has been opened in the Town hall.——Mrs. Sarah D. Farrer is making extensive improvements on her residence at Willard Corner.——The Holly club will hold its next meeting with Mrs. Nathan H. Fales.——N. B. Webber's cow fell down his well, a distance of ten feet, but was raised up by the aid of a rope and the assistance of the neighborhood.——Miss Zitkala Sa, the talented young Sioux Indian, is visiting Mrs. Joseph E. Chamberlain.——Assignee Whitaker will sell the goods in the store of F. P. Redding every evening, commencing Monday. Big bargains of all kinds. Don't fail to be present.

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Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed heretofore given by Mary A. Littlefield, wife of Elmer H. Littlefield, in her own right, to Willie D. Littlefield, dated Jan. 10, 1896, and recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 806, page 27, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction at or near the premises herein described, on

MONDAY, the TENTH day of DECEMBER, A. D. 1900,

at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, situated in Franklin, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, on the south side of Winter street, and bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at the northwest corner on said land at stone post on said Winter street and land of Peter or Mary McDonald; thence running S. 21 degrees 5 minutes E., 177 1-2 feet to stone post and land of the heirs of A. H. Morse; thence running on said land of the heirs of A. H. Morse N. 73 degrees 30 minutes E., 35 feet to iron pipe and other land of the grantor; thence on other land of grantor N. 6 degrees 15 minutes W., 83 feet to iron pipe; thence N. 25 degrees 30 minutes W., 102 feet to said Winter street; thence on said Winter street 45 feet to point of beginning, containing 9,262 feet, and described as lot No. 2 in plan by S. C. Taft, dated May 26, 1897."

The estate will be sold subject to a mortgage of fifteen hundred ($1,500) dollars given by said Mary A. Littlefield to said Willie D. Littlefield, dated July 16, 1897, and accrued interest thereon, and also subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments.

Other conditions made known at time of sale.

WILLIE D. LITTLEFIELD,
Mortgagee.

For particulars address W. B. Grant, 15 Court square, Boston, Mass. no13,20,27

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Cornelius Sullivan, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Daniel Sullivan of Bellingham, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

no6,13,20

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS BOARD OF RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.

BOSTON, November 8, 1900.

On the petition of the Milford, Attleborough & Woonsocket Street Railway Company for approval of the acquisition of a pleasure resort by said company; also for authority to increase its capital stock by the amount of $50,000 and to issue bonds to the amount of $50,000, for the purpose of building extensions of its road, purchasing equipment, constructing power stations and acquiring real estate and other property, the board will give a hearing to the parties in interest at their office, No. 20 Beacon street, Boston, on MONDAY, the NINETEENTH day of NOVEMBER, 1900, at half-past nine o'clock in the forenoon.

And the petitioner is required to give notice of said hearing by publication hereof twice prior to said date in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed in the town of Franklin, and to make return of service at time of hearing.

Per order of the Board.

no13,16 WM. A. CRAFTS, Clerk.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Jane O. Standley, late of Millis, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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TIME-TABLE.

(In effect Oct. 22.)

FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6.10, 6.45 a.m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10.15 p. m. Last cars to car barn at 10.45 and 11.15 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m., connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket. Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.15 a. m., and then on hour and half hour till 10.30 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham Four Corners for Caryville every hour from 6 to 9 a. m., 12 m. to 2 p. m., 4 to 8 p. m., returning on the half hour. Cars leaving Franklin at 6.45, 7.45, 11.45 a. m. and 12.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.45, 6.45 and 7.45 p. m. connect at Bellingham Four Corners with cars for Caryville.

FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave 6.00, 7.30, 8.15 a. m.; hourly to 6.15 p. m.; 8.15, 10.15 p. m. Return, 6.40, 8.15 a. m.; hourly till 7.15 p. m.; 9.15, 11.15 p. m.

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STATEMENT SEPT. 29, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$565,502 99
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 99
Interest Account		4,027 82
Real Estate Income Account		1 4 78
		$598,672 44

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,975 00
" " Mortgages		157,760 00
" " Personal Securities		174,269 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		672 22
Tax Account		6 2 73
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$3,028 14	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	1,304 95	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		4,417 25
Cash on hand		741 27
		$598,672 44

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

WALTER M. FISHER,
HORACE W. HOSIE,
Committee of Examination.

Sept. 29, 1900.

If you want to buy or sell anything, have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

Hattie M Fisher 1Jan01

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FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
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Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Dean dramatics tonight.

Mrs. B. M. Rockwood and daughter are visiting relatives in Uxbridge.

Walter Cook is still doing jury duty at the civil term of court at Dedham.

Mr. and Mrs. Feeley of Park street are happy over the advent of a little daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kenney are rejoicing over the birth of a son on Tuesday.

There will be a regular meeting of Division 8, A. O. H., next Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. S. N. Fiske and children left on Wednesday for her father's in Nashua, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Richardson will leave later for Florida, where they will spend the winter.

C. E. Whiting is having his lawn all turned over, regraded, resodded and otherwise improved.

John Dunning has just returned from New York, where he has been to assist his brother to Washington.

The stock brokerage firm of Howard Crosby & Co., which opened an office here last year, has just failed.

Congratulations are pouring in upon Artist and Mrs. Wesley Dinsmore over the birth of a fine son on Thursday.

Fred V. Hussey of the College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York, will spend the Thanksgiving holiday here.

John Cosseboom has been confined to the house a couple of weeks by sickness, but is now able to be at work again.

Miss Gertrude O'Brien of Waltham and Fred. Fulton of Leominster are guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Jacob Quilter.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Feeley on Tuesday, and also one to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baker on Wednesday.

Capt. and Mrs. E. E. Paine have been entertaining Mrs. F. P. Burlingame and Mrs. A. B. Harmon of Providence this week.

Both of the new doors in the post office have been fitted with automatic closers, one using compressed air and the other a liquid.

A meeting of the King's Daughters will be held next Monday evening at 7.50 at the home of Miss Florence Euegren, Cottage street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Mason are visiting relatives in Middleboro, Mr. Mason returning today, while Mrs. Mason remains a week or more.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Whitney and little daughter, who have been guests at H. W. Hosie's, have returned to their home in Winthrop, Me.

The roadmen are doing good work in providing a sidewalk on the west side of Alpine street, a thoroughfare which especially needs one.

All signs point to a large attendance at the coffee party to be given under the auspices of St. Mary's parish at the Opera house this evening.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church have formed a calendar for the coming year. Any one may become a member of it.

Many of the former friends here of Mrs. Joseph Brady, who died at Attleboro on Sunday, attended the funeral services at Medway Wednesday.

At the Epworth league prayer meeting this evening the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook, will take charge and speak on "The Epworth League Pledge." Everyone is invited.

Owing to the absence of Judge Doe the McParland case will go over one week. A good deal of interest is being excited and surprises are expected.

The engineers of the fire department held a meeting Monday evening and chose John G. Cunningham chief for the remainder of the year to May 1, 1901.

Monday the selectmen held a conference with John Ford to consider the changes necessary in front of his house on Central street on account of the street railway.

The Dean Co-operative bank will sell the S. N. Fiske house on Crescent street on Wednesday, Nov. 19, at 2 o'clock, on the foreclosure of a mortgage held by that institution.

Tax Collector Sherman reports a steady coming in of taxes, but as the first of December approaches he is preparing to receive a large amount of the coin of the realm.

The Rev. James F. Albion, of Malden, who has been heard here with so much pleasure and interest before, will preach at the Universalist church next Sunday morning and afternoon.

Now that the winter evenings are coming on, wouldn't it be well to remember that your church has fully as great a demand upon you as your lodge? There is a thought there for you.

Little Rachel Smith, aged 9 years, died at the home of her parents on Lincoln street on Wedesday, a victim of scarlet fever. A sister of the deceased is seriously ill with diphtheria.

It is expected that extra men will be put at work on the highways from now until December for the cleaning of gutters and other repairs, preparatory to the season of snow and ice.

Mrs. Nellie Noyes' dancing class held a social in Foresters' hall Monday evening, which was well patronized. Miss Bertha Razee and Mrs. Mabel Tracey furnished music for the dancing.

Rev. Robert W. Drawbridge will be installed over the village church, Medway, on next Wednesday evening. Dr. Sneath will have a part in the services, extending the right hand of fellowship.

Don't forget the recital to be given in Odd Fellows' Hall next Friday evening for the benefit of the First M. E. church. For further particulars and hand bills, see announcement in another column.

The Rev. S. U. Shearman, D. D., rector of St. John's church, Jamaica Plain, Boston, will exchange with Rev. G. W. Miner next Sunday, Nov. 18. Dr. Shearman will conduct services at Medway, at 10.30 a. m., and at Franklin at 3 p. m.

George E. Duffy, the new superintendent of the Charles River company, has moved his household goods from Franklin to the residence recently vacated by Charles McDougall in North Bellingham.

The Farmers' club meets with Daniel Brown in Wrentham on Monday evening, Dec. 3, and it is expected that there will be a large attendance to enjoy the hospitality of that genial straw goods manufacturer.

Joseph G. Hills has been very sick the past week, the indications pointing to heart trouble, as he was unable to lie down and suffered much pain. He is 78 years of age and a well-known and lifelong resident.

Norfolk lodge, N. E. O. P., had Deputy Grand Warden A. J. Crowell of Roxbury as an official visitor Wednesday evening. There was a good attendance and all did ample justice to a well prepared oyster supper.

One of our popular young men, fond of hunting, is planning a trip to Maine, and when asked if he expected to see any moose replied, "I don't know about the moose, but no doubt I shall see a number vamoose."

The Piacere club of Woonsocket, which gave such a fine entertainment here last winter, is to come again to the Opera house on Friday evening, Dec. 7. They should have a good house, as they are excellent musicians.

The new mill at South Franklin is ready, or nearly ready, for operations. The water power is liable to be short in a dry season, but with steam to help, the factory can be run through the year if business conditions warrant.

Report comes from Dr. C. B. Hussey, who is studying at St. Thomas hospital in London, that he is enjoying his work very much, and is getting a vast amount of valuable information, scarcely to be obtained elsewhere. He will not return till spring.

The household goods of John H. Barnstead, who leaves for Colorado on Saturday, will be sold at auction by D. W. Corson & Co. in Opera house block this evening. Mr. Barnstead, who has been in the Waterman laundry for the past three years, will engage in the same line of business for himself in Colorado.

If the weather conditions are favorable the Franklin Social club will make its second cross country run next Sunday afternoon. Dedham will be the objective point, and the members are getting in trim for the fifteen-mile tramp.

The Jolly club is making elaborate preparations for its first annual concert and ball, which will be given in the Opera house on the evening preceding Thanksgiving, Wednesday, Nov. 28. Fales' orchestra of West Medway will furnish the music.

A number from here are planning to attend the great football game between the Phillips Andover team and a team from the Walpole athletic association, composed partially of crack players from the colleges, on Thanksgiving forenoon at Walpole. A hot game is assured.

Ex Liquor Officer Nickerson has been appointed one of the keepers at the Dedham jail. He has had many years' experience in handling criminals, and his fitness for a responsible position like this is everywhere acknowledged. His friends rejoice with him in his appointment.

A young man, married last year, dropped into the sanctum the other day to say: "It used to be that I was devoted to baseball and football and basket ball, and now I give all my spare time to baby's bawl." Then with an apprehensive look on his face he rushed from the office.

Miss Daisy G. Griffin, for the past nine years organist at St. Mary's church, with her mother, who is an invalid, and her aunt, Miss Glynn, left Wednesday for Roxbury, where they will take up their residence. They leave a large circle of friends here, who wish them continued happiness and prosperity in their new home.

Some of the prominent townsmen are now discussing the feasability of erecting a new town hall, either on the site of the present antiquated structure on Central street or on the lot owned by J. J. McCarthy at Main and School streets. The talk may lead to some action being taken at the annual town meeting next March.

R. Stevens, Mr. Ferrer, Mrs. C. W. Shattuck and Mrs. Otis Corbin of Norfolk lodge, N. E. O. P., were guests of Neponset lodge, Norwood, last night, and report a most delightful time. They visited the bowling alley of the lodge and were highly enthusiastic in regard to it. The lodge here may have one later.

The Epworth league passed a very pleasant social time at the residence of J. T. Hutchinson, Jr., on Arlington street, last Wednesday evening. A most enjoyable report of the recent League convention, at South Framingham, was given by Miss Emma C. Enegren, delegate from the local chapter, after which games were indulged in and dainty refreshments served.

A contest between the selectmen and the tree warden of Sharon has been exciting interest, as it is the first wrestle between these two powers yet to come into court. The selectmen granted permission to the Medfield Electric Light and Power company to attach fixtures to trees, and the warden claimed the select men were usurping powers which belong to him alone. The case will be heard at Dedham next week.

Edward E. Whiting, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester M. Whiting, left yesterday for Philadelphia, where he has contracted to go to San Domingo for a Quaker City firm getting out mahogany and cedar. He has been in South America for the past three years for a Boston firm, getting out similar woods and exploring the forests of that country. He reads and speaks Spanish fluently, and enjoys his work exceedingly.

Massachusetts is a good state to live in after all. Twenty-one persons 100 years old or more died here last year. Sixteen of the 21 were women—three of the 16 never having been married. Eight of the 21 were born in Ireland, three in Canada and three in other foreign countries—leaving seven native born, six of whom were of Massachusetts nativity. The oldest was two months over 106—a woman and native of Boston, Mrs. Mary R. Bradford.

Look out for counterfeit money just now, especially if you are in the habit of handling ten dollar bills. There is a new counterfeit ten dollar silver certificate afloat, and it has been passed in Worcester and towns surrounding. Of course it won't skip here, so it is well to look sharp. It is of inferior workmanship and can be detected without much trouble, is a photographic print, without the silk fibre and bears the portrait of Thomas A. Hendricks.

Post office department officials express their belief that the postmaster general will recommend to congress a reduction in the rate on registered mail. The growth of this branch of the service has during the last year been phenomenal. It is profitable, and so a further stimulus to its increase is desirable. The annual rate of increase has been about four per cent., but this year the increase is expected to reach nine per cent. In hte larger offices the growth of business is even more rapid.

Judge O. T. Doe, Bradley M. Rockwood and Nathan C. Nye left on Wednesday evening for Old Point Comfort, Va., for a ten days' trip. They will stop for a time at the swell hotel there, The Hygeia, take a run over to Hampton and see the Indian and colored students, go to the Soldiers' home, the bustling shipping port of Newport News, and then up to Richmond, which is a city full of historic associations and sights. From there side trips will be made as their fancy suggests. They are assured a most delightful trip in the sunny South-land, and will escape the decidedly unpleasant weather we have been experiencing.

A large and successful advertiser says that when he first went into business he regarded newspaper advertising as an expense which was important, but not essential to success, but a little experience taught him to view regular and systematic advertising in the most widely circulated newspapers as an investment or as a necessary part of the capital put into his establishment. "Like any other safe investment," he says, "the newspaper ad. brings in profits, and without it an enterprise falls short of its possibilities."

Joseph E. Clark returned from New York Tuesday with an experience of travel on the sound in winter which he promises he will not repeat. He left New York city Sunday night and found very rough travelling outside the harbor. About everything on the boat was wet with salt water and the same liquid was in many parts of the steamer. The passengers put on the life preservers and for some time were under the expectation that they would have to swim ashore if they ever reached it alive.

Franklin electrics had a lively experience on Wednesday. Near Crooks' corner a Mr. Trask of Bellingham, being somewhat deaf, drove upon the track in front of a car going into Woonsocket, his democrat wagon being wrecked, while he and the horse escaped. While he stood there afterwards viewing the wreck, a car to Franklin came along, and had it not been for quick work on the part of Motorman Ross he would have been run over, as the car was but a few feet away from him. Deaf people should exercise unusual care.

The ladies' society of the Congregational church provided a most appetizing supper on Wednesday evening, calling out a large number to enjoy the feast. After the supper there was an entertainment, consisting of music by Misses Talcott and Smith, readings by Misses Rockwood and Ferrer and Mr. Cosseboom, duet by Mr. and Mrs. W. S Johnson, conundrums, etc. One of the pleasures of the evening was the experiences related by Edward E. Whiting in his search for wood in South America, his encounters with Indians, insurgents, etc. He also had some South American hats and shoes which excited a good deal of interest. On the whole the evening was a decided success.

Tuesday evening's meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was held in the new rooms, and a very enthusiastic meeting it was. The attendance was the largest of any meeting yet held and all present were very high in their praise of the new quarters, all expressing themselves as entirely satisfied with them. Committees were instructed to attend to furnishing and equipping them at once. The subject of a woman's auxiliary was brought up and the executive committee requested to call the ladies together at an early date to consider the formation of an auxiliary as soon as possible. The reports from the different committees showed the interest our young men are taking in the work, and everything indicates that Franklin is to have a large and prosperous association in full working order in the very near future.

Dramatics at Dean Tonight.

As we have before noted, the Dean Athletic association has provided a highly entertaining affair in the chapel this evening, to which a small admission will be charged. The two pieces are "Per Telephone" and "A Difference in Clocks." The Dean orchestra will furnish music and a thoroughly enjoyable entertainment is promised. Come out and help the association, for you will get your money's worth.

Look Out For Burglars.

Burglars entered the Bresnahan grocery store sometime Wednesday night, by cutting out a pane of glass in the rear of the store. They took a number of articles, but did not attempt much of a haul. They also tried the back doors of other establishments, but these offered more resistance and they gave it up.

How Sharper Than a Serpent's Tooth.

Tuesday morning the district court heard a case in which a cow was the central figure. A Wrentham woman and the owner of a cow went to Rehoboth to live with her son, and took her cow along to furnish milk and cream. Afterwards she returned to Wrentham without the cow, but later sent for the animal and it was brought home. But the son alleges that he bought the cow during the time, paying no money, but turning the price on an old account. So he took an officer and went to Wrentham, secured the cow and returned home. Then he was called upon as defendant in a case of cow larceny, and that was the occasion of the hearing. The judge continued the matter one week.

In November

is the best time to sit for portraits for Christmas. Don't wait till the rush of December. Latest and best in portraiture now and always at

CALKIN'S STUDIO, Depot street.

Y. M. C. A. Membership.

Within the last few days the question of membership in the association has been frequently inquired about, and that all may understand it we insert the following:

Any man of good character, regardless of religious belief or church attendance, is cordially invited to become a member of the Young Men's Christian association of Franklin, it being simply necessary to fill out an application blank and pay the fee. A membership ticket will be immediately issued, with the understanding that should the references prove unsatisfactory the amount paid will be refunded and the ticket surrendered.

The organization is for the men of our town and it is desired that all shall enjoy its benefits. We today number over ninety—and hope before the week ends to have reached the one hundred mark. Remember YOU are invited to become a member. Limited membership $2.00 per year, unlimited $5.00.

The committee on membership are Elmer M. Fisher, chairman; C. Ray Whitney, Will F. Ray, Floyd D. Hosie, Gilbert A. Greenwood.

If you have not already made application to become a member, it is hoped you will do so at once. It is expected the rooms will be opened at a very early date.

CHAS. L. STEWART, Sec'y.

Fraternal Amenities.

About forty of the Masonic fraternity went to Milford on Wednesday evening to participate in one of the largest gatherings of Masons ever held there, when more than 300 of the craft assembled to witness the official visitation of R. W. Jarvis Woolford, D. D. G. M., of the twentieth Masonic district, to Montgomery lodge. He was accompanied by his suite and a large honorary suite of past masters. After the formal duties of the district deputy and suite, work on the master Mason's degree was exemplified and rendered more impressive by the presence of the Weber quartet of Boston.

Following the lodge room exercises a fine turkey supper was had in the banquet hall, being thoroughly enjoyed. Montgomery lodge is the parent lodge of a number of lodges, and distinguished as one of the historic lodges of the state. [illegible] degree work and its hospitality. Visitors were present not only from many lodges in the state, but from Woonsocket. It was a notable Masonic occasion of much interest to the local craft.

Journey to Nazareth.

On last Sabbath evening Rev. Mr. Sneath and his audience journeyed to Nazareth. The company went from Jerusalem on horse back and camel-back, and dwelt in tents by the way. Having reached Nazareth, they visited the different places of interest. Among them were the traditional fountain of the virgin, the workshop of Joseph, the home of Joseph and Mary, the Mount of Precipitation, the synagogue, the bake-ovens and the view from the eminence in the rear of the town. This view is declared by travelers to be the finest in the world. Glimpses were also given into a Nazareth home and carpenter shop, both of which are declared to be essentially the same as in the days of Jesus. As all known Nazareth history clusters around Christ, Mr. Sneath emphasized the events in connection with the places visited. On next Sabbath evening the sea of Galilee and the sacred places about it will be visited. The quartet will sing the selection "Blue Galilee."

A Good Time Promised.

A most enjoyable musical entertainment has been arranged to be given in Odd Fellows' hall on Friday evening, Nov. 23, which will include the following artists: Samuel J. McWatters, professor of oratory and music at the Boston university, and an accomplished musician; Waldo Everett, graduate of Emerson School of Oratory, whose friends here will be glad to give him a welcome; Nathan D. Prince of Danielson, Conn., an artist of exceptional ability upon the banjo. These will be assisted by local talent and an evening of rare enjoyment is promised. The affair is under the management of the Epworth league.

What to Eat and Where to Get It.

We have provided some choice morsels for you this week. Fowls and chicks from 12 1-2 to 20c; fine homemade and bag sausage, hams 11 and 12c; smoked shoulders 9c; beef liver; pigs' liver 15c; fresh laid eggs, etc. In canned goods we have canned asparagus only 25c; veal loaf, a dainty, 25c; maple syrup 25c; our cheese embraces the best in town, old cheese, sage cheese and plain cheese; then we have all the vegetables, such as spinach, lettuce, cauliflower, squash, cabbage, onions, celery, etc. Try our butter and tea—the best.

RICHARDSON, the Marketman.

Crescent House.

I have some choice single and double rooms, fronting on the Main street. Steam heat and electric lights. Suitable for a man and wife or family. Terms reasonable. S. T. CAPRON, Prop.

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Handles all kinds of rentable property, and will find you a tenant or tenement if you desire.

Alden Club Meeting.

On Monday evening a large audience of Alden club ladies and many guests greeted Mrs. May Alden Ward. In her lecture on "Current Events" she confined her attention entirely to China and her wars, telling how they came about and how they resulted, giving the present outlook for China. She said she believed it would be a long time before the existing troubles would be settled because of the many complications. In this busy age there are many who are unable to keep informed on all these subjects. This lecture was a revelation and a great source of information.

After the lecture an informal reception was given Mrs. Ward.

Woonsocket Opera House.

"Our New Minister," Denman Thompson and George W. Ryder's comedy drama, comes to the Woonsocket Opera House next Monday evening, Nov. 19. It is built on similar lines to "The Old Homestead" and deals in a novel and original way with the everyday life of a small rural community. Every character in "Our New Minister" is said to be a distinctive type of the New-England Yankee, whose quaintness of speech and rustic innocence are as picturesque as they are humorous and decisive. Seats on sale Nov. 17.

The Rays' big eastern "A Hot Old Time" will be the attraction Wednesday, Nov. 21. It is a farce comedy with original production in New York two years ago and has been steadily increasing in favor ever since. This season it has broken all records. Clean wit, lively action and an ingenious plot as well as a strong cast are features that have carried it to exceptional prosperity. Seats go on sale Monday, Nov 19.

"Prince Pro Tem."

The pleasant comments which have reached music lovers concerning "Prince Pro Tem," the opera to be sung at the Opera house on Friday evening, Nov. 23, have given an unusual impetus to the sale of seats, and indications are that this company of favorite singers will be greeted by a crowded house upon this presentation in this town. "Prince Pro Tem" tells an amusing story, whimsical in construction and conceit, and embellished in a gorgeous and pictorial manner. Tickets go on sale tomorrow at Dana's.

"Quo Vadis."

"Quo Vadis" has been read by many millions and the dramatic adaptation of it will be presented for the first time at Morse Opera house on Monday, Nov. 26. The actors are breathing exponents of the wonderful types of character, and the play is sufficiently strong in dramatic situation to escape being sombre or at any time monotonous. Its human interest holds the auditor spellbound, filled as it is with the deep religious fervor of the Christian martyrs. There is a most excellent company, beautiful and appropriate scenery and wardrobes and a first-class performance can be looked for.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Oil heater for sale. Apply at SENTINEL OFFICE. 16tf

Trash wood, ready cut for stove use, at Allen's wood yard.

For Sale—A good willing horse, price $45. F. S. Fownes, Box 197. 13 16*

Two hundred cords of trash wood for sale by E. S. Cook, Box 212. 26Ftf

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Wanted—A girl to do general housework; no washing. Inquire of Mrs. H. W. Hosie, 49 Emmons street. 16tf

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor J.B MCKINNON, Agent.

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We are fully stocked up with a fine line of meats such as beef, lamb, pork, sausage, ham, liver, tongue, fresh killed chickens and fowls; all the vegetables, lettuce, cauliflower, parsnips, Hubbard squashes, Boston market celery, the finest; carrots, red cabbage, large, fine cranberries from the Ray meadows here. Think of it! string beans! Elegant apples, prime butter, cream cheese, etc. Anything you want in the market line.

Farm for Sale.

The D. C. Coates farm on Pond street will be sold, stocked, at auction next Friday afternoon by Auctioneer Corson at 1 o'clock. If you want bargains be present.

Prepare for Winter.

We have received a full supply of rubber goods, including men's felt boots, rubber boots and arctics, as well as a large line of ladies' rubber goods.

IRWIN, the Shoeman.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Violets and 100 chrysanthemums. Slade's greenhouse.

Transient and regular patrons will find good service, clean and quick work at Ochee's barber shop, Opera house block.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1900.

Personal Magnetism.

There is something about one's personality which even the photograph [illegible] [illegible], [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible], which the sculptor cannot chisel. This subtle something which every one feels, but which no one can describe, which no biographer ever put down in a book, has a great deal to do with one's success in life. It is this indescribable quality, says a writer in Success, which some persons have in a remarkable degree, which sets an audience wild at the mention of the name of a Blaine or a Lincoln—which makes people applaud beyond the bounds of enthusiasm. It was this peculiar atmosphere which made Clay the idol of his constituents. Although, perhaps, Calhoun was a greater man, he never aroused any such enthusiasm as "the mill-boy of the slashes." Webster and Sumner were great men, but they did not arouse a tithe of the spontaneous enthusiasm evoked by men like Blaine and Clay. A historian says that, in measuring Kossuth's influence over the masses, "we must first reckon with the orator's physical bulk, and then carry the measuring line above his atmosphere." If we had discernment fine enough, we could not only measure the personal atmosphere of individuals, but could make more accurate estimates concerning the future possibilities of schoolmates and young friends. We are often misled as to the position they are going to occupy from the fact that we are apt to take account merely of their ability, and do not reckon this personal atmosphere or magnetic power as a part of their success-capital. Yet this individual atmosphere has quite as much to do with one's advancement as brain-power or education. Indeed, we constantly see men of mediocre ability, but with fine personal presence, superb manner, and magnetic qualities, being rapidly advanced over the heads of those who are infinitely their superiors in mental endowments. A good illustration of the influence of personal atmosphere is found in the orator who carries his audience with him like a whirlwind while he is delivering his speech, and yet so little of this personal element adheres to his cold words in print that those who read them are scarcely moved at all. The influence of such speakers depends almost wholly upon their presence—the atmosphere that emanates from them. They are much larger than anything they say or do.

Population of Our Cities.

St. Louis, Boston and Baltimore were close competitors in the census of 1890 ranking in the order named, with a total respectively of 451,770, 448,477 and 434,439. None of the three has changed its boundaries during the last ten years, and the comparison to be made in the present census will, therefore, be exact in this respect. At the beginning of the century St. Louis had a population of less than 1,[illegible], and in 1810, one year after incorporation, only 1,4[illegible]. Baltimore in that year was a city of [illegible] inhabitants, and Boston's population was 33,250. In 1840, when St. Louis had reached a total of only 16,469, the population of Baltimore was 102,313 and of Boston, 93,383. In [illegible] the population of the three cities was: Baltimore, 212,418; Boston, 177,840; St. Louis, 160,773. The closest rivals of St. Louis are [illegible] growing cities, but the margin in favor of the metropolis of the Mississippi is not likely to be reversed unless, temporarily, by wholesale annexations.

One of the largest recent predictions about the United States is that of the London Times to the effect that, through improved machinery, this country will eventually control the export cotton goods market.

American cities are growing faster than any other on earth. The census has clinched this fact and it leaves no room for disappointment.

THROAT REST

You can cough yourself into bronchitis, pneumonia, and consumption.

Bandaging and bundling your throat will do no good.

You must give your throat and lungs rest and allow the cough wounds to heal.

There is nothing so bad for a cough as coughing. Stop it by using

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Even the cough of early consumption is cured. And, later on, when the disease is firmly fixed, you can bring rest and comfort in every case.

A 25 cent bottle will cure new coughs and colds; the 50 cent size is better for settled coughs of bronchitis and weak lungs; the one dollar size is more economical for chronic cases and consumption. It's the size you should keep on hand.

"All families ought to be on the watch for sudden attacks of croup or acute lung troubles. Every country home in the land should keep Cherry Pectoral constantly on hand to provide against an emergency."
JOSIAH G. WILLIS, M.D.,
Dec. 14, 1898. Holland, Mich.

COURT MOURNING.

Period of Grief in Various Countries Depends Entirely on Rank of Deceased.

Now that so many countries are plunged into grief over the loss of King Humbert of Italy and the duke of Saxe-Coburg, mourning such as prescribed by the courts is being worn.

In England it is customary to mourn for our king or queen three months; for a son or daughter of our sovereign, such as is the case now for the duke of Saxe-Coburg, it is to be six weeks; for a brother or a sister of a sovereign, only three weeks; for an uncle, aunt, nephew or niece, the court goes into mourning for two weeks; while from three to ten days is usual for a cousin, according to the relationship. The royal regulation for the first period is a black dress, white gloves, black or white shoes, feather and fans, white pearls, diamonds or plain gold and silver ornaments may be worn, says the London Times. For the men, black court dress with black swords and buckles.

At the end of that period, which is generally a third of the whole, according to the rank of royalty being mourned for, the costume is changed, the ladies then wearing black dresses with colored ribbons, flowers, feathers, and ornaments, while the men remain as before until the court goes out of mourning. For the military and other royal servants a black crape band is fixed to the left arm for the time specified, while at night the handle of the sword is also to be enveloped in crape.

In different countries different mourning colors are used, but all over Europe black is universal.

MOUNT ARARAT ASCENDED.

The Task Was Recently Accomplished by a Party of Russian Scientists.

The Ararat mountains in Armenia comprise two peaks situated seven miles apart. They are known as Great and Little Ararat, and are respectively 17,260 and 14,320 feet above the plain. They partially belong to three countries, Russia, Turkey and Persia. The mountains are covered on the tops with perpetual snow, ice and glaciers. The summit of Great Ararat was reached in 1829 by Prof. Parrot, says the Scientific American, and on September 2, 1900, a member of the Russian Geographical society named Peoggenpohl ascended the peak with a considerable party. The difficulties of the ascent are very great and his successful expedition will be welcome news in geographical circles. Ascents are rare, having been made in 1834, 1843, 1845, 18[illegible] and 1856. Little Ararat is even more difficult to climb, as its declivities are greater and steeper, its form being almost conical. It is believed to be the spot where the ark rested, but there is a tradition that Mount Judi in southern Armenia was the spot. The mountain is of volcanic origin and was in eruption in 1785, and in 1840 there was a vast discharge of sulphurous vapors from its sides, and a tremendous earthquake shook the surrounding country. There is considerable literature devoted to the mountain.

Typewriting experts instead of handwriting experts were introduced in a recent trial in New York.

THE LATEST FURNITURE FADS

Wrought iron combined with brass is the most recently introduced metal bed and has had quite a favorable reception, one is told.

Dining tables with two adjustable tops, a round one for state occasions and a square one for everyday use, is the proper thing, and is comparatively reasonable too.

China closets with a straight, square center, and then with two curved wing-like extensions on each end, are much later and more desirable than the full bow-front, all-round [illegible] shaped [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

These [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] library chairs may [illegible] [illegible] artistic at the correct [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] fashion, [illegible] [illegible] wood seats [illegible] backs [illegible] [illegible] covered [illegible] the way of [illegible].

China [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] shelves, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] back [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] two [illegible] [illegible] center of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the most [illegible] [illegible] things.

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] dressing case [illegible] [illegible] [illegible], however, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] after the style of 40 years ago.

An applique [illegible] is a [illegible] and novel feature [illegible] library tables and chiffoniers. This is usually oval in shape, standing up from the top about [illegible] inch and covering almost its entire expanse. From its four corners claw feet extend diagonally out to the edge, carved in the wood.

A new-shaped chiffonier is conspicuous in golden oak and mahogany. In shape it is not unlike the old-fashioned square double-doored wardrobe, sans mirror, only on a smaller, squattier scale. Inside it is the personification of convenience, having multitudinous shelves and cubby holes of all kinds.

Wanted His Wardrobe.

Irate Father (of pretty girl)—What! is it possible you are here again after the treatment you received last night?

Young Man—Yes, sir. When you kicked me downstairs and set the dog on me the animal tore a large piece from my trousers.

Irate Father—Well, isn't that enough? What more do you want?

Young Man—If it isn't too much trouble, sir, I would like that piece of cloth.—Chicago Democrat.

He Didn't Blame the Woman.

A man went wrong one day,
And didn't blame the woman;
He didn't whine and say
He was tempted by the woman:
Men praised him then, but oh,
The women—high and low—
How they abused him, though!
Because he didn't go
And blame it on the woman.

The best protection against fevers, pneumonia, diphtheria, etc., is in building up the system with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

What He Wanted to Know.

Jasper—There is one thing I wish you would do for me.

Philosopher—Well?

Jasper—Will you either tell me how to answer all the questions asked by my small boy, or how to get out of answering them without losing his respect for me?—Town Topics.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Maybe He Needed It.

"Why, Willie," said the lady caller "how tanned you are."

"Yes'm," replied the boy, "pa done it."—Cincinnati Courier.

She Knew.

Young Hobbs—Mamma, what animal is the king of beasts?

Mrs. Hobbs (with a significant look at her husband)—Man!—N. Y. World

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Common Rumor at Fault.

The [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] was [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] out of the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

"I suppose it is true, senator, as everybody understands," he said, "that you began life as a poor plowboy?"

"No, sir," growled the statesman. "I began life as a red-faced, flat-nosed, squawling baby."—Chicago Tribune.

Fed by Ants.

It is certain that ants intentionally sanction the residence of certain insects in their nests. This is the case, for instance, with the curious blind beetle, claviger, which is absolutely dependent upon ants, as Mulley first pointed out. It seems to have even lost the power of feeding itself, at any rate it is habitually fed by the ants, who supply it with nourishment as they do one another.—Science.

A Sure Thing.

He—Wasn't that you on the piazza last night?

She—No.

"Then I wonder who in the world it was I kissed?"

"You can probably tell by going there to-night at the same time."—N. Y. Life.

Low Valuation.

He—A penny for your thoughts!

She—It's a bargain, but I'm afraid you will not get full value for your money.

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"You."—London Tit-Bits.

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Brown—That is a beautiful medal Smith has.

Jones—Yes; that's for beating the bicycle record.

"What is his record?"

"Ran over 17 men in a week."

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Mean Thing.

Rosalie—Have you chosen any of your bridesmaids yet?

May—Yes, Fanny Lyon.

Rosalie—Why, I thought you hated her.

May—No, not exactly; but the bridesmaids are to wear yellow, and you can't imagine how that will go with Fanny's complexion.—N. Y. World.

Beating the Record.

Brown—That is a beautiful medal Smith has.

Jones—Yes; that's for beating the bicycle record.

Brown—What is his record?

Jones—Ran over 17 men in a week.—Tit-Bits.

Its Only Fault.

"What do you think of this portrait of me, my dear?" asked Witherup.

"It is very smiling and pleasant," said Mrs. Witherup. Then she added wistfully: "I wish you'd look like it once in awhile, John."—N. Y. World.

Expense Not Considered.

Wife—Now, if you intend to give me a birthday present, you needn't go to one of those cheap John 99-cent stores for it.

Husband—No, indeed, my love. Hang the expense! I'll go to a dollar store.—N. Y. Weekly.

His Idea of Wealth.

"You say that you have a wealthy uncle," said the judge to the colored culprit before him, "where does he live?"

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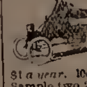

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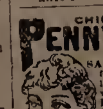

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THE ELECTRICAL WORLD.

A novel type of trolley is used on the Dublin United Tramways. It is of the swivelling arm type, placed at the side of the car so as to be out of the way of the passengers, who ride on the top of the cars. The trolley wheel is small and is contained in a casting. There is a kind of double swivel joint which assists in keeping the trolley on the wire.

Every department of the new United States mint, now building at Philadelphia, will be dependent to a very great extent on electricity for power. All the presses and milling machines are to be operated by this power. There will be 14 motors of 45 horse-power, 30 of five horse-power, six of 25 horse-power, and a large number of smaller motors.

Ice has proved successful as an insulator on Mont Blanc. A double line of ordinary galvanized iron wire was laid on the ground between the Grands Mulets at the top of the mountain and the Petits Mulets at the base. Each line was 5,500 feet long. Messages were sent without trouble and the loss of electricity, as measured by the instruments, was very slight.

A group of apartment houses in Utica, N. Y., is provided throughout with electrical cooking utensils, consisting of three round platters, or "stoves," an oven and a broiler. When not needed they can be stowed away, leaving no outward trace of the use to which the room is put. The air is not vitiated, and the apartment is kept much cooler. The same apartments are provided with electric curling-tongs heaters, which are much appreciated.

Alluded to the Size.

They sat on the rustic seat. He held her hand.

"This reminds me of playing poker,' he giggled, softly.

"In what way?" she inquired.

"Holding a big hand."

He was only joking, but the neighbors will tell you that she takes those delightful moonlight rambles with another fellow.—Chicago Daily News.

Gentle Reminder.

Mrs. Newed—To-morrow will be your birthday, dear, and I'm going to stop in at the jeweler's and buy a nice present for you.

Mr. Newed—All right; but don't forget that I still owe him for the Christmas gift you bought me and select something cheap. — Chicago Daily News.

At Newport.

Miss Blugore—May Enchance says she hears there's a Russian count coming here this summer.

Miss Hyupp—Of course, then, she's just crazy to learn the Russian language.

Miss Blugore—O! She says she knows already how to say "yes," and that's enough.—Philadelphia Press.

Discreet Young Gentleman.

Governess—Who was the wisest man?

Little Dick—Solomon.

Governess—Correct; name the wisest woman.

Little Dick (after meditation)—Well, if I say you, ma will get angry; and if I say ma, you will get so.—Tit-Bits.

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TOLD OF THE CHINESE.

There is a saying that a Chinese soldier is "eleven-tenths thief."

Chinese regiments are recruited in the same manner as British regiments.

A Chinese regiment presents a gay appearance to the foreign observer. Nearly every man bears a banner.

The railway from Tientsin to Peking, a distance of about 70 miles, was the first constructed in China.

It is not an uncommon sight to see a Chinese soldier with a fan and an umbrella strapped across his back.

The Boxers' signs are so complete and so admirably arranged that individual Boxers are able to communicate with one another at a considerable distance, even in the middle of a surging crowd.

The society of Boxers is composed of lodges, each of which has a president, whose power for good and evil is considerable. Every president has under him two or more vice presidents, who are bound to obey his every command or else suffer a horrible death.

The horseshoe in China, as well as in other countries, is looked upon as a harbinger of good luck. For that reason Chinese mandarins, when buried, have horseshoe graves, and they believe that the bigger the horseshoe grave the better the luck of the departed. As a result, the mandarins outvie each other in the size of these horseshoe graves.

Then They Separated.

The two men had talked for a time in the train.

"Are you going to hear Barkins lecture to-night?" said one.

"Yes," returned the other.

"Take my advice and don't. I hear that he is an awful bore."

"I must go," said the other. "I'm Barkins."—Tit-Bits.

Greatness.

Sillicuss—When would you say that a man has acquired greatness?

Cynicus—When he deserves his own opinion of himself.—N. Y. World.

LEGALITIES OF INSURANCE.

A person insured against accident as a barber and restaurant keeper and who was injured while hunting rabbits is held, in Wildey Casualty company vs. Sheppard (Kan.), 47 L. R. A. 650, to be entitled to insurance in the class in which he was insured, where the hunting was not his occupation, but was a mere incident.

Certificates of membership and the application thereof which provide against liability in case of death by suicide are held, in McCoy vs. Northwestern Mutual Relief association (Wis.), 47 L. R. A. 681, to constitute a contract between the parties which will prevail over by-laws of the association that do not authorize such limitation upon the liability.

An insurance agent having authority to solicit insurance to accept risks, agree upon and settle the terms of insurance, and to issue and renew policies is held in McCabe vs. Aetna Insurance company (N. D.), 47 L. R. A. 641, to have authority to make a preliminary parol contract which will be binding upon his principal for the renewal of a policy that is about to expire.

A foreign insurance company with a name similar to that of a domestic corporation is held in people ex rel. Van Cleave (Ill.), 47 L. R. A. 795, to be entitled to a license to do business in the state without regard to such similarity, as a provision of the state statute empowering the superintendent of insurance to reject any name or title applied for by any company if it is too similar to one already appropriated is limited to domestic corporations.

IN THE ANIMAL KINGDOM.

Whitebait are the young of herrings, sardines and ling.

The so-called shipworm, which bores holes in the wood of ships, is in reality a form of shellfish.

The skin of Elephant Charlie, killed in Crystal palace, London, weighed a ton—just one-fourth of the weight of the beast in life.

A bull moose came out of the Maine woods recently and took a stroll through the streets of Bangor. Small boys threw stones at him and he trotted away.

Naturalists have discovered that if the voice of an elephant were as loud in proportion to size as that of a nightingale his trumpeting could be heard around the world.

The zoological park established in Washington is becoming an important institution. Already the collection of animals includes several species never before brought into captivity.

Rats are fine swimmers. They are nearly as much at home in a swollen stream as they are in the placid cellar of a well-stocked mansion. In fact, the whole rodent family, including mice, squirrels and other species, learn to make themselves at home in the water when necessity requires it.

NOVELTIES OF INVENTION.

A patent has just been secured for a boot which is fastened at the back instead of at the front.

A pneumatic rocking-chair has just been patented. The air-cushions attached to the rockers are very similar to ordinary cycle tires.

A New Jersey woman has invented a rapid clothes sprinkler, consisting of two sections of tin, which fit tightly together and the surfaces of which are perforated with small holes. This is left resting in a bowl of water while ironing is going on. When it is desired to sprinkle the clothes the sprinkler is seized and shook over them.

The Lesser Evil.

Bramble—Why do you play poker with Shortleigh? He can't afford to pay if he loses, and besides he doesn't play fair.

Thorne—I know it, but I might as well let him win my money as to lend it to him.—N. Y. Journal.

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FASHION'S MIRROR.

Silk and wool mixtures will be favored this fall, and silk will drop into the background, say Paris authorities.

Quite the newest thing is the delicate lingerie neckwear for the shirt waists of fine flannel now being shown for early fall.

Persian and other oriental embroidery designs are the newest idea in shirt waist decoration, embroidered bands being inserted diagonally at the front.

With thankfulness it is noted that the hideous and vulgar green veiling is rapidly disappearing; brilliant blue of the shade called "royal" is taking its place.

The earliest importations of autumn dress goods showed smooth finished surfaces, but now there is an incoming wave of zibeline goods with very rough hairy surfaces. Many of these materials show pronounced white hairs on dark backgrounds.

Fasten your gold ribbon belts with white taffeta ribbon bows in front, ribbon to be of two inch width and bowed up with ends, having jingling gilt ornaments on the bottom if possible. Two and three such bows are used, according to the width of the belt, and they are placed one above the other.

FOR TEACHER AND PUPIL.

Prince Arthur of Connaught has entered the Royal Military college at Sandhurst, and will pursue the usual military studies.

Hawaii has closed its last school for teaching the native languge. Hereafter young Hawaiians will be taught to talk English.

The English language has been partially introduced into the law courts of Iceland at Reykjavik, all notes being taken in this language.

The board of education of St. Paul has decided to maintain night schools during the coming winter for the benefit of those unable to attend during the day.

Dorman B. Eaton, of New York, the great civil service reformer, left $100,000 each to Columbia and Harvard universities to found professorships of the science of government.

Frederick W. Atkinson, superintendent of education in the Philippines, late principal of the high school at Springfield, Mass., is 55 years old and a graduate of Harvard. He is six feet four inches tall, as broad proportionally, and possesses immense physical strength.

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WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 46, 4 13, 5 13, 6 01, 7 13, 9 10 p m, 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m, 12 50, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 22, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m, 12 21 a m. S 10 26 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m; f12 58, 5 25, 6 14, f7 24, 9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m, 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 35 a m, 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

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WRENTHAM.

Cards have been received from Mrs Annfanelte Fuller, announcing the marriage of her daughter, Miss Bertha Mabel Fuller to Dr. Charles Hamilton. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Rev. J W Flagg, pastor of the Congregational church at Foxboro. After a short bridal trip Dr. and Mrs. Hamilton will be at home after Dec 1.——Mrs M. A. Russell left Thursday for her new home in Providence ——The auction of the household goods of the late Dr. N. W. Hawes drew a large crowd. The estate is the original allotment of land given to an ancestor of Dr. Hawes in 1661.

SHELDONVILLE.

Mrs Ellen A Wilcox, aged 39, wife of Daniel O Wilcox, died from cancer, at the Woonsocket hospital, Nov. 1, after an illness of two weeks She was born in South Franklin and was married to Mr Wilcox twenty-four years ago. She had lived in Woonsocket since, excepting a few years spent in North Carolina. She leaves one daughter, Mrs Ida Cunningham, two granddaughters, besides parents, brother and sister to mourn her loss The funeral was held Monday morning, at 11 o'clock, and was largely attended, Rev C. I White, D. D., of the Universalist church officiating. The remains were interred in the cemetery at Rockville. Among the many floral tributes was a pillow marked "Wife," from her husband, a lyre marked "Sister," from her brother; an elegant buquet of white chrysanthemums from Mr and Mrs Shenburn, Mr Wilcox's employer; a boquet of chrysanthemums from Mr and Mrs James B Wales of Providence. The bearers were Henry O. Cook of Mansfield, Enis L. Cook of New York, and Willie R. Cook of South Franklin, all brothers, and Jerold O Jillson of Foxboro, a brother-in law of Mrs. Wilcox

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Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3 Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10 45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10 Rev. M. J. Lee, rector

Baptist church.—At 10.30 preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank B Sleeper; theme, "Eternity in Men's Souls" Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5 45. Preaching at 7; theme, "A Soul Cursed by Excuses." A short testimony meeting in the vestry.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10 30 by Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D., Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E at 6 Preaching by pastor at 7; "A Journey to the Sea of Galilee."

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook, on "Some Eschatological Reflections" Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 3 Vesper service and general prayer meeting at 7, conducted by the pastor; subject, "Victory in Christ, Rewarded."

Universalist church.—Rev. James F. Albion, of Malden, will preach at 10.30 and 5. Y. P. C. U. at 6.

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NORFOLK, ss.

At a Probate Court held at Dedham in and for said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

On the petition of Simon Spellowski of Norfolk, in said county, praying that his name may be changed to that of Simon Brown, public notice having been given, according to the order of court, that all persons might appear and show cause, if any they had, why the same should not be granted, and it appearing that the reason given therefor is sufficient and consistent with the public interest, and being satisfactory to the court and no objection being made

It is decreed that his name be changed, as prayed for, to that of Simon Brown, which name he shall hereafter bear, and which shall be his legal name, and that he give public notice of said change by publishing this decree once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, and make return to this court under oath that such notice has been given.

JAMES H. FLINT,
Judge of Probate Court.

16,23,30

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

BOARD OF RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.

BOSTON, November 8, 1900.

On the petition of the Milford, Attleborough & Woonsocket Street Railway Company for approval of the acquisition of a pleasure resort by said company; also for authority to increase its capital stock by the amount of $50,000 and to issue bonds to the amount of $50,000, for the purpose of building extensions of its road, purchasing equipment, constructing power stations and acquiring real estate and other property, the board will give a hearing to the parties in interest at their office, No 20 Beacon street, Boston, on MONDAY, the NINETEENTH day of NOVEMBER, 1900, at half-past nine o'clock in the forenoon.

And the petitioner is required to give notice of said hearing by publication hereof twice prior to said date in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper printed in the town of Franklin, and to make return of service at time of hearing.

Per order of the Board.

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FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6.10, 6.45 a.m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10.15 p. m. Last cars to car barn at 10.45 and 11.15 p. m.

FRANLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m , connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket. Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.15 a. m., and then on hour and half hour till 10.30 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham Four Corners for Caryville every hour from 6 to 9 a. m., 12 m. to 2 p. m., 4 to 9 p. m., returning on the half hour. Cars leaving Franklin at 6.45, 7 45, 11.45 a. m. and 12.45, 3 45, 4 45, 5.45, 6 45 and 7.45 p. m. connect at Bellingham Four Corners with cars for Caryville.

FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave 6.00, 7.30, 8.15 a. m.; hourly to 6.15 p. m.; 8.15, 10.15 p. m. Return, 6 40, 8.15 a. m.; hourly till 7.15 p. m.; 9.15, 11.15 p. m.

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H. M. YOUNG, Sup't.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of William Mann, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, two certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament, and one codicil, of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Willard Everett of Lowell, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the fifth day of December, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this seventh day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

no9,16,23

If you want to buy or sell anything, have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Oyster supper tomorrow evening at Universalist church.

Milton Cochrane is moving his household goods to Dorchester.

Mrs. Sydney Rogers of Central street is ill with typhoid malaria.

The cranberries from the Miller or Ray meadow are being shipped to market.

The Bellingham and Franklin town line is to be inspected next Thursday.

We should have noted the sale of the Fiske property as Dec. 19 instead of Nov. 19.

The Norfolk and Franklin boundary line was perambulated Saturday as the law requires.

Mrs. A. M. Medley of Springfield spent the Sabbath with her daughter, Mrs H. S. Ward.

Engineer James Joyce has moved from Milliken avenue to a house recently purchased by him on Peck street.

Meeting of the Ladies' Social circle of the Universalist church next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Lovell Metcalf.

Experts say that turkeys are going to be unusually scarce, so you will oblige your marketman by placing your order early.

Supt. Blanchard had to keep the electric light service on most all of Monday, owing to the unusual darkness. It was appreciated.

Ten persons rose for prayer at the evening service of the Baptist church Sunday evening. The revival spirit is increasing.

Scalloped and stewed oysters at Universalist church Wednesday evening, at 6.30 o'clock. Entertainment after supper. Come!

Mrs. C. L. Stewart assisted the Y. M. C. A. in special services in Milford last week and on Sunday Her work there is especially appreciated.

The little daughter of Electrician E.L. Blanchard is ill with scarlet fever. His little boy, who has been ill with the same disease, is convalescent.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Stearns of "Norumbega," Camden, Me., and Miss Katherine Kingston of Bar Harbor, are guests of Mrs. Annie Kingston Ballard.

An oyster supper has been arranged for at the Universalist church tomorrow evening, after which an entertainment will be enjoyed. A good time is promised.

Oliver Jordan is the new outside man at the electric light station, taking Lennie Minot's place, who has secured a position as substitute mail carrier in Boston.

A number from here are going over to West Medway this evening to enjoy the second entertainment in the lecture course, the Weber quartet and Miss James, reader.

The fences in front of E. F. Ware's houses on Main street have been taken down, bowing to the march of improvement in this line about town. There are others.

The Flax Fibre company of Millis, which did its experimenting here, are putting the finishing touches to the machinery and began getting out their samples yesterday.

J. A. Barnstead leaves tomorrow with his wife and two children for Colorado Springs, Col., where he will engage in the laundry business, having purchased a laundry in connection with a friend.

How much a line of well painted houses adds to the looks of the street. This is especially noticeable of the newly painted Ray houses on Dean avenue and Emmons street. Let the good work go on.

Next week is Thanksgiving, and we trust that all having guests or going elsewhere to enjoy the day will kindly send word to this office so that it may be duly chronicled. We shall appreciate the favor.

A general renovation of guide boards is one of the affairs now occupying the attention of the selectmen and street superintendent. Posts have been prepared and the contract to supply the signs is under consideration.

The agent of the commissioners of state and military aid is expected here next Friday, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of a special examination of the recipients of aid, and all such are expected to appear unless unable from sickness to do so

During the year ending In August there were 13 deaths in the Masonic lodges of the 20th Masonic district of Massachusetts, and six of these occurred in Excelsior lodge of Franklin, comprising about one eighth of the Masons in the district.

The Mothers' section met with Mrs. Eva Sherman on Friday afternoon and discussed some every day questions in regard to child training. The class were pleased to have with them their complimentary member, Mrs. Margaret Ray, whose words of advice were pleasing and practical.

Hosie Bros. have just put into their store a new apparatus for utilizing the waste heat that usually goes up the chimney from a furnace or steam heater. All of the smoke passes through this before going up chimney, and the heat is given out in passing. It appears to be a practical thing.

Fourteen million pieces of mail matter could not be delivered last year because of illegible direction. All of it went to the dead letter office. A neat card printed in the corner of your envelopes will insure its return to you without the delay of the dead letter office. Let us print them for you.

Dr. Ambrose J. Gallison gave an informal and very entertaining talk on his recent trip to Europe at the Monday evening teachers' meeting. His description of diamond cutting in Amsterdam was particularly instructive and the views and souvenirs of many foreign cities were greatly enjoyed.

It is expected that the McParland liquor case will finally be tried next Saturday. Thomas Grover of Canton will represent the defendant, and Henry E. Ruggles the state. There are four complaints against McParland, three for violating the express law and one for illegal keeping of liquor.

The will of William Mann, filed in Dedham registry for probate, contains bequests of $100 each to the Congregational Missionary society, to the American Tract society and the American Board of Commissioners of Foreign Missions. The will was executed July 15, 1897, and Willard Everett is named as its executor.

Before Associate Judge Ruggles in the district court this morning Anthony Ross, a youth, was convicted on the charge of the larceny of lumber from the yard at Singleton's mill and a fine of $10 was imposed. Another young man was before the court on the charge of intoxication, and it being his second offense he was fined $10.

Word received from A. L. Pierce, superintendent of the Wallingford, Ct., municipal electric lighting plant, states that for the month of October the company paid all operating expenses, bond interest, charged off five per cent. for depreciation, and made five per cent. on money invested, which is not a bad showing for a municipal plant.

Three hundred people attended the coffee party given under the auspices of St. Mary's parish at the Opera house Friday evening and the affair was successful in all respects. Local talent contributed their share in providing a fine musical and literary entertainment, which lasted an hour. Dancing followed, an intermission being taken for supper. Fales' orchestra of West Medway furnished excellent music.

On last Sabbath evening a very large audience was present at the Congregational church. Dr. Sneath led the company to the sea of Galilee and the places of interest by the sea. Miss Whiting, accompanied by the other voices of the quartet, sang most effectively "Blue Galilee." Mrs. Wallace rendered in a very impressive manner "The Man of Sorrows." The highest appreciation of these journeys is being expressed by those who attend them.

If a newspaper is not to publish the news what on earth is it for? Every issue of every newspaper in the world contains something distasteful to somebody, while the other fellow thinks it is just the thing. Just so, if you sit down at your neighbor's table, you invariably find something not to your liking, but you don't smash the dishes, throw the good wife out of the house, and "raise Cain" generally, simply because you see something you don't like.

There was the same observance of the Sunday closing law in town last Sunday as on the preceding Sunday. The confectionery and fruit stands were closed, while the druggists, news dealers and restaurant keepers transacted business as usual. Fruit was the only luxury one could not obtain, as the dealers who are allowed to keep open sell tobacco, cigars, confectionery and soft drinks, which constitute for the most part the stock in trade of those who closed their stores.

The great football game between the Phillips Andover eleven and the Walpole Athletic association, to be played in Walpole on the morning of Thanksgiving day, is already exciting comment, and doubtless a number will go from here, as it will be the "scrappiest" game of the season in this section. Among those who will play in the Walpole team will be Allen, an ex-Yale player; Kendall. an ex-captain at Dartmouth; Spear and Campbell, old Harvard players; Beiler, a former crack player at Williams; Morse, of the Institute of Technology. Last year Walpole played Phillips, the game resulting in a tie, and each side this year proposes to take the game.

The executive committee of the Y. M. C. A. are busy at work furnishing and equipping the rooms of the Association. It is their intention to make them attractive in every way, so that it will be the one place in town for our young men through the coming winter. In order to fully carry out the plans of the committee and have the rooms free from debt, about two hundred dollars more is needed, and any who have not contributed are invited to do so at once. Quite a number have sent in their subscription unsolicited and if the committee have not called on you, it would very much encourage them to receive your check for any sum you may feel disposed to give and you can rest assured it will be put to good use. Let them hear from you.

Recital in Odd Fellows' Hall.

The following attractive program will be presented at the recital in Odd Fellows' hall, next Friday evening, given under the auspices of the Epworth league, for the benefit of the Methodist church. It will be a rich treat for music lovers and those who enjoy hearing a good reader, all taking part being thorough artists in their respective lines:

Piano Solo	Selected	Mr. Kirkham.
Baritone Solo	"Night of Nights,"	Prof. McWatters.
Reading	"The Deacon's New Year,"	Mr. Everett.
Banjo	"Tripping Through the Meadow,"	Mr. Prince.
Reading	Extract from "Snowbound,"	Mr. Everett.
Baritone Solo	"Here and There,"	Prof. McWatters.
Banjo	a. "Last Rose of Summer," b. "The Dickey Galop,"	Mr. Prince.
Reading	"How Jimmy Tended the Baby,"	Mr. Everett.
Banjo	"Fair Harvard and Variations,"	Mr. Prince.
Baritone Solo	"Again I String My Lute,"	Prof. McWatters.
Reading	"Casey at the Bat,"	Mr. Everett.
Banjo	a. "Shepherd Boy," b. "Chinese Serenade,"	Mr. Prince.

A Two Weeks' Mission.

Rev. Father Cullen and Rev. Father Hespelein, two missionaries of the Redemptorist order, began a two weeks' mission at St. Mary's chapel at the 10 45 mass Sunday morning, when Rev. Father Cullen delivered the opening sermon. At 3 p. m. Rev. Father Hespelein gave an instructive talk to the children of the parish. The evening services began with the reciting of the rosary, Father Hespelein afterward delivering a sermon on "The Soul's Salvation." The devotions ended with the benediction of the blessed sacrament.

The mission this week is for the women of the parish and the chapel is crowded morning and night. The masses are celebrated at 5 and 8 a. m., one of the missionaries delivering brief instructions at each. In the evening the services include the reciting of the rosary, brief instructions, a sermon and benediction of the blessed sacrament.

Be Thoughtful.

The next time you get aboard an electric car remember the conductor has his hands and his head full all the time; he must collect fares with reasonable accuracy and give transfer tickets; he must notice when a passenger wishes to alight and when also that passenger is safely on terra firma; he must signal for each start when the incoming passengers get aboard; he must answer the questions of strangers and others; he must take care of the maimed, the halt, and the blind, and he must be watchful lest those who have drunk unwisely deep come to harm; the strain seems to be incessant; he must keep his temper and be civil; to be sure he is not a Chesterfield in grace and urbanity but he means no offence when he shouts, "Step lively, Lady, step lively!" He is merely trying to contribute something to the rapidity of movement which the modern urban demands as a right.

Y. M. C. A. Tickets.

The Secretary is now prepared to furnish membership tickets to all who may desire them, and will be at the rooms of the Association every evening this week, except Thursday evening, from 7 to 8 o'clock for this purpose. All are invited to call and secure their tickets at once as this will materially assist the executive committee in completing the equipment of the rooms. The gymnasium outfit has been ordered and is expected this week and the other furnishings will be secured as fast as possible, so it is expected the rooms will be open very soon.

CHAS. L. STEWART, Sec'y.

Oyster Supper.

Wednesday evening, at 6.30 o'clock, at the Universalist church, an oyster supper will be served under the auspices of the Y. P. C. U. Oysters scalloped and stewed may be obtained. A good entertainment will follow the supper. The admission for the whole affair is only twenty cents. Come and bring your friends.

Full of Truth.

Rev. James M. Albion of Malden occupied the Universalist pulpit in exchange with Rev. Dr. Hodge on Sunday, preaching a most interesting and intensely practical sermon, taking for his central thought, "A Teachable Spirit" He said: A famous person has said that life is not simply a drifting; this is a school. Christ was called the Master, and He spoke of His followers as disciples. We should have a teachable spirit; be open minded. We should avoid bigotry, whether in religion, politics, or anything else, for bigotry is possible in many things. We are related beings to the stars.

The great physician, the eminent sculptor the divine artist knows vastly more than about his art alone Shakespeare knew the country as well as London, he knew men and things in a wonderfully broad way; he had a passion for humanity. Such students of humanity were Scott, Dickens, Emerson, Gœthe. The merchant who knows only his business is narrow, and is missing one of the great objects of life. Women sometimes lead lives devoted entirely to society, vapid, shallow and unsatisfactory. Sometimes the home gets all the attention. They do not allow a speck of dust anywhere, but too often they allow dust to gather upon the mind and heart.

We must not close the mind and heart to the enrichments which God has provided. We must be hospitable to new truth, with our eyes turned toward the future as well as to the past. We are changing physically, mentally and morally continually. While we reverence the past, we must not idolize it. We must learn to be tolerant. We must be able to see good in the socialist, in Christian science. We must be ready to learn from an enemy.

True teachableness is humble. Beecher was willing to learn from whatever source knowledge was to be derived, hence his wonderful hold upon his listeners. One of the foes of a teachable spirit is pride. Shame is a good thing; shamelessness is not. When we realize that we do not "know it all," we are in a position to learn. Another foe is egotism. We should not be dogmatic. Lincoln was willing to admit he was wrong and to change, when conditions had changed. Wendell Phillips could change with changing conditions. The underlying facts of nature and humanity are always true. He who will not change is holding back progress. A bigot knows that he alone is right, when he alone may be wrong. It is easier to teach an ignoramus than a bigot. Like the pupil of the eye the bigot contracts in the presence of light.

Conservatism is another foe to teachableness; so also is indifference, that lukewarm, flabby unconcern which is so deadening, so chilling, so depressing. Court rather the fever of effort than the paralysis of indifference. Good will eventually conquer evil. We should be on guard lest we entertain angels unawares, and we know not that they are angels till they have taken their flight.

At the vesper service at 5 o'clock he spoke to a deeply interested audience upon "The Twentieth Century Church." He deplored the fact that we are not growing up a church-going people, that is, the Protestant portion, but he felt that the new century was to bring about a change. It is in the air. Phillips Brooks recognized it, and the signs of the times indicate it.

The twentieth century church will take hold upon the verities of life; it will have a deeper consciousness of God as a vital reality. The nation or people that would destroy God is drifting into anarchy. That has been tried and it has proven so. The man who loses faith in God will lose faith in everything else. Faith is everything, even in the business world. The world's credit is based upon faith. We are occupying ourselves with the material things of this world. Politics are not conducted on principle, as in the days of Washington, of Webster, of Lincoln, but the material side is pushed to the fore.

Without a consciousness of God men's hearts grow barren. They blunt their better natures with unfit books, unhealthy theatre attractions. The new church will have a simpler religion, a simpler creed; the pulpit will be more fearless, the pew will not put its thumbscrews upon the pulpit. It will not be a perfect church because man is imperfect. It will be no better than its members, because they can only live out what is in the heart. Truth is immortal, but it is useless unless it is incarnated into action. The new church will be founded upon the best of the old, and that which is based on truth will live and actuate its followers.

The Way It Works.

An editor in Pennsylvania asks for proposals from the merchants of the town to furnish him a pair of socks, a bushel of potatoes and five yards of calico, contract to be awarded to the lowest bidder. He says this is the way they do business with him when they want two dollars' worth of job work, and this is about the way of it it in most places.

An Old Resident Gone.

Joseph G. Hills died at his residence on Friday from heart trouble, after a brief illness, although he has been some what out of health for a couple of years. His death was very sudden and unexpected, for at the time of his death he was conversing with those about him and feeling as well as during the past few days. He was sitting in his chair when he suddenly threw up his hands and was dead.

He was born here in September, 1822, and spent the major portion of his life here, receiving his education at the Mount school, where he was a classmate of Sanford Hills, G. I. Partridge, Alfred Metcalf, Charles Thompson and others of our more aged residents more than seventy years ago He was engaged at one time in the straw goods jobbing trade, the rest of the time having been spent upon the farm. He was twice married, the first time to Miss Ellen Perkins of Dover, N H., one son, Albert, being born to them. He died at the age of sixteen. He was again married to Miss Mary Gilmore, three children being the result of that union, Mrs. Jennie G. Woodbury Hills. Mrs Carrie Hosmer of Newark, N. J., and Frank S Hills, who has been at work in Newark of late.

The funeral was solemnized at the house this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Dr Sneath of the Congregational church officiating.

Winter Nights' Entertainment.

Music lovers and those interested in eloquent platform lectures are promised a rare treat in the series of entertainments which are being arranged for by the young gentlemen and young ladies of the Congregational church, the initial entertainment of the course to be given in about three weeks.

It is a recognized fact that only a strictly high-class course will appeal to the people of Franklin and vicinity, therefore the talent that has been selected is of the best in their line to be found upon the platform today. Those who have interested themselves in the course are Addison M. Thayer, W. S. Johnson, W. C. Sherman, C. B. Johnson, Miss Grace Whiting, Miss Mabel Ray and Miss Laura Blake.

Mr. Thayer's extensive acquaintance with the best talent, his thorough knowledge of the desires of our people, coupled with the enthusiasm with which he has entered upon this affair, insure four magnificent entertainments, to be given at a popular price.

Especial effort has been made to arrange dates which do not conflict with the open meetings of the Alden club, the West Medway course or the week of prayer, and a glance at the attractions will at once indicate their merit. The tickets for the course are to be sold for $1.00, four entertainments; single admission 35 cents. Further particulars as to sale of seats, description of entertainers, etc., will be given later.

Friday, Dec 14—The Harvard Quartette of Boston and Lillian Pierce Hennigar, reciter.

Friday, Jan. 25—Col. L. F. Copeland of Pennsylvania, the king of platform lecturers.

Tuesday, Feb. 19—The Lyceum Stars of Boston, with Curtis Morse, impersonator.

Tuesday, March 19—The Imperial Band bell ringers and their carillon of 110 bells.

A Wonderful Presentation.

To those who have read the novel "Quo Vadis" and to those who have not read it there will be almost an equal amount of interest at the forthcoming production at the Opera house on Tuesday evening next. The plot deals with a Christian maiden who is triumphant in her faith, and who, in the simplicity of her religion, converts her pagan persecutor to the true cross. Nero, the Roman butcher, is a prominent character in the play. The management promise special scenery for every act, the entire original cast, and an absolutely perfect performance of one of the greatest plays the stage has ever seen.

We have the exalted enthusiasm of the Christian martyrs, their inspired and steadfast faith. We see the torture of the martyrs and the cruelty of the imperial court, and the doom in the arena. A vast amount of money has been spent on the production, the scenery and costumes being not only historically correct but alike beautiful and appropriate. The company is a most excellent one throughout, and without a poor or ordinary actor in it.

A Rummage and Clearance Sale

Of the goods and furniture remaining in the Jones house, No. 5 Union street, will be held at the house on Saturday, Nov. 24, from 10 a. m. until 6 p. m. The lot of nearly 27,000 square feet (5 8 of an acre), with dwelling house and barn, is offered for sale.

Crescent House.

I have some choice single and double rooms, fronting on the Main street. Steam heat and electric lights. Suitable for a man and wife or family. Terms reasonable. S. T. CAPRON, Prop.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

Read the Business Announcements.

A Successful Affair.

There was a good-sized audience at Dean academy on Friday evening to witness the benefit performance in aid of the athletic association. Two plays were presented in a most finished manner. The stage setting was charming in the extreme, unusual taste being displayed in the arrangement. The audience was very appreciative, applauding vigorously the excellent work of the participants. Remarkably good music was furnished by the Dean orchestra, proving one of the features of the presentation. The two plays were "Per Telephone" and "A Difference in Clocks." Following is the cast:

"PER TELEPHONE."

Guy Harling,	Glenn S. Echols
Ned Austin,	George C. Phipps
Nan Cuzzin,	Maude L. Barron
Mary Halcome,	Edna P. Andrus
Nora, (servant)	Nellie Wilder

"A DIFFERENCE IN CLOCKS"

Miss Marie,	Miss Florence Elwood
Joshua Stebbins,	Ellis W. Jones

"Prince Pro Tem."

That delightful and popular musical fantasie, "Prince Pro Tem," comes to the Morse Opera house next Friday evening. It has met with great favor from Boston play goers, the opera being full of bright dialogue, plenty of diverting incidents and an abundance of pleasing music. The songs so numerous and of so catchy a nature would of themselves carry to success a much inferior opera. That Mr. Packard has got together an organization fully qualified to do justice to both author and composer is a testimonial to his managerial ability and good judgment, and that they work together in perfect harmony for the success of the opera is an evidence of his tact and discipline. The parts are so well balanced one against another that undue prominence is scarcely attainable, and while many individual hits are made they are not achieved at the expense of others. Everywhere the opera has been presented the audiences have shown every evidence of enjoyment, keeping up a running accompaniment of applause and laughter and calling for the repetition of the many songs and choruses to an extent that has deferred the final fall of the curtain to a late hour nightly.

"No establishment can long continue to do business on the strength of former prominence," says a persistent newspaper advertiser. "In every growing community the population is constantly changing, old citizens dying or retiring to private life, while new men are coming to the front. The public has a short memory. With new establishments as well as old showing daily enterprise, people cannot keep in mind business houses that have ceased to advertise."

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Scientific Palmistry and Inspirational card reading, 25 cts. Laura Lee, cor. Garfield and Crescent Sts. 20

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Christmas orders for oil painting or any material filled promptly. Laura Lee, cor. Garfield and Crescent Sts. 20

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor J.B. MCKINNON, Agent.

In November

is the best time to sit for portraits for Christmas. Don't wait till the rush of December. Latest and best in portraiture now and always at

CALKIN'S STUDIO, Depot street.

Farm for Sale.

The D. C Coates farm on Pond street will be sold, stocked, at auction next Friday afternoon by Auctioneer Corson at 1 o'clock. If you want bargains be present.

W. A. Pond

Handles all kinds of rentable property, and will find you a tenant or tenement if you desire.

A new lot of potted plants, ferns, rubber plants, palms, etc.; cut flowers, roses in large or small quantities; funeral designs well made up. Violets and 100 chrysanthemums. Slade's greenhouse.

Fish received fresh daily. Oysters in and out of shell. Blue fish, butter fish, halibut, cod, haddock, Finnan haddie, clams and oysters at Paine's market.

The December Delineator is now on sale at N. C. Nye's. It is full of Christmas ideas and suggestions.

Oak parlor stoves have been weighed in the balance and not found wanting. Sold by Sanford Bros., Medway.

Transient and regular patrons will find good service, clean and quick work at Ochee's barber shop, Opera house block.

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1900

Walker F. Cutting of Baldwinsville Mass., is not a man to be worried by trifles. He was riding homeward on a Boston and Maine express train the other evening, and the night being hot went out on the rear platform. His hat was blown off and in attempting to recover it he lost his balance and fell from the train, which was traveling 40 miles an hour. A passenger saw him fall, but before the engineer could be notified the train had reached Baldwinsville. The engine was at once detached and sent down the road to bring in the body. The crew shortly saw Cutting walking quietly along the track, still smoking the cigar which was between his teeth when he tumbled off. He was uninjured. He had recovered his hat, too.

From the army recruiting stations in Chicago there has been gathered a formidable addition to the slang of the day. Strictly speaking, "shavetail" is a "griffin" or "coyote" or "rooster," but frequently is called a "piebiter," and perhaps is known even more widely as a "ringtailed snorter." All these are terms of reproach addressed to the "rookie," or military recruit, in the United States.

A San Francisco schoolmistress recently married in defiance of the rule of the board of education that declares: "Whenever a female teacher marries her position in the department thereby becomes vacant." This teacher, however, refused to be removed. Accordingly she engaged an attorney, had the case argued before the city's highest legal authority and won it.

Attention is called by the Boston Evening Transcript to the fact that the modern rapid transit systems in our large cities are potent factors in checking the growth of centers of dense population. The low fare for long distances permits persons of moderate means to live in the suburban or semisuburban sections.

Newport, O., has furnished the champion eater. He is Jack Barre, and at a recent sitting he ate and drank six bowls of chicken soup, two spring chickens, two loaves of bread, six raw onions, four quarts of beer and three pounds of fish. He has challenged any one in the three cities who prides himself on his appetite.

Fifty years ago John L. Wilkerson, of White Haven, Pa., and Sarah Ann Con[illegible] had a lovers' quarrel. He married another girl and she married the other man. They met again this summer—he 81 and a widower, she 72 and a widow. The wedding occurred a few days ago.

A woman who died recently in Brooklyn at the age of [illegible] has seen nine generations of her family, extending from her great-great-grandfather to her great-great-grandson.

The divorced wife of a wealthy New York man [illegible] when she departed [illegible] no intention of [illegible] convent.

Stop Wasting Your Strength.

Stop Making Yourself Weaker Every Day.

There is a Help—A Sure Help.

If you sow the seeds of wasted strength, you will reap a harvest of sickness that will follow you all your days. You can renew your life and strength by purifying your blood with SMITH'S GREEN MOUNTAIN RENOVATOR. Sow the seeds of strength with it, and you will be well and vigorous all your years. Don't be weak and sickly and unable to cope with life. Remember this remedy is made in Vermont, of pure, wholesome herbs, and is redolent of the green fields, fragrant woods and bracing air. It will give you STRENGTH.

"After twenty years of suffering with salt rheum, resulting in loss of flesh, nervous depression, loss of appetite and strength, six bottles of your grand blood Renovator has put me on my feet. I was badly broken out on shoulders, face, legs; tried physicians and many patent medicines but to no avail. Your Renovator has made a new man of me, and I cannot say enough in its praise as a great blood and nerve invigorator."

HORACE F. WEEKS, Bakersfield, Vt.

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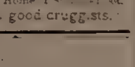
Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, bladder, uric acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work, in private practice, among the helpless too poor to purchase relief and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty cent and dollar sizes are sold by all good druggists.



Home of Swamp-Root.

Advice.

"I suppose that in order to get on in public life a man ought to study political economy."

"No, my boy. Don't try to skimp your legislature. What you want to study is political liberality."—Washington Star.

Not Admitted.

Her Husband (annoyed)—You buy so many things you don't want!

Mrs. Bargyn-Hunter (sweetly)—Not at all! Indeed, I doubt if there is any such thing.—Puck.

That's So.

"Lightning never strikes twice in the same place, you know!"

"How can it when, generally, it doesn't leave enough of a place to strike?"

The Youth's Companion in 1901.

The ends of the earth will be laid under tribute for the 1901 volume of the Youth's Companion. Statesmen, diplomats, travellers, trappers, Indian fighters, cow punchers and self-made men and women of many vocations will contribute to the entertainment of young and old in Companion homes. Theodore Roosevelt will write upon "The Essence of Heroism." The secretary of the treasury will answer the question, "What is Money." Frank T Bullen, the old sailor who spins fascinating yarns of life at sea, will contribute a story. W. D. Howells will describe the relations between "Young Contributors and Editors." Paul Leicester Ford will write about "The Man of the Dictionary"—Noah Webster. There is not space here to begin to tell of the good things already provided for readers of the new volume of the Youth's Companion—interesting, instructive, inspiring—from the pens of famous men and women. Illustrated announcement of the 1901 volume and sample copies of the paper sent free to any address. All new subscribers who send in their subscriptions now will receive not only the 52 issues of the Companion for 1901, but also all the issues for the remaining weeks of 1900 free from the time of subscription, besides the beautiful "Puritan Girl" calendar for 1901 lithographed in 12 colors and gold. The Youth's Companion, Boston, Mass.

A Cruise in Southern Seas.

The Southern Railway, in connection with the United Fruit Co.'s steamship lines via New Orleans, have placed on sale one-way and excursion tickets to the principal ports of Central and South America. Elegant steamship sails from New Orleans upon the arrival of the Washington and Southwestern Limited, via the Southern Railway, which operates solid train dining and drawing-room sleeping cars New York to New Orleans. The United Fruit Co's steamship line's Royal Mail Line leaves New Orleans every Thursday 9 a. m. for Belize, British Honduras, Puerto Barrios, Guatemala and Puerto Cortez, Spanish Honduras. Connection for Guatemala, Tegucigalpa and the interior. Fast Mail Line for Port Limon leaves New Orleans every Friday 9 a. m., connecting for Bocas del Toro, Colon, Bluefields, Greytown, San Jose and interior towns. A most delightful winter cruise. Rates exceedingly low. Less than one hundred dollars for the round trip New York to Central America, including meals and stateroom on steamships. For full particulars, sleeping car and steamship reservation, call on ticket agent Southern Railway, 271 and 1185 Broadway, New York, or apply to Geo. C. Daniels, N. E. P. A., 228 Washington street, Boston.

The best protection against fevers, pneumonia, diphtheria, etc., is in building up the system with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

A Catch.

Hicks—I had my house broken into last week.

Wicks—You don't say so? Lose much?

Hicks—It cost me [illegible] to get the lock repaired. Hereafter I guess I shall have to leave the door unlocked.—Boston Transcript.

His Exhausting Pose.

"Henry had to go to bed after that visiting clergyman went away."

"What was the matter?"

"He prostrated himself trying to give the clergyman the impression that he was a pillar in our church."—Chicago Record.

A Curio Distributor.

"Catch me proposing to a girl by letter."

"What makes you so timid?"

"Why, three girls in this town have my 'framed' proposals hanging up in their 'dens.'"—Detroit Free Press.

The Ruling Passion.

Young Lady—Mercy me! And so when fast in the jungle you came face to face with a tiger. Ooo! What did you do?

Modern Traveler (proudly)—Photographed it.—N. Y. Weekly.

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HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 28, 1900.

FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets
Two Blasts—Fire out.
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Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire.

MONUMENT ON A MOUNTAIN.

The Difficulty of Getting Heavy Stones for the Work to Lookout Mount's Crest.

A serious problem confronts the engineers in charge of the erection of the great New York peace memorial on the summit of Lookout mountain. The question is how to get the material for the monument to the top of the mountain, 2,000 feet above the surrounding country. The railroad which has been running to the top of the mountain as a freight line has been discontinued, and the rails will be sold for old iron.

It is unsafe even if it were in operation, the trestles and cross-ties being worn and rotten, says the Philadelphia Record. The track in its present condition will only safely stand a load of 30,000 pounds, the engineers say, while one of the stones to be used in the monument will weigh nearly 60,000 pounds, and many of them 50,000 pounds. There is no roadway near the spot where the monument is being erected, it being high above all the surrounding country. In case no other means can be devised to handle the material and move it to the top a road four miles in length will be constructed especially for the purpose.

Active Only at Night.

Surgeon McKenna, who has passed the last six months on the island of Mindanao, does not hesitate to maintain that the number of quadrupeds and insects enjoying existence in the moonlight of the tropics exceeds that of their daylight rivals; so much so, indeed, that whole species and groups or species are represented only by nocturnal creatures. Forests that remained as still as the grave under the glare of the vertical sun are all in an uproar within an hour after sunset.

One of the Trophies of War.

Capt. Lans, of the German navy, who took such a prominent part in the capture of the Taku forts, writes home that the Germans captured at that place 17 guns of various caliber and much ammunition. "These," declares Capt. Lans, "are the guns which have killed and wounded so many of my brave fellows, and which alas! like almost all the enemy's guns and ammunition, come from our native country. The guns are all modern quick firers from Krupp's."

Newfoundland Sealing.

The Newfoundland sealing season has been the best for the past 25 years, 175,000 seal having been captured.

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Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

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Pretty Big.

"Blowhard has a big opinion of himself."

"How big?"

"Well, he's beginning to imagine he's annoyed by camera fiends."—Puck.

Disfigured Skin

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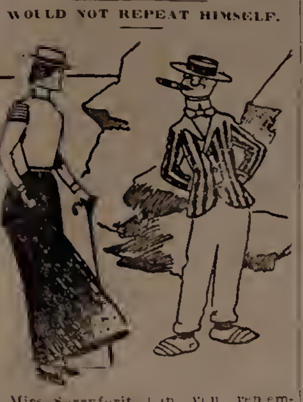
In the Nursery.

Dorothy—Yes, Percy, I suppose we might become engaged; but I am too young to marry, you know.

Percy—Foolish girl! Who ever thought of marriage at one's first engagement?—N. Y. World.

WOULD NOT REPEAT HIMSELF.



Miss Sorryforit—Can you remember; it was on this very spot you proposed to me last year and I rejected you. Now I might—

Mr. Offit (anticipating her)—Aw, thanks. I never give encores.—Ally Sloper.

Getting Thin

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"You took me for better or for worse!" cried Henry Peck.

"Oh, no, my dear," replied Mrs. Peck, sweetly. "You took me for better, and I took you for worse."—Tit-Bits.

The Point of View.

Miss Willing—Do you believe it is wrong to marry for money?

Parson Brown—Of course not. Five dollars is my regular fee.—Chicago Daily News.

"The Atlanta Special."

The route of the "Atlanta Special" is via the Seaboard Air Line Railway, "Florida and West India Short Line," with through Pullman drawing room and buffet sleeping cars from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Richmond to Athens and Atlanta, where direct connections are made in Union depot for Montgomery, Macon, New Orleans and all points south and southwest. Trains arrive and depart at Pennsylvania Railroad stations. For further information call on or address W. C. Shoemaker, general eastern passenger agent, 1,206 Broadway, New York; C. L. Longsdorf, New England passenger agent, 306 Washington street, Boston, Mass.; W. M. McConnell, general agent, 1234 New York avenue, Washington, D. C., or the general passenger agent at Portsmouth, Va.

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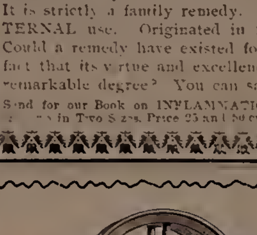

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PURSUED BY BRITISH

DURING the revolutionary war many deeds of valor were performed by people whose names have never been heard of by the present generation, but whose daring acts did much to foster the cause of liberty. The Hillards were a well-known family in the vicinity of Philadelphia, and while they had never been discovered in direct communication with the continental army it was fairly understood among the British troops that they were using their influence to aid the colonists.

"I should like nothing better," an English officer was saying, "than to capture one of that family, march him to headquarters and make him give an account of himself."

"Perhaps," a fellow officer returned, "you would not enjoy the capture of the young daughter of the household, who, it is said, is afraid of nothing this side of the sea. It is said that she is one of the most expert horsewomen in the colonies, and is often scouring the country at daybreak and does not return till dark."

Jane Hillard, a beautiful girl of 15, was standing at her horse's side, patting its glossy neck, while her mother was saying:

"I like not the thought of your going so far from home when the country round is infested with British soldiers."

"Why, mother," laughed the girl, as she sprang into the saddle, "I know every inch of the ground, as well as I know our own dooryard. And what can happen to me? There is no horse so fleet as mine, and I promise to take good care of myself." And giving the mare a touch with her whip, she went flying down the driveway toward the public road.

Jane rode along the smooth highway, every now and then looking over her shoulder to see whether any had noticed her during her swift trip. And at last, when she came to a large clump of elder bushes, she reigned in the mare, raised herself in the saddle and gazed in all directions. Seeing no one, she gave three short whistles, which were at once answered. She then started the horse, and in a moment had reached a thick underbrush a few rods off the public road. A young man came forward, raised his cap respectfully and said:

"Good day, Mistress Hillard. You are prompt in keeping an appointment."

"Good day, sir," she answered quickly. "I am glad I have not kept you waiting."

"I am trusting you with a most important message, which must be in the hands of Gen. Washington within 12 hours. If it is discovered, it means death to me and confusion to our troops. You are in great danger carrying it."

Jane placed the precious message within her riding cap, and had gone but a short distance when, on looking over her shoulder, great was her consternation to discover in the distance a party of English officers.

Jane Hillard was a brave girl, but her heart sank as she thought of the important letter intrusted to her, all that it meant to the continental army if it were discovered, and what would be her probable fate if she were made a prisoner of war. She put the spurs to her horse, and then began a ride which was an important one for the cause of liberty. On they went, the girl urging the mare over the uneven road, well knowing that one misstep meant certain capture and probable death, while the redcoats followed with wonderful speed.

"We are gaining!" cried one. "I'll wager that at the next turn of the road we shall catch her."

The men fairly flew over the road to the point beyond the bend where they expected to capture Mistress Hillard, and great was their surprise to discover that she was beyond their reach, but that she had completely disappeared! The men who had regarded the race as simply a joke to frighten the girl now vowed to find her and take her before the commandant.

"We'll ride right to her father's door, and the one who finds her and brings her before the officer of the day shall receive a liberal reward."

Jane Hillard spoke truly when she said she knew the country around, and when she saw the British were in pursuit of her she decided upon a desperate move. At a point hidden from the highway she vaulted her horse over the hedge, turned down the edge of a creek, and by the time her disappearance was discovered she was carefully skirting her way through her father's orchard. In a few moments she was galloping over the grass at the edge of the driveway, and soon arrived at the Hillard homestead.

No one was in sight, and the girl hastily sprang from her saddle, opened the door, and, leading her horse into the kitchen, securely fastened a great bar across the entrance. With great caution she led the mare through the living room, down the hall and the length of the state parlor into a little bedroom. She closed every door behind her, and she took the horse into the sleeping room she quite filled the space between the enormous bed and the old-fashioned dressing table.

"There!" she whispered, unfastening the saddle girth. "The redcoats won't get us this time, my girl."

In the meantime the officers rode up the lane to Hillard mansion, carefully looking for tracks in the dust, and one man knocked at the kitchen door so loudly with his riding whip that Mrs. Hillard hastily answered the summons, coming out of the cellar, where she had been assisting the maids in skimming the cream.

"We are looking," said the man, "for a maiden who rides about the country on a bay mare. She is, I believe, your daughter, madam."

"My daughter!" stammered Mrs. Hillard. "What can you possibly want of her?"

"We believe," went on the officer, "that she is carrying treasonable messages to the continental army."

"Why, sirs," cried the mother, "you are greatly mistaken. Jane is but a child, and she knows no more of the ways of war than yonder lamb."

"Well, madam," said the first speaker, "if you will assure me that she is doing no mischief, and promise me that she holds no communication with the continentals, we will bid you good afternoon."

There was great consternation in the household when Jane led her horse out of the best bedroom and told the story of her flight and her manner of escape.

Late that night, when all the household was asleep, a little figure stole out, and in a few seconds placed in the hands of the waiting messenger, a packet, which was in the possession of Gen. Washington before dawn. And that day the continental army gained a great victory.

Several months afterward Gen. Washington took dinner with the Hillard family, making the journey out of Philadelphia to personally thank the young girl who had risked so much for the cause so dear to her heart, her astonished family then hearing of it for the first time. The commander in chief of the army also wrote Jane Hillard a letter, which he signed, "Your faithful friend, G. Washington."—Troy Northern Budget.

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FROM THE FIELD OF BATTLE.

A complete set of Mafeking siege postage stamps has been sold at a London auction for $180 and two sets of Mafeking paper money for $110.

The granite monument to be erected at Samoa by the officers of the American and British warships engaged in the harbor during the recent trouble is a joint memorial to the sailors slain in the engagements. One tablet will bear the names of the British, the other of the American dead, and both will be surmounted by the flags intertwined.

Apropos of British reports that Boers fired on hospitals and bearing parties, Surgeon Perry, of the United States marine hospital service, suggests that hospital tents be indicated by more than the Red Cross flag, which is indistinguishable unless there is sufficient wind to hold it out. He believes that the tents should be of green canvas or of green and white, and that noncombatants, presumably hospital men and surgeons, should wear red jackets.

The "Pom-Pom" gun, which has played such a prominent part in the South African war on the sides of both belligerents, has not proved a very great success with the British forces. Owing to the rough nature of the country over which the guns were dragged, and the pace at which the army traveled, the guns were thrown out of gear. Several experiments were tried to overcome this difficulty, but without success. This is said to be the reason why the Boers carried their guns about in the ambulance wagons, since, as these latter were fitted with springs, the guns were not thrown out of adjustment.

ALLY SLOPER'S PHILOSOPHY.

How strange it is that when a building catches a light the fire burns up but the house burns down.

I have been trying to puzzle out how it can be to a man's credit that he never has credit. Funny, isn't it?

Nothing is more ridiculous than for a clever man to complain of another's stupidity, for if we were all clever there would not be anybody left to listen to our good stories.

There is a legend to the effect that the ant is industrious, but the ant most frequently met with in towns, that is to say the tru ant, most certainly is not a type of industry.

There are two occasions when it is advisable for a man to hold his tongue; one is when he does not know anything respecting the subject of conversation, and the other is when he does and the rest of the company don't.

The usual method of commencing an epitaph is terribly inaccurate. It generally begins "Here lies John Jones," while as a matter of fact it ought to be "Here lie Tom Smith and Will Brown, respecting the late John Jones;" and then could follow those virtues which he was supposed to be possessed of.

Your Best Work

Cannot be done unless you have good health. You cannot have good health without pure blood. You may have pure blood by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla now. You cannot realize the good it will do you until you try it. Begin taking it today and see how quickly it will give you an appetite, strength and vigor, and cure your rheumatism, catarrh or scrofula.

All liver ills are cured by Hood's Pills. 25 cents.

Uninteresting.

Penelope—Did you have a nice season?

Perdita—Not a bit. I was engaged to a lot of men I didn't care for.—Brooklyn Life.

A Few Words about

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A prominent Montreal clergyman, the Rev. James B. Dixon, Rector St. Jules and Hon. Canon of Christ Church Cathedral, writes:—"Permit me to send you a few lines to strongly recommend Perry Davis' Pain-Killer. I have used it with satisfaction for thirty-five years. It is a preparation which deserves full public confidence."

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The dermatologist studied the face before her and shook her head.

"The only possible help for you, madam," she said, "will be a reincarnation."—Chicago Tribune.

A Business Proposition.

"I think it's mean," she sobbed, "you might give me the money I ask for. I don't think you care for me at all."

"My dear," said her close husband, "I care more for you than all the money in the world. You're worth your weight in gold, and—"

"Then why don't you give me credit for what I'm worth?"—Philadelphia Press.

The Titled Wooer.

He was casting his net for the heiress,
And all were quite willing to bet
That there wasn't much doubt it would land her
For it was a coronet.
—Philadelphia Press.

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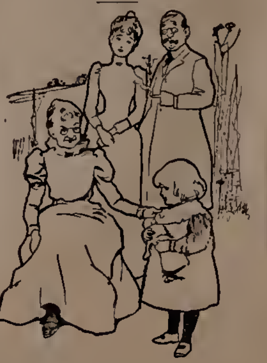

Auntie—Whom do you love best?
Dolly—Mamma.
Auntie—Who next?
Dolly—You.
Auntie—Who next?
Dolly—Baby.
Father (from the background)—And when does daddy come in?
Dolly—About two in the morning!—Sketch.

Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2.65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit. The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save. If your druggist can't supply you, it will be forwarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

A Village Blacksmith Saved His Little Son's Life.

Mr. H. H. Black, the well-known village blacksmith at Grahamsville, Sullivan Co., N. Y., says: "Our little son, five years old, has always been subject to croup, and so bad have the attacks been that we have feared many times that he would die. We have had the doctor and used many medicines, but Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is now our sole reliance. It seems to dissolve the tough mucus and by giving frequent doses when the croupy symptoms appear we have found that the dreaded croup is cured before it gets settled." There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains no opium or other injurious drug, and may be given as confidently to a babe as to an adult. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed heretofore given by Mary A. Littlefield, wife of Elmer H. Littlefield, in her own right, to Willie D. Littlefield, dated Jan. 10, 1898, and recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 896, page 27, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction at or near the premises herein described, on

MONDAY, the TENTH day of DECEMBER, A. D. 1900,

at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, situated in Franklin, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, on the south side of Winter street, and bounded and described as follows

"Beginning at the northwest corner on said land at stone post on said Winter street and land of Peter or Mary McDonald; thence running S. 21 degrees 5 minutes E., 177 1-2 feet to stone post and land of the heirs of A. H. Morse; thence running on said land of the heirs of A. H. Morse N. 73 degrees 30 minutes E., 35 feet to iron pipe and other land of the grantor; thence on other land of grantor N. 6 degrees 15 minutes W., 83 feet to iron pipe; thence N. 25 degrees 30 minutes W., 102 feet to said Winter street; thence on said Winter street 45 feet to point of beginning, containing 9,262 feet, and described as lot No. 2 in plan by S. C. Taft, dated May 26, 1897."

The estate will be sold subject to a mortgage of fifteen hundred ($1,500) dollars given by said Mary A. Littlefield to said Willie D. Littlefield, dated July 16, 1897, and accrued interest thereon, and also subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments.

Other conditions made known at time of sale.

WILLIE D. LITTLEFIELD,
Mortgagee.

For particulars address W. B. Grant, 15 Court square, Boston, Mass. no13,20,27

Mortgagee's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE

In Franklin, Mass.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Samuel N. Fiske and his wife, Lizzie M. Fiske, in her own right, to the Dean Co-Operative Bank, dated the third day of July, A. D. 1893, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 686, folio 537, and to foreclose said mortgage for breach of the conditions thereof, will be sold at public auction, on the premises hereinafter described, on

WEDNESDAY, the NINETEENTH day of DECEMBER, A. D. 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:

A certain piece or parcel of land, with all the buildings thereon, situated on the southerly side of Crescent street, in Franklin, in the county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the granted premises on said street at land of Lavina L. Pitts; and thence running southerly and bounding westerly on said land of said Pitts one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet, more or less, to land of Alfred C. Dana; thence easterly and bounding southerly on said land of said Alfred C. Dana seventy-four (74) feet; thence northerly and bounding easterly by land of Gregory A. Martin, formerly of the heirs of Albert E. Daniels, one hundred and eighty-eight (188) feet, more or less, to said street; thence westerly and bounding northerly on said street seventy-four (74) feet to the point of beginning, containing 13,801 square feet, more or less, being the same premises conveyed to said Lizzie M. Fiske by Mary J. Exley, by deed dated April 7th, 1893, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 690, folio 576.

Terms made known at time and place of sale.

DEAN CO-OPERATIVE BANK,
Mortgagee.

Franklin, Nov. 13, 1900. no13,20,27

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Cornelius Sullivan, late of Bellingham, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Daniel Sullivan of Bellingham, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Brookline, in said county of Norfolk, on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this third day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

no6 13,20

M., A. & W. STREET RAILWAY TIME-TABLE.

(In effect Oct. 22.)

FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6.10, 6.45 a.m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10.15 p. m. Last cars to car barn at 10.45 and 11.15 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m., connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket. Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.15 a. m., and then on hour and half hour till 10.30 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham Four Corners for Caryville every hour from 6 to 10 a. m., 12 m. to 2 p. m., 4 to 9 p. m., returning on the half hour. Cars leaving Franklin at 6.45, 7.45, 11.45 a. m. and 12.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.45, 6.45 and 7.45 p. m. connect at Bellingham Four Corners with cars for Caryville.

FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave 6.00, 7.30, 8.15 a. m.; hourly to 6.15 p. m., 8.15, 10.15 p. m. Return, 6.40, 8.15 a. m., hourly till 7.15 p. m.; 9.15, 11.15 p. m.

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STATEMENT SEPT. 29, 1900.

LIABILITIES.		
Due Depositors		$565,502 99
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 99
Interest Account		4,027 82
Real Estate Income Account		184 78
		$598,672 44
ASSETS.		
Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,975 00
" " Mortgages		157,760 00
" " Personal Securities		174,200 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		522 22
Tax Account		592 73
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$3,028 14	
Nat Bank of Redemption	1,304 95	
Mercantile Trust Co	84 16	
		4,417 25
Cash on hand		741 27
		$598,672 44

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

WALTER M. FISHER,
HORACE W. HOSIE,
Committee of Examination.

Sept. 29, 1900.

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BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 46, 4 13, 5 13, 6 01, 7 13 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 22, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m. S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, 16 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 6 05 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m; f12 58, 5 25, 6 13, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 35 a m, 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m, 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

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WRENTHAM.

Daniel S. Farrington entertained the Kipling club Saturday night. Each guest on arriving handed in a card. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cleveland, Oom Paul Kruger, Miss Helen Gould, Jack Gardner, Willie K. Vanderbilt, Potter Palmer, Rudyard Kipling and Mrs. May Gill. The guests sat down to an elaborate dinner, consisting of oyster soup, broiled chicken, salads, frozen pudding and milk. After dinner the names of twenty-one famous persons were guessed, and Miss Mary Stone won the first ladies' prize and Charles Ruggles the gentlemen's, the former a box of stationery, the latter a bank. Later on whist was enjoyed. Mrs. C. S. Ruggles won the ladies' first prize, a silver shoe horn, and Frank J. Ruggles a silver pen holder. The consolation prizes were taken by Hiram A. Cowell, who won a lobster, and Mrs. M. A. Smith a ghost, marked respectively, "You're a lobster," and "You didn't have the ghost of a chance." Mrs. Farrington was the recipient of many handsome prizes, among them being several pairs of doves of great value.——The parts for the I. O. O. F. entertainment have been assigned and the play is said to be a remarkably amusing one.——The auction sale of the grocery stock of F. P. Reading commenced Monday night and will be held each evening until closed out.——The library is to be open Sunday afternoon and evening.

ACTORS AND MUSICIANS.

John Drew has discarded his mustache for the sake of looking youthful in "Richard Carvel."

Miss Effie Steward, the well-known dramatic soprano of New York, is now appearing in opera in San Francisco. Following her season there she will make a tour of the United States in concert.

Byron in the theater would be decidedly a novelty to our generation. Yet Sir Henry Irving is to risk the experiment. At the final curtain call of his Lyceum season he announced for the coming winter season the production of "Manfred."

The Russians have a veteran actress of whom they are very proud. Mme. Orlav, in spite of her being 95 years of age, recently appeared on the stage in a performance specially given in aid of a charitable institution. Mme. Orlav has the distinction of having been the first actress to play Lady Macbeth and Ophelia in the Russian tongue.

With the exception of Paderewski, most of the foreign musicians who came to America last year will be back again by December, and there will be some new to these shores. Kubelic, the youngster who plays Paganini and who has been the musical rage of London, will be among these. Another violinist to whom some interest attaches and who has been engaged for one of the Chicago orchestra concerts is Fritz Kriesler, an Austrian. He is 25 years of age and toured this country with Rosenthal when he was 14. His first Berlin concert last winter was a pronounced success and he has been the soloist of most of the prominent orchestras of Germany. Ernest von Dohnanyi, the Hungarian pianist, who is another Chicago orchestra engagement, appeared last spring with the Boston symphony orchestra.

Just Like a Man.

Mrs. Growells—Oh, dear, I feel miserable again this morning.

Mr. Growells—I'm glad to hear it, dear.

Mrs. Growells—What! Glad to hear that I feel miserable?

Mr. Growells—Yes; for a woman is never happy unless she is miserable.—Chicago Daily News.

No Hope.

Mrs. Spinks—I can't pay you. I have not a cent. Perhaps my husband will have some money when he gets home. I believe he's gone to a horse race.

Grocer (weeping)—Alas! madam, you are mistaken. It was not a horse race he went to. It was a church fair.—N. Y. Weekly.

Strong Imagination.

She—Mr. Jingle's writings show a great deal of imagination, don't you think?

He—Yes, they show that he imagines he can write poetry.—Philadelphia Press.

Best He Could Do.

Hix—What seems to be the trouble?

Dix—Got rheumatism in my right leg.

Hix—Doing anything for it?

Dix—Yes; limping.—Chicago Daily News.

THE RAILWAYS.

Railroad building in the United States last year assumed its old-time proportions, more than 3,500 miles having been constructed for that period. Illinois supplied 311 miles of the total.

The superintendent of the Pennsylvania railroad has a telephone in his private car. Whenever he wishes to communicate with any place upon the line, the car is stopped and a lineman makes connection with the wires along the track.

On the Lehigh Valley railroad a system of lettering its locomotives has been adopted which shall readily indicate the pulling capacity of each class. This, says the Railway and Engineering Review, should be of considerable assistance to yardmasters and others concerned in making up trains.

The first four weeks after the opening of the electric railroad at Cairo, Egypt, no less than 80 persons were killed. Since that time the weekly average of victims is seven or eight. This high rate of casualties is due in part to defective eyesight—eye diseases prevailing in Egypt.

According to a story from London the new underground railway there is proving a tonic for the appetite and enervated and debilitated people are now patronizing the road as a means of regaining lost health. The alleged tonic effects of the ride are ascribed to the ozone generated by the electricity.

Mexico has certainly the most luxurious, if not the most comfortable railways in the world. The rails of the Mexican Gulf railway are laid on sleepers of mahogany, and the bridges are built of white marble. On the west coast of Mexico there is another line which has sleepers of ebony and ballast of silver ore drawn from old mines beside the track. The reason for this apparent extravagance is that the engineers had no other materials on the route, and found it cheaper to use these than to import the ordinary plant.

USELESS INFORMATION.

An aeronaut recently created a sensation by attaching a bicycle to a parachute and making a descent from a balloon while seated on the machine.

Mrs. Jane Lindsay now holds the feminine championship for long distance riding. She has ridden 1,500 miles on the Merrick road, Long Island, in 165 hours 30 minutes. She now announces her intention of riding 2,000 miles to break the record.

A North side commuter tells this among other stories of his recent trip across the water: While in England he attended a country fair, where a showman was exhibiting a dwarf. A bucolic spectator denounced the show as a humbug, saying: "Why, your dwarf is nearly as big as I am, and I'm not a small man." "That's just it," blandly said the showman, "it's the biggest dwarf in the world."

Six years ago there were only five clubs in the United States Golf association. Now there are 25 associate and 225 allied clubs on the roll. There are now in existence about 20 state or other branch leagues subordinate to the United States Golf association and that in many instances a golf club is content to remain only a member of its local organization is shown by the record in Newman's Official Golf Guide for 1900 which gives a list of nearly 900 regularly organized clubs. New York heads the list, with 153. The same authority estimates that there are at least 200,000 golfers in the United States.

His Idea of Courage.

"Women often show more true fortitude than men," remarked the thoughtful man. "They are the brave ones, after all."

"You are right," answered Mr. Meekton, "perfectly right. Why, I once knew a woman who stood up in a debate and told Henrietta she was mistaken!"—Washington Star.

Wayside Communings.

Saymold Storey—I reck'n I'd better go an' warsh my face afore we tackle the next house.

Goodman Gonrong—Wat fur?

Saymold Storey—To disguise m'self. I've been there so often fur cold victuals the woman knows me.—Chicago Tribune.

HARD ON HERDERS.

Persecution of Some Sheepmen on the Western Ranges.

Even the Government Takes a Hand in the Oppression—Particulars of the Business of Raising Sheep.

The question is often asked: What will be the outcome of this seemingly ceaseless strife between the cattlemen and the sheepmen? The eastern man believes sheep rearing will eventually be given over to the farmers, leaving the cattle to roam the unoccupied public domain. The idea does not prevail in the plateau regions of the west, writes Capt. James H. McClintock, in Ainslee's. Where there are sheep the cattle must depart. Sheep may exist in propinquity with cattle, but the reverse is not possible. As before told, cattle are stationary, while sheep are necessarily nomadic. When feed is short the sheepman moves his flock to grass. The cattle owner, with his wild and scattered property, may not do this. He thrives or he "goes broke" in a single locality. The cattleman is handicapped at every point of the struggle. His crop matures more slowly. To secure the best results he must wait three or four years till his product is ripened by age. In not over one year out of four will cattle accumulate any respectable amount of fat on the western ranges. The price of the product depends much on the condition of the corn market, for range beef rarely if ever goes to the block direct. A single dry season means also no fat or growth for cattle, and means also no increase for the succeeding year. The tales of cattle barons and of enormous profits in the cattle business belong to the early days, when the plains were covered with knee-deep grass, with water in every gully. At present there is more money in the fattening of steers than there is in the rearing of them on the range. Under favorable conditions there is money in the cattle business, but favorable conditions are rarely present. The plateau region is now in its fourth successive year of drought. Thus it comes that the cattleman is no longer so determined to defend the heath he very reasonably holds his own.

The sheep owner, to begin with, is at considerable expense, for he has to maintain a man with every 2,000 head of his woollies. But he shears once or twice a year, and at the present prices for wool an average half-bred merino will bring him annually from that source alone $1.20. The increase of his flocks is fully 40 per cent. per annum. He need not wait several years, like his enemy, the cattleman, for entrance to market. His wethers at the present rates bring him $3.50 lean, and five dollars when in good condition, but spring lambs, four months old, are rated in the eastern markets at even a greater price per head than is paid for matured muttons. It is a business of quick returns and ample profits. To be sure, a change in tariff would markedly influence the wool quotations, but were the value of the wool almost to be destroyed, the sheepmen would still be on an equality with the cattle baron. The tendency is emphatically toward the rearing of cattle in compounds, such as are found on the great Maxwell grant of northern New Mexico, while the southwest ranges are being given over to the sheep. A few thousand head are annually fattened for exceptionally choice mutton on the alfalfa pastures of Arizona and south central California, but the owners prefer the lush spring grasses of the plains. The result is the same and the cost is far less.

It cannot be denied that the life of the sheep owner is far from a happy one. He is damned and persecuted on every side, and even the United States government takes a hand in the persecution. The main trouble is with the forestry division of the interior department. It is generally conceded that sheep have an injurious effect on the western water supply. Of course, rain falls upon the sheep as upon the just and unjust—but the forestry expert generally insists, (a) That sheep eat out all underbrush and even young trees, destroying the natural checks to too rapid evaporation, the conservators of the snowfall, and even threatening the future of the forests, deprived of their young growth; (b) that sheep pack the soil and clear away the grasses, thereby creating conditions that deprive the soil of porosity and render the run-off too rapid for the public weal; (c) that sheep herders, with their campfires, are a perpetual menace to the forests and are a prolific cause of destructive fires. Sheep owners deny these allegations specifically and entirely, yet the ideas are adhered to by the men who lead scientific thought in this direction. Even now a commission of eminent scientific experts is poking around in the mountains of Colorado, New Mexico and Arizona, attempting to get at the truth of the matter. The sheepmen's associations are welcoming them with effusion, and have contributed liberally toward their proper entertainment and education.

Should Have Waited Longer.

"I presume," said the Sweet Young Thing, "that you would call that man who waited 30 years to get to marry the woman he loved foolish."

"Me? No. Of course he would have shown more sense if he had waited another 30 years," said the Savage Bachelor.—Indianapolis Press.

Worrented.

"Got any fresh hen's eggs?" asked the storekeeper at Hkup's Corner.

"Yep," replied the farmer. "Here's 11 or eight, laid by the freshest hen in the business." Philadelphia North American.

FUN WITH THE LITTLE FOLKS.

"Daddy," asked little Jack, "where does a snake begin when he wants to wag his tail?"

"Dad," asked little Freddy, "how is it the baby fish don't get drowned before they learn to swim?"

Mamma—"What are you playing with, darling?" Darling—"With a caterpillar and two little kittenpillars, mother, dear!"

Granddad—"What makes you look so unhappy, Willie?" "'Cause nobody never calls me good unless I'm doing something I don't want to do."

Mother—"It was very cruel of you to cut the poor little worm in two, Molly!" Molly—"But, mummy, he looked so lonely all by himself, so I jus' cut him in two for company!"

Young Hopeful (to his big sister)—"I say, Nell, pass me the butter." Nell (in a tone of sisterly reproof)—"If what, Johnny?" Johnny (goaded to desperation by the delay)—"If you can reach it."

"Mother, will you please tell Reggie to be quiet?" "But he is quiet, dear." "Yes, mummy, but every time I hit him on the head with dad's walking stick he screams; an' I must hit him, 'cause it's the game!"

Reggie—"Mummy, dear, this is Tommy Jones." Mother (rather surprised)—"Yes, dear; but I've seen Tommy before." Reggie—"But you said yesterday I was the naughtiest boy you ever saw, so I brought Tommy."

Little Janet noticed that all the others helped themselves to mustard, but none was given to her. So, when no one was looking she spread some on her bread and took a big mouthful. Her hand immediately went up to her burnt mouth, but too proud to cry out she only put the bread away, remarking, in a voice that showed tears were near the surface: "I think I'll wait till that jelly gets cold."

FIGURES AND FACTS.

Two thousand gallons of air are a grown-up person's allowance for 24 hours.

New York city consumes 5,200,000 tons of ice a year, of which 4,500,000 tons is natural ice.

The assessed value of all property in California is $1,218,228,558. The value of railroad property is $47,711,755.

The weight of all the air on the globe would be 11 2-3 trillion pounds, if no deduction had to be made for space filled by mountains and land above sea level.

In his annual report for the fiscal year ended June 30 Land Commissioner French, of Michigan, says that the total amount of land now held by the state is 537,045 acres. During the year 47,211 acres of land were disposed of, for which $144,495 will be received, all but $14,238 having already been paid.

Some idea of the magnitude of the electric lighting machinery in this country may be obtained from the statement that the public lighting stations of New York city alone supply incandescent lamps each year to the number of 2,125,000. This is independent of those furnished by private plants.

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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

"Prince Pro Tem" tonight.

Recital in Odd Fellows' hall tonight.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McKinnon on Tuesday.

Miss Ellen C. Slade has returned from a three-weeks' visit at Worcester.

The schools of the lower grade close today for a week's vacation, opening Dec. 3.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Feeley of Peck street died on Sunday.

Messrs. Rockwood, Doe and Nye are not expected to return till Tuesday morning.

Miss F. Alma Martin has returned to town after five weeks' absence on a case in Providence.

Mrs. C. E. Page and Mrs. E. J. Gilmore and daughter of Lowell are guests at their father's, F. A. Hartshorne.

A number of the residents with sporting inclinations took a view of the Sportsmen's show at North Attleboro.

It is quite likely that Justice Whitaker of Wrentham will try the McParland case tomorrow in the absence of Judge Doe.

Delicious homemade candies may be purchased in Odd Fellows' hall both before and after the entertainment this evening.

The Farmers' club will try to arrange for a car from Wrentham to allow those who wish to attend the meeting of the club at Daniel Brown's.

The junior and senior elevens of Dean academy engaged in a game on the campus Wednesday afternoon. The game was in favor of the juniors, with a score of 11 to 6.

Clarence E. Abbott is one of the promoters of the New England club, organized among the students at the University of Pennsylvania which come from New England.

The railroad commissioners gave a short hearing Monday on the petition of the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket Street Railway company for authority to issue $58,000 stock and $50,000 bonds. There was no opposition.

If you patronize the entertainment in Odd Fellows' hall this evening you will not only have the satisfaction of getting your money's worth, but that you have helped a worthy cause as well. The proceeds will be applied on the debt of the M. E. church.

The concert and ball to be given by the Jolley club next Wednesday evening promises to be one of the most numerously attended affairs of this kind held in the Opera house in a long time. There will be a large number of guests from the vicinity towns.

The superintendent of streets has been instructed by the selectmen to see that the bylaw against throwing rubbish in the streets is enforced. The evil of depositing old paper and dirt in the highway as a convenient way of disposing of it is a growing one.

The gentlemen members of the Franklin Country club will have a handicap tournament on Thanksgiving forenoon, a large proportion of the membership contesting. There is a good deal of interest, and it is quite likely some records will be broken.

Those who attend the football game between the Walpole Athletic association and the Phillips Andover team at Walpole on Thanksgiving day can go on the 9 a. m. train and return here in time for dinner at 1.10. Indications are that a good many will go up, as the game will be a hot one.

The body of the late Francis Talcott was brought here from Dorchester this noon for interment in the Union street cemetery. Mr. Talcott was the father of Mrs. W. A. Wyckoff, and died at the residence of his son, Fred, on Tuesday, aged 82. A brief service will be had at the grave, in charge of Rev. Dr. Sneath.

Clement Farley, a weaver in the employ of the Glendale Woolen company, drowned himself in the mill pond at Glendale early Monday morning. The man's mother and a brother resided here on Union street and he leaves a widow and four children at Glendale, where he had lived for 15 years. He was 35 years of age.

Lawrence guild of St. John's mission will conduct a Thanksgiving candy sale next Tuesday afternoon and evening, Nov. 27th, at the store in Opera house block. A full line of the very finest varieties of homemade candy will be on sale at prices which will defy competition. Buy your Thanksgiving candy of the guild.

While Milton A. Darling, the night watchman employed at Thayer's mill, was going to his work Wednesday evening, about 5.30, he was struck by a hand-car while crossing the tracks near Singleton's mill. Fortunately he was not hurt, but was so badly shaken up that he was obliged to suspend work for the evening.

The town clerks of Wrentham, Franklin, Foxboro, Medway, Bellingham and Norfolk met in the Town hall here recently and examined and compared the vote cast for representative. Albert F. Bemis of Foxboro and George W. Bullard of Medway were elected. The vote cast for A. F. Bemis was 1504, and G. W. Bullard was 1309.

Milford High school football team defeated Dean academy second team of Franklin 5 to 0 on Town park, Milford, Saturday afternoon. Among those who played for Dean were, r. e., A Stone; r. t., Evans, Wing; r. g., Brookhouse; c., Bassett; l. g., Echols; l. t., Woodward; l. e., W. Stone; q. b., Currie; r. h. b., Peabody; f. b., Hixon.

One of the pleasant features of the week's Y. M. C. A. work in Milford was the singing of Mrs. Leslie Anna Stewart of Franklin. Mrs. Stewart possesses a voice of rare sweetness and sympathetic tone, and enters fully into the spirit of the song. She will undoubtedly be heard again in the Sunday meetings. It is probable that she will devote much of her time to singing in services of this character in the future.—Milford Journal.

James J. Valentine, president of the Framingham National bank, has just received by mail a $2 bill on the old Framingham State bank, which was incorporated March 25, 1833, accompanied by the request that it be redeemed. The State bank went out of existence more than thirty years since, but the redemption request will be honored, nevertheless. The bill received is a well-preserved one, and it bears the signature of Oliver Dean, president, who was also founder of Dean academy.

There was a goodly number at the Universalist church on Wednesday evening to enjoy the feast provided by the Young People's society. Oysters stewed and scalloped, cold meats, jellies, pies, cake, etc., were provided, and after the supper all adjourned to the church parlor, where an interesting literary and musical program was carried out as follows: Piano duet by Misses Nixon and Metcalf, reading by Mrs. Haslam, piano solo by Miss Gould, phonograph selections by Fred. W. Haslam, vocal solo by Miss Jessie Corbin, readings by Dr. Hodge, and reading by Miss Linna Ferrer, all of which were thoroughly enjoyed. A gratifying sum was netted as a result of the evening's entertainment.

Many people do not know the names of the different sizes in which coal is sold. It runs in eight sizes, each regulated by the screen over which it passes: Lump, steamboat, furnace, egg, stove, nut, pea and buckwheat. Lump coal passes over bars seven inches apart, steamboat five inches, furnace three and one half inches, egg two and five eighths inches, stove two inches, nut one and one-eight inches, pea three quarters of an inch, and buckwheat one half an inch. Some furnaces do well with furnace but will not heat with egg coal, and others are just the opposite. Stoves follow the same fancies. The writer once used a stove which would burn pea coal finely but stove size caused many troubles.

A Boston paper asks "How many of the pupils in the Boston Grammar schools—or their teachers, either, for that matter—can tell you off-hand what county they live in, and the name of the lieutenant governor of Massachusetts and the names of the present members of President McKinley's cabinet? We imagine if that inquiry were addressed to the teachers and scholars in most any city or town the failure to answer would be almost unanimous. The trouble with the school system is that the curriculum embraces a smattering of study along a wide territory, with too little attention to matters of interest and value right under the pupils' eyes. It is of value that the pupil should know and understand local conditions first, as well as to study those of Russia or Germany.

Recently a certain school teacher in the lower grades had an interesting talk with a number of her scholars, who had gathered around her desk at recess time. They were each telling in childish fashion what they were going to be when they grew to manhood and womanhood. There were would be lawyers, doctors, carpenters, milliners, dressmakers and followers of all the trades among them, and one was going to be president of the United States. Finally a certain young miss chirped up, "I'm going to be married, like my mamma." "Married!" exclaimed another young miss scornfully, "well I guess I'm not. I'm going to grow up and be a school teacher," and she looked for approval at that surprised representative of the profession, who sat behind the desk. It was rather hard on the school teachers.

Local hunters have been enjoying the favorable weather and their hunting togs have been donned more frequently this fall than usual, with varying success. We have yet to hear of any local hunter bringing in a fox, all being content with smaller game—birds and squirrels. Woodcock in any quantity has been scarce. It is the theory among some hunters that they must have come along in this vicinity during a storm and were carried right through, without making a very long stop. The driving north-east winds lately did not induce them to tarry long in this vicinity. The return of the hunting season brings reports of fatal shooting accidents, so numerous that a man seems to be taking his life in his hands if he goes hunting, or perhaps it would be more correct to say if he goes hunting with an inexperienced hunter, for it seems that most of the accidents are due to lack of experience and knowledge of hunters' ways. A hunter had better go alone than with a novice at hunting. The latter is apt to become excited at the sight of game, and to shoot hastily at the risk of life or limb of his companion.

Assumes Leadership.

Rev. Dr. Sneath and W. S. Richardson represented the Congregational church here at the installation ceremonies, on Wednesday, of the Medway Congregational church, which has had but two pastors in its history of sixty-two years, each of whom was compelled to resign on account of failing health.

The day was a memorable one in its history, because it marked the installation of the third pastor, Rev. Robert M. Drawbridge, by a council of ministers from the Mendon conference of churches, the last previous installation being twenty-eight years ago. The installation hymn sung was the same as sung at that time, at the installation of Rev. Rufus K. Harlow, who is now in California in search of renewed health and strength. The church was handsomely decorated, the exercises being held afternoon and evening. A fine supper was served by the ladies of the church. Dr. Sneath offered the right hand of fellowship, Rev. Mr. Swartz of Mansfield gave the charge to the pastor, and Rev Mr. Wheelock of Millis the charge to the people.

The new pastor was born in Chelsea, Oct. 24, 1869, receiving his education in Worcester academy, from which he was graduated in 1890. He fitted for the ministry at Brown university and Newton seminary, working his way through both institutions, and for three years was pastor of a Congregational church in Union, N. H., from which place he comes here. He takes keen interest in young people and in out door sports, being prominently identified with the Brown university football team during his studies in that institution. Sept. 29, 1897, he married Miss Charlotte R. Davis of Farmington, N. H.

The church over which he is now installed has a united membership of 199, and is in most prosperous circumstances. It was organized in 1838 with thirty four members, but has admitted over 600 to membership to date. Its oldest member is Hon. M. M. Fisher, now in his 90th year.

Do Likewise.

The Hyde Park Y. M. C. A. has just been the recipient of a $25,000 gift to complete the plans already under way in that organization. The giver refuses to have his name known, but the money has already changed hands. Here is a tip for some Franklin friend of the Y. M. C. A. which is forming here. The gift need not be that in amount, but a lesser amount given in the proper spirit cannot fail of its reward. About $300 is now needed to complete the proposed plans, and when this is raised Franklin will have a Y. M. C. A. of which none of our citizens need be ashamed.

Those Entertainments.

There are already a good many inquiries in regard to the proposed entertainments to be given at the Congregational church, and we can state that every one will be of the highest grade, and worth vastly more money than is charged. The programs will be popular ones, calculated to please all classes, and a large number of tickets have already been asked for. They will be in the hands of the solicitors and at Mr. Nye's store in a day or two. See advertisement elsewhere for list of attractions.

Well Worth Hearing.

The Alden club will hold its regular open meeting on Monday evening, at which time an illustrated lecture will be given by Rev. H. G. Spaulding, on Hawthorne's "Marble Fawn," with accompanying stereopticon views. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance of the members of the club and of gentlemen as well, as the lecture is an especially pleasing one, and calculated to please everyone. The speaker will commence promptly at 7.30. Please bear this in mind.

The December Delineator is now on sale at N. C. Nye's. It is full of Christmas ideas and suggestions.

Farmers' Club.

Franklin Farmers' club met Monday evening, Oct. 29, with E. S. Cook. C. M. Allen was chosen committee to procure a lecturer from the state. Mr. Cook read the paper of the evening, "Our Forests: What varieties of trees make them most valuable? At what age do different varieties become suitable for timber?" He said in part:

Our forests consist of white and pitch pine (or sometimes called Yankee and hard pine), several varieties of oak, maple, chestnut, ash, beech, birch, hickory, and a sprinkling now and then of cedar and hemlock trees. White pine and chestnut may lead a trifle in value, but oak and maple are very close seconds. Pine or chestnut when ready for market will bring more than oak and maple. At first thought anyone acquainted with our forests would say white pine and chestnut were first in value. They would be if some one gave you the lot already grown, but it is a different thing if you have to hold the land subject to taxes and fires from forty to 100 years for pine, and from thirty five to seventy years for chestnut. White oak and maple can be cut to good advantage at anywhere from twenty to thirty years' growth. Maple takes a prominent place in the list for it is a rapid grower and worth about the same as oak, and the cost of handling is a great deal less, for it is much lighter than oak; also the difference in weight cuts the freight to city markets. Taking everything into consideration maple makes a good effort to reach first place in value. Take all growths at thirty-five years and chestnut takes the lead; at forty-five years pine and chestnut are about equal in value, but at a quick growth of twenty-five years oak and maple are worth the most.

Pine is suitable for timber anywhere from thirty-five to 100 years, chestnut from forty to eighty years, maple from thirty five to sixty, and oak from fifty to 100 years or time of decay. The chestnut tree has a ready market at a good figure in more ways than any other varieties. It is used as wood, poles, piles, posts, ties, and as a timber has no equal. The rest of the varieties are so limited in quantity in this section as to be hardly worth mentioning. The hickory is a valuable tree, in fact, one of the very first quality, but a slow grower and very scarce. The ash also is valuable for special uses and the beech is a very hard wood and used in mills. Birch is a good wood and finds ready sale. Pitch pine can be handled to advantage, and even the poplar tree makes good wood if handled right.

A general discussion, readings and refreshments followed.

"Quo Vadis."

"Quo Vadis," the most powerful and convincing of all religious plays, will be presented at the Opera house next Tuesday evening. The play opens in the house of Aulus, where we see Vinicius and Lygia in the first dawn of their love. Petronius and Ursus appear; Lygia is carried to Nero's palace; the revels begin; Ursus rescues Lygia from Vinicius; she flees to the Christians; Vinicius follows her; she takes refuge with St. Peter and his followers; the Christians come and go on the stage; Nero is in many scenes and his frivolity is more prominent than his cruelty; Rome is burned, and its glare is seen over the doomed city; the Christians are persecuted and three of them are burned at the stake, while they predict ruin for Nero. The scene in the arena is the last, and in this Lygia is rescued by Ursus from the horns of the bull. The company is excellent and well-balanced, and the costumes, scenery and effects are correct, adequate and beautiful.

Tremont Theatre, Boston.

For the third week of his very successful engagement at the Tremont theatre, beginning Monday, November 26, E. S. Willard will revive Henry Arthur Jones' powerful play, "The Middlemen," one of the strongest types of the modern drama. One man dominates it throughout—Cyrus Blenkarn, the patient, humble, meanly-dressed potter, whose uncouth externals but emphasize the lights that burn within—the fiery soul, the illuminating mind, the great heart, the unquenchable courage, the unwearying perseverance. This striking figure is made an actual, living personage by Mr. Willard, whose impersonation is extraordinary for its fascinating naturalness, its simplicity and directness, its depth and suggestiveness, its passion and its pathos—in short, its wealth of human feeling." "The Middlemen" will be presented on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday evenings and at the Thanksgiving day matinee. In compliance with the urgent request of many who were unable to see "The Professor's Love Story" last week, that delightful comedy by the author of "The Little Minister" will be revived for two more performances on Thanksgiving night and at the Saturday matinee, and these will positively be its last representations in Boston this season.

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Worth Heeding.

The pneumonia bug is sailing swiftly up and down our streets. The grip microbe is crawling out of the healthy lungs in which he has been spending the summer, and all the cohorts of bacteriology are getting ready for the winter trade. The sudden change in the weather started them all in business again, and it is rumored that they are going to boycott the physicians' union. It is ideal weather for catching cold, for people are slow to put on winter clothing when they should. Men do not like to wear heavier overcoats, and women are too apt to keep their winter suits fresh as long as they can. Because of these things and because of the weather, the bugs are going to have a busy time of it. It is the kind of weather that raises the death rate, and a word of precautionary warning is in order.—Milford Journal

"Prince Pro Tem,"

An attraction of unusual interest, which had such a long and successful run in Boston, will be offered to the patrons of the Opera house this evening. The opera, with its abundance of good music, hilarious fun and wealth of scenery and costumes and its splendid array of talent, has caught on with every class of theatre-goers. There is a fascinating feminine contingent, the stage settings are very beautiful and the light effects please the eye. To the numerous humorous and catch songs there are stirring choruses and ensemble numbers, making it a performance well worth witnessing

Woonsocket Opera House.

A. Q. Scammon's funny comedy, entitled "Side Tracked," will be at the Woonsocket Opera house Saturday, matinee and evening, at popular prices.

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"Ben Hur" In Boston.

The opening performance of Klaw & Erlanger's magnificent production of "Ben Hur" at the new Colonial Theatre, Boston, will occur Wednesday evening, December 19 Hundreds of thousands of people have read Gen. Lew Wallace's beautiful story of "Ben Hur," and every one who has read it desires to see its characters and scenes displayed in the more realistic atmosphere of dramatic portrayal The integrity of a story translated to the stage has never been so faithfully maintained as in the play of "Ben Hur," especially in religious interest.

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Church Services.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D., Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.

Baptist church.—At 10.30 preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper; Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45. Morning subject, "Has the Offence of the Cross Ceased?"

Universalist church.—The pastor, Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., will preach at 10.30 on "The New Kind of Salvation." Y. P. C. U. at 6.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook, on "Our Portion in Heaven." Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 3 Union temperance service at 7; address by pastor, on "Christian Patriotism in Temperance Reform."

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This calendar, which is sold to non-subscribers to the Youth's Companion for 50 cents, will be given to all new subscribers for 1901, who will also receive, in addition to the fifty-two issues of the new volume, all the issues of the paper for the remaining weeks of 1900 free from the time of subscription. Illustrated announcement of the volume for 1901 will be sent free with sample copies of the paper to any address. The Youth's Companion, Boston, Mass.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1900

Fashion in a Smile.

The origin of any particular fashion is somewhat hard to discover and has puzzled many of those who like to sift things to the bottom. Fashion has always been described by men as a woman and a tyrant to boot. She regulates the cut of our clothes, the color of our hair, the nature of our amusements, the food we eat, the places we live in, the houses, furniture, etc., we use, our pronunciation of words, the books we read, the things we talk about, the people we know, the way we shake hands and even the thoughts we think, but up till now she has not interfered with us in any other way. Now however, says the Chicago Evening News, she is encroaching a little further, and there is this year a fashion in smiles. At the beginning of the year it was the "thing" to smile brightly, with wide open eyes and showing the teeth; now the smile is altered, and the present one in vogue is a little sad and drooping, with a touch of pathos in it, and the eyes are cast down slightly. There are people who study these things and it is to be hoped that they get some satisfaction out of them, but they must find it irksome at times, one would think, to discover novelties in the way of fashionable crazes, to keep the ba[illegible] r[illegible]ing. All this makes the routine of a woman who aspires to be "fashionable" above all else one of constant hard work and unremitting attention to—herself. What with keeping up with every new movement and inaugurating several on her own account, social duties, dress, face massage, shopping, the hundred and one things that make up her day, and finally the "rest" cure, or some such relief from the season's gayeties, the life of the ultra-smart woman is one of constant toil. Her humbler sisters envy her, but, if they only knew, would be more contented with the groove into which they are fitted.

Advice from a Business Man.

Not the least important advice to be given the aspirant for honors as a substantial business man is to marry. Though there is no lack of unhappy marriages and many failures result therefrom, it is nevertheless true that a good wife is generally a source of strength in a man's fight for success, says Alexander H. Revell in the Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post. Dress as well as your means will allow. Even be a little extravagant in this regard. Be persistently hopeful and aim high. Strike a good, brisk, steady pace, look straight ahead, and never let a cheap jest or sneer, a criticism, a mistake or a seeming failure stop you, but march forward over every obstacle and if you fail to reach the goal at which you aim you will get near enough to it to justify every effort; and if you are square, sincere and charitable in the contest you will find that the game has been well worth the candle, and that it is no small thing to win an honorable place among the plain business men of America.

Porto Rico has added a new word, "Spigoty," to the English language. A dark-complexioned member of the American signal corps was nicknamed "Spaghetti," and this was contracted into "Spigoty." His comrades noted that the Porto Ricans had the same complexion, and therefore called them "Spigoties." The word has spread throughout the island, and is applied to anything Porto Rican, as a "spigoty hat" or a "spigoty collar." "Can you talk spigoty?" has become a common salutation in the island.

A rich widow of Topeka, Kan., has given her lawyer these instructions: "I don't want my body embalmed. I want a pine coffin, to cost not more than ten dollars. There must not be more than the hearse and two carriages at my funeral."

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Laboring Under Difficulties.

"Did you say the Chinese language is monosyllabic?" said Mr. Meekton.

"Yes," answered the professor.

"Well! Well! I must tell Henrietta about that. The idea of the empress dowager and the other ladies of the court being obliged to express their feelings one little syllable at a time!" —Washington Star.

Strange Affair.

"It is shameful the way Marmaduke McCorker has treated Miss Flipperkins."

"What did he do?"

"Oh, he stimulated her to improve her mind and then broke the engagement on the ground that he was afraid to marry a woman who knew so much."—Indianapolis Journal.

His Kick.

Prison Reformer (to convict)—Have you any complaint to make?

Convict—Well, I'd be better satisfied if I wasn't locked up.—N. Y. World.

Not Guilty.

First Tramp—Eating this steak is a good deal like work, isn't it?

Second Tramp—I can't know. I never did any.—Harlem Life.

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The great secret of success is laying by a nest egg and adding to your store, never spending more than you make, and being strictly economical.

False pride is an enormous obstacle. I know young men in New York who would not carry a trunk along Fifth avenue for all the frontage they could pass, because they would be afraid that they might meet some girl they knew.

Another principle I have constantly obeyed is "business before pleasure." The chances are as good to-day as they were—they are even better. But I do not think that the life of one who has accumulated a hundred millions, more or less, is in the least inspiring. It dazzles, it bewilders the struggling youth. It may inspire him for a time but that inspiration soon wears off.

Appreciate the value of to-day. That's my advice to young men. It has been my rule through life—I am nearing the century mark now—not to look forward, for the future is a blank. To-day is the all-important issue. I have never gone against the tide nor worried while my schemes were maturing. A farmer sows a field of wheat. To worry over it would merely sap his energy. The wheat requires his attention at the harvest.

In my mercantile life I have noticed the man who arrives at his post on time and not one minute later, and who leaves on the minute and not one second later. He does no more than he has to do and does not do that well. Then there is the man who arrives ahead of time and works late if need be. He takes an interest in his work and is anxious to be advanced. I have always lived within my means and always strived for advancement.

When I was a boy on my father's farm in Connecticut I worked hard, utilizing every moment, for there was plenty to do. But if I had any spare time I did chores for the neighbors. I never wanted for anything I needed! I always got it. But many buy things they do not need. When I went to New York in 1836 I had quite a sum of money, the result of my savings, judicious investments, and little tradings about the neighborhood.

It Tried Her Faith.

They were sitting on the sandy beach, and no word had been spoken by either for a full minute.

"You doubt me!" he at length exclaimed. "Have I not told you over and over again that I love you, and you only; and did I ever tell you an untruth, Katherine?"

"I would that I could have absolute faith in you," she replied, stifling a sob; "but I heard you tell uncle that you once caught a brook trout that weighed three pounds and six ounces." And the tears flowed down her fair young face, while he tapped the sand with his foot and solemnly gazed o'er the wide blue sea.—London Answers.

Good as an Alarm Clock.

"Are you never afraid of burglars in your flat, Deming?"

"No, never. The baby and the parrot take turns in keeping us awake all night."—Chicago Times-Herald.

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Its cause exists in the blood, in what causes inflammation of the mucous membrane.

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As to the Bird.

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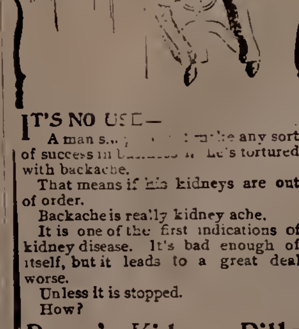

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A man simply can't make any sort of success in business if he's tortured with backache.

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To Reform Him.

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LAUGH WAS ON SILAS

BY A. O. ELEEN.

IT ALL started when Silas and Leroy got the hoss swapping fever. It was one of the old driver's tales and he let it go with a free rein to a little crowd of horsemen up in Taylor's stable on Oak street one evening this week.

Sile and Leroy belong over on the Cape, and they know more or less about hosses. They have owned a good many, too, in years gone by. At a swap they are considered all right, but—well, it was this way.

About six months ago Sile met Leroy at Town House corner. They had driven in to get a few provisions and such like at the grocery store, and they got out, [illegible], and each surveyed the other's horse with a critical eye.

"Want to swap?" queried Sile.

"Dunno; ain't very partick'er," replied Leroy.

"That's a mighty good hoss I got in 'tween those sharves there, I tell you."

"Looks like a good critter, but I like the one I've got here, pretty well."

"Yes, I suppose that'n is all right for you though I thought as how maybe you'd like this'n better fer your purpose. Ther's different kinds o' good hosses, just as ther's different kinds o' good men, an' a good hoss hain't allus got just the kind o' goodness that we's lookin' fer."

"That ar's true, an' sometimes I think I might get a hoss with a goodness leetle but better suited to my needs than this'n is, though I don't know as I could. Perty well suited as it is, any way."

"This hoss I've got here might have just th' kind o' goodness ye're a-lookin' fer, and that'n yer've got might have th' kind o' goodness I'm a lookin' fer ef we 'us to try 'em. But I'm a pert we. satisfied myself with this hoss o' mine."

To make a long dicker terminate briefly on paper, I'll just say that they swapped and Sile got ten dollars, a briar pipe and an ox goad for hoot. Apparently the horse he had let Leroy have was a winner in every respect. At least, that's what Leroy himself thought as he drove home.

"I've got the best of this trade all right," he mused. "That horse of mine ain't got no great speed. I can't see anything wrong with this one. Wonder how Silas will like the trade he made. S'pect he'll come after me with a shotgun when he finds out the cuss has fits."

But the weeks rolled by, and Silas didn't hear a word of fault from Leroy. When they met, the latter seemed just as pleasant as ever, although it might have been noticed that the subject of horses was not introduced.

Don't think that he was a fool. Far from it. He was only a shrewd old state of Maine farmer, who was willing to wait his turn, when a neighbor got the best of him. He had soon discovered that the horse he had secured from Silas was worse than useless, as he had fits upon the least provocation. So he looked at the roof of his mouth and saw where it had been cut a thousand times for bleeding the poor animal. Then turned him out to pasture and—laid for Silas.

One day last week Leroy appeared out with a new horse. He was a fine looking animal, black as jet with the exception of his two fore feet and a little patch in the mane, which were white. No spavins apparent, and a fine actor. And Leroy had his head checked up unreasonably high.

It wasn't long before he met Silas. The latter was driving one of his best horses. It wasn't a trotter, but it was a good reliable animal that could be depended on, and was just the sort you like to get hold of on a farm. For looks, though, he wasn't in it with the black gelding Leroy was exhibiting.

"Hello, Leroy, got a new one, ain't you?"

"Yes: how'd you like him?"

"First rate; he's built like a watch."

"Yes, he's as nifty an animal as ever looked through a bridle, as old 'Jock' Bowen used to say."

"Where d'you get him?"

"O, a friend of mine up t' Boston picked him out. Said he thought he'd be jest what I was lookin' for."

"Any out 'bout him?"

"Never saw him do a wrong thing in my life."

Silas made up his mind that it was just the horse he wanted, and that if his head was let down he could go some.

"How'll you shift 'em, Leroy?" he asked.

"O, I don't b'leeve I want to swap. This fellow suits me, and he can speed some, too I'll show him off."

Leroy went up the road a piece and came down in fine style, but the horse didn't seem to like to have his head so high, and Silas made up his mind that that was due to Leroy's ignorance of horseflesh.

"Say, Leroy, you don't know how to drive that horse, that's all. He's a good enough animal, but you can't drive him. You better name a figure and we'll shift 'em. The horse is too speerited for you."

"Yes, p'raps he is, Sile; p'raps he is a leetle might too speerited. He's a clever horse though, and I wouldn't think of swapping for lessn't $50 to hoot."

There was considerable dickering, but Silas finally came around and the money was paid over and the "shift" made.

"Now I'll show you what the trouble is with this hoss," said Silas, as he loosened out the check rein and gave the gelding his head. "Leroy's an easy thing with a hoss. This felle'll bring $250 when I get him smoothed up'n I bet he'll go a streak now."

Those were the last words Silas spoke for some time. Everybody knows that if you have got a kicking horse the only thing is to pull his head clear back. This was a kicking horse, and he had been secured for almost nothing by Leroy, who realized that Silas would want him.

Leroy had the horse checked up for so long that at first he didn't seem to realize that he could get his head down and his heels up under his new owner's arrangement, but it did not take him long to find out where he was at, and with a report like a Gatling gun his heels rained against the dasher.

Those who were looking on say that in exactly 28 seconds he kicked 17 different kinds of material out of Silas' substantial farm wagon, scared his new owner into a hysterical condition, and was subdued only when he had kicked most of the harness off of him.

"The only trouble with that hoss, Sile," commented Leroy, as he came back to view the remains, "is that he's a leetle too speerited for me'n I don't understand driving him, but you'll probably make out all right."

Various emotions played over Silas' face; his fists clenched, then his fingers relaxed and the shadow of a smile spread over his wrinkled face. Then he extended a hand to Leroy and said:

"By gum, Leroy, you've squared up that fitty horse you got from me all right, ain't you? Hereafter if we do any swapping let's do it on the square; what d'you say?"

"It's a bargain, Sile," said Leroy, as he helped pick up the debris.—Portland (Me.) Express.

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An Exception to Law of Nature.

A civil engineer who is in Alaska has written home to Chicago that the rails on the Chilkoot Pass railway expand with the cold, instead of contracting as they would be supposed to do. A temperature ranging from 12 to 40 degrees below zero Fahrenheit would not appreciably affect the length of rails, but severer cold than that would be attended with expansion. This is certainly an exception to a law of nature, although water shrinks as it cools until 39 degrees Fahrenheit is reached, when it begins to expand.—Chicago Chronicle.

Old-Time Vanderbilts.

In the first directory of the city of New York, published over 100 years ago, the only Vanderbilts whose names appeared were not members of the old commodore's family ancestors. They were Dutch, to be sure, and spelled their name "Van der Bilt." The most prominent among them was a truckman. At that time the ancestors of the present millionaire family were prosperous farmers on Staten island, and their names did not belong in a New York directory.—N. Y. Sun.

Africa's Postmen.

The mails in central Africa are still conveyed for the most part upon the heads and backs of native postmen. The men are recruited chiefly from the Yao and Atonga tribes, and wear a uniform. Fully 300 bags of mail are made up each month at the different post offices in the protectorate for conveyance by these men, the total distance traversed being close upon 10,000 miles a month, the cost of transit being less than half a penny a mile a bag.—N. Y. Herald.

Electricity Killing Fish.

Many thousands of fish are being found dead in the lakes contiguous to Fergus Falls, Minn., chiefly in Otter Tail lake, from which the city named gets its water supply through the Red river. This is a serious feature of the situation. General belief has it that severe electrical disturbances have killed the fish.—Chicago Chronicle.

Facts in the Case.

Hoax—Speaking of divers, I once saw a man dive off a bridge 150 feet high.

Joax—Is that so? How long did he stay under water?

"Three days, I think it was."—Chicago Evening News.

Were Not Quarreling.

Mamma—Willie, you mustn't quarrel that way with Amy; and to-day of all days. Don't you know this is Sunday?

Willie—Yes, but, mamma, this is a religious discussion we're having.—Philadelphia Press.

Money in Them.

Larry—Finnegan is raisin' goats.

Denny—Is thor iny money in goats?

Larry—Thor is some in Finnegan's. He hung his vist on a stake awn th' goats ate it up. His month's wages was in th' pocket.—Chicago Daily News.

An Old Story.

Mrs. O'Reagan—Did yez ever hov yer palm read, Mr. O'Reilly?

Mrs. O'Reilly—Phwat a question, Mrs. O'Reagan! Haven't Oi had ten children an' had to spank all of thim?—Judge.

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Unnecessary.

Mrs. Slimson—Here, Willie, while I am away I am going to give you the key to the pantry just to show you I can trust you.

Willie (proudly)—I don't need it, mamma. I can pick that lock any day.—Life.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern which is not afraid to be generous. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles, and have the satisfaction of knowing it has cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, bronchitis, la grippe and all throat, chest and lung diseases are surely cured by it. Call on A. C. Mason, druggist, and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are too expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2.65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit. The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save. If your druggist can't supply you, it will be fowarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

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She Respected Him.

He—So you won't marry me?

She—No; let us remain friends.—Town Topics.

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The Reason.

Briggs—Young Wilkinson seems low spirited. I wonder what's the matter with him?

Sharpe—His uncle is dead.

Briggs—But his uncle has been dead several days, and he seemed cheerful enough till to-day.

Sharpe—Yes; but the will was read last night.—N. Y. World.

How the Fuss Started.

"That hand-me-down suit you're wearing," remarked Rivers, "reminds me of an unripe watermelon."

"Why?" asked Brooks.

"Because it's so different. One isn't cut to fit, and the other isn't fit to cut."

It was then that Brooks plugged away at him.—Chicago Tribune.

An Unpleasant Discovery.

Young Lady—Have you examined my piano?

Tuner—Yes, madam.

"What's the reason it won't make a sound?"

"Some one has lowered the soft pedal and nailed it down."—N. Y. Weekly.

No Pleasure for Him.

Browne—He's going to Paris.

Towne—Business and pleasure combined, I suppose?

Browne—No; on business solely. He's taking his wife with him.—Philadelphia Press.

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"Do you, indeed?"

"Yes, you so seldom see her chewing gum any more!"—Detroit Journal.

No Alexander.

He—With the assurance of your love I could conquer the world.

She—That will not be necessary. All you have to do is to conquer papa.—Brooklyn Life.

China's Defenders.

Everybody of the male sex has to fight in China when the dragon shows his teeth. If soldiers are wanted children are taken from their toys and old men waiting for the grim messenger are lined up in battle array.

Magnetized by Lightning.

At Coventry, England, all the tools and steel work in a watchmaker's factory were rendered useless by being magnetized during a thunderstorm.—N. Y. Sun.

Philosophical.

Snarley—What's self-esteem?

Yow—It's something we all hate to see in someone else, but which is a virtue if we possess it ourselves.—Syracuse Herald.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Lawrence McGinnis to the Milford Co-operative Bank, dated September 17, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 744, page 577, and for a breach of condition of the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises on

SATURDAY, THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:

"A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon standing, known as the Quinobequin estate, situated on the north side of Village street, in Medway, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner thereof, at the junction of Broad with Village street, and thence easterly on Village street eighty-eight feet to land of Minerva Hathon, deceased; thence northerly on land of said Hathon one hundred and forty feet to a corner; thence easterly on land of said Hathon forty-six feet to a corner; thence northerly and westerly sixty-three feet on land of Mrs. Woodward to a corner; thence northerly on land of said Woodward to a corner at land owned now or formerly by E. A. Noyes twenty-one feet distant from barn on said premises; thence westerly on a straight line parallel with said barn to a point in line with the front of said barn and twenty-one feet distant therefrom; thence continuing southwesterly on a straight line to a point in a line with the rear of Store Block thirty-five feet distant therefrom in a southerly direction; thence on a line westerly parallel with said Block to Broad street; thence southerly on said street to point of departure. Grantee and its assign forever to have a right of way fifteen feet wide across the southerly side of land conveyed to E. B. Stowe, March 1, 1886, from land of Mrs. Woodward to a point in a line with the rear of the Store Block and distant therefrom thirty-five feet, all as said barn and Store Block stood March 1, 1886, and subject to the rights in the well mentioned in the lease from Medway Savings Bank, recorded as aforesaid lib. 649, folio 42. Being the same premises described in a deed from Palmer A. Woodward to the Medway Savings Bank, dated July 31, 1895, and to be recorded with Norfolk County Deeds."

Excepting therefrom that portion of the premises described in a partial release of the said mortgage, given by John G. Berry, assignee thereof, to said Lawrence McGinnis, dated August 4, 1899, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 849, page 519, as follows, namely:

"Beginning at a point on Broad street, in Medway, Mass., at the northwesterly corner of the mortgaged premises; thence running southwesterly on said Broad street one hundred and eight (108) feet, according to a 'Sketch of the old Quinobequin hotel property, now known as the Gladstone Hotel, situated in Medway, Mass., June 22, 1898, H. S. Partridge, C. E. & Sur." recorded with said Norfolk Deeds; thence turning and running southeasterly fifty-six (56) feet according to said plan; thence turning and running northeasterly one hundred and twenty-two (122) feet according to said plan; and thence turning and running northwesterly fifty-four and 25-100 (54.25) feet according to said plan to the point of beginning. Together with all the easement, privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging.

Terms at sale.

November 22, 1900.

JOHN G. BERRY,
Assignee of said mortgage.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Lawrence McGinnis to Casper Berry, dated June 30, 1899, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 846, page 512, and for a breach of condition of the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises, on

SATURDAY, the FIFTEENTH day of DECEMBER, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:

"A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Broad street in said Medway, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point on said Broad street, at the southwest corner of land now or formerly of Wilder, thence running southwesterly on said Broad street one hundred and eight (108) feet, according to a "Sketch of the old Quinobequin Hotel property, now known as the Gladstone Hotel, situated in Medway, Mass., June 22, 1898, H. S. Partridge, C. E. & Sur.," to be recorded with said Norfolk Deeds; thence turning and running southeasterly fifty-six (56) feet according to said plan; thence turning and running northeasterly one hundred and twenty two (122) feet according to said plan, and thence turning and running northwesterly fifty-four and 25-100 (54.25) feet according to said plan to the point of beginning. Together with all the easements, privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging."

Terms at sale.

CASPER BERRY, Mortgagee.

November 22, 1900.

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First car Dedham to Franklin 6 a. m. and every hour until 10 p. m. Last car to Medway 12 p. m. Extra car leaves Medfield 8 a. m., connecting with 8.42 train at Dedham for Boston.

First car leaves Franklin for Dedham at 7.15 a. m. and every hour until 10.15 p. m. Last car for Westwood at 11.15 p. m.

First car from Medway to Dedham 5.45 a. m.; next car 6.30 a. m.; next car 7.45 a. m.; then every hour until 10.45 p. m. Last car for Westwood 11.45 p. m.

EZRA E. SAVAGE, Sup't.

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M., A. & W. STREET RAILWAY TIME-TABLE.

In effect Oct. 22.)

FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6.10, 6.15 a.m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10.15 p. m. Last cars to car barn at 10.45 and 11.15 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m., connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket. Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.15 a. m., and then on hour and half hour till 10.30 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham Four Corners for Caryville every hour from 6 to 9 a. m., 12 m. to 2 p. m., 4 to 9 p. m., returning on the half hour. Cars leaving Franklin at 6.45, 7.45, 11.45 a. m. and 12.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.45, 6.45 and 7.45 p. m. connect at Bellingham Four Corners with cars for Caryville.

FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave 6.00, 7.30, 8.15 a. m.; hourly to 6.15 p. m.; 8.15, 10.15 p. m. Return, 6.40, 8.15 a. m.; hourly till 7.15 p. m.; 9.15, 11.15 p. m.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

At a Probate Court held at Dedham in and for said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

On the petition of Simon Spellowski of Norfolk, in said county praying that his name may be changed to that of Simon Brown, public notice having been given, according to the order of court, that all persons might appear and show cause, if any they had, why the same should not be granted, and it appearing that the reason given therefor is sufficient and consistent with the public interest, and being satisfactory to the court and no objection being made

It is decreed that his name be changed, as prayed for, to that of Simon Brown, which name he shall hereafter bear, and which shall be his legal name, and that he give public notice of said change by publishing this decree once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, and make return to this court under oath that such notice has been given.

JAMES H. FLINT,
Judge of Probate Court.

16,23,30

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of William Mann, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, two certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament, and one codicil, of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Willard Everett of Lowell, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the fifth day of December, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this seventh day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

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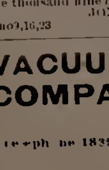

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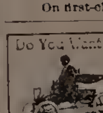

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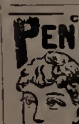

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WRENTHAM.

Tuesday afternoon the Holly club met with Mrs. Nathan H Fales.——The selectmen have been at work perambulating the highways The boundary stones are all in their proper places except the ones between Norfolk and Wrentham, which is located just below the residence of Webber Bros.——The public library will be open from 2 to 6 o'clock Sunday afternoon.——Miss Alta Smith has been teaching the Primary school during the absence of Miss Clara J. Randall.——The auction sale of the grocery stock of F. P. Redding is being sold nightly and will be continued until Saturday evening.

ON THE WING.

Hawks have been seen to follow the wake of a moving railway train, to swoop down on small birds that were suddenly disturbed and frightened by the noise, and therefore for the moment were off their guard.

The ostrich has long been laughed at for pushing his head into a bush when hunted It is really far the wisest thing the bird could do, for its long neck is by far the most easily seen part of it. Its body plumage harmonizes perfectly with the desert sand.

The carrier pigeon when traveling never feeds. If the distance be long, it flies on without stopping to take nutriment and at last arrives, thin, exhausted and almost dying. If corn be presented to it it refuses to eat, contenting itself with drinking a little water and then sleeping. Two or three hours later it begins to eat with great moderation and sleeps again immediately afterwards. If its flight has been very prolonged the pigeon will proceed in this manner for 48 hours before recovering its normal mode of feeding.

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FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN.

The woman who says she hates to sew and who always pins on her hat trimmings and bodice furbelows verifies her statements by her frumpy appearance.

Women enjoy the same political privileges as men in the states of Wyoming, Colorado, Utah and Arizona; municipal suffrage in Kansas, and partial suffrage in 25 other states.

The khedivah of Egypt has one of the most sumptuous yachts in the world. The saloons are most magnificently upholstered in white satin, brocaded with pink roses, the cornices done in real gold, while the panels are hung with beautiful pictures. Her own room is decorated in pink and white, the bed with its lace trimmings looking particularly inviting, and yet owing to some superstition on the part of the khedivah she prefers to sleep on the floor.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS AND HELPS

Jelly keeps much better if hot paraffin is poured over each tumblerful than when covered with paper

Sunburn and soil on last summer's white straw sailor hats will yield to lemon juice and borax applied with a stiff nail brush.

New brass and copper kitchen utensils should be cleaned with salt and vinegar before they are used, to avoid poison from verdigris.

New linen should never be put through the wringer in the first two washings. The dressing is not entirely out of them, and the threads will break.

An old method to get rid of cockroaches is both simple and efficient. This is by the use of the common red wafers, that may be had at any stationer's, and which are, it seems, a food much esteemed by the insects. They eat them greedily and die from the effects.

The Paris police have issued a notice warning the public, and especially foreign visitors, that a great number of false 50-franc notes are circulating in Paris and the large French towns They are getting ready over there to fleece foreigners and the chances for becoming separated from one's money during the big fair are becoming very

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Happiness. Something one always strives for, but rarely recognizes when attained

Unhappiness. Never wishing sufficiently hard for anything, to make it worth striving for

A Good Heart. Usually found in an uninteresting man or woman of whom nothing else can be said

A Good Child One who knows when to show off, and when to stop Who is neither forward nor shy; pert nor meek

Platonics.—A friendship with a thrill of love in it, but in which the thrill is never allowed to take complete possession.

Tact.—An article much needed in society. Found occasionally in the possession of clever women, rarely discovered in men; and much scorned by the stupid and ill bred.—N. Y. Observer.

SAGE SAYINGS.

An ounce of song is worth a ton of scolding. Theodore L. Cuyler, D D.

Everything doesn't come all at once to anybody. Mrs A. D. T. Whitney

Many a man's vices have at first been nothing worse than good qualities run wild.—Hare.

It's a small joke sets men laughing when they sit a-staring at one another wi' a pipe i' their mouths.—George Eliot.

Never ask what you have no right to know; never tell other people what they have no right to know.—Theodore L. Cuyler, D D.

Age is not all decay; it is the ripening, the swelling of the fresh life within, that withers and bursts the husk.—George MacDonald

"It's only her way" I wonder if the way people get with them isn't something to be acountable for, though?—Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney.

Believe in the divine right of kings I never shall—except in the divine right to be kingly men, which all men share.—James Lane Allen.

Every period of life has its peculiar prejudices. Whoever saw old age that did not applaud the past and condemn the present?—Montaigne.

The Trains.

"I suppose the things you miss most out there are the things you would quickly get in town," said the city man.

"Not exactly," replied the suburbanite. "The things we miss most are the things that would quickly get 'us' in town."—Philadelphia Press

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending November 21, 1900.

Ladies—Miss Audrey Barber, Miss May H Blaisdell, Miss Rosa Turner.

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Clearly Defined.

Miss Olive (of St. Louis)—Say, cousin, what's a periphrasis?

Miss Browning (of Boston)—A periphrasis is simply a circumlocutory cycle of oratorical sonorosity, circumscribing an infinitesimal ideality interred in a verbal profundity

"Thanks, I thought it was something like that, but I wasn't quite sure."—Chicago Evening News.

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To all persons interested in the estate of Julia A Pond, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Metcalf E. Pond, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the twelfth day of December, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this twenty-third day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

"Quo Vadis" tonight."

Going to Walpole Thanksgiving morning?

Miss Grace Whiting visited schools in Pawtucket last week.

Mrs. W. H. Gould has just returned from an extended stay in Uxbridge.

Dean closes from Wednesday to Monday only, the regular holiday coming later.

Miss Bessie Murray of South Boston is visiting Miss Nellie Robinson of Union street.

Be present at Dr. Hodge's reading Thanksgiving evening at Universalist church.

The Mothers' section will meet next Friday aafternoon with Mrs. Gertrude Daniels.

Some of the retailers who want to keep open shops on Sunday are studying the Sunday law.

During the summer season Dr. Hodge, the tree warden, has planted several ornamental trees.

The teachers of the public schools were made happy Friday with the monthly stipend.

Spence & Granger have just completed a fine job of painting the W. W. Haslam house on East street.

Mrs. C. J. McKenzie left town Saturday for Woodstock, Vt., where she will remain about 10 days.

Carpenters have been at work for several weeks making general repairs at the American Woolen company's mill.

Up to a week ago one farmer at least had failed to harvest all of his potatoes. The dry season made the crop small.

Chester M. Whiting will return to Cuba for the winter at the completion of some business arrangements here.

The weekly meeting of the Congregational church will be held on Friday instead of Thursday evening this week.

The Franklin grange enjoyed a friendly call from about thirty grangers from West Medway last Thursday evening.

The streets on the east side of the town have been brushed up by the roadmen and present a very neat appearance.

"Quo Vadis," the most powerful and convincing of all religious plays, will be presented at the Opera house this evening.

Attorney A. H. Martin has embellished his office with a new office table of the Derby make of generous proportion and elegant finish.

Rev. Mr. Sleeper will give a lecture in the Baptist church in Norfolk next Tuesday evening on "Scenes in England, Scotland and Ireland.

Capt. A. F. Pendleton has prepared for the transportation of school pupils from the northwest as soon as the snow makes its appearance.

The agent of the state and military aid commission was here Friday for examination of recipients of the aid. Very little change was made.

The American band orchestra are to furnish music for the "sunlight dance" to be given in the Odd Fellows' hall on Thursday afternoon from 2 till 6.

The golfites are atilt with interest over the contest next Thursday, when our crack players will compete among themselves for prizes and honors.

Thomas McHugh, employed at Waite's mill, had two of his fingers injured in a carder while at work on Saturday. Dr. A. J. Gallison attended the injured man.

Manager Partridge has made a date for "The New Minister" company to appear at Morse Opera house Wednesday evening, Dec. 5, a play to please everybody.

A pleasing evening is assured at the Universalist church Thanksgiving. Dr. Hodge is to read. A social will follow and refreshments will be served. Come!

The personal property at the Coates farm on Pond street was sold Friday. The farm was offered, but was withdrawn on account of no satisfactory bid.

Thomas Rowcroft, formerly employed by the Star and Crescent Mill company, Philadelphia, has been engaged as superintendent by the Worcester Textile company.

There will be no meeting of the Farmer's club Thanksgiving week, to allow the farmers' wives to have all the time for arranging for the annual Thanksgiving feast.

The Epworth League have placed an "emergency box" at the ticket office of the station here to be used in case of accident upon the railroad. It is an excellent idea.

A number of the Masonic fraternity went to Norwood last evening to enjoy an evening with the m--bers of the Masonic order there. They report a most enjoyable time.

As Edward F. Queery was walking to Franklin from Woonsocket on Saturday evening, having lost his car, he fell through a trestle bridge, a distance of fifteen feet, breaking his left forearm.

The first annual concert and ball of the Jolly club will be held in the Opera house tomorrow evening. Fales' orchestra of West Medway will furnish the music. The affair is already an assured success.

The storm of Wednesday lessened the attendance at the various churches to a marked degree, but served to show in a measure who were the faithful ones. There is comfort in this to the various pastors.

The sale of goods and furniture at the Jones house, No. 5 Union street, will be continued every day this week from 9 till 6 o'clock. The lot, 27,000 square feet, with dwelling house and barn, is also for sale.

The banns of marriage between Miss Flora Farley of Union street and George Pratt of Medway were announced for the first and last time in St. Mary's church Sunday. The ceremony will be performed on Wednesday evening.

It is quite likely that there will be a large number of the members of the Farmers' club and their friends who will go over to Daniel Brown's in Wrentham next Monday evening, and a special car going at 7.15 has been arranged for.

It is reported that the late Joseph G. Hill left no will, prefering to let his estate be disposed of by the regular law channel under an administrator. In addition to the real estate his property consisted largely in savings bank deposits in a number of banks in the state.

Don't forget that the high school will offer their usual Thanksgiving entertainment for the poor tomorrow evening, at the High school hall at eight o'clock, when contributions of provisions, or useful articles will be received for distribution to the needy as Thanksgiving gifts.

At a recent meeting of the board of directors of the Worcester Textile company, held in Worcester, W. H. Tylee was appointed treasurer, M. P. Burbank having resigned, and George H. Cook was appointed assistant treasurer. Mr. Cook will make his residence in Franklin, as before.

Roscoe Gibbs Bicknell of Worcester, Dean '99, was here last week, having driven his locomobile over from that city. It is a machine similar to H. T. Hayward's and Mr. Bicknell expressed himself as being thoroughly well pleased with its work. He attracted a good deal of attention with it.

Mrs. G. A. Martin returned from her hunting expedition in New Brunswick last evening, having been absent since August. She has had a most delightful time, has improved in health, and has some of the trophies of the chase with her. She has a fine hunting camp there, and enjoys camp life hugely.

A horse attached to an express wagon belonging to James McParland became frightened Friday afternoon, about 4 o'clock, in the lower part of the town, while the driver was delivering goods. The animal was caught at the railroad crossing, however, with no serious damage, excepting a broken shaft.

At the perambulation of the bounds between Bellingham and Franklin Thursday one bound was found removed, broken and placed on the opposite side of the street. The statute provides a penalty of fine or imprisonment for wilfully removing a bound, and measures will be taken at once for having it replaced.

J. B. Rhodes, formerly employed at the Worcester Textile works as assistant superintendent, has resigned his position to accept a place with the Crompton & Knowles loom works at Worcester. On the eve of his departure Mr. Rhodes was pleasantly surprised by the gift from the mill help of a pair of cuff buttons and a carbuncle ring.

Judge Doe, Mr. Nye and Mr. Rockwood returned on Sunday from the South, decidedly enthusiastic over the trip. They had perfect weather, picking roses out of doors, and seeing all the interesting sights. They were four days at the Hygeia at Old Point Comfort, saw the Hampton students, the Gettysburg battlefield, etc. They were much disgusted at this weather on their return.

The closing exercises of the woman's mission at St. Mary's chapel took place Sunday afternoon, 572 female parishioners, not including children, having made the mission. The men's mission opened in the evening, Rev. Father Cullen delivering the opening sermon, taking the text "What doth it profit a man to gain the whole world and suffer the loss of his own soul?" Nearly 500 male parishioners were present.

"Prince Pro Tem" played to a fair-sized house on Friday evening, proving one of the best entertainments of its kind given here this season. The chorus was especially strong, while the soloists were unusually good, noticeably Margaret Rosa. Dan Packard carried off the honors, having the star part, but he was ably supported. Manager Partridge should have had a better house for so satisfactory an attraction.

G. A. R. men will be interested to know that the railroads of the Western Passenger association have formally decided not to authorize the rate of one cent a mile for the proposed encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic at Denver next August. The notification despatch says that unless the veterans back down from their stand, Cleveland, in all probability, will be the location of the 35th annual encampment.

Anyone who enjoys seeing a good clean game of football cannot afford to miss the game which is to be played in Walpole on Thanksgiving day morning, at 10 o'clock, sharp, between Walpole and Phillips Andover, at Cobb's field. As the electric cars pass the field and trains come to Walpole from four different directions at about 9 o'clock, there is no reason why anyone who likes to see a good football game should miss this chance.

Supt. Daniels is to have a set of telephones connecting the Horace Mann with the W. M. Thayer and the Nason street schools. Supt. Blanchard of the electric light station is stringing the wires, and the instruments will be installed by out of town parties. This will surely be found to be of decided convenience to the superintendent in affording him such immediate connection with the various departments, a saving of time and in the end a saving of money.

At the desire of the Y. P. C. U., Rev. Dr. Hodge will read at the chapel of the Universalist church on Thanksgiving evening. The readings will be miscellaneous in character and those who have heard Dr. Hodge know that the selections will be good. A small admission fee will be charged which will entitle each person paying it to light refreshments at the close of the reading. Reading will begin at 8 o'clock. The admission will be a fitting close to Thanksgiving day.

The New England Telegraph and Telephone company has petitioned for extending wires and poles on Summer street to winter, on Main from School to Crescent, on Alpine from Emmons to School, on School from Alpine to Union, on Union from Pleasant to Central and on Central from Union to Main. The company covers the territory at the present time by means of the electric lighting company's poles, but finds difficulty from the crossing of wires, so that separate poles are wanted.

Among the sale of pictures from the Carnegie exhibition, Pittsburg, is H. H. Gallison's "Misty Sunlight," which it will be recollected was exhibited at the Boston art club's exhibition last winter. It attracted a great deal of attention for its straight, technique and fine atmospheric effects. Charles F. Grey, a prominent citizen of Chicago, is the purchaser. A. M. Thayer of our own town owns several canvases from the Gallison studio and counts them as among his best investments in the line of art purchases.

The McParland liquor case was again further continued in the district court Saturday morning. Judge Doe had not returned from the South, and an effort was made to have Associate Judge Whitaker of Wrentham try the case, but it was found that he was also absent in Maine. Mr. Ruggles being prosecuting attorney in this case he could not, of course, act as judge in the matter, and consequently another adjournment was necessary. The case will probably be disposed of next Saturday. A number of civil cases also went over.

Two contributions of $25 each have been received during the past few days by C. L. Stewart for the Y. M. C. A. fund, which makes a total already received of over $500, not including the membership fees, which can hardly fail to reach at least $400. As soon as all things are in readiness, it is proposed to have a Y. M. C. A. day on Sunday, Dec. 9, with prominent Y. M. C. A. speakers from the state and elsewhere. Full particulars will be given as soon as the plans are all matured. Speak a good word for the cause when opportunity offers.

Menu for Thanksgiving.

We furnished your turkey last year; let us do so again. Our turkeys are the choicest in the market, fine Northern birds at 20 cents; fowls and chicks from 15 to 18; lettuce, cauliflower, parsnips, Hubbard squashes, Boston market celery, the finest; carrots, red cabbage, large, fine cranberries from the Ray meadows here; apples, prime butter, cream cheese, etc. Anything you want in the market line.

EMERSON'S MARKET.

Crescent House.

I have some choice single and double rooms, fronting on the Main street. Steam heat and electric lights. Suitable for a man and wife or family. Terms reasonable. **S. T. CAPRON, Prop.**

The company presenting "Remember the Maine" is said to be the best that Lincoln J. Carter ever sent on the road, and it will surely be greeted by a large audience at the Opera house Saturday evening. The entrance of the battleship Maine into Havana harbor, the explosion of the Maine, the old wine vault with its falling foundation, the destruction of a Spanish fort by an American shell, and to top off this list nothing less than Dewey's destruction of the Spanish fleet and the bombardment of Manila, are five effects in one play alone, and done as only this master hand of effects for the stage can do them.

An Enjoyable Treat.

It was not only a large audience but an enthusiastically appreciative one which listened to the fine program at I. O. O. F. hall last Friday evening, under the auspices of the Epworth league. The carefully rendered piano solo by Mr. Kirkham of Dean academy was a fitting prologue to the high class entertainers who followed.

Waldo Everett, a Franklin boy, at present a student at Harvard, displayed considerable versatility in selections ranging from classical "Snowbound," very feelingly rendered, to popular "Casey at the Bat." That he pleased his friends was evidenced by repeated encores. Seldom has a Franklin audience the privilege of listening to a soloist of the high class and evident culture of Prof. McWatters of Boston University, whose baritone solos were of the highest order.

A greater compliment could scarcely be paid to the playing of Nathan D. Prince of Danielson than that of Prof. McWatters, who pronounced it the most artistic production he had ever heard on the banjo. Mr. Prince is certainly an artist on his favorite instrument; his rendering of "Last Rose of Summer," as arranged by himself, was of that particularly entrancing nature which makes one think it but just begun when the end is reached.

The Epworth league deserves much credit for presenting a list of entertainers of such excellence. The sum of $25 was netted for the worthy object in view.

The Interest Increasing.

There is continuous call for the tickets for the series of entertainments to be given at the Congregational church during the winter, and the solicitors have already disposed of a good many. They can also be secured at store of N. C. Nye. The selection of seats will not be made till Wednesday, Dec. 5. The character of the first entertainment, that given by the Harvard male quartet and Miss Hennigar, reader, may be gained from the fact that the program is to be submitted to the local committee two weeks before the entertainment, in order to provide for any change that may be thought necessary to meet the tastes of our people. This is enough in itself to insure satisfaction.

Farmers' Club.

The club met Monday evening, Nov. 12, with Horatio Metcalf, Sheldonville. The club accepted the invitation of Daniel Brown of Wrentham to hold a meeting with him Dec 3. Mr Metcalf read the paper of the evening on "Is General or Special Farming the More Likely to Bring Success?—What are some of the mistakes most often made by farmers?" He said in part:

This question may be divided into two or more parts. Shall we call it the manner most generally used in performing the labor, or the crops most generally produced. If we look back a few years we shall see that the ideas of farmers were somewhat different from now. Then they did not deem it so important to have cellars under the barn, nor to have the stock protected from the weather. The cows, for instance, yarded with perhaps only a small shed for shelter from the storms. Then to make the yard a little dryer cart in some loam. Then in the fall when potatoes are dug, corn harvested, apples picked, cider made, cart the loam and other accumulations onto the land to be planted next year to lay there till the next spring. About hay—prepare the ground for the seed, lay on the fertilizer in the hill, sometimes fairly well, but often sparingly. But perhaps by the question is meant general crops, such as corn, potatoes and vegetables. Now by special farming is meant raising special crops like small fruits. It requires more brains, more study, more calculation to make a success of it. I am not sure but the best methods of farming might not be classed as special farming. If the labor is performed in the best way and with the most improved tools, the cost of labor is very much reduced, which is a very essential thing.

Some of the mistakes farmers make are, first, trying to cultivate too much land; labor costs too much. Another mistake is trying to get along with poor tools. I think much of the success in farming is due to the knowledge the farmer has. To sum it all up it requires a good head, a strong constitution, good habits and not a little capital to be successful at farming. With these qualifications a man can succeed if he has a good wife to help, whether he does general or special farming.

A Thanksgiving Thought.

There is no truer saying than this: "The best way to bring happiness to one's self is to try to make others happy around you." That is a good Thanksgiving motto. Those who have a surplus of this world's goods can add to their own happiness by sending a chicken, turkey or some other good thing to a poor and needy family. It is worth trying.

"Remember the Maine."

Will be given at the Opera House on Saturday evening. The play is a melodrama, founded on some of the incidents of the late war. The intrigue begins in Havana, where the Spanish plot to blow up the Maine is disclosed. Prominent in the scheme is Weyler and a Spanish naval officer named Rujaneiro. Figuring in the act are also General Lee and his ward, a Miss Walters, with whom a young officer of the British navy is in love. There are several Spanish conspirators, a Chinese sea cook, a Cuban girl, a Spanish woman, and these manage to mix up in an intrigue in which jealousy, revenge, patriotism and love are successfully brought into play together with the arrival of the Maine in Havana, and the blowing up of that vessel. Then the scene shifts to Manila and all the persons, except Weyler manage to get there in time to see the battle of Cavite. This is a realistic scene, in which the American and Spanish vessels fire vigorously upon one another. The entertainment closes with the Maine illuminated.

Come and Bring Something.

The pupils of the Horace Mann High school have arranged an entertainment to be given there next Wednesday evening to aid the deserving poor of Franklin. No admission fee is charged, and those who come are requested to bring such articles as they see fit for distribution among the needy the next day by the pupils of the school. If you cannot come, kindly send something, as the cause is a worthy one.

Offer Extraordinary.

James F. Ray, the flour dealer, has a magnificent offer to place before the readers of the SENTINEL in this issue, found on page two. It is no less than a bona fide offer of a barrel of Pillsbury's best flour at only $5 per barrel, the offer holding good only during December. This is a rare chance to get the best flour on the market at a very low price.

Delicacies for Thanksgiving.

Our order for finest selected Vermont turkeys this year was unusually large, and we have made the prices right. For finest selected Vermont turkeys 20 cents per pound; western turkeys from 15 to 20c. Fowls and chicks, fresh killed and nice, from 12 to 20c. All the meats, extra fine beef, lamb, pork, sausage, etc. Our Thanksgiving vegetables will include everything to be found in the Boston markets. Celery 15c a bunch. Choice Cape cranberries 10c, three for 25. Begin your Thanksgiving dinner with a choice soup. We have all flavors.

RICHARDSON, the Marketman.

The Youth's Companion Calendar.

More thought and expense than ever before have been lavished on the calendar which the publishers of the Youth's Companion will present to everyone subscribing for the new volume for 1901, since it is to be a souvenir of the paper's 75th year. It is an exceptionally attractive calendar, and has been designed and lithographed for the Companion exclusively. The central figure of the calendar is an ideal portrait of a Puritan maiden of Plymouth, and the twelve colors in which the calendar is lithographed reproduce the delicate coloring of the artist's original painting with perfect fidelity.

After the usefulness of the calendar is past, the portrait of Priscilla can be cut out and framed and preserved as a beautiful household ornament.

This calendar, which is sold to non subscribers to the Youth's Companion for 50 cents, will be given to all new subscribers for 1901, who will also receive, in addition to the fifty-two issues of the new volume, all the issues of the paper for the remaining weeks of 1900 free from the time of subscription. Illustrated announcement of the volume for 1901 will be sent free with sample copies of the paper to any address. The Youth's Companion, Boston, Mass.

DAVID CITY, NEB., April 1, 1900.

Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.:

Gentlemen:—I must say in regard to GRAIN-O that there is nothing better or healthier. We have used it for years. My brother was a great coffee drinker. He was taken sick and the doctor said coffee was the cause of it and told us to use GRAIN-O. We got a package but did not like it at first, but now would not be without it. My brother has been well ever since we started to use it.

Yours truly, **LILLIE SOCHOR.**

Bad Weather

Must be considered when figuring on your photos for Christmas. Better come for the sitting at earliest possible date, and thus avoid any possibility of disappointment. What more pleasing remembrance than one of our Platinotype portraits, so dainty and artistic.

CALKIN, Depot St.

W. A. Pond

Handles all kinds of rentable property, and will find you a tenant or tenement if you desire.

Fish received fresh daily. Oysters in and out of shell. Blue fish, butter fish, halibut, cod, haddock, Finnan haddie, clams and oysters at Paine's market.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

THE TOWN HALL AND THE COMMON.

When Indians roamed o'er hill and vale,
In Franklin,
Though battling oft, could not prevail,
In Franklin;
Far from their thought that centuries
hence,
Despoiled by white man's insolence,
Legends alone their monuments,
In Franklin.

'Tis said that in the later days,
In Franklin,
The dwellers oft had curious ways,
In Franklin;
With Dr. Emmons' preaching—well,
What's now passe, for, truth to tell,
He'd then been called an infidel,
In Franklin;

His sermons held his people long,
In Franklin,
Were full of thought, in doctrine strong,
In Franklin;
The doctor's quaint, three cornered hat
Crowned one not veered by this or that,
Who always knew "where he was at,"
In Franklin.

Red man and white man had their day,
In Franklin.
Ghosts of a shadowy past are they,
In Franklin;
Had other relics gone with these
Our poignant grief we might appease;
They're with us, and our patience tease,
In Franklin.

Of Common and Town hall we're
proud, (?)
Exciting imprecations loud,
In Franklin;
With general air of disrepute,
We'd sell, or give away to boot,
Quit claim, with title absolute,
In Franklin.

The Town hall is the beauty spot
In Franklin,
Which when once seen is ne'er forgot,
In Franklin;
It's whole dilapidated air,
Inside and out shows lack of care,
Inciting tendencies to swear,
In Franklin.

Rash men cast hints both dark and dire,
In Franklin,
That were the "ranch" to be on fire,
In Franklin,
While they might indignation feign,
From lending aid they would refrain,
Convinced that no one would complain,
In Franklin.

The Common, too, yclept Town park,
In Franklin,
Presentable only after dark,
In Franklin;
A rendezvous, where tramp and bum,
Grimed with dirt and filled with rum,
Wooing Morpheus hither come,
In Franklin.

That relics such of hygone days,
In Franklin,
Remain to greet our saddened gaze,
In Franklin;
Is proof complete we should awake,
Admit that we have made mistake,
Rebuild, reclaim, for honor's sake,
In Franklin.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

Two boarders wanted in a private family. Inquire at SENTINEL office. 23,27*

All kinds of stove wood and kindlings dry at Allen's wood yard.

Two hundred cords of trash wood for sale by E. S. Cook, Box 212. 26Ftf

To Let.—A desirable eight-room tenement. Inquire of J. P. Hosie, 18 Peck street. 20,27*

To Let—Cottage house, eight rooms, corner Central street and Milliken avenue. L. W. Milliken. 27tf

Auction sale of fine household goods at the Opera house block on Friday evening at 7.30. Rare bargains.

Wanted—A firstclass girl for general housework in a family of three. Liberal wages will be paid for same.

New York Sunday newspapers, Woonsocket dailies, Italian papers and a full line of stationery can hereafter be obtained at my store in Central square. 23,27* **JOSEPH CATALDO.**

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

Lost—On Saturday, on Central or Main streets, a fob chain and gold charm, with name inscribed. Finder will be rewarded upon returning same to this office. 27*

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. **J. B. McKINNON, Agent.**

Mileage books to let. Trip tickets to Boston and Providence. Single tickets to Walpole 20c. A few 5-trip tickets to Boston for $2.60. All at a saving from the regular fare. Chas. H. Prince at the SENTINEL Office.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

All orders for cut flowers, boquets, potted plants for Thanksgiving will receive prompt attention. Slade's Greenhouse, Box 179.

Transient and regular patrons will find good service, clean and quick work at Ochee's barber shop, Opera house block.

PILLSBURY'S BEST FLOUR

For the next 30 days, during
Month of December,

$5.00

PER BARREL.

This Offer is Good Only Till Jan. 1

THIS IS A REMARKABLE REDUCTION ON THE

BEST FLOUR IN MARKET

J. F. RAY

DEPOT ST., FRANKLIN.

THANKSGIVING IN GEORGIA.

Possum in the oven,
Rooster in the pot,
Betsy grating taters,
Coffee a-biling hot.

Casey got the 'simmons,
Vickey make the beer.
Sallie set the table;
Be quick there, my dear.

This Thanksgiving day
The president has willed
Ol possum, tater and rooster
You and I must be filled.
—Augusta (Ga.) Tribune.

Miss Lucinda's Lost Brooch

Every Thanksgiving day brought the Pettibones together under the old home roof. It was the great day of the year for them, and nothing could bring keener disappointment to young or old than to be prevented from celebrating it under the old time honored custom, which they had been brought up to regard quite as much in the light of duty as a pleasure.

Aunt Cindy, busy over the concoction of the "punkin" pies for which she was famous throughout all Lilbury "and the region roundabout," was thinking of dead and gone Thanksgivings. As she beat a bowl of eggs into golden froth her thoughts went back to that Thanksgiving day ten years ago when a shadow fell upon her life a shadow that had never lifted. True, but few eyes saw it nowadays, but it was in her heart yet, and all the sunshine of her quiet, peaceful life could not dispel it.

"I wonder what has become of him?" she said to herself as she sifted sugar crystals into the foaming mass. "Perhaps he's dead. Who knows? Ten years is a long time, and a great many things may happen to them."

If a tear or two fell into the bowl, I do not think the pies were any the worse for them. Perhaps they gave them a better flavor.

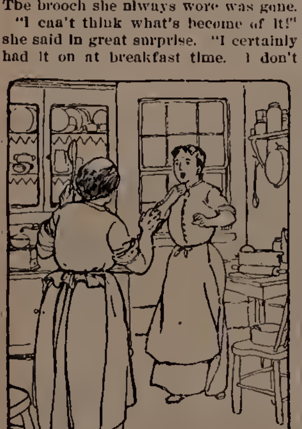
"He" was Robert Grant, and Robert Grant had been her lover long ago. Everybody had said "it was going to be a match" between them, and in this case "everybody" had good reasons for thinking so, for, though no formal engagement had ever existed between them, there had been a tacit understanding of the heart which it is never necessary to put into words to make one's meaning and intention plain. But on that Thanksgiving day ten years ago there had arisen some misunderstanding which had parted them. Just what it was about Lucinda could not tell now as she thought about it. "We were both so foolish, so unreasonable," she had often told herself. "To think of letting two lives be parted by something so insignificant that neither fully understood what it was!"

"Dear me!" exclaimed Martha Pettibone, Lucinda's sister-in-law, as she dropped into a comfortable rocking chair in one corner of the kitchen. "I'm glad we've got about done with our work, ain't you, Lucinda? I'm allus real glad to have 'em come here, but one gets so nigh beat out with cookin an fussin that I'm allus glad that it don't happen more'n once a year."

"Why, Cindy," suddenly, "where is your breastpin? I thought you had it on! You don't look nat'ral without it."

Lucinda put her hand to her collar. The brooch she always wore was gone.

"I can't think what's become of it!" she said in great surprise. "I certainly had it on at breakfast time. I don't remember being out of the kitchen since. It must be somewhere about the room."


THE BROOCH SHE ALWAYS WORE WAS GONE.

A careful search was made, but the brooch was not to be found.

Thanksgiving day dawned clear and beautiful, as all Thanksgiving day mornings ought, to be in keeping with the thoughts which come, or ought to come, at such a time.

"Now, Cindy, you run right up an git ready to receive the company," said Martha after breakfast. "I'll see to all that needs doin down stairs."

So Lucinda went up to her room and "got ready." The dark wine colored cashmere dress she donned was very becoming to her fair complexion, with soft frills of lace at throat and wrists.

"I don't seem to grow old very fast in looks," she thought as she stood before the glass to give the last feminine touches to her toilet. "Thirty-five, Lucinda Pettibone! Do you realize that that means half an ordinary lifetime?" Then she sighed, for a thought came into her mind of what life might have been if— Ah, these "ifs!"

"Hurry up, Aunt Cindy!" cried John junior from the stairs. "They're comin, 'cause I hear bells! Hooray!" Then there was a stampede of new boots down the hall.

"Martin's folks is here," said Martha, putting her head out of the kitchen "Tell 'em I'll be in as soon as I've tended to the turkey."

Lucinda went into the sitting room to receive the guests. The air was full of kindly greetings and good wishes as she shook hands with the newcomers. They seemed to have brought the very spirit of Thanksgiving with them.

"Where's Martha?" asked Sister Sarah almost as soon as handshaking was over. "I want to see her about somethin the worst way In the kitchen? Well, then, I'll go right in. You stay here an see to the children, Cindy, while I'm gone."

"For the lan's sake!" cried Martha as Sarah appeared in the kitchen door. "How do you do, an how's all the folks?"

"Quite well, thanky," responded Sarah, with proper politeness, which was instantly put aside as soon as the door was closed behind her and the two were alone "Martha Pettibone, I've got some news for you. You can't guess who came to our house las' night?"

"Elder Hogaboom," ventured Martha.

"Elder Hogaboom, indeed!" exclaimed Sarah. "I knew you'd get way off! You'd never think of the right person. 'Twas Robert Grant!"

"For goodness sake!" cried Martha. "Air you reely in earnest, Sary? It don't seem as if it could be so. Cindy an I was a-talkin about him yesterday an wonderin what had become of him."

"Yes, 'tis so," answered Sarah, "an he's there now. We tried to coax him to come over with us, but he said he didn't know's 'twould be agreeable, but he'd like to the worst way. I jest know he was thinkin of Cindy all the time. Now, I want to know if you have any idea she'd care if he should come. I thought I'd ask you 'fore I said anything to her Martin, he told John not to put the team out till he knows, an, if it would be agreeable, he's goin right back after Robert."

"I reckon she'd be glad to have him come," said Martha "Oh, Sary, mebbe it'll all turn out right yet Who knows? He- he ain't married, is he?"

"No, he ain't, an I don't b'lieve he ever will be if Cindy don't have him," answered Sarah. "He blames hisself for what happened. He jest the same as told me so. Call her in an ask her if she's willin he should come."

"Cindy, come in here a minit, won't you?" called Martha in a flutter of delightful excitement. "Dear me, Sary, I feel's if somethin was goin to happen! Wouldn't it be jest splendid if they should make up?"

"What's wanted?" asked Lucinda.

"Cindy," said Martha as solemnly as if about to inform her of somebody's death, "somebody's come back."

Lucinda started, and her cheeks grew pale. She opened her mouth to speak, but no words came.

"He's over to Martin's, and Sary wants to know if you'd find any fault with havin him come over to eat Thanksgivin dinner with us. It don't seem jest right to let him spend such a day there alone, does it?"

"Why shouldn't he come?" said Lucinda. But it hardly seemed to either of the women as if she spoke to them. Indeed it hardly seemed to her, as she stood there face to face with the fact that after many years her old lover had come back, as if she was not alone with that one thought.

"Oh, I'm so glad!" cried Sarah. "I'll run right out an tell Martin."

Lucinda ran up to her chamber to think it all over alone As she shut the door she heard the sound of bells, and, looking out, she saw Martin driving swiftly up the hill road on his friendly errand How the bells rang!

He had come back! He was coming there! She would see him again, would hear his voice and feel his hand clasping hers as in the old days when they met each other after these long years of separation! As in the old days? Perhaps not. There might have been changes of which she knew nothing. But they could at least meet as friends. Suddenly a sense of all the sorrow these vanished years had held seemed to force itself upon her as she had never comprehended it before, and she laid her head down on the window sill and cried. By and by she aroused herself.

"This will not do," she said as she looked at herself in the glass. She almost stared at the face she saw there. It was not like the face she had seen there this morning. This face seemed almost radiant.

The clock was striking 11 when John junior sang out that "Uncle Mart is comin back, an there is a man with him."

There was a general stampede of youngsters for the front door Lucinda felt a wild impulse to run away But she did not. Martha and Sarah helped her to pass the ordeal of the next few minutes by being very demonstrative and talkative, thus drawing attention from her. She saw Robert Grant come into the room; she saw him shaking hands with all the grown folks and smiling at the wondering eyed children and was dimly conscious of an idea that it would take him years and years to get across the room to where she stood. Then all at once Martha spoke and said:

"An here's Cindy. She's glad, with all the rest of us, to see you back, Robert," and then she felt her hand clasped close in Robert's hand once more and heard him say:

"I'm glad to see you."

Only a few simple words, but they might mean so much or so little.

When they were seated at the dinner table, Martin happened to notice all at once that Lucinda didn't look familiar.

"Why, Cindy, what's become of mother's breas'pin?" he asked. "I hain't seen you 'thout it afore sence I can remember."

"I don't know what has become of it," answered his sister. "I lost it yesterday. I'd give anything if I could find it."

Just at this juncture the pumpkin pies were brought in.

"These are Cindy's pies," said Martha. "When I've said that, I know you'll want a piece."

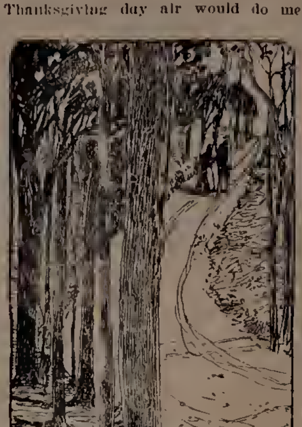
"Or two pieces, more likely," answered Martin. "Let me see, you used to like Cindy's pies, Robert. I s'pose you hain't forgot how they tasted?"

"I don't believe I have," answered Robert as he took a "piece" and fell to enjoying it

All at once he put his napkin to his mouth, and John junior, who was enduring the tortures a boy always experiences when he has to wait, whispered to his Cousin Tildy that he guessed that feller'd bit his tongue or something.

"How bright and pleasant it looks outside!" Robert Grant said to Lucinda after dinner "Don't you want to take a walk?"

"I think a little of this bracing Thanksgiving day air would do me good," she answered and went up stairs after her bonnet and shawl. Her heart was all in a flutter again. "You ought to be ashamed of yourself!" she said to herself. "Thirty-five years old and acting like a girl!"


BOTH WERE TOO BUSY WITH THOUGHTS OF THE PAST.

For some time neither of the two spoke as they went up the hillside road side by side. Both were too busy with thoughts of the past.

Suddenly Robert paused and faced her.

"Lucinda," he said, and his voice was not very steady, "perhaps we can never be to each other what I think both of us hoped years ago, but we can, I trust, be friends. I want to tell you that I have been sorry for what I said to you that day ever since the words were spoken. But I was too stubborn to say so then. Can you, will you, forgive me at this late day?"

"I was as much to blame as you were," she answered "I would have told you so long ago if you had given me the opportunity to do so. Let us forget it all and be friends and in our friendship make up for the loss if we can."

"But can we be nothing more to each other?" he cried, his eyes full of eagerness, his face bright with hope. "I love you yet, Lucinda! I have loved you all these years. If you can overlook the past, if you will only let me try to make you as happy in the days to come as we might have been in the days gone by!"

"Are you sure you want me?" she asked, her face quite pale. "I am no longer young, remember. Do not make the worst of all mistakes—mistaking pity for love."

"I shall make no such mistake as that," he said. "Don't be afraid of that, Lucinda," a sudden smile breaking across his face. "You are not the woman to make an offer and then refuse to live up to it."

"I don't know what you mean," she said, looking at him wonderingly.

"Don't you remember that you said when we were eating dinner that you would give anything to find your lost brooch? Now, that means, I take it, that whatever the person who finds it and restores it to you asks for you are bound to give him. I have found it. Here it is, Lucinda. What I ask as a reward is—yourself. You will keep your word and give me what I ask, I hope. Will you, dear, or won't you?"

"Your logic is not to be contended against," she answered, with a little laugh that somehow had a quiver in it. "I suppose you want me, Robert. If you need me and insist on having me, why, take me."

He put his arms about her and kissed her.

"May nothing come between us henceforth," he said earnestly, solemnly, and her heart repeated his words.

"I suppose you wonder how I came to find the lost brooch," he said as they turned homeward.

"I was going to ask you about that," she answered, "but before I got to it I thought of something else," with a little blush, "and forgot it. Where did you find it? We have hunted high and low for it."

"You didn't find it because you didn't look in the right place," he answered. "It came to me in a piece of pumpkin pie. I have read about some one who discovered pearls in the wine she drunk, but I had no idea that ordinary people of today flavored their pies with articles of jewelry I think fate had something to do with it."

In the twilight of that November day the man and woman whose lives had drifted apart for ten long years stood side by side and looked out upon the white world with thoughts of unalterable thanksgiving in their hearts. A current on the sea of time had brought those lives together again, and henceforth no wind of passion would separate them, please God.—Chaperone.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

WE SHOULD MAKE OF IT A SEASON OF REJOICING.

Our Festival at the Ingathering of the Fruits Is an Imitation of the Feast of Tabernacles—Eat of God's Bounty and Remember the Poor.

Praise for the goodness of God is never out of place and never unseasonable, but it is especially appropriate on days set apart by official appointment to notice the mercies which have followed us, the blessings which we have enjoyed, the kind interpositions which have been made in our behalf, the bounties which have been bestowed upon us in order that we may render again to God for all his benefits with festive joy and heartfelt thankfulness.

The establishment of a day of thanksgiving in the late autumn, after the ingathering of the fruits, was made by the early settlers of New England, in imitation of the feast of tabernacles held by the Jewish nation. It was a wise and pious act, and its adoption by most of the states and at length by the general government of this broad land is an evidence of the diffusion of those religious sentiments which were at the foundation of the settlement of this country.

We may welcome this annual thanksgiving today with the added interest which venerable custom has thrown around it, with the pleasing memories which early associations weave about our former celebrations of it, with the recollections of absent friends who have shared it with us, the reunion of families, the merry laugh of children, the pleasure of parents and hail its advent as a day of sacred and social joy.

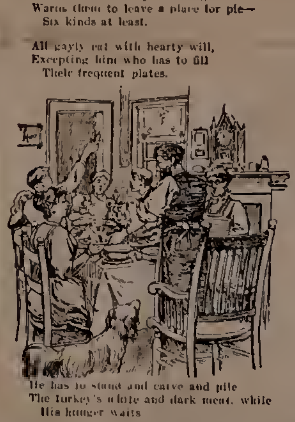
It should be observed with happy hearts and cheerful voices, and for the time at least the sigh of sorrow should be hushed and the tear of grief restrained, while full scope is given to all the kindlier emotions of our nature. Let us crowd into its flying hours the pleasant memories of the past, the happiness of the present and the fairest prospects of the future and make it a bright and gladsome day.

Let us make it, so far as we can, a day of grateful rejoicing, and, while we partake freely of the bounties of the year, give loose rein to the sweet sympathies of humanity and dispense with a liberal hand and a benevolent spirit to those that have need, so that the voice of gladness may be heard in every dwelling. In imitation of the time honored custom of our fathers and in obedience to the language of Scripture, let us "eat the fat and drink the sweet and send portions to them for whom nothing is prepared."

The Head of the Family.

Thanksgiving day is almost here,
Season of gladness and good cheer
And bounteous feast,
When all eat turkey till a sigh
Warns them to leave a place for pie—
Six kinds at least.

All gayly eat with hearty will,
Excepting him who has to fill
Their frequent plates.



He has to stand and carve and pile
The turkey's white and dark meat, while
His hunger waits

Then here's to him who has to see
All others quickly fed, while he
Must wield the knife.
Working with ardor fierce and grim
Does anybody envy him?
Not on your life!
—Somerville Journal.

A Game For Thanksgiving.

A potato race is a good game to aid the digestion of the Thanksgiving dinner. Take ten good clean potatoes, as round as possible, two vegetable dishes and two tablespoons Place the potatoes in two parallel rows of five each, three feet apart, leaving a broad space between the rows. Place a vegetable dish at the head of each row. Divide the company into two squads and equip each leader with a spoon. Appoint a timekeeper to keep tally.

When time is called, each leader darts down his respective line, the object being to gather up the potatoes, one at a time, on the spoon, without touching them with the hands, and to carry them to the dish and place them in it.

The one who finishes first wins the prize, and the next in line gets the spoon. By the time that all have gone through the experience considerable hilarity has developed and all have a voice in the fun.

Couldn't Stand Prosperity.

Little Turkey—Mamma, where has pap gone? He seemed so happy because he was being fed so much and so well taken care of.

Mrs Turkey—Your papa lost his head like many others who receive unexpected attention. Baltimore American.

Thanksgiving Menu.

A menu for Thanksgiving day where something more is desired than the traditional turkey and "fixin's" is as follows:

Oysters on the Half Shell.
Celery. Olives. Salted Almonds.
White Mushroom Soup.
Roast Turkey, Giblet Sauce.
Cranberry Jelly
Chicken Pie. Oyster Patties.
Squash. Lettuce Salad. Mashed Potatoes.
Pumpkin Pie. Mince Pie
Fruit. Crackers and Cheese Coffee.

A THANKSGIVING FABLE.

Turkey and Eagle Discuss the National Bird Question.

A merry young turkey was asked one day by a baldheaded eagle why he cared to let himself be fooled by being fatted up for a Thanksgiving dinner to make a dish for all the greedy mouths that could afford to get a slice of him.

"I," said the eagle, "am the king of birds. I am the terror of the Alleghanies and the Rockies, and I defy the greedy appetite of your masters. I am all wool and a yard wide. I'm the great American eagle! Whoop la!"

"Ah," said the turkey benignly as he cast a pitying look upon his proud and scornful critic, "you are not civilized yet, and so you don't know what you are talking about. You are as wild and untutored as the savage Indian and, like him, must delve and fight and struggle for your miserable existence, while I have more food thrown down at my feet than I can swallow.

"Then, again, poor devil, you have to sleep in some cold and dismal cranny in the rocks, while I have always a warm and comfortable lodging provided for me. I have nothing to do but strut around and enjoy life, and the more food I eat the better my master likes it. Out of all your life of freedom you do not have as many hours of ease and solid comfort as I do in my brief career.

"Leave it to a turkey to know what's what. I don't want to be any emblem of freedom. My respects to you, but I've got a snap, and I know it. A short life and a merry one is my motto, and I want no more sincere respect than is shown to me when I am well cooked and dished up for a Thanksgiving dinner. What could be more glorious, indeed, than to die as the apotheosis of a great nation's gratitude?

"Go to your eyrie, old eagle, for I am the greater bird of the two."

"Yes, when you are fatted up to eat," replied the eagle sarcastically, by way of a farewell thrust, as he swung into his customary gait and rolled away over the barn to escape the bullet from the farmer's rifle.—Washington Post.

THANKSGIVING TURKEY.

A Delicious Way to Prepare It Boiled and Baked.

Select a plump hen turkey weighing 10 or 12 pounds. Singe, draw and wash it. Prepare the following dressing: Put into a bowl one quart of grated stale bread and a cup of cream or milk. Add to this a teaspoonful of chopped parsley, a half teaspoonful of pepper, a level tablespoonful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of finely chopped onions, four tablespoonfuls of butter and two well beaten eggs. Mix well together and add a pint of whole oysters. Stuff the crop and body of turkey, but not too solidly. Make a paste of flour and water of a consistency to roll out easily. Roll out into a good sized sheet, take the turkey that has been stuffed and well tied into shape and cover it with this paste, and then sew into a cheesecloth.

Put this into a kettle, just cover it with water and smother it for two hours, not allowing it to come to the boil Do this in the early morning. Then set it off the stove and leave it in the water until entirely cold. Then take the turkey out of its blanket, gently rub the paste off and rub the whole surface with butter, pepper and salt. Place the turkey on its back in a pan and put in a cup of hot water. Then put into a fairly hot oven and roast for about 1½ hours or until it is a rich tender brown. Baste continually. A wineglass of wine added to the water in which it is baked gives a delicious flavor.

Old Time Thanksgiving Dinners.

A Thanksgiving dinner some 35 or 40 years ago would in all probability have consisted of the following dishes: Roast turkey, with rich gravy or sauce; chicken pie, cold roast pig, mashed potatoes and turnips, boiled onions, cranberry sauce, pumpkin pie, mince pie, baked Indian pudding, cider and coffee. Sometimes oysters would be added to the list of dishes, but in the interior section of the country these were not easy to procure, and it was the same with celery. It was not an unusual thing for the boys of the family to travel 25 miles to procure celery for the Thanksgiving dinner. Nuts, raisins and fruit were generally reserved for the evening, the midday diners concerning themselves for the most part with the more substantial turkey and "fixin's" so termed.

Thanksgiving In Our Islands.

Thanksgiving day under the genial influence of the American flag will be celebrated in many different degrees of latitude and longitude this year. In the Philippines, in Hawaii, in Cuba and Porto Rico the day will be observed with the fullest honors.

Last year there was a dearth of turkeys in "our new possessions," but arrangements have been made to avoid such a dearth this year as far as possible, and large consignments of them have been shipped to Manila and Cuba

Giblet Sauce.

Giblet sauce should always be served with roast turkey. Boil the giblets until tender. Chop them, but not very fine. Add a tablespoonful of flour to the pan in which the turkey was roasted Let it brown, stirring constantly. Add slowly a cupful of water in which the giblets were boiled. Season with salt and pepper Strain and add the chopped giblets. Serve in a sauceboat.

Thanksgiving Dance.

The drumstick figure is especially appropriate for the Thanksgiving dance. Tiny drums are handed the ladies and the drumsticks given the men. Each man selects his partner by executing a vigorous tapping on the drum suspended about the fair neck. Then the dancing is done to military music and ceases at the sound of the bugle call.

AN OLD TIME FEAST.

THE FIRST THANKSGIVING IN PLYMOUTH COLONY.

Miles Standish and John Alden Greet Massasoit and His Braves—Viands With Which They Were Regaled. Roast Pig and Saccotash.

A background of woods, all flushed with many hues, a canopy of white drifting sky with here and there a bright blue spot, bring to the mind an idea of the day and the surroundings amid which our brave Plymouth sires founded our day of Thanksgiving.

Before the summer tresses of trees have fully gone in a small clearing of the somber woods two snowy tables are spread. At the left is a log house with one large chimney, from which issues, into the clear autumn air, a cloud of smoke. The fair faced Puritan women are hurrying in and out, preparing for the feast. At a little distance the governor, elder and captain of the colony are eagerly talking and at short intervals peering into the surrounding woods in anticipation of the arrival of Massasoit and his braves. Here also is John Alden, "that fair Saxon stripling, who, peering through the shadows of the forest boughs, sees, at some distance still, a thin, dark line, which, growing each moment more certain in outline, tells of the approach of the Indian warriors."

At this moment Miles Standish calls, "Are they yet in sight, my friend?"

"Almost within speaking distance, captain," and with this reply John Alden enters the kitchen.

"Good day, John Alden," says a fresh young voice, and he, looking eagerly in the direction from which it comes, sees a dear face all smiling in its happiness.

"Is it not well that we have such a fair day?" Priscilla further asks before the mantle of shyness has quite left him. At this moment the Indians, headed by Massasoit, entered the clearing and were greeted by the governor. "Welcome, friends; welcome!" he said in a hearty, jovial voice and led them directly to the table.

The men of Plymouth colony had invited these guests for a friendly concourse and combined with this plan the harvest feast. Delicate appetites were in those times rather a defect than a grace, and hospitality consisted in providing great quantities and many varieties of food. Realizing this fact, the good women of Plymouth had prepared accordingly. The harvest had been abundant, and the result was a goodly feast. Plenty of dishes of pewter and wood lined the table, and by each lay a napkin and spoon, but neither knives nor forks, for these were regarded as curious implements of extreme luxury. Massasoit sat next to the excellent elder at the table with the colonists, while the men of his tribe sat, at a little distance, beside the other table.

What a feast greeted the eyes of the guests! Chowder and roasted pig in plenty, succeeded by a mighty dish of succotash, that compound of dried beans, hulled corn, salted beef, pork and chicken, may be called the charter dish of Plymouth; then came wild fowl dressed in various ways, a great bowl of salad of Priscilla's composition and at last various sweet dishes, all deliciously prepared and how strangely new to the Indians!

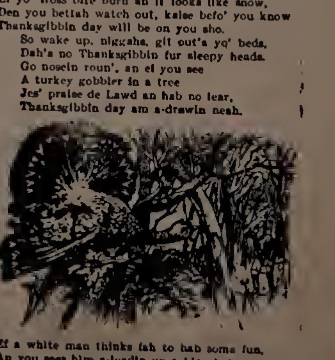
After Elder Brewster had said a blessing all began the meal. It was a beautiful sight. The bright, pure sun shone on all—the women coming from the cookroom laden with steaming dishes, the Puritan elders extending hospitality, the Indians, friends of the white men and native owners of the soil, enjoying their new surroundings. All are happy in the pleasure of friendship and rich in this, the first harvest of Plymouth, which God had endowed.

In gazing through the mist which envelops the time intervening between that first Thanksgiving day and this Thanksgiving day we see again those brave and loyal hearted men in the dusk of that primeval forest bidding good night to their sworn allies, Massasoit and his followers. We follow them until they pass through the woods and fade from sight amid the distant hills.

Again in retrospection the faces of those serene and glorious men and women appear to us in all their simple grandeur. Notwithstanding the sufferings that they experienced the preceding winter, these founders of our ever growing land chose a day which was filled with thanksgiving to God for having brought them through the shadows to this bright harvest day.

Thanksgibbin Am Creepin Roun'.

In de fall ob de year, when de leabes turn brown,
An drap fum de trees till dey kiver up de groun'
An de ripe persimmuns come a-patterin down,
Ef yo' frost bite burn an it looks like snow,
Den you bettah watch out, kase befo' you know
Thanksgibbin day will be on you sho.
So wake up, niggahs, git out'a yo' beds,
Dah's no Thanksgibbin fur sleepy heads.
Go nosein roun', an ef you see
A turkey gobbler in a tree
Jes' praise de Lawd an hab no fear,
Thanksgibbin day am a-drawin neah.



Ef a white man thinks fah to hab some fun,
An you sees him a-loadin up a big shotgun,
Den stay awake, niggah, when yo' day's work's done,
Keep 'way fum dat turkey wid all yo' might
An lay aroun' loose till a rainy night,
Den 'arley in de mawnin, befo' hit gits light,
Jes' kotch dat gobbler by de feet
An say, "Come heah, my turkey meat!"
Doan be a-fear'd, but bear in min'
Dey's mighty skeace an hard to fin';
Jes' shet yo' eyes an pull him down,
Thanksgibbin day am a-creepin roun'.
—Philadelphia Press.

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Trouble About the Shirt Waist.

The men have not had since the "pigs in clover" puzzle so absorbing a subject for thought as the shirt waist problem. We mean of course the male shirt waist. Says the Chicago Post in its strugglings for the light: "The proposition to put men in shirt waists cannot be seriously considered until we know exactly how we are going to dispose of that obstacle at the waist line. We have seen the football player

" 'Where the shirt and trousers meet,
Standing with reluctant feet,'

but while this may do very well for football it will hardly serve the purpose for dress parade. The physical conformation of the ladies enables them to retain the graceful swing and hang of their skirts, but a man's trousers must be buoyed up by adventitious aid. We could not think of wearing our suspenders over our shirt waists, and our present style of belts surmounted by a row of trouser buttons would be a hideous innovation. To meet the exigency therefore, we must employ pads in defiance of nature's distinctions, or safety pins, which are somewhat subversive of our manly dignity. There may be other ways of getting around this difficulty, and we hope the interested parties will give the subject the prayerful consideration its importance merits. We have no hesitation in saying that the inventor who points out the way of uniting the shirt waist and the trousers, harmoniously to the eye and agreeably to the abdominal muscles, will lay the foundation of a colossal fortune."

Points About Storms.

Cyclones or general storms may be 1,000 miles in diameter. Hurricanes operate on a path averaging 600 to 800 miles wide. Tornadoes are very much smaller. They may be only a mile wide at the top and but a few feet at the bottom, but they are much more dangerous than either a cyclone or a hurricane. They form in all parts of the temperate zone—at sea they are waterspouts, and on the desert they are sand storms. Sometimes, says a scientific authority, a whole family of tornadoes will be born at once from the same cloud. As many as 15 tubes have been observed at one time. In winter months tornadoes occur only in the gulf states, but in summer they occur in the north, in Nebraska, South Dakota, Iowa and Minnesota. The average is 25 a year. They are simple examples of vortex motion. A mass of air rotating at a low level runs into a vortex, and a tube is projected downward. The velocity of the lower end of the tube may reach 200 miles an hour, and it is the partial vacuum caused by the whirl and the sudden inrush of the outside air that causes the disastrous explosive effects.

The young men of to-day are too finicky—too much given to self-analysis, too self-pampering. Their shoes and neckties cost more each year than did the entire wardrobe of their grandfathers. They feel a sense of degradation in small beginnings and plodding and they wait for success ready-made to come to them. The young man of to-day wants capital. Trusts and combines and corporations distress him. He cannot be president of a bank or judge of a court the first week he is from school, and he feels, like the famous Eli Pussley, that he has "no chance."

The board of county commissioners of Wichita county, Kan., has just abolished the poorhouse, there being no more paupers in the county. One old soldier is the only dependent person in the county, and he is being cared for by regular subscription, so the county may be said to be pauperless. Ten years ago there were over 500 paupers in Wichita county.

STRENGTH—WEAKNESS.

The strong man and the weak woman. The sturdy oak and the clinging vine. Women to-day do not expect to be carried around like children. They have serious work to do—hard wark—and they must be fitted for it. The ideal medicine to build up weak women is Smith's Green Mountain Renovator, because it is made in Vermont of pure, wholesome herbs, redolent of the fragrant woods, the green hills and the bracing air. These herbs are so combined as to assist Nature in restoring Strength.

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Jos. D. Cowns, Ludlow, Mass.

RULINGS OF THE COURT.

The right of a city to discharge a sewer into a tailrace belonging to an individual, where it runs through a culvert under a highway, is denied in Nevins vs. Fitchburg (Mass.), 47 L. R. A., 312.

A policy of insurance against loss or damage by windstorms, cyclones or tornadoes is held, in Holmes vs. Phoenix Insurance company (C. C. A. eighth C.), 47 L. R. A., 308, not to cover damage by hail.

Failure to enact or enforce an ordinance prohibiting the riding of bicycles on sidewalks is held, in Jones versus Williamsburg (Va.), 47 L. R. A. 294, insufficient to make a municipality liable for injury to a person struck by a bicycle ridden on the sidewalk.

A breach of promise of marriage is held in Sanders versus Coleman (Va.), 47 L. R. A. 581, to be excused when, without any fault on his part, the prospective husband has developed a grave malady of such character that marriage might endanger his life or health.

A state hospital created for purely governmental purposes under the exclusive ownership and control of the state is held, in Main versus Eastern hospital (Va.), 47 L. R. A. 577, to be not liable for injury to an inmate by negligence of the persons in charge.

The right of a telephone company to string wires in a highway is held in Wyant versus Central Telephone company (Mich.), 47 L. R. A. 497, to include the right to do the necessary trimming of trees in the highway in a proper manner, without first giving the landowner an opportunity to do it.

An infant who has bought a bicycle on the installment plan is held, in Rice versus Butler (N. Y.), 47 L. R. A. 303, to be under obligation to account for its use and for deterioration in its value while in his possession, if he rescinds the purchase. The disaffirmance of a conveyance by an infant is upheld, in Bullock versus Sprowls (Tex.), 47 L. R. A. 326, without restoring the consideration received for the property, when it is not in his possession or control upon arriving at full age, but has been dissipated by him while still a minor.

PITHY AND POINTED.

A young man may die but an old man must.

Continued cheerfulness is a manifest sign of wisdom.

Maids of honor are those who do not indulge in flirtations.

From the mother's point of view an ugly baby is an impossibility.

The woman question for centuries has been: "What did she have on?"

It is no credit to a man to keep his word because no one will take it.

When ghosts walk they probably enter houses with the aid of skeleton keys.

It may not hurt a joke to crack it but some of the crackers ought to be hurt.

"Love is but a transport," says a poet. Yes, and so is a canal boat, for that matter.

A lady who has been a widow three times says a good place to get a husband is by the ear.

Only after a public favorite becomes a "has-been" does he begin to realize the emptiness of applause.

Wise is the man who does of his own free will that which he would otherwise shortly be compelled to do.

It is related of Midas that whatever he touched turned to gold; nowadays if you but touch some men with gold they will turn to anything.—Chicago Daily News.

Swindled Again.

"By gum!" said Uncle Ezra, "I ain't goin' to answer another advertisement as long as I live. I just sent 50 cents to a feller down in Connecticut that put a piece in the paper sayin' he had a receipt to prevent drowndin'."

"And didn't he have it?"

"Yes. The blamed, cheatin' whelp wrote back to keep away from the water!"—Chicago Times-Herald.

Made the Case More Suspicious.

Magistrate—So you claim that this handkerchief, which was found in your servant's possession, is your property?

Complainant—Yes, sir.

Magistrate—But handkerchiefs are a good deal alike. Look at mine, for instance. It's just like yours.

Complainant—Certainly; but I've had two handkerchiefs stolen from me lately!—Der Floh.

Poverty.

"Poverty is no crime," they say,
And maybe it is true.
But if it were not, possibly,
Some might much better do
For if it were a grave offense
The houseless poor, ill-fed,
In comfortable jails might find
Home, clothes and food and bread.
Detroit Free Press.

A Girl to Avoid.

Emeline—I had to drop my correspondence with Clementine.

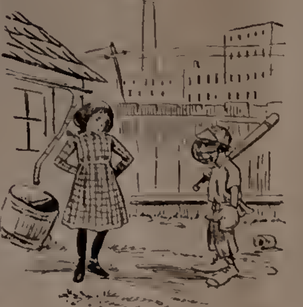
Emeline—Wasn't she a true friend?

Emeline—Yes; but every letter I got from her started me on some new and expensive fad.—Detroit Free Press.

Anticipation.

From To-morrow much sorrow we borrow
To add to our store of To-day,
And belief in our grief is the e'er constant thief
That steals all our comfort away.
—Puck

ONE OF THE FINEST.



Gladys—What's dat cage on yer face fer?

Arunah—Cage? Why, ter keep out fowls, see?—Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune

Scrofula

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FOREIGN BREVITIES.

Nearly £300,000 worth of articles are pawned in London weekly.

More living fish are sold in Berlin than in any other market in the world.

More than 100,000,000 Chinese, it is said, are engaged, either directly or indirectly, in the tea industry.

On a recent scientific test, a worker in metals succeeded in drawing an English penny out into 5,700 feet of wire.

Westhofen, Germany, enforces an old ordinance which forbids anyone walking in the street with a lighted cigar.

The beds of the immense coal fields lately discovered in Zululand extend downward for 45 feet in places, and the coal is of good quality.

He Was Better Off.

"When I rejected you the other day," she began with affected sweet confusion, "I did not—"

"You did not know I was wealthy," he interrupted, coldly.

"Not at all. I knew you were well off, but—"

"I didn't know when I was, or I shouldn't have proposed to you."

Her confusion then was not affected, neither was it sweet.—Philadelphia Press.

Thoughtful.

"No," said the lady prisoner, "I cannot show you the bottle in which I carried the vitriol, as it was broken in the affray, but before I used it I had it photographed. I will give you one of the pictures at once!"

Such thoughtful appreciation of the demands of journalism was sure to raise in behalf of the accused a powerful influence not to be ignored.—Indianapolis Press.

Envious Admiration.

When Mandy gits a little riled I listen by the hour.
In steady admiration of her oratoric power
Ef I'd her gift of language, lofty heights I'd surely reach,
Cause I wouldn't git stage-frightened every time I made a speech
--Washington Star

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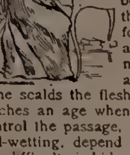

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

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PROMINENT PEOPLE.

The Wichita Eagle says Ingalls was the only man in Kansas who never ate dinner in his shirt sleeves.

Few men of his age are so agile and athletic as Secretary Hay. He is past 60 but still indulges in all sorts of exercises, including a fast walk every afternoon. Every morning at seven oclock he undergoes massage treatment at the hands of a skilled Swedish operator.

Booker T. Washington has accepted the position of chief of the negro department of the South Carolina Interstate and West Indian exposition. The building of Mr. Washington's department will be designed by a colored architect and will be constructed by colored mechanics.

Powers, the Kentuckian convicted of complicity in the murder of Goebel may be excused if he put some faith in the idea that 13 is an unlucky number. He was nominated for office June 13, 1899; arraigned July 13, 1900 as one of 13 conspirators named; was defended by 13 lawyers; his sweetheart was the thirteenth witness; the evidence showed that 1,300 soldiers were ready to defend him; he gave Culton $1,300 to pay the expenses of the mountaineers; he took $1,300 with him when he fled; the evidence closed August 13.

Small Horses Best.

The experience of the British in South Africa is said to have demonstrated the superiority of small horses to the larger as draft animals in the field of hostilities. They can go longer without food, it is said, can do just as much good work and make a smaller target for the enemy.

A Village Blacksmith Saved His Little Son's Life.

Mr. H. H. Black, the well-known village blacksmith at Grahamsville, Sullivan Co., N. Y., says: "Our little son, five years old, has always been subject to croup, and so bad have the attacks been that we have feared many times that he would die. We have had the doctor and used many medicines, but Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is now our sole reliance. It seems to dissolve the tough mucus and by giving frequent doses when the croupy symptoms appear we have found that the dreaded croup is cured before it gets settled." There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains no opium or other injurious drug, and may be given as confidently to a babe as to an adult. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2.65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit. The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save. If your druggist can't supply you, it will be forwarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

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Guarantee Fund		[illegible],217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 93
Interest Account		4,097 82
Real Estate Income Account		[illegible] 78
		$598,672 44

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$87,071 28
Bank Stock		27,[illegible] 32
Railroad Bonds		[illegible] 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,01[illegible]
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		8,075 00
" " Mortgages		157,700 00
" " Personal Securities		171,269 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		522 22
Tax Account		[illegible] 73
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits in:		
Franklin National Bank	$3,028 14	
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Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		4,41[illegible] 25
Cash on hand		741 27
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MARY JANE'S THIEF.

Miss Mary Jane Simpkins, for such was her whole name, although none of her neighbors or friends ever gave her the benefit of the latter, was near her fortieth birthday, and did not look to be a day over 30. She had, many years before, her love affair, followed by a misunderstanding, the reason of which was so securely locked in her breast that, although many had been the conjectures in regard to it, yet no one surmised the exact truth concerning the lovers' quarrel.

They knew that big, handsome Sam Hopkins had gone away suddenly, that he had never returned to claim the bride they had expected him to take, and that was all they knew.

They readily imagined that it was through no fault of his that their favorite was left a spinster, but what her reason for putting him out of her life had been they neither knew nor could they find out. So far as Mary Jane was concerned, she never as much as intimated that Sam had not gone away of his own accord, glad to escape the bonds of matrimony.

Short and plump, with kindly face, and good-natured as the day was long, she was regarded by many as still in the matrimonial market, partly on account of her attractive home and bank account as well as her genial, cheery personality, which had won for her a legion of friends as well as many would-be suitors, none of whom, however, had replaced the old love.

As time slipped by her village friends had almost forgotten the existence of Sam Hopkinson, her beau of more youthful days, who had, to everyone's surprise, Miss Mary Jane excepted, suddenly left for parts unknown, but who had been heard of by chance some few years ago as having made a snug little pile in Australia. "An old maid from choice, not necessity," was what her friends said of her, and when several of the town's most eligible young men had tried to "make up" to her she had been friendly but kept them at arm's length.

On one particular afternoon she had sent her neat little maid servant with some jelly and a freshly killed chicken to a sick neighbor, some half a mile away, and sat among the geraniums in the sunny bay window upstairs mending some table linen. The sound of footsteps on the front graveled walk made her pause to listen; then some one knocked and at the same time stealthily turned the knob of the screen door and stepped in.

Only last week the big house on the hill had been visited by a burglar, who had departed as quietly as he came with some old family plate and several valuable pieces of jewelry. What if this were the same thief, emboldened by his former success, to pay her home a visit in broad daylight, with the hopes of similar plunder. Not if a woman's prompt action and courage could prevent, thought Miss Mary Jane. So hastily opening a bureau drawer and picking up a revolver, both old-fashioned and unloaded, which had lain there many years, she crept swiftly downstairs, where with his back turned toward her stood a strapping big fellow, who turned as she reached him, and, taken by surprise, stepped quietly backward toward the door of the closet located under the stairs and then attempted to pass her.

Summoning all her courage and pointing her weapon of defense at his head, she cried: "Open that closet door if you value your life," whereupon the impudent fellow exclaimed: "Why, Miss Mary Jane!"

"Don't Mary Jane me," she shouted, "but open that door," now thoroughly courageous with righteous anger at the fellow's bold insolence. As he turned and opened the door she gave him one push, shut the closet door with a bang, at the same time turning the key with a dexterity surprising even to herself.

Thank heaven, she had him good and fast, and now needed the assistance only of some passerby to take her prisoner bodily. His voice reached her but indistinctly through the heavy door, but she could hear her name in muffled tones: "Miss Mary Jane, Miss Mary Jane, open the door." Not much, but how manage to summon aid? The large brass dinner bell, used in her father's day, would be the thing, and in a moment she had seized the heavy thing, and with the revolver still clutched in the other hand, rung the bell first at one window, then another; surely some one would hear and come to her rescue, and as the seconds dragged along for what seemed hours, but was in reality only a few minutes, and she saw some one coming across Neighbor Smith's lawn, she rang harder and louder. What if her prisoner should burst the door and escape? "Come quicker," she shouted, "come quicker, and take him away." By this time Jonas Smith had reached the kitchen door, followed by several more neighbors who had also become aware of something unusual in the noise and commotion.

"Take who away?" said Jonas, adding, "you had better take that firearm away or you will be shooting yourself or one of us."

"Burglar, entry closet," gasped Mary Jane, and handing him the revolver collapsed on the kitchen steps without another word of explanation.

Muttering something about "noise enough for a fire," he trudged in, followed by the rest, and arming himself on the way with the kitchen poker besides the revolver, he made straight for the entry closet.

"Stand around," he shouted, with an air of military command. "You, Deacon Adams, unlock the door, and you, Seth Fisher, open it, while the rest be ready to seize and hold the rascal."

No sooner said than done, and in less time than it takes to tell five pairs of hands seized the occupant of the closet, although, strange to say, he made no resistance, but exclaimed: "A nice way to welcome home an old friend, threaten to shoot him, lock him up, and then when nearly suffocated liberate him in this playful manner; don't you know me, boys?" as he met their look of blank amazement.

"Why, if it ain't Sam," shouted Jonas, absently extending first the revolver and then the poker for a friendly handshake and then flourishing them both at the rest of the crowd.

"Why, so it is," exclaimed Seth, and by this time Mary Jane, having recovered her breath and hearing the conversation, nearly fainted when she realized her mistake.

After mutual explanations and the rescuing party had at last departed Mary Jane and Sam, for he it was, though much changed by additional flesh and a heavy beard, sat down in the best room to talk it over and explain, she that her inhospitality was due to his own manner of call, and he to tell of his desire to see her first and have his first welcome from his old "sweetheart," besides the fun of surprising her.

The following month a quiet wedding took place, at which Mary Jane made a smiling, happy bride, remarking after the ceremony to the proud Sam: "Well, perhaps you don't think 'surprises' are so funny after all, but it isn't every woman who can capture a burglar, even if he had stolen her heart."—Boston Post.

A monthly German periodical is issued in Japan.

Fines of 50 pfennings (12 cents) are collected by tramway conductors of Frankfort, Germany, for any dirt carried into a car.

At Hambourg, Germany, the manager of the Grand hotel recently made a 25-mark ($8.95) monthly charge to each guest who chanced to be late at meals.

Germany had 11,013 suicides in 1897, a rate of 21 to 100,000 inhabitants. The rate for Prussia alone is 20, that for the province of Saxony 32 and for Schleswig-Holstein 33, while in Catholic and Polish Posen it is only eight. For Berlin the rate was 34.

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The lock step has been abolished at Sing Sing prison, and now the prisoners are marched about in their companies in double file.

A Japanese Christian minister, writing of the divorces in Japan during a recent year, says there were 358,389 marriages and 116,775 divorces.

The Danish West Indies have issued a new stamp, of a new design and differing only slightly from the regular issue of Denmark. The color is green.

A large department store in New York has what is termed an "Automobile annex," where vehicles are shown, and an Otto gas engine belted to a dynamo serves to charge vehicles which may be brought to the annex for that purpose.

The winter and early spring are usually considered the best months to visit Sicily, but a German author declares that Taormina and Aetna are really at their best in May, June and July.

A plague of toads has descended on several places in the vicinity of New York, but Hawthorne and Paterson, N. J., are the most afflicted, or say the most about it. A lawyer who wheels between his home and office in the two places respectively says that he kills thousands of them every morning. The council is considering what best can be done to mitigate the evil.

A collection of postal cards is easier to make than one of stamps, for several reasons. One is that postal cards date back 30 years, while stamps were issued as early as 1840. Another reason is that there is generally but one kind of postal card in each issue, whereas there is hardly ever less than ten stamps in a series. Then again, there have been very few changes in postal cards as compared with stamps.

SAYINGS OF CHILDREN.

Aunt Mary—"Now, candidly, Margie, don't you think you have eaten enough pudding?" Margie (aged four)—"Well, I may think so, Aunt Mary, but I don't feel so."

"Mamma," said little Johnny at the breakfast table the other morning, "this is awful old butter, isn't it?" "Why do you think it is old, dear?" asked his mother. "'Cause," replied Johnny, "I just found a gray hair in it."

"Mamma," said three-year-old Flossie, "I guess you don't know much about raising children, do you?" "Why do you think that?" asked her mother. "Because," replied the little miss, "you always send me to bed when I'm not sleepy and make me get up when I am sleepy."

A little schoolgirl was told by her teacher to write the word "ferment" on her slate, together with the definition and a sentence in which the word was to be used. The following is the result: "F-e-r-m-e-n-t; a verb, signifying to work. I love to do all kinds of fancy ferment."

"Mamma," said four-year-old Bobby, "what is that white stuff on my berries?" "That is what we call whipped cream," answered his mother. A few days later Bobby dined at a neighbor's and, being offered some ordinary cream, he asked: "Haven't you folks got any spanked cream?"

"Mamma," said small Harry after glancing over his Sunday school lesson, "I don't believe Solomon was half so rich as they say he was." "Why not, my dear?" queried his mother. "Because," replied the youthful student, "it says here: 'And be slept with his fathers.' If he had been very rich I guess he would have had a bed of his own."—Chicago Daily News.

TIMELY TOPICS.

The city of Newark, N. J., is planning a state industrial exposition to be held in their city in 1902.

Calculated at the price paid by the private consumer in Paris, the gas burnt daily at the Paris exposition costs about £50.

A new fruit now on exhibition at the headquarters of the Royal Horticultural society, London, is called the mahdi. It is a cross between the raspberry and blackberry.

It is officially estimated that the wheat crop of India is 184,000,000 bushels, against 238,000,000 bushels last season and 227,000,000 bushels the average of five years past.

This has been a record-breaking year for the California orange crop. The yield will, it is thought, be about 4,500,000 boxes, or 14,500 carloads. The total investment in California orange groves now amounts to $44,000,000.

The French patent law requires that a patentee should work his patent in the country within a specified time. The mere fact of exhibiting a patent at the present exposition, however, will be looked upon as fulfilling this requirement.

A new first-of-the-century hot weather ailment has whirled into existence. It is electro-fanitis. Perhaps you have got it, as no class is immune. It is a sneezing, coughing cold in the head caused by the germ-laden breezes of the electric fan. It is almost epidemic.

AUTOMOBILE NOTES.

The sultan of Turkey has taken to the automobile, and is so pleased with it that he has decorated the inventor of the make he uses.

The young duke of Manchester has distanced all the members of the English nobility who possess automobiles by appearing in a horseless carriage painted a vivid yellow color.

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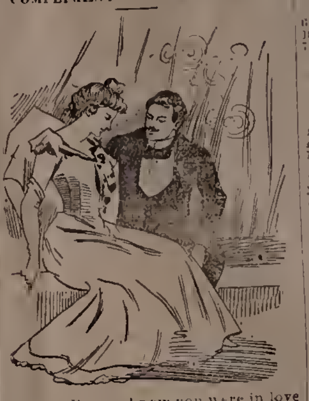

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WRENTHAM.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar White celebrated their wedding anniversary by giving a party.——The straw hat factory of Daniel Brown will shut down for three days next week for piping.——Miss Florence A. Fisher officiated as organist at the Congregational church on Sunday.——W. F. Maintein and Elbridge J. Whitaker Esq., returned home Saturday after a two week's hunting trip in Maine. Maintein brought home with him two bucks, which weighed when dressed 150 pounds each, and Whitaker brought back a buck and doe.——The first rehearsal of the "Mock Trial," which the Odd Fellows are to present in the Town hall in December, was held Saturday night at the residence of Miss M. A. Smith.——The Walpole-Andover game of football to be held on Cobb's field, will draw out a large attendance from this town.——Frank E. Shepard sang at the Congregationalist church Sunday morning.——The new lights for Odd Fellows' hall were put in place last week, but before they could be lighted the whole chandelier fell with a dull thud, and the thing was a total wreck. Had the accident happened when the lamps were lighted nothing could have saved the building from being destroyed by fire.——The continued sale of the grocery stock of F. P. Redding will be held this week until disposed of.

His Only Good Points.

"I wonder," remarked the visitor at the dog show, "why that prize bulldog over there shows his teeth all the time."

"It's all he's got to show ma'am." replied the man whose dog didn't get the prize.—Chicago Tribune.

And Willie Knew.

Little Willie—Pa, is ma a microbe?

Mr. Henpeck—Why, no, Willie. What makes you ask such a question?

Little Willie—Well, the teacher told us that baldness was caused by a microbe.—Baltimore American.

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A Yorkshire vicar tells how he once received the following note from one of his parishioners: "This is to give notice that I and Miss Jemima Brearley are coming to your church on Saturday afternoon next to undergo the operation of matrimony at your hands. Please be prompt, as the cab is hired by the hour. Forewarned is forearmed."—Tit-Bits.

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STAMPS AND POSTAL CARDS.

The amount received by the United States government from the sale of postage stamps, etc., for the fiscal year ending June [illegible], exceeded $[illegible]. This is $[illegible] in excess of any previous year.

An Amsterdam daily paper says that the new colonial Dutch stamps, the New Netherlands set, merely surcharged with the colony and value are only provisionals and will be replaced at a very early date by definitive full sets for each colony as they have had them heretofore.

It is said by English dealers that a complete set of Transvaal stamps would cost $5[illegible], for there has been a great variety issued. Some of the old Transvaal stamps of the British regime of 1877-[illegible], and of the first republic, now fetch from $100 to $250. The Orange Free State offers no such number or variety.

The picture postal card has now been fairly introduced into this country, and in a short time may be expected to become a craze. It is said that in New York alone there are a dozen publishers issuing regular lines of decorated cards. As may be imagined, most of the views are of New York and its vicinity, but the rest of the country has not been neglected.

Siam has ordered an entirely new set of postage stamps at London and we will probably hear about its being placed in the distributing offices within a short time. The portrait of King Chula-Long-Korn will be a profile instead of the three-quarter face we have seen for so long a time and the colors will comply with the schedule accepted by the Universal Postal union at the postal congress in Washington.

Stamp news from Brazil partakes of a humorous character. A circular of the postal administration displayed in every post office announces to the public that hereafter the newspaper and postage due stamps will not be gummed, because the gumming machine does not work satisfactorily or fast enough. As the public does not use either postage due or newspaper stamps, it is difficult to understand why the information is given out.

Better.

"You contend that oleomargarine is just as good as butter, don't you?"

"It's better," answered the dealer without hesitation. "It pays several times the profit."—Washington Star.

Quite the Proper Thing.

Nell—Why is Madge wearing half mourning now?

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"Now that you have given your consent," he said, "I suppose I ought to speak to your father."

"On the contrary," she replied, "you'd better speak to my mother."

"But that's unusual," he suggested.

"True," she answered, "but papa married a wise heiress who has kept the title to her own property."—Chicago Post.

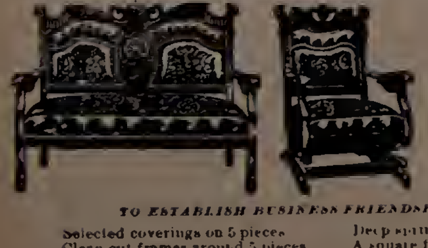
Not a Hater of Wealth.

"A great many people dislike that political associate of yours."

"For what reason?"

"Well, so far as I can see, it is simply because he is an enormously rich man."

"I thought so," answered Senator Sorghum. "And that being the case, I must say I love him for the enemies he



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Just as the judge was about to put the usual question the clerk leaned over and said "Don't."

"Don't what?" asked the judge.

"You were about to ask him if he had anything to say before sentence was passed upon him, were you not?"

"Certainly. That is customary."

"Of course, it's customary," admitted the clerk, "but don't do it. I happen to know that he is a political spellbinder, and with a big docket of cases demanding attention the time of this court is of considerable value." —Chicago Post.

Quite Enough.

Weary Willie—What would I do if I hed a million a year? Why, I'd spend it of course.

Rev. Dobetter—But how?

Weary Willie—Oh, in a thousand ways. In de first place, I should git married, an'—

Rev. Dobetter—You needn't mention the other nine hundred and ninety-nine. That would settle it.—Judge.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Lawrence McGinnis of Medway to Margaret H. Kenney of said Medway, dated August 8th, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 744, page 522, will be sold at public auction, upon the premises, on

MONDAY, the SEVENTEENTH day of DECEMBER, 1900,

at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely, three certain parcels of land situated on Village street, in said Medway, and bounded as follows

The first lot southerly by said Village street, easterly on land late of Edward Eaton, now Medway Savings Bank, northerly on land of E. E. Carpenter, westerly on land of grantor, containing five acres and three-fourths, more or less.

The second lot situated opposite and bounded northerly on Village street, southwesterly by Charles River and easterly on land of Mrs. A. H. Clark and another.

The third lot is the grantor's homestead, bounded southerly on land of Peter Foley and Village street, easterly on lot first described above, northerly on woodland of W. A. Jenckes and westerly on land of Ellen McGill and Peter Foley, containing eight acres, more or less, being the same as lands described in the following deeds recorded in the Norfolk Registry to A. P. Phillips, book 398, page 315; to grantor, book 300, page 185, book 313, page 188 book 366, page 88, except a small piece conveyed to Peter Foley.

Excepting what was released from the grantor's homestead estated seventy feet on Village street and one hundred and fifty feet deep as per mortgage from John Boudo to Medway Savings Bank; excepting and reserving from the operation of this mortgage eight acres since released, described above as lot No. 3.

Terms of said sale will be made public at the time and place of sale.

GEORGE HART,
Assignee of said mortgage.

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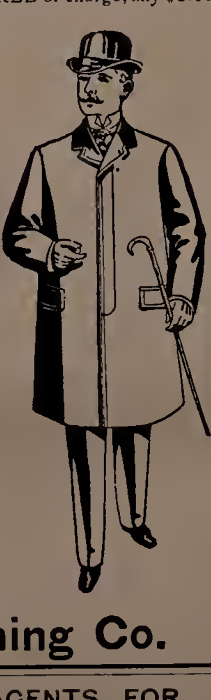

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Mortgagee's Sale
—OF—
REAL ESTATE
In Franklin, Mass.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Samuel N. Fiske and his wife, Lizzie M. Fiske, in her own right, to the Dean Co-Operative Bank, dated the third day of July, A. D. 1893, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 696, folio 537, and to foreclose said mortgage for breach of the conditions thereof, will be sold at public auction, on the premises hereinafter described, on

WEDNESDAY, the NINETEENTH day of DECEMBER, A. D. 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:

A certain piece or parcel of land, with all the buildings thereon, situated on the southerly side of Crescent street, in Franklin, in the county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the granted premises on said street at land of Lavina L. Pitts; and thence running southerly and bounding westerly on said land of said Pitts one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet, more or less, to land of Alfred C. Dana; thence easterly and bounding southerly on said land of said Alfred C. Dana seventy-four (74) feet; thence northerly and bounding easterly by land of Gregory A. Martin, formerly of the heirs of Albert E. Daniels, one hundred and eighty-eight (188) feet, more or less, to said street; thence westerly and bounding northerly on said street seventy-four (74) feet to the point of beginning, containing 13,801 square feet, more or less, being the same premises conveyed to said Lizzie M. Fiske by Mary J. Exley, by deed dated April 7th, 1893, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 690, folio 578.

Terms made known at time and place of sale.

DEAN CO-OPERATIVE BANK.
Mortgagee.

Franklin, Nov. 13, 1900. no13,20,27

Mortgagee's Sale
—OF—
REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed heretofore given by Mary A. Littlefield, wife of Elmer H. Littlefield, in her own right, to Willie D. Littlefield, dated Jan. 10, 1898, and recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds, book 806, page 27, for breach of the condition of said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction at or near the premises herein described, on

MONDAY, the TENTH day of DECEMBER, A. D. 1900,

at three o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, situated in Franklin, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, on the south side of Winter street, and bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at the northwest corner on said land at stone post on said Winter street and land of Peter or Mary McDonald; thence running S. 21 degrees 5 minutes E., 177 1-2 feet to stone post and land of the heirs of A. H. Morse; thence running on said land of the heirs of A. H. Morse N. 73 degrees 30 minutes E., 37 feet to iron pipe and other land of the grantor; thence on other land of grantor N. 6 degrees 15 minutes W., 83 feet to iron pipe; thence N. 25 degrees 30 minutes W., 102 feet to said Winter street; thence on said Winter street 45 feet to point of beginning, containing 9,262 feet, and described as lot No. 2 in plan by S. C. Taft, dated May 26, 1897."

The estate will be sold subject to a mortgage of fifteen hundred ($1,500) dollars given by said Mary A. Littlefield to said Willie D. Littlefield, dated July 16, 1897, and accrued interest thereon, and also subject to all unpaid taxes and assessments.

Other conditions made known at time of sale.

WILLIE D. LITTLEFIELD,
Mortgagee.

For particulars address W. B. Grant, 15 Court square, Boston, Mass. no 713,20,2[illegible]

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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Now for Christmas.

The selectmen meet tonight.

L. W. Daniels is cutting off a large woodlot.

Prof. O. C. Skeele of New York is with friends in town.

All of the schools of the town commence again on Monday.

Fred V. Huesey of New York is here for a few days' vacation.

Miss Grace Whiting spent Thanksgiving at her home in Worcester.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Richardson spent Thanksgiving with friends in Providence.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Smith of Somerville were with relatives here yesterday.

A. W. Dana, Esq., and wife of Boston spent Thanksgiving with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Bassett dined with Dr. and Mrs. T. L. Martin Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. George Geb of Mantou, R. I., were guests at J. F. Geb's yesterday.

J. H. Baker spent Thanksgiving with his brother, Dr. D. E Baker at Newtonville.

Dr. Sneath addressed the Y. M. C. A. in Woonsocket on last sabbath afternoon.

At the sunlight dance excellent music was furnished by the American band orchestra.

Prof. H. R. Burrington spent the Thanksgiving holiday at Worcester and Clinton.

Mrs. L. K. Dearborn moves this week from the Chilson block to room 8, Fletcher block.

Judge H. E. Ruggles and family spent Thanksgiving with relatives at West Medford.

Dr. and Mrs. M. E. Pond spent Thanksgiving with Dr. H. E. Johnson in Newton Centre.

Charles H. Prince and family were the guests of his parents at Danielson, Conn., over Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Woodward entertained Mrs. S. S. Woodward and family of Medway yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Turner of Ashmont dined yesterday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sherman.

Election of officers of the W. R. C. will occur next Monday evening and a full attendance is desired.

A fair-sized audience witnessed a good presentation of "Quo Vadis" at the Opera house Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Spencer of Boston spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Lincoln.

The Farmers' club go to Wrentham Monday evening, where the members will be entertained by Daniel Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Rhodes and family of North Attleboro were guests of Mrs. N. A. Guigon on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Noyes of Providence and Arthur Jenness of Wrentham were at Mrs. I. E. Razee's yesterday.

Rev. and Mrs. I. W. Sneath, Mrs. Marks and George Sneath enjoyed Thanksgiving with A. L. Ball at Cambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Fairbanks of Caryville and Miss Georgie Mullen of Dedham were guests at C. W. Stewart's yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bullard and daughter of Newton and Mrs. H. H. Gates were entertained at E. N. Bullard's yesterday.

The McParland liquor case will come up in the district court tomorrow. A number of civil cases are also on the docket.

Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Partridge entertained C. H. Partridge of Woonsocket and Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Fiske on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Blake of South Framingham, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blake of Providence were at O. B. Blake's on Thursday.

Miss Clara Mathewson and James Middleton of Natick, R. I., were the guests of Mrs. Arthur Jenckes, 32 Pleasant street, Thanksgiving day.

M. Elizabeth Lamont has been appointed teacher of the piano at St. Mary's school, and will hear classes two days a week at the convent house.

A good many are planning to go over to Daniel Brown's, Wrentham, next Monday to enjoy the regular meeting of the Farmers' club; car at 7.15.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Childs and little daughter of Pittsfield, Me., spent Thanksgiving with Mr and Mrs. Joseph Snodgrass of Crescent street.

A tender, toothsome venison steak graced the editor's table this noon, the gift of Mrs. Dr. G. A. Martin, an act of courtesy which was fully appreciated.

Collector Sherman is visiting the outlying districts of the town this week for the accommodation of the taxpayers who do not come to the center for settlement with the town.

Chief Yeoman F. S. Hartshorne and wife of Newport spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hartshorne. Their daughters, Mrs. Page and Mrs Gilmore, returned to Lowell today.

Next Sunday forenoon at the Baptist church there will be old folk's service. The old anthems, hymns and tunes will be sung. Rev. F. B. Sleeper will give a sermon on "The Priceless Endowment of Old Age."

Rev. Mr. Sneath will preach on Sabbath morning upon a special topic for the consideration of the men of his audience. In the evening a journey will be made to Samaria, Shechem, Mt. Gerizim and Jacob's Well.

The men's mission now being held in St. Mary's parish is well attended morning and night, and eloquent and instructive sermons are preached by the missionaries at all of the services. The mission will end on Sunday.

Edward J. Wentzel of Franklin and Miss Rubie M. Wales of Bellingham were united in marriage Thursday afternoon by Rev. Frank B. Sleeper at No. 16 Garfield street. The happy couple will make their future home in Milford.

Coupon tickets for the popular course of entertainment can be had next week Wednesday at the store of N. C. Nye, where the selection of seats may be secured. Already a large number of tickets have been sold, and the success of the course is assured.

A very pleasant wedding took place at Sheldonville last evening at 6 o'clock, when Miss Alma F. Scott, daughter of Mrs. Thomas Scott, was married to Mr. Charles E. Whiting, Rev. Dr. Hodge performing the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Whiting will reside at North Attleboro.

Mrs. Eliza Burke, wife of Joseph B. Burke, died at her late home on Arlington street early Wednesday morning after a brief illness with lung trouble. She was 38 years of age and leaves a husband and four children. The funeral was held from St. Mary's chapel at 9 o'clock this morning.

There were six contestants at the golf links yesterday, over the new course, and some excellent playing resulted. The following is the score: Sherman 84, Chapman 89, Rockwood 89, Nye 92, Bassett 101, Woodward 101. The first prize goes to Mr. Sherman, Messrs. Rockwood and Chapman tieing for the second.

The annual inspection of the G. A. R. post was held on Monday evening, the exercises being conducted by Deputy J. H. Pember and suite of Medfield. Guests were present from Medfield, Medway and Walpole. A fine turkey supper was served. The Friday evening previous about ten of the Post went to Walpole, where they enjoyed a most fraternally pleasant visit with the Post of that place.

The general superintendent of the Universalist church gives out a uniform list of subjects for the ministers of that church for the month of December. They are to deal with the five principles of the new statement of belief. Dr. Hodge takes up the first of these, "The Universal Fatherhood," next Sunday morning. In the afternoon he continues his series on "Religious Movements of the Nineteenth Century."

It is probable that the petition of the New England Telephone company for an extension of poles and wires on certain streets, as stated in the SENTINEL recently, will come up for consideration at the meeting of the selectmen this evening, and any citizen who has any objection to urge or inquiry to make in regard to the matter should appear at that time and make it known. It is better to settle matters then than try to remedy mistakes after they are made.

Subscriptions to the Y. M. C. A. fund are still being received. New friends of the work are coming to the front in a substantial manner every day. The amount already pledged is nearly $600, over $400 of which has been paid. It is hoped a sufficient sum may be raised to enable the executive committee to secure an additional room for educational classes, so that this work may be commenced at once. If you have not contributed you may be sure the committee will be more than pleased to have you.

The Universalist chapel was filled last evening with a very appreciative audience for Dr. Hodge's readings. To be greeted by such an audience on such a day when so many have home engagements, and when an admission fee is charged for what Dr. Hodge has so often given for nothing, is a testimony to the popularity of these readings. Dr. Hodge gave last evening, Collins' Ode on the Passions, James Whitcomb Riley's "Mister Hop-Toad" and "Christmas on the Wires," closing with "The Circumlocution Office" from "Little Dorrit."

"Our New Minister," which appears here on Tuesday evening, has just played in Woonsocket and Milford, the papers there praising it very highly. Indeed, no stronger comedy drama will be given here this season. The scene is laid in a small New England village, and the plot centers about a discharged convict, who, coming back home at the expiration of his sentence, is firmly resolved to lead a better life, but is hampered at every step by the church deacons and others, who invariably "give him the cold shoulder" The new minister, however, comes to his aid, and, in rebuking the Pharisees, makes no end of trouble for himself. In the end truth, justice, charity and love triumph.

"Remember the Maine" is the title of a new play by Lincoln J. Carter, to be produced for the first time at the Opera house on Saturday evening. The drama is said to excel anything yet evolved by Mr. Carter in the way of scenery and effects, and to one familiar with Carteresque plays this does not seem possible. A special effort to make the production surpass his previous efforts has been fruitful of a mass of scenery consisting of moving battleships, distant cities that are to be bombarded, etc. "Remember the Maine" affords scenic possibilities, said to have been fully improved, in fleets of war ships, bombardments, a naval fight at sea, tropical scenes and many mechanical revelations to make the play spectacular.

The concert and ball given under the auspices of the Jolly club at the Opera house on Wednesday evening was well attended and proved most successful socially and financially. From 8 to 9 an entertaining concert was given by Fales' orchestra of West Medway, a fine programme being rendered. The ball was set in motion shortly after 9 o'clock, the march being led by Charles Feeley and Miss Bertha Bennett. There were 24 numbers on the programme and 100 couples participated, an intermission being taken at midnight for refreshments, which were served in the hall. The hall and stage were tastefully decorated. Chas. Feeley was floor manager, William Pendergast assistant, and Stephen Maroney, Stephen Ferretti and George Cody aids. The stage furnishings were kindly loaned for the occasion by Alfred Farrington. A goodly number from out of town were present.

Summoned to Answer.

Deputy Sheriff Fitzpatrick served the notice upon the M. A. & W. street railway company Tuesday at Franklin charging that the company has declined to grant the request or heed the protests of the citizens of Bellingham. The selectmen have filed in the superior court at Dedham a bill in equity, and Judge Sherman has ordered the street railway company to appear next Monday and show cause why it should not comply with the terms of its franchise. The bill, which is very lengthy, sets forth as grievances a great number of things, among them the following: Failure to use the rails required; neglect to obtain consent of selectmen as to ties used; failure to grade streets as required; failure to widen bridges, neglect to put up railings on embankments; failure to run cars according to alleged agreement; failure to widen streets; failure to fill up between tracks at crossings and walks.

It is alleged that the company has persisted in putting in grade crossings without authority, constructing switches without permission, laying rails on different part of the street from that ordered, and refusing to answer or obey written orders of the selectmen.

The alleged violation of its franchise is the refusal of the company to run hourly trips between Caryville and Bellingham Four Corners. A further cause of complaint is the running of open cars on this part of the line at this time of the year.

The street railway officials claim that the branch in question does not pay expenses now, and declare they would rather take up the rails than comply with the demands of the Bellingham people.

The failure of the company to secure permission to cross the tracks of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad at North Bellingham, the extension of the Medfield & Medway street railway to Franklin and the completion of the direct line from Milford to Bellingham have all contributed to make the branch of the road which is the chief cause of this litigation unprofitable. T. E. Grover of Boston and Rufus G. Fairbanks of West Medway are counsel for the town of Bellingham in the matter.

The whole matter is the outgrowth of the recent indignation meeting of the citizens of Caryville and North Bellingham.

Crowley—Casey.

The marriage of Dr. J. M. Crowley, Franklin's well-known physician, and Miss Catharine Casey of Dorchester was solemnized at the home of the bride at that place on Wednesday evening in the presence of relatives and immediate friends. The couple left for a brief wedding trip and will come to their new home on Central street tomorrow. They were the recipients of many elegant wedding gifts from friends in Franklin, Boston, Dorchester and Dartmouth, N H. The doctor's office will hereafter be at his new home on Central street.

Alden Club.

The Alden club held another open meeting on Monday evening last. A large audience was present to hear the lecture on "The Marble Faun" by the Rev H. G. Spaulding of Boston.

After reading several selections from Hawthorne's Marble Faun, Mr. Spaulding reviewed the book with the aid of most beautiful and clear stereopticon views. His interpretation of the romance was very lucid and instructive, as the pictures were thrown upon the screen, we frequently thought ourselves in old Rome and looked for the different characters to actually appear, so clear was the description of the different places and characters. Mr. Spaulding held his audience with rapt attention.

Y. M. C. A. Day.

Plans for the Y. M. C. A. day are rapidly maturing and promise to get the association a good start off. As the arrangements are so far made they include the opening of the rooms Saturday evening, Dec. 9, with a consecration service conducted by Geo. E. Knight, of the Hyde Park association, and assisted by several prominent association men from some of the large associations. Sunday morning the work of the association will be presented in the churches by association men. Sunday afternoon men's meeting at rooms with address and song service. Sunday evening mass meeting at the Opera house, at which good music and strong speakers will be sure to draw a large audience. Monday evening a reception to all members at the rooms, after which a banquet will be served to all who have secured their membership tickets.

The speakers thus far secured are W. D. Fellows, general secretary of the Fall River association, and Geo. E. Knight, general secretary of the Hyde Park association, both strong men. A more complete program will appear in Tuesday's SENTINEL.

Gone Home.

The old-time residents of Franklin will be sorry to hear of the death at East Walpole of Mrs. Amelia Newell Boyden, whose home for many years was in this town, she being a teacher in the South Franklin district at one time.

Her friends will remember her as a woman of exceedingly gentle and loving disposition, ever ready with words of kindness and sympathy. Through a long and trying illness, her sunny nature and brave struggle for the life she so loved gained her many new friends and drew the older more closely. She never lost interest in the books, pictures or the beautiful in nature that had filled her life when well. Such a life so full of happiness and sunshine, surmounting physical suffering serves as a beautifully tender lesson, and the husband and son, brothers and sisters must ever look back upon it with reverence, and be grateful that the years of pain are ended.

"Not into these, bright spirit, do we yearn
To bring thee back, but oh! to be, to be
Unbound of all these gyves, to stretch, to spurn
The dark from off our dolorous lids, to see
Our spark, conjecture, blaze and sunrise burn,
And suddenly to stand again by thee!"

L. M. P.

"Remember the Maine."

This wonderful play will be given at the Opera House Saturday evening. The parts are well taken by a capable company, who deliver their lines with stirring effect.

The story of the play is an interesting one, being of the military sort, and cannot help but arouse the patriotism of an audience. It tells the story of the blowing up of the Maine, giving a realistic reproduction of that incident, showing the arrival of the ill fated battleship in Havana and her destruction and as the play runs on, showing the cowardice of the Spaniards and the courage of the Americans. The scenery used is of a very attractive nature, being new and bright.

The play closes with Dewey's victory at Manila, which is the best representation that has ever been given by any company of this battle.

Offer Extraordinary.

James F. Ray, the flour dealer, has a magnificent offer to place before the readers of the SENTINEL in this issue, found on page two. It is no less than a bona fide offer of a barrel of Pillsbury's best flour at only $5 per barrel, the offer holding good only during December. This is a rare chance to get the best flour on the market at a very low price.

The Doctor A-Sight Seeing.

LONDON, ENG., Nov. 9, 1900.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—In reply to your request for a few notes on London, I will endeavor to describe a few of the interesting things which I have been privileged to see during my stay here. They will probably be of interest to those of your readers who have never been in London, and may revive pleasant memories in the minds of those few who have seen them. My time during the week is very much occupied with my work, but Saturday and Sunday afternoons I have devoted to sight-seeing, and have been able to accomplish quite an amount in that line. The National Art gallery is situated at the north-easterly side of Trafalgar square, overlooking the great Nelson monument, and the present building was opened to the public in 1838; however, the gallery was founded in 1824 There are 1,370 pictures, some dating as far back as the second or third century, and none more recent than 1790. Here one is lost in admiration and at once becomes oblivious of time. It seems almost beyond belief that the masters of those old days were so skilled in their profession. I do not profess to be at all schooled in art, but the pictures which impressed me most were two portraits by Rembrandt and several paintings by Peter Paul Rubens, most notably "Peace and War" and "The Crucifixion;" the former is 6 feet, 6 inches high, by 9 feet, 9 inches wide and is allegorical in character. In one wing of the gallery are more than one hundred pictures by J. M. W. Turner, but I will mention only two, "Death of Nelson," and "Rain, Steam and Speed;" the latter represents an express train rushing through rain and fog, and is very finely executed. In the Spanish school the most notable were "Dead Warrior by Velazquez, and "The Dead Christ" by Josef Ribera; the former is especially beautiful. In the Dutch and Flemish school is an equestrian portrait of Charles I, King of England, by Sir Ant. Van Dyck; this is one of the largest pictures in the gallery. In one hall are several fine portraits by Gainsborough, as well as an excellent portrait of Gladstone by Sir John E. Millais. I spent several hours in the building, but one can only glance hurriedly over the pictures in that time, and I shall go again as soon as the opportunity offers.

On the morning of Oct. 1 I visited the Tower of London, which was founded in 1078 by William the Conqueror. It was first built as a fortress, and upon entering within its walls we find ourselves within a veritable castle, surrounded by an outer and an inner wall, and, between the two, a moat, now dry, and crossed by a drawbridge. Within these walls have dwelt many of the kings, queens and high officials of England, both in the time of their power and in captivity. Here occurred the beheading of people high in power, and the murder of Edward V and his brother, the Duke of York, in what is now called the Bloody Tower. In Wakefield Tower the crown jewels are kept They are very beautiful and of such size and rarity that it would be practically impossible to estimate their value. In the front of Queen Victoria's crown is a ruby, about the size of an English walnut, which was given to the Black Prince in 1367. The whole crown contains about 2,700 diamonds, and many other jewels, and weighs over thirty nine ounces. Leaving the Wakefield tower and crossing the parade tower we enter the White tower, the oldest part of the whole fortress. Here are the state apartments and the armory; and it is here that one is almost led to believe that he has been carried back five or six centuries. Every kind of armor and implement of war imaginable, of the earlier days, is here collected.

I have spent three Sunday afternoons at the British Museum, but the material here is so vast and varied that it is utterly impossible for me to give you any idea of it, as a whole. What interested me was the statuary department, and here, as at the National Gallery, one is simply amazed at the skill shown by these artists and sculptors of the Middle Ages. Here are the remains of the Temple of Diana at Ephesus, and other pieces of statuary; all in a remarkable state of preservation. One large hall is filled with relics of the Mausoleum. In this collection is a model of the Acropolis at Athens and another of the Parthenon after the Venetian bombardment in 1687, the centre of both the north and south walls being entirely broken down. In the Mausoleum room are two statues representing Artemesia, the wife of, and Mausolos, Prince of Caria, B. C. 377-353, which are believed to have stood in the chariot which surmounted the Mausoleum at Halicarnassos. They were found by Sir Charles Newton in 1857 outside the northern wall of the Mausoleum, together with large fragments of the horses. The statue of Mausolos is about 10 feet in height, that of Artemesia about 9 feet, and the horses are simply gigantic. In the Egyptian gallery are many fragments of colossal statues, of interest as antiquities rather than works

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"Our New Minister."

There is the freshness and fragrance of summer, the scent of new mown hay and the quaint simplicity of country life in the atmosphere of Denman Thompson and George W. Ryder's latest comedy drama, "Our New Minister," which next Tuesday evening will have its first presentment here at the Opera House

Like "The Old Homestead," all its characters are of a distinctive rural type, and its scenes and situations likewise. It is not a religious play, but deals with the ordinary, every day happening in a small New England village, where the skeleton in nearly every household is laid bare by back-biting neighbors and a meddlesome, prying curiosity. A rich and deep vein of comedy and pathos pervades everyone of the three acts of the play.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending November 28, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. A. H. Craig, Mrs. A. A. Hastings, Mrs Margaret Sherrin.

Gentlemen—Chas Gallagher, Wm. Holland, M A. Mackhill, J. H. Stanley.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

Opera House, Woonsocket.

Joseph Arthur, the author of "Lost River," soon to be acted in Woonsocket, declares that every character in the play has its prototype in Lost River, Indiana, where he spent many years as a boy, and which is within a few miles of West Baden, one of the most fashionable inland watering places in the world. Those who remember the unique characters of "Blue Jeans" and other Indian plays from the Arthur pen can anticipate with reason a treat in the personages of "Lost River," which manager Ogden has secured for the evening of Thursday, Dec. 6, at the Woonsocket Opera house.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3 Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Congregational church—Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D., Sunday school at 12 Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. consecration meeting. Evening service at 7; subject, "A Journey to Samaria."

Baptist church.—At 10.30 preaching by the pastor, Rev Frank B Sleeper. Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45. Preaching at 7. Morning subject, "The Priceless Endowment of Old Age." Evening subject, "A Besetting God."

Universalist church.—The pastor, Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., will preach at 10 30 and 5 Y. P. C. U. at 6. Morning subject "The New Profession of Faith; the Universalist Fatherhood." Afternoon subject, "Religious Reconstructionists of the First Half of the Century."

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook followed by receiving new members and sacrament of Lord's supper. Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 3 Vesper service and general prayer meeting at 7, conducted by pastor; subject, "The Purposes of Messiah's Mission" Morning subject, "Eucharistic Joy."

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

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To Let—Cottage house, eight rooms, corner Central street and Milliken avenue. L W. Milliken. 27tf

Auction sale of fine household goods at the Opera house block on Friday evening at 7.30. Rare bargains.

Wanted—A firstclass girl for general housework in a family of three. Liberal wages will be paid for same.

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

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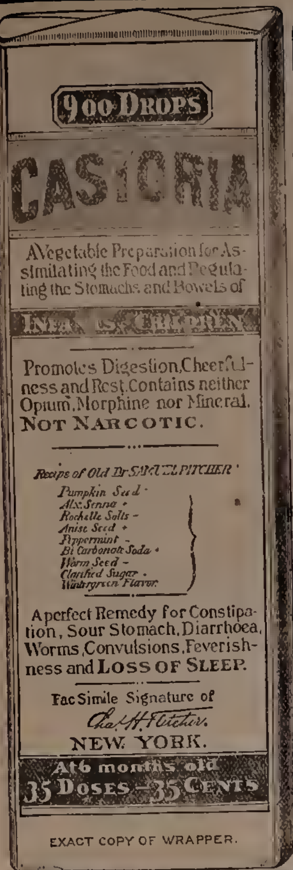
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The Doctor A-Sight Seeing.

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of art. A collection of ivory carvings in the mediæval room is very beautiful and artistic. One entire hall is filled with vases and ornaments of every nation and age, and the change in style of the different periods is a very interesting study. Many of these ancient vases are more beautiful than any we have at the present day. In this hall is a collection of Italian pottery (Majolica) painted in rich colors, which is very beautiful. I was impressed with the few marks of age which many of these articles show.

One bright Sunday morning I went for a walk in Hyde Park and at the north east corner I came upon the Albert memorial, erected by the Queen in memory of the late Prince Consort; this is one of the most wonderful monuments in the world, but, at first sight, it does not impress one as such. At each corner is a large group of figures, one representing Europe, another America, another Asia and the fourth Africa. The foundation is formed of granite, with steps arranged in the form of an octagon leading up to the base of the monument itself. The base is formed of 170 life sized figures of noted statesmen and philosophers, and above these, at each corner, is another group of figures, one representing agriculture, another manufactures, another engineering and the fourth commerce; above these is a large statue of Albert seated upon a throne beneath a double arch, and above the arch is the shaft and many allegorical figures, and all above the base is bronzed.

On Oct. 29th the City Imperial Volunteers returned from South Africa and were tendered a reception by the city. It was a record day, even in this city of crowds, and it took 30,000 Volunteers to keep the line of parade open, and even then it was blocked at several places. Eleven hundred people were injured in the crush and one of the C. I. V.'s remarked that he would rather help retake Pretoria than go through that parade again. The city went wild with enthusiasm and far into the night the streets were filled with people shouting and singing patriotic songs. The police made no effort to restrain them, but good nature is characteristic of a London crowd and it was a sight worth seeing.

Yours truly,
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Humanity.

Age would clip the wings of Time
That they might impede him;
Youth, with dance and song and rhyme,
Does its best to speed him.
—Puck.

The Dream Came True.

Hogan—Do you believe in dreams, Mike?

Dugan—Faith an' I do! Last night I dhremt I was awake, an' in the morning me dhream kem thrue.—Tit-Bits.

Naturally.

"Joe Woods' daughter has a houseful of pretty girls visiting her."

"Well, what are you going to do about it?"

"Take to the woods, I guess."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Not Chronic.

"Some doctors are discussing the question whether suicide is a disease," said Tenspot.

"If it is it isn't likely to prove chronic," added Dimling, "although it is always fatal."—Chicago Daily News.

Gets Some Relief.

"Doesn't your husband's insomnia get any better?"

"No; the only sleep he ever gets is when I think I hear a burglar downstairs."—Chicago Record.

Nerve Enough for Ten.

Ida—I have been reading these nerve-tonic testimonials and I think I will send for a bottle.

May—Do you think there is any faith in those testimonials?

Ida—There must be; they are all from book and life insurance agents. —Chicago Daily News.

Broad Comparison.

"That little Miss Twitters is as dainty as a bird," said Chawlie Jones as he reached for his fifth roll.

"It's a rather broad comparison," said the philosophical boarder. "There are birds and birds, you know—and some of them are sparrows!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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A Quitter.

"What do you think Alice said?"

"I can't guess."

"She said yesterday would have been her birthday if she hadn't quit having them."—Indianapolis Journal.

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Gentleman—I'm—I've forgotten the name, but it's one of those that make a woman look better dressed in wet weather than she is in dry weather.—N. Y. Weekly

The Wherefore of It.

"It took my [illegible] two hours to day to clear up the lunch dishes," said the lady who was [illegible]. "Your girl's a jewel. She has the dinner dishes all washed and it's scarcely [illegible] minutes since we finished."

"Yes," said Mrs. Hauskeep, "she's got this evening off."—Philadelphia Press.

C. O. D. Sermons.

Deacon—We don't employ a regular pastor, but get different preachers to preach C. O. D. sermons for us.

Visitor—C. O. D. sermons? What kind are they?

Deacon—Collect on delivery.—Detroit Free Press.

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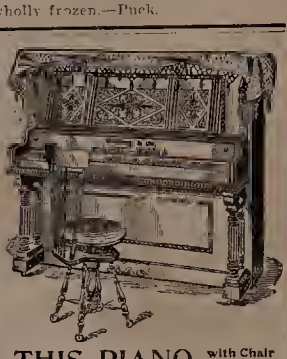
The Reason.

Knicker—Miss Boston's father keeps a fine St. Bernard.

Bocker—To discourage admirers?

Knicker—Oh! no; it is trained to trot in and rescue a fellow before he's wholly frozen.—Puck.



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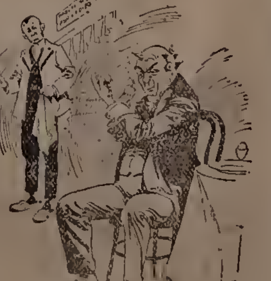

Guest—Hi, there! proprietor! there's a chicken in this egg!

Proprietor—Sorry if you're disappointed, but times are hard, and we can't afford canvas back ducks in the eggs, sir.—Chicago Chronicle.

After His Vacation.

Oletime—One doesn't read as many jokes as heretofore about the prolific engagements of young women at the seashore.

Newly Wed—No, indeed. They've ceased to be jokes.—Yonkers Statesman.

Skeptical.

She—I don't know what I would not give to have such blonde hair as Irene has.

He—Why don't you find out what she gave for hers?—N. Y. World.

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FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6.10, 6.45 a. m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10.15 p. m. Last cars to car barn at 10.15 and 11.15 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m., connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket. Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.15 a. m., and then on hour and half hour till 10.30 p. m.

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STATEMENT SEPT. 29, 1900.

LIABILITIES.		
Due Depositors		$565,502 99
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 99
Interest Account		4,027 82
Real Estate Income Account		184 78
		$598,672 44
ASSETS.		
Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,975 00
" " Mortgages		157,760 00
" " Personal Securities		174,269 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		522 22
Tax Account		512 73
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$3,028 14	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	1,304 95	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		4,417 25
Cash on hand		741 27
		$598,672 44

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

WALTER M. FISHER,
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BOSTON—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 11 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex. 6 05, 9 38 p m. Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, 8 30 a m; 12 04, 3 39, 4 54, 5 19, 6 22, 6 57, 8 15, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 19 a m, 5 19, 7 10 p m.

BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 46, 4 13, 5 13, 6 01, 7 13 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 6 05, 9 33 p m S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 22, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 6 05 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m; f12 58, 5 25, 6 13, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 35 a m, 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m, 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

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The diseases of the mind are more destructive and in greater number than those of the body —Cicero.

Of the animals which fly in the air, walk on the ground, or swim in the sea, the most foolish is man.—Boileau

My living in Yorkshire was so far out of the way that it was actually 12 miles from a lemon.—Sydney Smith.

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By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Lawrence McGinnis to Casper Berry, dated June 30, 1899, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 846, page 512, and for a breach of condition of the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises, on

SATURDAY, the FIFTEENTH day of DECEMBER, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:

"A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Broad street in said Medway, bounded and described as follows, viz Beginning at a point on said Broad street, at the southwest corner of land now or formerly of Wilder, thence running southwesterly on said Broad street one hundred and eight 108) feet, according to a "Sketch of the old Quinobequin Hotel property, now known as the Gladstone Hotel, situated in Medway, Mass., June 22, 1899, H. S. Partridge, C. E. & Sur.," to be recorded with said Norfolk Deeds, thence turning and running southeasterly fifty-six (56) feet according to said plan, thence turning and running northeasterly one hundred and twenty-two (122) feet according to said plan, and thence turning and running northwesterly fifty-four and 25-100 (54.25) feet according to said plan to the point of beginning. Together with all the easements, privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging."

Terms at sale.

CASPER BERRY, Mortgagee.

November 22, 1900. no23,30,de7

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin and all other persons interested in the estate of William Mann, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, two certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament, and one codicil, of said deceased has been presented to said court for probate by Willard Everett of Lowell, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the fifth day of December, A. D. 1900, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this seventh day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

no9,16,23

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Goldsbury Pond, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased

Whereas, Metcalf E. Pond, the administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of said estate, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the 12th day of December, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

no23,30,de7

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

At a Probate Court held at Dedham in and for said county of Norfolk, on the seventh day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

On the petition of Simon Spellowski of Norfolk, in said county praying that his name may be changed to that of Simon Brown, public notice having been given, according to the order of court, that all persons might appear and show cause if any they had, why the same should not be granted, and it appearing that the reason given therefor is sufficient and consistent with the public interest, and being satisfactory to the court and no objection being made

It is decreed that his name be changed, as prayed for, to that of Simon Brown, which name he shall hereafter bear, and which shall be his legal name, and that he give public notice of said change by publishing this decree once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, and make return to this court under oath that such notice has been given.

JAMES H. FLINT,
Judge of Probate Court.

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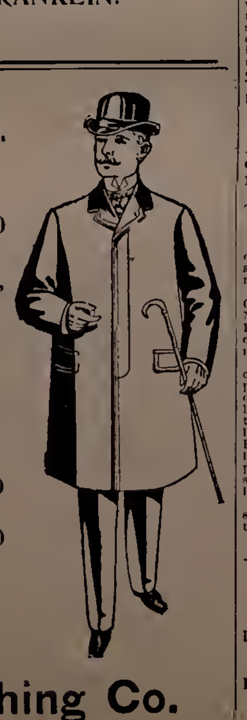

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Lawrence McGinnis to the Milford Co-operative Bank, dated September 17, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 744, page 577, and for a breach of condition of the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises on

SATURDAY, THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:

"A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon standing, known as the Quinobequin estate, situated on the north side of Village street, in Medway, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner thereof, at the junction of Broad with Village street, and thence easterly on Village street eighty-eight feet to land of Minerva Hathon, deceased; thence northerly on land of said Hathon one hundred and forty feet to a corner; thence easterly on land of said Hathon forty-six feet to a corner; thence northerly and westerly sixty-three feet on land of Mrs. Woodward to a corner; thence northerly on land of said Woodward to a corner at land owned now or formerly by E. A. Noyes twenty-one feet distant from barn on said premises; thence westerly on a straight line parallel with said barn to a point in line with the front of said barn and twenty-one feet distant therefrom; thence continuing southwesterly on a straight line to a point in a line with the rear of Store Block thirty-five feet distant therefrom in a southerly direction; thence on a line westerly parallel with said Block to Broad street; thence southerly on said street to point of departure. Grantee and its assign forever to have a right of way fifteen feet wide across the southerly side of land conveyed to E. B. Stowe, March 1, 1886, from land of Mrs. Woodward to a point in a line with the rear of the Store Block and distant therefrom thirty-five feet, all as said barn and Store Block stood March 1, 1888, and subject to the rights in the well mentioned in the lease from Medway Savings Bank, recorded as aforesaid lib. 649, folio 42. Being the same premises described in a deed from Palmer A. Woodward to the Medway Savings Bank, dated July 31, 1895, and to be recorded with Norfolk County Deeds."

Excepting therefrom that portion of the premises described in a partial release of the said mortgage, given by John G. Berry, assignee thereof, to said Lawrence McGinnis, dated August 4, 1899, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 849, page 519, as follows, namely:

"Beginning at a point on Broad street, in Medway, Mass., at the northwesterly corner of the mortgaged premises; thence running southwesterly on said Broad street one hundred and eight (108) feet, according to a 'Sketch of the old Quinobequin hotel property, now known as the Gladstone Hotel, situated in Medway, Mass., June 22, 1899, H. S. Partridge, C. E. & Sur." recorded with said Norfolk Deeds; thence turning and running southeasterly fifty-six (56) feet according to said plan; thence turning and running northeasterly one hundred and twenty-two (122) feet according to said plan; and thence turning and running northwesterly fifty-four and 25-100 (54.25) feet according to said plan to the point of beginning. Together with all the easement, privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging.

Terms at sale.

November 22, 1900.

JOHN G. BERRY,
Assignee of said mortgage.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Julia A. Pond, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Metcalf E. Pond, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the twelfth day of December, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this twenty-thire day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

The front roof of Exchange block has been newly shingled.

The Foresters will hold a regular meeting tomorrow evening.

The straw goods season at Bassett Bros. will soon begin.

Mrs. Catherine Desmond is critically ill at her home on West street.

Saturday was the date when taxes became due and now they bear interest.

H. R. Jenks is building an addition on the east side of his carriage emporium.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Kanalley of Union street on Sunday.

A daughter, Dacy Naomi, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Taft on Saturday.

Mrs. Sanborn and Miss Manning are in New York looking up Christmas novelties.

P. A. Woodward has been drawn as a juror for the December criminal term of court.

Mrs. James McCormick of Roxbury, a former resident, is visiting friends in town.

The post office block is in the hands of Artist Hutchinson and is decidedly improved.

Miss Jennie P. Baker of Newton Centre has been spending a few days at her home here.

On account of the absence of Dr. Hodge, the free German class will not meet this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Mason of Swansea have been visiting their son, Albert C. Mason, a few days.

Mrs. M. C. Darling of Union street has returned home after an extended visit with relatives in New York.

A meeting of the King's Daughters will be held this evening, at 7.30, at the home of Miss May Fales, Crescent street.

Miss Fannie Darling has been entertaining her cousin, Walter A. Southwick, of Mansfield, Conn., the past week.

Rev. D. M. Hodge has been called to New York state on matters relating to the settlement of his father's estate.

Miss Gertrude Jencks of Barrington, R.I., is visiting at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. White, of Beaver street.

James W. Desmond has been called home from Mattewan, N. Y., on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Miss Mary E. Gifford, daughter of Orrin P. Gifford, D. D., of Buffalo, N. Y., was a guest of the Misses Guigon on Saturday.

Business and social meeting of Y. P. C. U. at Universalist church Wednesday evening. A pleasing program is promised. Everybody is invited.

W. H. Jackson is visiting a number of the G. A. R. posts of this vicinity in his capacity as assistant inspector of the department of Massachusetts.

Misses Emma Holmes, Clara Nixon and Mabel Aldrich, pupils at the Bridgewater Normal school, spent Thanksgiving week at their homes here.

Wednesday evening in the parlor of the Universalist church, the Y. P. C. U. will hold a free social. All are invited. A pleasant evening is anticipated.

Miss Flora Farley of this town and George Pratt of Medway were quietly married by Rev. M. J. Lee at the parochial residence Wednesday evening.

The increase in the corporation tax this year is not as great as some expected, the report from the tax commissioner being a little over $100 more than in 1899.

A number of deer have been seen by farmers living in the outskirts of Franklin the past few days. Walter Cook saw three in the vicinity of the golf links recently.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Fisher had the pleasure of having their oldest son, wife and two children with them on Thanksgiving day. Two more sons reside in Maine.

Mrs. M. L. Hubbard and daughter of Wellesley and Miss Ada Daniels were at L. W. Daniels' for Thanksgiving, and Mrs. Hubbard has been visiting at T. B. Allen's.

Through the kindness of George Frederick Grant in loaning his team the goods collected at the High school on Thanksgiving eve were distributed among the needy poor.

There will be a rehearsal of Christmas music at the Universalist church next Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Members of the Sunday school are requested to be present.

C. M. Smith shows us an old newspaper which he found pasted on the inside of an old trunk, the date being 1811. It was in an excellent state of preservation, both as to paper and ink.

Alphonse LeClair of North Park street returned home Thanksgiving from the Massachusetts general hospital in Boston, where he has been confined the past few weeks with typhoid fever.

Local ministers have recently received two tickets each to "Quo Vadis," now being played in Boston. These tickets were sent to all ministers residing within thirty miles of Boston.

Dr. J. M. Crowley and bride have returned from their wedding trip and now occupy their new home on Central street. The doctor has removed his office from Dana block to his residence.

Miss E. M. Dunning, who has been assisting as apprentice teacher at the Horace Mann High school, was last evening elected to a position in the Wakefield High school at an excellent salary.

The selectmen met Friday evening and approved bills. The chairman, J. C. Gallison, was unable to be present and the telephone petition and some other matters were put over until next week.

Dr. John B. Koehne, who delivered those fine orations at the Congregational church here last spring, is giving the series to large audiences nightly at the Congregational church in Putnam, Conn.

Fifty three went down to Daniel Brown's in Wrentham last evening to enjoy the meeting of the Farmers' club with him. A most profitable evening was spent, a report of which will appear later.

"Remember the Maine" was played to a good sized audience at the Opera house on Saturday evening, the piece being fully up to the high excellence which Lincoln J. Carter has set for all of his plays.

Those who heard Rev. Dr. Sneath last Sabbath assert that he has never been heard here to better advantage, both in the morning and evening. At the evening service Mrs. C. L. Stewart sang very effectively, calling forth expressions of praise from all who listened.

Friday afternoon the mothers' section of the Alden club, at the residence of Mrs. E. D. Daniels, discussed "Division of Income." It is an important and interesting subject, even to the weaker male sex, especially when considered with the question of division of outgo.

"Do you want a transfer?" asked the Woonsocket conductor here at the switch. "What for?" asked the man with the alligator bag. "So that you can take another car." "No, sir. I have waited thirty minutes for this one, and I propose to hang on to it."

A number of the ladies of the Universalist church are arranging to attend the Universalist rally at the Roxbury church, Boston, on Friday at 2 o'clock. Stirring addresses will be made by prominent workers and it is expected that most of the churches of the state will be represented.

"Our New Minister," at the Opera house tomorrow evening, fairly bubbles over with genuine Yankee humor, which creates honest laughter, and the currents of comedy are forever meeting and intermingling with counter currents of pathos—a pathos which is natural, human and sincere.

A business meeting of the Y. M. C. A. will be held on Wednesday evening in the new rooms to perfect plans for the opening on Saturday evening and the banquet on Monday evening. Things are working in a most harmonious and encouraging manner and new friends are being secured daily.

Mrs. C. K. Sanger has just returned from a long absence in New York, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Stockbridge, and husband. The latter has returned to New York, but Mrs. Stockbridge, whose health is impaired, will remain for a time at the home of her mother in order to recuperate.

The following children of the Four Corners school were neither absent nor tardy during the month of November: Walter Bristow, Earle Conway, Ardis Corbin, Willie Dauphinee, Nellie Feeley, Lina Hamilton, George Joyce, May Keefe, Chester Ledbury, Leon Long, Jeremiah McCarthy, Richard Savage.

The praying band of the Upton M. E. church will take charge of the prayer meeting at the First M. E. church next Friday evening. An open-air meeting will be held previous to the regular service. These young men have earned the reputation of being earnest, faithful workers and a profitable time is assured all who attend.

The men's mission closed at St. Mary's chapel Sunday afternoon, when Rev. Father Cullen delivered the closing sermon and imparted the Pope's blessing as well as the blessing of the missionary fathers to the six hundred male parishioners who made the mission. The total number of parishioners, not including children, who made the mission was nearly 1,200.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Heath of Garfield street entertained many friends and relatives Thanksgiving, among whom were Charles Connley and Miss Kittie Connley of Dorchester, Mr. and Mrs. W. Turner and Wesley Ham of Plainville, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason of Norfolk and Mrs. C. W. Mason and family of Union street. During the evening the guests passed a most enjoyable time in playing games, with vocal and instrumental music.

One of the pictures that has been purchased to hang upon the walls of the Y. M. C. A. is a steel reproduction of the painting which attracted so much attention at the world's fair in Chicago, and was regarded as one of the finest bits of realism among the thousand of canvases there, "Breaking the Home Ties." Of course it will be admired here and add beauty to the room.

There was a fair audience at the Methodist church on Thanksgiving day to listen to a sermon by Rev. Mr. Cook, who took his text from Psalm 117. He dealt with the significance of Thanksgiving in a national way, the occasion for it, etc., showing also that the hand of God was surely manifest in the affairs of this nation in the past. He was listened to with close attention.

We were amused the other day when a travelling showman dropped into the office for some printing and proceeded to set the price himself. We wondered if he told the hotel man what he would pay, or the hall manager. How many of us go to the butcher and tell him what we will give him for a roast, or a steak, or other cut. He would invite us to walk out. That's what we did to the showman.

At the regular meeting of the Woman's Relief corps held in G. A. R. hall last evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Hattie E. Turner; senior vice pres., Mrs. Miriam Sleeper; junior vice pres., Mrs. Carolyn Frost; treasurer, Mrs. Hannah M. Corson; chaplain, Mrs. Minnie Jackson; conductor, Miss Georgia Whiting; guard, Mrs. Clara Crafts; delegate, Mrs. Hannah M. Corson; alternate, Mrs. Carrie Lowell.

The Trowbridge Piano company is doing a good business, with orders ahead for future delivery. The demand for the first quality work of the company is increasing, and the product speaks for itself when it gets into the homes in tones that win the hearts of the people. A practical evidence of this, aside from the commendations of buyers, is the comparison of the present factory with the 20x40 feet single room where the business started less than twenty years ago.

Every experienced or observing business man can make a fair estimate of the amount of trade in his line that can be worked up in the community in which he may reside. Every legitimate business is capable of a certain measure of development by newspaper advertising, and in a vast majority of cases the profits of the induced traffic will amount to many times the cost of the advertising. It depends on the trader himself what shall be the extent of his business within certain limits.

The town officials of Bellingham who refused to allow the hobby horses to be in operation on Sundays at Hoag lake now propose to enforce the Sunday laws. The Winnesuket country golf links are in the town of Bellingham, and some of the members of the club have been to the links on Sunday to play their favorite game. One of the town officials says that complaints of Sabbath breaking have been made by people living in the neighborhood and it is intended to stop Sunday golf playing in the future.

Remember that the selection of seats for the popular course of entertainments at the Congregational church may be had at the store of N. C. Nye tomorrow morning. Five seats only will be delivered to one person, thus giving all a fair opportunity to secure good sittings. The tickets are already going well, and when the Harvards open the course a well filled house is assured. As to the merits of the various entertainments there is no question, as there is abundant testimony at hand in regard to their excellence.

In all probability Franklin will furnish Medway with water, as the water commissioners of the latter place are working hard on the matter of securing a source of water supply from Kingsbury's pond, situated about two miles from Medway. The commission and its engineers have made one inspection of the pond, and while there are some doubts as to its ability to furnish a sufficiency, the quality of the water is of the best, and a survey will soon be made to find what approximate quantity could be obtained. Several other sources have been examined by the commission and its engineers, but the quality and purity of the water in Kingsbury's pond is far better than any source yet examined.

People are strangely careless and neglectful about the matter of insurance. A few cents each day will carry quite an insurance and you will sleep better o'nights if you feel that some strong hand stands between you and your last penny. Read your policy, read it again, read it carefully and see if it expresses just what you intended. If you are a farmer and have a few hundred dollars' worth of farm implements insured in a certain building do not think they would be equally insured in another building. If you have horses or cattle insured in a certain barn do not think the insurance would follow them into another barn which you may chance to own just across the highway.

"Our New Minister," which appears here Wednesday evening, has just played in Woonsocket and Milford, the papers there praising it very highly. Indeed, no stronger comedy drama will be given here this season. The scene is laid in a small New England village, and the plot centers about a discharged convict, who, coming back home at the expiration of his sentence, is firmly resolved to lead a better life, but is hampered at every step by the church deacons and others, who invariably "give him the cold shoulder." The new minister, however, comes to his aid, and, in rebuking the Pharisees, makes no end of trouble for himself. In the end truth, justice, charity and love triumph.

The entertainment given at the High school last Wednesday evening by the pupils for the benefit of the poor of Franklin was well attended and all who took part acquitted themselves most creditably. The following programme was rendered: Piano solo, Miss Bly; reading, Miss Metcalf; vocal solo, Miss Corbin; reading, Alden Abbott; piano and mandolin duet, Misses Billings and Daniels; reading, Miss King; chorus; reading, George Estey; comb quartet; reading, Arthur Stewart; chorus; reading, Miss Thompson; piano solo, Miss Billings; reading, Miss Ferrer; piano duet, Misses Nixon and Allen. The vocal solo by Miss Corbin, the reading by Miss Ferrer and the comb quartet were especially well rendered. About $25 worth of clothing and provisions were brought, which were distributed by the seniors on Thanksgiving.

Adjudged Guilty on Both Counts.

The two specific complaints of violation of the express law on which James McParland was adjudged guilty by Judge Doe in the district court on Saturday morning, were alleged to have occurred on two certain dates in September. Thomas E. Grover of Canton represented McParland, and Henry E Ruggles was the prosecuting attorney. The main argument was on the particular method the defendant employed in keeping a record of the business done by him. It was adduced from the evidence that McParland used a slip of paper from day to day in keeping an account of express orders received by him. This, Mr. Ruggles claimed, was a violation of the statute, which requires that all orders shall be written in a book. Mr. Grover contended that the defendant's method of keeping a record of the orders covered the law. After arguments on both sides, Judge Doe considered the points made by counsel and decided that McParland had been guilty of a violation of the express law on both counts as charged and imposed a fine of $50 on McParland on each count. Defendant's counsel gave notice of appeal, and bonds of $200 on each complaint were furnished for the defendant's appearance at the superior court during the December term. The case will be retried at Dedham in a few weeks. The charge of illegal keeping was dismissed.

Milford Selectman Gets Excited.

"If you drive another nail or turn another shovel of dirt until the selectmen give you permission, you'll do so over my dead body," is what Selectman and Deputy Sheriff A. A. Jenkins of Milford is said to have said to the foreman of the gang of men who were putting in a connection between the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket and Milford, Holliston & Framingham Street railway tracks on Main street, Milford, when the foreman bid defiance to Mr. Jenkins, who, as selectman, protested against the location of the connecting link and warned the foreman to stop work. Mr. Jenkins drew a revolver.

This incident occurred just before 1 o'clock last Wednesday morning.

The trouble arose over a dispute as to how near the middle of the street a frog should be laid. The selectman was aroused from his sleep by the sound of the men working and, when he discovered the frog being laid near the sidewalk, ordered the men to stop work. The foreman scoffed at Mr. Jenkins and the latter drew a revolver. Later the trouble was adjusted and the frog was laid in the middle of the street according to Jenkins' idea.

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Mrs. L. K. Dearborn can now be found at her new location, 8 Fletcher's block, where she will be pleased to greet all her former patrons, as well as new ones.

Fish received fresh daily. Oysters in and out of shell. Blue fish, butter fish, halibut, cod, haddock, Finnan haddie, clams and oysters at Paine's market.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

Thank God for a Faithful Friend.

Monday morning while Secretary Stewart of the Y. M. C. A. was giving an order for curtains for the rooms of the association, the question of the number was under consideration, and he said: "We want seven, but I can only order four now;" and then after a second said "Wait a moment, I have not looked at my morning's mail, and that may mean something in connection with the curtains," and turning to his pocket he took out a bunch of letters. Right on top was God's direct answer to prayer, which, when opened, was found to read as follows:

"MY DEAR CHARLES:—I have been thinking over the work of the Y. M. C. A. and it is an easy matter for me to see how necessary it is that you have that other room, in order that people not interested in class work may not be disturbed. Now I will gladly pay the year's rent of it if you will include it in the suite, * * * the only proviso that my name is kept out of the fact.

Very truly yours,

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This letter contained additional favors, which mean much to the secretary, for all of which he sincerely thanks God and the kind friend of the association. As the secretary says, "May God's blessing attend him."

Farmers' Club.

The club met Monday evening, Nov. 19, with L. W. Daniels, Pond street, who read a paper on "Farm Machinery and Tools and Farm Practices of Fifty Years Ago Compared with the Present." He said in part: I am just a little too young to know by practical work the methods and tools of fifty years ago. Some of the first times I remember of going into the field with my father was to see him plough or harrow. The old fashioned wooden plough had straps nailed onto the mould board, and a point that could be taken off and sent to the blacksmith to sharpen. This with a harrow of eleven or thirteen teeth comprised most all the tools on the farm in those days. Two, four and six yoke of oxen were used on the plows and harrows. You can hardly imagine the small amount of land that was then worked over compared to what we can do now with our steel or sulky plows. A pair of horses with a good wheel harrow will go over more ground and do better work than six yoke of oxen did in the old days. Then take the mowing machine in comparison with the hand scythe. Three men today can get more hay with mower, tedder and horse rake than ten men could fifty years ago.

There are lots of small tools today that were not known then. There are lots of small tools today that were not known then. The tendency of the times is to have a tool or machine for every kind of work on the farm. This may be all right where a man has plenty of money to pay for them. There are many tools used on western farms that are not practicable here on our New England hills. For instance, a hay loader Some of our machines are so complicated that the strain of working them causes many a break and delay. The manure spreader, for instance, will not stand the heavy work required of it. I have had agents here to sell me one, but when I could count six or seven that were not in use within two miles they dropped the subject, as I had the best of them.

You must all admit that farm practices of fifty years ago as compared with today have changed as well as the machinery and tools. The old way of raising nearly all that the family consumed on the farm is gone by. I can remember when my father kept sheep for the mutton and wool. He would kill a sheep every few weeks in cold weather; the wool was spun into yarn and made our stockings, and it was a point in those days never to buy anything that you could raise on the farm. I think if we did so now many of us would be short of provisions at some time. I do not think it best to depend on any one crop, but have several that follow in succession, so that if it is a poor year for one, some of the others make up the difference. The old time barter trade has passed and gone. Most of us can find some crop that will bring in ready money, as potatoes, hay, milk, eggs or chickens. I think there is a good chance to raise and sell cows. A new milch cow always will bring ready money.

Bad Weather

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COMMUNICATIONS.

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Relic of John Quincy Adams.

"Lord, thou hast kept me through the night;
I will praise Thee for the morning light.
O keep me from harm, from sin today
And guide me on my heavenly way."

EDITOR SENTINEL:—The above lines I took from a southern paper which claims that President John Quincy Adams is said to have repeated them every morning the last twenty years of his life. It occurred to me that it might be worthy of a place in the SENTINEL. Might not such a relic help some of our young men to follow in the steps of the old president? For more than forty years I have had for a help to my morning meditations some similar lines of my own, which have become a fixed and satisfactory habit.

SUBSCRIBER.

A Good-Sized Army.

Every Wednesday the pay car of the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad comes here, and the employes crowd around to get their weekly wages. They are paid off to the Friday previous. They little realize that they are but a drop in the bucket, as it were, as the weekly pay roll numbers 29,041 persons, which does not include officers and other employes on the monthly roll to the number of 118. This vast army is divided as follows:

General offices (New Haven and Boston) 696, trainmen 2,663, stations 8,035, roadway 5,974, lighterage department 280, other employes under division superintendents 150, signal and interlocking departments 194, enginemen 987, firemen 970, machine and car shop men 3,953, shop foremen and clerks 277, car inspection 901, building dep't 233, electrical dep't 111, drawing room and sleeping car dep't 203, telephone dep't 26, engineering dep't 94, boats 1,748, piers and stations 1,001, shops 545; total 29,041.

"Our New Minister."

Denman Thompson and George W. Ryer, the authors of "The Old Homestead," have brought forth a new rural comedy of New England life, entitled "Our New Minister," which, like "The Old Homestead," is as clean as a whistle," as pure and wholesome and invigorating as the air which sweeps across our New England farms, and as sweet and elevating in its moral tone as a vesper chime. Laughter and tears have a hot race in about every scene, some of the strongest and most forceful lines and situations revealing the two elements of human emotion.

It is not a religious play, as the title might naturally suggest, but rather a simple narrative of every day life in a New England rural community, with narrow-minded, hard-headed and close-fisted piety on the one side, and warm-hearted, generous, broad humanitarian impulses on the other. The new minister arrays himself on the side of liberality and that broad Catholicity which preaches charity, love and redemption rather than niggardliness and hypocrisy. It appears at the Opera house tomorrow evening.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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He Was All at Sea.

An old sailor visited friends at Duluth recently, and went out in a small boat for a sail. When out of sight of shore he encountered a squall that carried away his little sail and half mast, leaving him with only a small paddle to navigate with. The wind was off shore. There were no provisions in the boat and it was three days before the sailor was picked up by a passing steamer. "Of course I suffered," said he, "but I believe that my worst suffering was from humiliation after I was rescued. The first thing I asked for was a drink of water. One of the men in the rescuing boat looked at me as if he thought me delirious, but when I repeated my request he took a tin cup, leaned over the side of the boat, and, dipping up some water gave it to me. Then I realized for the first time that I was on fresh water instead of salt, and that I need not have gone thirsty a minute. You see I had been an ocean sailor, and Lake Superior is so big and ocean-like that I just took it for granted that I was in the same fix as in previous shipwrecks.

It was a generous Swede who, in consideration of getting a good wife, was willing to add to the sum "the law allowed" for performing the marriage ceremony, according to the New York Press. "A young Swede called on a minister in a western state with a blond sweetheart in tow and asked to be married. The minister performed the ceremony. 'How much do you charge for him?' the Swede asked. 'Dollar?' 'I don't charge for it,' the minister explained, 'but the law allows me a dollar and a half.' Ole took a silver half dollar from his pocket, handed it to the minister and remarked: 'Ay tank she mek yo two dollar.'"

The immense collection of fossil fishes acquired from Ohio fields by Dr. William Clark, of Berea, O., has just been purchased by the British museum. The whole collection weighed over three tons, embracing many rare genera and species that may never be duplicated, and as a whole were the most complete set of these interesting fossils in the world. Dr. Clark, who has a world-wide reputation as a geologist, has been developing the Ohio fields since 1884, and already has many new genera placed to his credit.

Lucy Havens, hailing from Galien, Mich., and weighing about 355 pounds, became a public charge at the county poorhouse, Laporte, Ind. Dr. Deeters, of Union City, Ind., offered to marry her and agreed to deposit $1[illegible] as a guaranty of good faith. Arrangements for the wedding were begun, but meantime a showman came along and persuaded Miss Havens to travel and be exhibited. She signed a contract to do so, and now Dr. Deeters has sued the showman, asking $5,000 damages for causing Miss Havens to break her promise.

A severe wind and hailstorm struck Tunnelton, Md., a few nights ago just after Charles Cozad and his family had gone to bed. The storm lifted the whole house except the lower floor from its foundation and carried the walls and roof up into the air, depositing the house right side up and complete, except for the floor, nearly 100 yards away. The family awoke to find themselves sleeping in the open air, the house having been literally blown over their heads. Not one of them was injured.

Judge A. Gay, of Arcadia, Ind., is framing a bill which will be introduced in the legislature next winter providing for the establishment of a whipping post in Indiana to punish wifebeaters. He thinks the same punishment should be meted out to habitual drunkards, to men who insult women on the streets and in other public places and to petty thieves who under the present law cannot be sent to the penitentiary.

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FOOTLIGHT FAVORITES.

Sol Smith Russell, by the advice of his physicians, is to spend the winter in California.

Sir Henry Irving will not play [illegible] next April, when he will produce at the Lyceum theater the play, "Charles IX," he intends to bring to the United States the [illegible].

Offenbach's "La Belle Lafitte," produced [illegible] at the Renaissance theater, Paris, soon after the death of the composer, was performed for the first time on a German stage a short time ago at Jantsch theater, Vienna.

Alice Nielsen is from California, but her opera company has not yet been heard in that state. Manager Perley has so arranged next season's tour that nearly the whole winter will be spent in California and the southern states this side of the mountains.

Mme. Modjeska says the tour she will make the coming season is one of farewell. She is now on her way to Honolulu for a rest of a few weeks. On her return the Shakespearean play "King John," in which she will appear as Constance, will be put in rehearsal. R. D. MacLean and his wife, Odette Tyler, will support the great actress.

Richard Mansfield will stage his Shakespearean play of the year, "Henry V," at the Garden theater, New York, on October 1. The scenery for the play is completed and all the costumes have been made. In addition to the 50 speaking parts in the play, a ballet and a chorus have been engaged. It is Mr Mansfield's avowed intention to make the play as notable from a spectacular as a histrionic standpoint.

Richard Reed will begin next season his fourteenth as a star in the Boston museum, with a new comedy entitled "A Modern Crusoe," by Sydney Rosenfeld. It is said to be in a different vein from other comedies in which he has been seen. He will have the aid of Miss Isadore Rush and a company including Charles Gotthold, Herbert Fortier, L. P. Hicks, James Devlin, Myrtle Myers, Carolyn White and others.

ODDS AND ENDS.

England is preparing the medals for the South African war. They will be of silver. Five presses with a daily output of 160 medals will be used in issuing them.

Postmaster General Smith's estimate of stamps needed for the coming fiscal year is as follows: 1,678,186,[illegible] 1-cent stamps, 3,019,834,000 2's, 84,7[illegible] 3's, 35,[illegible] 4's, 62,290,000 5's, 9,8[illegible] 6's, 16,800,000 8's, 26,100,000 10's, 3,500,000 15's, 7[illegible],000 50's, 40,[illegible] $1's, 3,000 $2's, 4,[illegible] $5's and 7,85[illegible] special delivery.

A sailor named Wilson, who was on the Oregon when she grounded on the rocks recently, is authority for the statement that after she had stuck there three days a big modern Chinese cruiser hove in sight chased by the Russians. As she approached the Oregon she ran up an American flag. Her officers claimed the protection of Capt. Wilde's and got it.

The largest time ball in the United States is being erected in Philadelphia on the roof of the Fourth street end of the bourse. The ball, which is four feet in diameter and weighs 60 pounds, will be hoisted to the top of an iron column, 190 feet above tidewater, five minutes before noon each day and be dropped electrically 4[illegible] feet to an air cushion exactly at noon by the naval observatory clock in Washington. The object of the time ball is to enable all the mariners in the Delaware and Schuylkill rivers to regulate their chronometers before sailing.

Resort Hotel Keeper—"Any guests in this evening's train?" 'Bus Driver—"Nobody to speak of. Only a single trunk woman and a grip gent."—Boston Transcript.

Snarley—"What's self-esteem?" Yow—"It's something we all hate to see in some one else, but which is a virtue if we possess it ourselves." — Syracuse Herald.

Bobbie—"Pa, is Chicago the largest city in the world?" Father—"Yes, my son—that is, it's the largest city for its size this world has ever seen."—Town Topics.

"Do you like your job?" "No," replied the editor, glancing wearily at the ax which he used in the case of poets, "there's too much hack work about it."—Detroit Journal.

Good Suggestion.—"I wonder why they don't name one of the new ships the Mayflower?" "What for?" "Why, so that future generations can say their ancestors came over on it."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

"What are you kicking about?" they said to him, arranging their chips in piles of ten. "You seemed glad enough when we let you in." "Yes," replied the hard loser, "but if you hadn't let me in I wouldn't have been out."—Philadelphia Press.

The Nation's Mustard.

Lompoc, in Santa Barbara county, Cal., grows mustard for the whole nation. In that region 2,000 acres are cultivated to the seed, the industry employing about 200 farmers. No one employs himself exclusively in cultivating the plant, because of its refusal to yield two successive crops upon the same land. Accordingly, the mustard raiser can only devote a part of his farm to it each season. The land from which he harvested his crop this year must next year be planted to beans or barley, corn, pumpkins or beets. Indeed, results show that it pays to skip two years in planting mustard, and only turn the soil to its use every third season. What active principle there is in the soil that is withdrawn by this exacting plant to the land's impoverishment has not yet been determined. When it has been learned how to feed the soil, in order to replace what the growing mustard withdraws, the industry is expected to assume larger proportions.—San Francisco Chronicle.

The Incubus of Debt.

"People do not know what troubles they are brewing for themselves when they run into debt," says Smiles. "It does not matter for what the debt is incurred. It hangs like a millstone round a man's neck until he is relieved of it. It presses like a nightmare upon him. It hinders the well-being of his family. It destroys the happiness of his household. Even those who are in the regular receipt of large incomes feel crippled, often for years, by the incubus of debt. Weighted down by this, what can a man do to save—to economize with a view to the future of his wife and children? A man in debt is disabled from insuring his life, from insuring his house and goods, from putting money in the bank, from buying a house or a freehold. All his surplus gains must go toward the payment of his debt."—Success.

The Young Girl's Confidante.

A girl is easier to "talk to" than a boy; her confidence is easier to win and harder to hold, and most of her troubles will be of her own making. There is so much frivolity, so much light handling of the serious matters of love and life, that she is often as discouraging as she is lovable. Slowly the better nature asserts itself; slowly great ideas germinate and bear fruit. Is there nobody to help her, to reveal to her a knowledge of the grave values of living? This is a time when the minister's wife can counsel and advise.—Ladies' Home Journal.

What a Cat's Tongue Suggested.

A cat's tongue is rough and carries milk from dish to mouth, as we all know. Who would ever suppose that a man would invent a water carrier which should be a giant cat's tongue! Yet this very thing was done in England many years ago. At the top of a mine shaft was placed one roller, at the bottom another, and an endless length of cloth was wound over them. The standing water in this mine was drawn up the shaft by machinery. The water was lapped up by the cloth tongue.—Boston Globe.

The Czar's Most Trusted Servant.

Gen. Alexei Nicolaievich Kuropatkin, the Russian minister of war, is probably the most trusted, the most powerful and most faithful servant of the czar. His rise to rank and power was gradual but sure, and in 1898 he was made absolute master, under the czar, of the armies of all the Russias. He began his military career in Turkestan when a youth, and has served with distinction in all Russia's wars for many years.

As Others See Us.

"Yes, sir," remarked the pompous individual in the noisy clothes. "I'm a self-made man, sir—and the architect of my own fortune."

"Well," rejoined the matter-of-fact person addressed, "it's a lucky thing for you that the building inspector didn't happen along at the time."—Chicago Evening News.

Circumstantial Evidence.

"Is your friend Liefman a vegetarian?"

"I believe he is."

"What makes you think so. Have you ever dined at his house?"

"No; but I've smoked one or two of his cigars."—Boston Courier.

A Mother's Anxiety.

"Mamma is so peculiar. She is always nervous when any young man is paying me attention."

"That's strange. Why is it, do you suppose?"

"Oh, she is afraid he will not propose."—Brooklyn Life.

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PEOPLE YOU HAVE HEARD OF.

Charles A. Towne is a very nervous and rapid speaker. Frequently, when the excitement of his speech gets the better of him, his words come so rapidly as to be almost unintelligible.

President Loubet, of France, is the first chief executive of that country to take to a bicycle. He has been lately riding one more or less publicly, and several Parisian papers have in consequence criticised him as undignified.

In a competition with 81 aspirants, Dr. S. Adolph Knopf, of New York, was awarded the prize of 4,000 marks offered by the Berlin tuberculosis congress for the best essay on "How to Fight Tuberculosis as a Disease of the Masses."

The pope does his private writing with a gold pen, but his pontifical signature is always given with a white-feathered quill, which is believed to come from the wing of a dove, although persons who have seen it say it must have come from a larger bird. The same quill has been in use for more than 40 years. It only serves for important signatures, and is kept in an ivory case.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

Japan has established commercial schools for the training of women, and one of the largest Japanese railroads announces that after a certain date it will employ only women as clerks.

Since her return to England Lady Sarah Wilson has been beset by interviewers and photographers; and publishers not a few are bidding for the book which she is preparing about her life among the Boers and her experiences in Mafeking.

Dowager Queen Margherita of Italy, who intended to settle in Turin, has yielded to the entreaties of her son and her daughter-in-law and will take up her residence in Rome. The news was received with great joy, the queen being adored by the Roman population.

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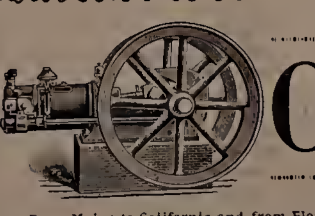

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CLARENCE is all right in some ways, but he's got the political germ. That's what's the matter with Clarence. The last time he was in the hospital they must have inoculated him with the Demosthenes virus. Now he thinks he's the original font of eloquence and he's shaping up for the campaign. He's got the orations of Patrick Henry bound in morocco and the eloquence of William J. Bryan bound in calf, and the poems of Edward Atkinson bound in yellow dog.

The Topfloor Debating club gave him the chance of his life the other day. He'd been spouting around there till most of us were threatened with this fancy new ear disease and we appointed a committee to devise ways and means of shoving a spoke in Clarence's cogs. It was Bill that put up the game. Bill goes down to Fourteenth street every now and then and pulls a salary out for looking pleasant. Right next to the office where he'd work if his father wasn't head of the firm, so that he gets the same salary without the trouble, there's a sort of one-act assembly room. All kinds of societies that have got the price to pay in advance go down there and reform things. Last week there was a scrap for the room between the Society for the Suppression of Insect Life in Our Midst and the United Greek Peddlers' Five-Dollar-a-Week Police Benefit organization. That's just to show you what kind of belfry bats flit around that locality. When the Insects and the Greeks got through with each other the assembly room was suffering with abrasions and severe internal injuries. The agent for the joint turned them all out and let his place for three days to the Society of Silent Thought. Bill Pratt took a look in at their first meeting and came out with a smile on his face like a long drink on a hot day. He saw that outfit was just made to order for Clarence.

You might think that Bill would put the rest of us on at the start. That isn't Bill. Bill has an anise-seed bag smothered to death when it comes to foxiness. This was his game, and he did the Silent Thought act as if he was a member of the gang. All we had to know was that Clarence had been invited to deliver an address before the Society of Silent Thought and that three or four of us were to go along to see that he got a fair shake from the referee and nobody rubbed oil of mustard on his legs. There wasn't much time for preparation, but that didn't change the odds on Clarence. We all knew that he had his winter's supply of oratory stored away from wind and rain. Knew it? Why we hadn't had a chance to forget it for ten weeks!

"I'll give 'em 'The Influence of Monetary Fluctuations on the Rights of the Common People,'" said Clarence.

Maybe he didn't have the hot debate with the club looking glass that evening. The rest of us stood around and gave him an occasional hand on his good work, but it was a wild night upon the sea pilot. Clarence is one of those windmill orators. When he gets fairly huzzing the air is fuller of arms and legs than a trussmaker's show window. He took two hours to that rehearsal, and when we dragged him off for fear of laryngitis the mercury was peeling off the back of the looking glass. The next night we boxed him up in a frock coat and escorted him to the Silent Thought meeting.

"Now, Clarence, my boy," said Bill Pratt, "these people are a little on the freak, but they're all right at that. Their stunt is to sit very still and think very hard. That's the way they absorb ideas. Don't be discouraged if they don't give you the glad hand. They'll appreciate you, all right."

Then he led Clarence in and turned him loose on the Silent Thinkers. There wasn't any silence doing around there for the next five minutes. Clarence opened up with a few of his megaphone whoops and then he began to do calisthenics. Say, you never saw anybody more pleased than that bunch of queer ones. They were just tickled pink. What seemed to suit them best of all was Clarence's ground and lofty calisthenic gestures. He'd wave and waggle and twiddle his fingers, and pretty quick they began to get awake and respond. For a man that's always been reasonably sure of getting home before six a. m. that was a shaky experience. We fellows on the outside began to wonder what Bill had run us up against. It looked like a signal corps doing fancy practice without their official wigglers.

It might have been half an hour, or it might have been an hour, and Clarence had begun to break into the rights of the people line when Bill Pratt said to the rest of us:

"Here's where we adjourn. I think the society's had enough. Do an exit when I give the signal."

Then he broke loose in a yell that made Clarence sound like a penny whistle and let loose a lot of those big torpedoes, and down the stairs we all went, yelling: "Fire!" "Murder!" and "Police!" Clarence passed us in the stretch, though we'd left him at the post. But it struck us all as very much on the twist that none of the society came along. It didn't seem like it was any occasion for silent thought. Anyway they stuck, and when he found that out Clarence had a powerful hunch to go back and have a relapse. We hollow-squared him and took him back to the Topfloor Debating club to talk it over.

Theories were thick and plentiful about the Silent Thinkers, and the general opinion was that Bill and they had put it all up. Some way, though, the finish didn't fit with that idea. All the time we were discussing it and Clarence was getting fretty and humid around the collar, Bill did the wise owl and never said a word. Finally Bob Binks said that unless Bill opened up and gave us a full diagram he was going back home to have the place raided as a private annex to the House for Associated Maniacs.

"That's all right," said Bill, comfortably. 'Don't worry about their not being sane. When it comes to sanity they've got Clarence in a padded cell."

"Didn't you get 'em in the Eden Musee?" one of the fellows asked.

"Now, here, it's this way," Bill said. "Clarence has been having the seven-year itch to blow himself to some oratory and I promised I'd get him the chance. When I found out about the Society for Silent Thought I knew he couldn't do 'em any harm, and it would be good practice for him."

"What do you mean about not doing them any harm?" said Clarence, doing a Roman candle sputter.

"Why, they're a club of deaf mutes," said Bill.

Afterward none of us could remember just what Clarence said, but it was oratory all right. Patrick Henry would have thought he was a deaf mute himself if he'd gone up against that spiel. When Clarence went away with that proud and haughty look of his we asked Bill what the Silent Thinkers thought they were in for anyway.

"Oh, that's all right," said Bill. "I told em that my friend would give 'em a comic lecture in the sign language."

Clarence says he's going to resign from the club.—N. Y. Sun.

A Rude Shock.

He—I know your family does not like me, but—will you be my wife?

She—Well, I should say not!

"Whew! That's rather a—"

"I repeat, I should say not; but, as a girl in love doesn't generally do as she should, I'll say 'yes!'"—Catholic Standard and Times.

The Best He Could Do.

"Read that to me, will you?" said Mrs. Sterlingworth to her husband as she handed him a fragment of a Hebrew newspaper.

"I can't read it," replied Mr. Sterlingworth; "but if you'll wait until I get my flute I'll play it for you."—Judge.

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The Baby 'Cross the Way.

There's a little bunch of dimples at the window 'cross the street,
Just the cutest little stranger that you ever chanced to meet.
And it's good to sit and watch him at his cunning baby play,
That little imp of sweetness, the baby 'cross the way.

How we love to sit and watch him as he laughs in baby glee,
Or see him playing horsey on his papa's sturdy knee,
And his papa is the proudest when he hears his youngest say,
"Oo! oo! goo! goo!"—the baby 'cross the way.

When he bites the ring of rubber or pounds his tiny boot,
There never was a baby half so cunning or so cute,
And he is a gloom dispeller, like the sunshine of the day,
That little king of honey—the baby 'cross the way.

But when we cling to downy pillows and the icy streets are still,
And a wail of piercing anguish floats across the other sill,
And he bawls away incessant till the morning east is gray,
Then we feel that we could smother the baby 'cross the way.
—Chicago Daily News.

The "Crick."

Give me a taste of the Crick to-day
Up where it is dark and still,
Up where the bass and pickerel stay,
Where the sun peeps thro' in a stealthy way,
Where the sunbeams dance when the branches sway
Close under the towering hill.

Give me a boat with an idle oar,
And a fishpole light and strong;
With a friendly thrush on the near-by shore,
And a lucent sky where the fishhawks soar,
And I would ask for nothing more,
O not for the whole day long.

My heart goes out to the Crick to-day,
It is cool and clear and calm;
The throb of the town lies far away,
The mink and the muskrats doze and play,
While the waters sweep in a friendly way
The shores of my old home farm.

Give me a taste of the Crick I miss,
A song of the spinning reel;
Where stream meets stream with a loving kiss,
Where song birds tell us of bird-like bliss—
O, a heart grown cold to a scene like this
Is a heart of the hardest steel!
—Joe Cone, in N. Y. Sun.

The Time That Didn't Turn Back.

Backward, turn backward, O Time, in your flight,
Make me sixteen again, just for to-night!
Let me go tearing around as of yore,
With my own joys to think of and not a thing more,
With no one depending on me to make good
For house rent or coal bills or clothing or food,
With father still doing the stewing, and I
Not caring a cent nor inquiring why.

Backward, turn backward, O Time, and permit
Me once more to sit here believing I'm "It"—
Put in my heart the delusion again
That I know the whole thing, as I thought I did then!
Fill me with dreams of high honors in store
That I'm always too busy to have any more;
Let me depend upon others instead—
Oh, yes! yes! I'm coming! I'll put 'em to bed!
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

Growing Old.

A little more gray in the lessening hair
Each day as the years go by;
A little more stooping of the form,
A little more dim the eye.
A little more faltering of the step
As we tread life's pathway o'er,
But a little nearer every day
To the ones who have gone before.

A little more halting of the gait,
And a dullness of the ear;
A growing weariness of the frame
With each swift passing year.
A fading of hopes, and ambitions, too,
A faltering in life's quest;
But a little nearer every day
To a sweet and peaceful rest.

A little more loneliness in life
As the dear ones pass away;
A bigger claim on the Heavenly land
With every passing day.
A little farther from toil and care,
A little less way to roam;
A drawing near to a peaceful voyage
And a happy welcome home.
—Los Angeles Herald.

Happiness.

I followed Happiness to make her mine,
Past towering oak and swinging ivy vine.
She fled, I chased, o'er slanting hill and dale,
O'er fields and meadows, in the purpling vale.
Pursuing rapidly o'er dashing stream,
I scaled the dizzy cliffs where eagles scream;
I traversed swiftly every land and sea,
But always Happiness eluded me.

Exhausted, fainting, I pursued no more,
But sank to rest upon a barren shore.
One came and asked for food and one for alms;
I placed the bread and gold in bony palms.
One came for sympathy and one for rest;
I shared with every needy one my best;
When lo! sweet Happiness with form divine,
Stood by me whispering softly: "I am thine."
—H. Ward Burleigh, in Monthly South Dakotan.

Achievement of the Pessimist.

He didn't like the world.
"'Tis cruel, crass," said he;
"All men are base or coarse,
Unfit to stand with me!

"I'll quit the crowded ways,
I'll leave the noise and strife;
I'll seek a hermit's cave
And settle there for life.

"My own companionship
Is all that I shall claim—
It only may I hold
Without a pang of shame."

And so he found a cave
And there he hid his face,
And bade the world farewell—
The thoughtless world and base.

At last men learned of this,
And, with becoming grace,
Admitted that he'd made
The world a better place.
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

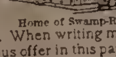
Don't Hunt Trouble.

Honey, ef you looks fo' Trouble,
You kin fin' him, sho'!
Ef you hunts, you'll fin' him double
Sneakin' 'round yo' do'.

He so glad tow hab you know him
Up he'll hang his hat—
Stay forebeh—less you show him
You'll hab none o' dat!

Now I gwine tow tell you—suttin—
(Larnt it ye'rs ago);
Ef you drap yore winnow cuttin,
An' shet tight yore do'—

He sune tire of payin' 'tention
Whar he am despised;
He's jest Trouble—year me mention
When he's reco'nized!
—Cora Amanda Lewis, in Success.



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BOOKS AND AUTHORS.

Prince Tuan is a man of letters as well as a Chinese warrior. He is the author of a romance entitled "The Night Flower of the Anshu Valley." He is a patron of Chinese art and has one of the finest porcelain collections in the empire.

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Another interesting English literary landmark is soon to disappear in the shape of the house in Richmond to which George Eliot and Mr. Lewes went to live in 1855, and which was their home for more than three years. During that time George Eliot wrote her "Scenes from Clerical Life" and "Adam Bede." The house is soon to be demolished.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Compressed air cars are not a favorite in New York. Passengers say the motion is like a "ride on a mowing machine over a rocky field."

The female mosquitoes are normally without much doubt plant feeders. Why they should draw blood at all is a question which has not been solved.

It is estimated that 250,000,000 microbes can stand on a postage stamp without crowding. The name of the man who counted them is not given.

Frost flowers, composed of the ice which forms on frosty mornings in late fall and early winter, are found on only 26 species of plants. Among these are the frost weed and the heliotrope.

The New York board of estimates and apportionment has authorized the expenditure of $200,000 for the botanical garden and $150,000 for an addition to the American Museum of Natural History.

The first bank of the school savings bank system was established in 1885 at Long Island City. In January, 1900, there were 97 banks in 15 states; of 179,630 pupils, 52,694 were depositors, with deposits amounting to $280,806.

The collection of curios in the Philadelphia mint contains a coin bearing on one side the profile of a woman closely resembling the goddess of liberty of American currency. "Demos," Greek for "the people," is engraved below. The other side shows a design of the goddess Diana arching her bow, and the inscription (translated) reads: "Diana, friend of the Philadelphians." This coin, minted over 2,000 years ago at Philadelphia, Asia Minor, was discovered by Joseph Mickley, of Pennsylvania, and presented to the Philadelphia mint.

OUT OF THE ORDINARY.

In place of two dozen explosive compounds in use 30 years ago, there are now over 1,000.

An authority on cats says that blue-eyed cats are always deaf, and that pure white ones are afflicted in the same manner.

An old Chinese proverb says: "The error of one moment becomes the sorrow of a lifetime." That unfortunate country now knows how to appreciate the truth of the proverb.

In the county of Kent, England, it has long been usual for farmers to lose immense quantities of fruit for lack of railroad transportation. They now engage automobile cars, which they load in the evening and take to London during the night. The arrangement is working well and railroad officials are busy devising plans to head off what may develop into serious rivalry.

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Old-Home Week.

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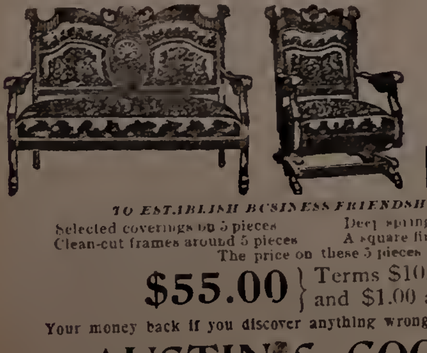
Assisting Nature.

The Young Man—Johnny, your sister's hair curls naturally, doesn't it?

Johnny (the young woman's younger brother)—O, yes. She just naturally curls it.—Chicago Tribune.

Poor Turkish Babes.

The Turkish mother loads her child with amulets as soon as it is born, and a small bit of mud, steeped in hot water, prepared by previous charms is stuck on its forehead.—N. Y. World.



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"Burch, I tell you that old black hen is a jewel." "Yes, and I see that she has a fine setting."—N. O. Times-Democrat.

Explained.

'He's generous to a fault.' That's true!
But then it's always shown,
The fault that he is generous to
Is most one of his own.
—Catholic Standard and Times.

The Saucy Thing.

"Have you learned," he asked,
"To flirt with a fan?"
"No," the maiden said,
"I prefer a man."
—Chicago Times-Herald.

We presume that there are some people in New England who do not see the Boston Herald from day to day or from Sunday to Sunday. It should be a matter of regret, however, that so good a newspaper is not a part of the reading matter which finds its way into the family of every intelligent citizen of New England. The character of the paper is such as to commend itself to people of refinement and culture—a really high class publication. In its editorial page are discussed all the topics of the day. Its news pages team with the latest stories of the world's doings. Its department experts contribute the highest thought in special lines. The Boston Herald is also an illustrated newspaper, in the true sense of the word, in contradistinction to the paper with pictures. There never has been so good a newspaper in New England as the Boston Herald, and no New England home should be without it. It is sold by all newsdealers, and an order to have it delivered at your home will meet with a quick response if sent to the local agent.

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STATEMENT SEPT. 29, 1900.

LIABILITIES.		
Due Depositors		$565,502 99
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 99
Interest Account		4,027 82
Real Estate Income Account		184 78
		$598,672 44

ASSETS.		
Town and City Bonds		*$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,975 00
" " Mortgages		157,760 00
" " Personal Securities		174,269 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		522 22
Tax Account		502 73
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$3,028 14	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	1,304 95	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		4,417 25
Cash on hand		741 27
		$598,672 44

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

WALTER M. FISHER,
HORACE W. HOSIE,
Committee of Examination.

Sept. 29, 1900.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Lawrence McGinnis of Medway to Margaret H. Kenney of said Medway, dated August 6th, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 744, page 522, will be sold at public auction, upon the premises, on

MONDAY, the SEVENTEENTH day of DECEMBER, 1900,

at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely, three certain parcels of land situated on Village street, in said Medway, and bounded as follows:

The first lot southerly by said Village street, easterly on land late of Edward Eaton, now Medway Savings Bank, northerly on land of E. E. Carpenter, westerly on land of grantor, containing five acres and three-fourths, more or less.

The second lot situated opposite and bounded northerly on Village street, southwesterly by Charles River and easterly on land of Mrs. A. H. Clark and another.

The third lot is the grantor's homestead, bounded southerly on land of Peter Foley and Village street, easterly on lot first described above, northerly on woodland of W. A. Jenckes and westerly on land of Ellen McGill and Peter Foley, containing eight acres, more or less, being the same as lands described in the following deeds recorded in the Norfolk Registry to A. P. Phillips, book 398, page 315; to grantor, book 300, page 185, book 313, page 188, book 366, page 88, except a small piece conveyed to Peter Foley.

Excepting what was released from the grantor's homestead estated seventy feet on Village street and one hundred and fifty feet deep as per mortgage from John Bondo to Medway Savings Bank; excepting and reserving from the operation of this mortgage eight acres since released, described above as lot No. 3.

Terms of said sale will be made public at the time and place of sale.

GEORGE HART,
Assignee of said mortgage.

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FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

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MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Y. M. C. A.—You Must Come and Assist.

Notices of dances, etc., free when we do the printing.

E. L Stewart, with Adams express, is laid off by sickness.

Dr. J. C. Gallison is confined to the house by a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Daniels are enjoying a trip to Montreal.

William Knowlton and family moved to South Braintree this week.

E. A. Jillson and family have removed from Central street to Crescent street.

Walter A. Hawkins is on his way home from Austria, reaching here next week.

Mrs. Jennie Everett has sold the Pond house and lot on East street to Robert Park.

The holy communion will be celebrated at St. John's rectory next Sunday morning at 8 o'clock.

Owing to the unusual excellence and interest of the Farmers' club paper we reproduce it entire.

The last flag over the quarantined cases came down today, and the board of health feel correspondingly relieved.

Many of the young people are anxious to see now a little more snow, while many of the more aged are as anxious to see less.

The amount of taxes received by the collector to date is somewhat in advance of the amount to the corresponding date last year.

The Christmas festivities are now occupying the juvenile mind, and the churches and the homes will see to it that none are disappointed.

Mrs. Mary Newell and Miss Angie Marion were recently called to Walpole to attend the funeral of a friend, Mrs. Amelia Newell Boyden.

The gymnasium outfit for the Y. M. C. A. arrived Thursday and is being set up today. The boys say "It's all right" and they ought to know.

Mrs. Abbie Sage Richardson, who spoke very entertainingly at the High school here two or three years ago, died in Rome on Wednesday, aged 63.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Richardson left yesterday by the Mallory line of steamers from Boston for Fernandina, Fla., where they will remain till spring.

The cold season so far has been an excellent one for highway work, and good progress has been made in cleaning up the traveled ways for the winter.

Christ Church Guild of Medway are conducting a cake and candy sale at the house of Mrs. Maria Treen, Village street, this (Friday) afternoon and evening.

Under a law passed last spring, when interest is charged on unpaid taxes the rate is not to exceed 6 per cent. This law does not affect the taxes of 1899.

The members of the New England Order of Protection will hold a social dance next Wednesday evening, in Red Men's hall, from 8.15 to 12, and a good time is promised.

The American band orchestra is now one of the recognized needs at an opera house entertainment, and the music supplied between the acts is a very pleasant art of the evening.

Dr. Sneath presented a critical review upon Dr. Coe's new work, "The Spiritual Life," at the meeting of the Mendon association on last Tuesday, in the Y. M. C. A. building, Boston.

All who would avoid the rush at the Opera house Sunday evening should go early Remember the song service led by Mr. Geo. E. Knight of Hyde Park will commence at 7 15 o'clock.

The ladies of the Universalist church are arranging for a bazaar and fair in Central Square hall on Thursday and Friday evening, Dec. 20 and 21, further particulars of which will be given later.

Membership tickets to the Franklin Young Men's Christian Association are rapidly being taken up and as the young men visit the rooms for the first time, the remark frequently heard is "Well they are all right."

Have you secured your membership tickets. Remember it will be necessary for you to have them if you desire to attend the banquet Monday evening. The Secretary will be at the rooms this evening and Saturday evening to supply all who may desire them.

A friend dropped into the office on Wednesday night to announce that there was a three-masted schooner near Bachelor's corner to convey passengers across the pool which had been allowed to gather and remain. Surely it looks as if it must be some one's business to attend to a matter like that.

Some time ago it was hinted that Rev. Dr. Sneath had received a call to a Congregational church elsewhere and was considering it. We have it upon the best of authority that, while overtures were made to him, yet he gave no encouragement whatever, expressing a desire to remain here with this people.

The ladies of the Mary Warfield Missionary society were most interestingly entertained on Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Charles A. Richardson, mother of Mrs. William F. Ray, who spoke upon the glimpses of missionary work which she had seen in a recent trip abroad, especially in England, France, Italy and Spain.

"Our New Minister" was played to a good sized audience on Wednesday evening, and was the best presented play seen here in a long time. Every participant was thoroughly competent, and the stage setting was remarkably true to life. The acting and sentiments expressed evoked continuous and hearty applause.

About as comfortable a place for cold weather as any is the almshouse. Under the present administration everything appears neat and trim, and the steam heat makes all parts of the house comfortable. Those of the inmates who are able to get about have a comfortable sitting room, where they can enjoy an interchange of the news of the day or the discussion of social affairs.

Frederick A. Sawyer and Mrs. Georgie A. Holmes of Franklin were united in marriage on Thursday afternoon by Rev. Mr. Sneath. The ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. Sawyer on Daniels street, in the presence of a number of guests. Mr. Sawyer is a farmer by occupation and moved here from Everett about two years ago. Mrs. Sawyer was formerly a resident of Holliston.

A very pretty home wedding occurred at the residence of Bliss Cook on Lincoln street Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock, when Jennie Miller and Bliss Cook were united in the holy bond of wedlock, the Rev. Mr. Cook officiating. The house was prettily decorated, and a number of friends and relatives were present. The happy couple left Thursday morning for a trip to Maine, taking the good wishes of hosts of friends.

The Franklin lady equipped for a walk in the rain with sensible shoes and short skirt is a vast improvement over the old style, clutching her voluminous draperies with one hand, while the other side of them drags in the mud, and balancing her parcels and umbrella in the other. Mothers as well as daughters are adopting the abbreviated skirt. Why should they not, indeed! Sensible styles and health giving sports should never be the exclusive property of the young.

There was an interesting old folk's service at the Baptist church last Sunday forenoon and a large attendance. Rev. F. B. Sleeper emphasized the importance of continual usefulness, of sweetness of character and of wise and kind judgment on the part of those advanced in years. There are none that outlive true service in this world if they will only think so. The constant study and aim should be to make life's last days on earth the best days of unselfish consecration. There is no one more loved and respected than the aged man or woman filled with divine sweetness.

Most newspaper advertisers know that they do not need to entrap people into reading their ads., but have only to tell a straightforward tale. The same impulse that leads people to look into a shop window causes them to read the advertising columns. There they often discover a want that has not occurred to them, besides gaining a great deal of varied and sometimes useful information. It is always profitable to look carefully over the advertising columns of the SENTINEL, especially those of our local advertisers. The better patronage merchants receive the larger and more varied stocks of goods they will keep.

A Franklinite writing to the Woonsocket Call intimates that the recent decision of Judge Doe in the McParland case is not a "victory" for the temperance element of the town. We fail to see it in that light. Had the decision been favorable to McParland surely it would have been regarded by McParland and his friends as a defeat for their opponents. What may be the decision of the higher court does not at present enter into the case here. It was a "victory" pure and simple, so far as this court was concerned, and beyond that no one is in a position, in this particular case, to predict.

The first regular meeting of the Practical Improvement section of the Alden club was held at the residence of Mrs. Gertrude Thayer on Thursday afternoon, fifteen members being present. Miss Frances King was chosen chairman, and Mrs Annabelle Woodward secretary. Mrs. Margaret L. Ray explained fully the object and plans of the section, and it was decided that the meetings should be informal and the subjects discussed practical. Miss King gave a very entertaining and instructive talk on "The Power and Authority of School Officials,", referring to the compulsory school age, discipline, employment, and courses of study, and explaining many laws, both local, state and national. After a short discussion the section adjourned to meet with Mrs. Gertrude Daniels on Thursday afternoon, the second week in January.

There was a large attendance at the services of the Congregational church on last Sabbath. In the morning it was noticeable that the percentage of men present was a very large one. Dr. Sneath, taking the psychological division of men into four classes according to temperament, addressed himself especially to what is known as the "choleric class," or men who are appealed to most readily in the sphere of the judgment rather than that of the emotions. He urged these men to declare themselves publicly as followers of Christ and find the lines of Christian activity congenial to their temperament. In the evening the largest audience that has attended the journeys to the Holy Land was present. Dr. Sneath took the people on an imaginary visit to Samaria, Shechem, Mt. Gerizim, Joseph's tomb and Jacob's well.

Mrs. Catherine Desmond, widow of the late Jeremiah Desmond, died Wednesday afternoon at her late home on West street, aged 76 years. She had been in failing health for some time past, but had been confined to the house only for the past week. Mrs. Desmond, with her husband, was among the early settlers of Franklin, and was loved and respected by a large circle of friends. She was one of the oldest and most consistent members of St. Mary's parish, being among the first attendants here before a house of worship had been secured. She leaves one son, James W. Desmond, and one daughter, Mrs. Margaret Scanlon, widow of the late Edward Scanlon. The funeral took place yesterday morning from St. Mary's chapel, where a requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Reardon of Medway, a large number being present. The bearers were James McCormick, John Murphy, John Costello and William Doherty.

Amicably Arranged.

President Geo. W. Wiggin, treasurer E. K. Ray and directors Tyler and Shippee met attorneys Grover and Fairbanks, counsel for the town of Bellingham in the street railway matter, at the court house in Dedham on Wednesday. After a conference of three or four hours a memorandum signed by both parties was agreed upon.

Today the parties meet at North Bellingham and go over the entire line, and the company will begin at once to fix up the streets and grade. The North Bellingham grade crossing matter and the time card will also be considered.

Mr. Ray declared that if he could get a crossing at North Bellingham he would immediately push for a franchise through to South Framingham, and if the selectmen would move to abolish the crossing he would guarantee to do it. In regard to a box car the builders promised new cars early in the fall, but now say they cannot be furnished until Jan. 1 next. The question of income on the line as at present managed was not discussed. The officers of the road declared that a great many of the grievances complained of they were in ignorance of.

Alden Club.

The next open meeting occurs on Monday evening, when Mrs. Mabel Loomis Todd, who has been heard here with pleasure before, will give her deeply interesting lecture on "Carthage." It is hoped there will be a large number of members and gentlemen present to enjoy this treat.

Y. M. C. A. Opening.

The following is the program arranged for the opening of the new Y. M. C. A. rooms:

Saturday evening, Dec. 8—Consecration service, at the new rooms, at 7.45, conducted by Geo. E. Knight, secretary Hyde Park association. All men are invited and members are requested to attend the service.

Sunday, Dec. 9—Morning service in the churches at 10.30, with speakers as follows: Congregational, W. D. Fellows, secretary of Fall River association. Baptist, James S. Girdwood of Woonsocket, R I Methodist, George E. Knight, secretary at Hyde Park.

Afternoon Men's meeting — At 4, at Association rooms. Good speakers, good music, an attractive service. All men are invited. Come and invite your friends.

Mass meeting—At 7 30 p m., at the Opera house. Stirring addresses by leading Association men of Massachusetts. Special music by quartet, soloist and men's chorus. Song service will commence at 7 15. No services in the churches Sunday evening Come early and avoid the rush.

Monday evening, Dec 10—Reception to guests and members. R. M. Armstrong, general secretary of the executive committee of Massachusetts, will be present with other well known Association men. Membership tickets will admit to the banquet.

The secretary will be at the rooms this (Friday) evening and Saturday evening to supply tickets to all who may desire them.

Thursday afternoon, Dec. 13—Meeting for the formation of Ladies' auxiliary will be held in the rooms, at which Mrs. Oliver Durrell, president of the state organization, will be present and present the work of the auxiliary, at 2 o'clock.

The rooms of the association will be open after Saturday, Dec. 8, as follows: Week days, from 4 30 to 10 p. m.; Sundays, from 1 to 5 30 p. m. All are cordially invited to call and inspect the rooms.

An Unenviable Experience.

Dr. G. A. Martin had an experience with his automobile on Thanksgiving evening, about dusk, which was something in the nature of a "startler." He was returning from a professional call in Wrentham, and had just climbed the hill this side of the Lake Pearl gate. Ascending the next rise his machine was just rounding the top, when he "stripped" his gears, taking out all of the teeth, and of course, disconnecting his motive power. He at once applied his brake, but to no effect. He began to run slowly backwards down hill. He applied another and more powerful brake, but his machinery being damaged it would not work. There was nothing to do but to attempt to guide it backwards down hill as best he might. He could not jump out, for the moment he left his steering lever that moment he would be "slewed" over the embankment on one side, or over into the water on the other. Rushing backwards he managed to reach the bottom of the hill in safety, going up the hill the other side of the hollow some ways, and finally running down again into the hollow, where it stopped. The doctor kept his wits about him through it all, but did a "heap o' thinking." He is going to suggest to the makers of the auto that there should be an auxiliary hand brake attached for just such emergencies.

The Opening Night.

Next week Friday evening is the opening entertainment of the winter night's course at the Congregational church, when the Harvard male quartette and Miss Hennigar, reader, will appear. Already over 200 tickets have been sold, and many more are assured. The best seats are going rapidly and selections should be made as soon as possible, so as to insure satisfaction. The merit of the entertainments, the remarkably low price and the object for which the enterprise was planned, all combine to insure success.

Woonsocket Opera House.

The E. V. Phelan stock company holds the boards for one week, with a magnificent list of attractions, carrying all their own scenery, a fine ladies' concert orchestra, their own carpets, medallions, draperies, bric a-brac and elegant gold parlor furniture. Among the plays are The Ensign, The Fatal Card, Held by the Enemy, In Sight of St. Paul's, Too Much Johnson, The Great Randolph Mystery, Lady Audley's Secret, A Southern Romance, Led Astray, The Creole, Held by the Enemy and a vaudeville show in itself.

What We Have.

Now that Thanksgiving is over we shall pay special attention to meats, fine cuts, steaks, roasts, pork, lamb, veal, etc., pigs' liver 15 cents, home made sausage, fowls and chickens from 15 to 20 All the vegetables, spinach, radishes, lettuce, celery, etc. Canned soups of all kinds. Fine butter, fresh eggs, nice cheese. RICHARDSON.

Transient and regular patrons will find good service, clean and quick work at Oobee's barber shop, Opera house block.

Farmers' Club.

Franklin Farmers' club met Monday evening, Dec. 3, with Daniel Brown of Wrentham, about fifty going down on a special car. They had a most enjoyable time. Mr. Brown introduced Mr. Winter, who read a paper on "Fruit:"

The profession of fruit-growing has in all ages been considered an honorable and fascinating employment. It dates with the antiquity of the human race, and one of the first things Noah is said to have done after leaving the ark was to plant a vineyard. Down through the ages we find the grape holding a high place in the history of the nations, principally, perhaps, because the ancient nations whose histories have come down to us lived in that part of the globe where the Asiatic grape grew to its greatest luxuriance. Figs, also, are prominently mentioned, as holding a position second only to the grape. What the character of those fruits were we have no means of knowing, but the nations in whose possession they were were evidently quite satisfied with the profusion of Nature's bounties. Most of you have doubtless seen, on the covers of some of our religious magazines, a picture of two men carrying a pole on their shoulders, on which is hung a bunch of grapes, said to be a picture of the spies returning from Palestine to make their report to the Israelites. Tradition has it that the grape was the white Syrian, which is grown today, and has been grown under hot house culture to weigh twenty-eight pounds to one bunch.

Perhaps one of the great excavators among those Eastern ruins may make a rich find by unearthing the book which Solomon wrote relating to every plant that grew, from the hyssop that groweth out of the wall to the cedar that is on Lebanon, then we may get some knowledge as to the taste, or size, or character.

In modern times fruit growing has been pretty well reduced to a science, and I think I am safe to say that fruit growers know more about the best methods of culture than they are willing to give to the particular production they may be cultivating. There are hundreds, doubtless, who grow fruit to some extent and who are ignorant of the common methods of culture, and they will never know, because their interest is not strong enough to push them on to acquire a knowledge, which is spread all around them in farmers' papers and horticultural magazines. Like everything else, fruit farming needs energy, brains and a continual attention to little details, which make up the sum of what is called success. There is no arbitrary division between the methods of growing fruit for profit and growing fruit for pleasure, but it may be generally comprehended in the following words: To grow fruit for pleasure, a person simply grows such fruits, and in such a way, as suits his own taste; whereas for profit he ignores his own taste and does his best to suit the taste of his prospective customers. What he strives for in both cases is success. These two objects may be called the home garden and the commercial garden.

The home garden is dear to the family The housewife goes there for her supplies; the children go there for the early fruits; the husband, if enthusiastic, goes there for his daily lessons, which may be of practical value on a large scale, if this small venture is a success; and the family go there because it is a pleasant place. To make this garden a success, and profitable as well as pleasant, the caretaker will try to give variety to as far as quality will permit. In some cases this will be very limited, as with the grape, or more varied, as the apple and pear, but always have a due regard to the hardiness and excellence of the fruit to be grown For instance, if one grapevine is wanted let it be a Worden, because that is the best black ironclad variety, larger and better than the Concord and eight days earlier. It is at present at the head of the black section. Should a white be wanted, get the Pocklington. This sometimes turns golden yellow, and is handsome enough to be mistaken for a hothouse grape, and is good enough to please the palate of anyone accustomed to the Vitis Labrusca family. This list may be increased indefinitely, if good judgment and good situations are used for grapes not quite so hardy as those mentioned.

For currants, the Fay is the best, and if another red is wanted get Prince Albert, which is quite distinct and a long keeper, with a few White grape or Dana's Transparent to make a difference in color is sufficient. Of strawberries get the best you can, and get an early or medium, and a late, so that you may have this fruit for nearly four weeks. When planting pears buy a Clapp's Favorite, a Bartlett, a Belle Lucrative, a Sheldon, a Beuerre, a Bosc and a Beurre D'Anjou. This half dozen covers four months of time, from August 1 to December 1. The apple patch is, perhaps, as hard a matter to decide as any, because an apple tree takes room and is slow to bear, but a good selection to cover the season can readily be made. First is a Yellow Transparent, next a

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COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

A Protest.

MR EDITOR:—As one of the delighted listeners at the fine play of "Our New Minister," on Wednesday evening, I am sure it was an oversight on the part of Manager Partridge to allow the advertisement of a "rumseller" to appear on the finely printed programs he furnished his audience. Such advertisements are an offence to all decent people, as was the one on the curtain at Hoag lake last summer. Good, clean advertising is read with profit, but to force patrons to read the advertisements of "rumholes" is an insult to all right-minded people.

TEMPERANCE.

Franklin, Mass., Dec. 7, 1900.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3 Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Congregational church — Public worship at 10 30; address by W. D Fellows, secretary Y. M. C. A. at Fall River. Sunday school at 12 Y. P. S. C. E at 6.

Baptist church.—At 10.30 address by James S. Girdwood, secretary Y. M. C. A at Woonsocket. Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5 45, led by pastor; theme, "How to Listen."

Universalist church.—The pastor, Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., will preach at 10 30 and 5 Y. P. C. U. at 6. Morning subject, "The Spiritual Authority and Leadership of Jesus Christ. Afternoon subject, "The Tractarian Controversy."

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by Geo. E Knight, secretary Y. M. C. A. at Hyde Park. Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 3 Vesper service and general prayer meeting at 6 30, led by pastor; subject, "God's Goodness and the Joy of Christ's Salvation."

Menu for Sunday.

The best cuts of meat, fowls and chicks, lettuce, cauliflower, parsnips, Hubbard squashes, Boston market celery, the finest; carrots, red cabbage, large, fine cranberries from the Ray meadows here; apples, prime butter, cream cheese, etc. Anything you want in the market line.

EMERSON'S MARKET.

All kinds of festooning, laurel wreaths, holly wreaths and evergreen wreaths made to order for Christmas. Cut flowers, roses and violets in large or small quantities. Funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse, Central street.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

All kinds of stove wood and kindlings dry at Allen's wood yard.

To Let — Furnished or unfurnished rooms, No. 12 Cottage street. 4 7*

Two hundred cords of trash wood for sale by E. S. Cook, Box 212. 26Ftf

To Let.—Rooms with or without board. Where? At the Franklin House. 7-tf

To Let—Cottage house, eight rooms, corner Central street and Milliken avenue. L. W. Milliken. 27tf

Auction sale of fine household goods at the Opera house block on Friday evening at 7.30. Rare bargains.

Wanted—A firstclass girl for general housework in a family of three. Liberal wages will be paid for same.

Found.—A sum of money on the floor of the office of the Hotel Windsor. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges. 7,11

Lost.—A yellow puppy, with black tipped tail, small nose, no collar. Return same to Winslow's express stables, Summer street, Franklin. 7

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

Mileage books to let. Trip tickets to Boston and Providence. Single tickets to Walpole 20c. A few 5-trip tickets to Boston for $2.60 All at a saving from the regular fare. Chas. H. Prince at the SENTINEL Office.

Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar.

Charles E. Hudson can accommodate three or four more pupils Call for particulars at office of P. A. Woodward, Dana block, on Friday evenings, between 7 and 9.

Bad Weather

Must be considered when figuring on your photos for Christmas. Better come for the sitting at earliest possible date, and thus avoid any possibility of disappointment. What more pleasing remembrance than one of our Platinotype portraits, so dainty and artistic.

CALKIN, Depot St.

W. A. Pond

Handles all kinds of rentable property, and will find you a tenant or tenement if you desire.

For Sale.—One 63 inch mangle, with steam connection, main roll 14 inches diameter and 4 small rolls, 5 1 2 inches. Made by the Laundry Machine Co., Troy, N. Y.; good condition. Apply to Worcester Textile Co.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhous

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Farmers' Club.

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Duchess of Oldenburg and then the famous Porter. These are three of the best kitchen or pie apples in use. If dessert apples are wanted, the William's Favorite, Gravenstein and Hubbard Nonsuch will fill the bill. For winter and spring there is nothing better than the three old New England favorites, R. I. Greening, Baldwin and Roxbury Russett. If a large selection is wanted, there is plenty of room for enlargement of the list. A few Japan plums will be wanted, they bear so early and so full, and are not apt to knot as European varieties. Abundance and Burbank are among the best known and ripen in succession. Also Red June, Hale and Wickson. A great many are on the market comparatively unknown, but there seems to be a great future before this class of plums. A couple of Orange quince in a moist but not wet corner will add a toothsome dainty to the winter preserves.

Of blackberries, the Snyder for early, and the Taylor for late fruiting makes a good combination. We have not yet mentioned cherries or peaches, but can say from experience that if three cherry trees are wanted, there is nothing better than Black Tartarian, Governor Wood and Napoleon Bigarrean. Of peaches I would speak with great modesty, as I have seen more peaches grown this summer, and in this quarter, than I ever saw before. My practice has been in growing hothouse peaches, and that necessarily in limited quantities. I think, however, that the best peach I have seen is the Oldmixon, while the Early Crawford always makes the handsomest basket. Early Rivers seems to be a large, good and early peach, and the list can be almost indefinitely extended, as new kinds are easily raised, and many of them soon lost sight of.

We will now give a few words to the commercial garden or orchard, as it is usually called. If a peach orchard, the cultivator will choose his kinds carefully, plant them in light soil with a dry subsoil, head them rather low and manure with commercial fertilizers, principally bone, for phosphorus, and wood ashes for potash. This, with clean culture, will produce short, hard wooded shoots, more capable of resisting severe cold than if barn manure had been used, thus supplying them with an excess of nitrogen, which is better supplied to the vegetable patch and some of the small fruits. Should the farmer have a good local market he cannot do better than extend his home garden to suit an enlarged home trade, and by supplying firstclass fruit he makes more work and larger profits than by any other method. Should he be far from market then he wants but few kinds and those of the very best. This class grow mostly apples, and there is nothing here better than Baldwins, with perhaps a few Greenings and Russets, but a handsome Baldwin will sell itself. These ought to be sprayed about three times during the early part of summer; first, just before blossoming; then just after the bloom has fallen, and again when the apples are as large as marbles, or just before they take their pendant position. These must also have clean culture and commercial fertilizers, although if anyways stunted nothing will start them off like good manure.

Doubtless you have heard of the Pell orchard on the Hudson river, where 4,100 acres are, or were, devoted to one apple, the Newton Pippin. As this apple will only grow in a few places, he had almost a monopoly for its sale, and thus secured a fortune. Markets abroad are opening up to American fruit, and American growers are responding by planting more largely to supply this demand. On the Cumberland tableland in Missouri and in the Pecos Valley, New Mexico, orchards containing in some cases 20,000 apple trees have been planted. Such kinds as the Bahlut and Mammoth Twig, or Arkansas Black are the favorites there, and each section of the country finds its own specialties.

Besides the foregoing, there may also be said to be a garden of romance, where such men as Luther Burbank of California has spent a fortune and planted thousands of acres of seedling trees, plants, etc., and is now culling out the worthy kinds, and will revolutionize the growing of some fruits, notably the prune and Japanese plum. His efforts in this direction will probably eclipse those of any other man, and have already earned him the title of "The Wizard of Horticulture." You may have heard the story of the Fay currant. Mr Fay gave it to George Josselyn of Fredonia, N. Y., to sell on shares on a ten years' contract, and Mr Josselyn paid to Mr. Fay and his heirs in that time a little over $32,000 as their share of the contract.

The Moore's Early grape is said to have realized for Mr. Moore of Concord about $18,000, and in many other cases of a like nature show that even fortunes are made in fruit culture. Yet the fact
25 remains that the profits in this business are likely to be small, though the pleasure may be great; and while the effort to grow firstclass fruit and plenty of it may help much to develop what is best in a man or woman, their bank account will probably not keep pace with their nobler possessions.

Hacking

There is nothing so bad for a cough as coughing. It tears the tendermembrane of the throat and lungs, and the wounds thus made attract the germs of consumption. Stop your cough by using the family remedy that has been curing coughs and colds of every kind for over sixty years. You can't afford to be without it.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

loosens the grasp of your cough. The congestion of the throat and lungs is removed; all inflammation is subdued; and the cough drops away.

Three sizes: the one dollar size is the cheapest to keep on hand; the 50c. size for coughs you have had for some time; the 25c. size for an ordinary cold.

"For 15 years I had a very bad cough. The doctors and everybody else thought I had a true case of consumption. Then I tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and it only took a bottle and a half to cure me."
F. MARION MILLER,
Oct. 28, 1898. Camden, N.Y.

Write the Doctor. If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice write the Doctor freely. Address
DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass

Doomed to Destruction.

The village of Santa Foy de Tarentaise in eastern France seems doomed to be engulfed. The base of the hill on which it stands is being eaten away by the rapid waters of the Isere. The houses, some of them, show cracks rivaling those of our Cheshire Northwich. Some day there will be a "short, sharp shock," and Tarentaise will no longer exist.—Boston Globe.

Florida, Cuba and the South, Mexico and California.

The Southern railway, the great trunk line of the south, offers the most perfect service for reaching the principal cities and resorts of the south, southwest and the Pacific Coast. Three through trains daily operate perfect dining car service, with through Pullman drawing room sleeping cars, New York to New Orleans, Atlanta, Memphis, Tampa, Jacksonville, Savannah, Aiken, Augusta, Asheville, Chattanooga, Nashville, Pullman tourist sleeping car Washington to San Francisco without change. January 14th, 1901, New York and Florida Limited resumes service between New York and St. Augustine. Finest train in the world, composed exclusively of composite dining, library, observation, compartment drawing room and sleeping cars, electric-lighted, steam heated. For descriptive matter of the route, rates and general information regarding the resorts of the south apply to Geo. C. Daniels, N. E. P. A., 128 Washington street, Boston.

Not His Fault.

Miss Thirty-eight (coyly)—What a pity it seems, Mr. Somerset, that a man like you should be a bachelor.

Mr. Somerset—Yes, Miss Thirty-eight, it does seem a pity, but I can't help it. You know I was born so.—Harlem Life.

World's Champion.

"I tried many remedies to cure piles," writes W. R. Smith of Latham, Ill., "but found no relief till I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve. I have not been troubled with piles since." It's the only champion pile cure on earth and the best salve in the world. 25c per box, guaranteed by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

Shirt Waists in Africa.

Helen Caddick, one of the few white women who have ventured into the heart of Africa, has recently written about her trip from Zambesi to the great lakes—a trip for pleasure. The cotton blouses or waists which she wore were washed and "ironed" by her native "boy," and the process was extraordinary. The laundryman first spread a mat on the ground. Next the clothes to be "ironed" were placed on it and smoothed out as well as possible. Then, placing a towel or some large cloth over the garment, he rubbed his feet back and forth over it until he thought it was smooth enough.—Youth's Companion.

ABOUT NEBRASKA.

Nebraska has no bonded debt.

Eighty per cent of Nebraska farmers own their farms.

The last bonds outstanding were redeemed and canceled June 2, 1900.

In 1898 1,190,000 sheep were fattened for market in Nebraska.

During the past 20 years the wealth of Nebraska has increased 155 per cent.

In Nebraska originated Arbor day. In a single year Nebraskans planted 66,937,494 forest trees.

Statistics show that in Nebraska only 31 people out of 1,000 cannot read or write. This is the best showing made by any state.

Her Reasonable Request.

When the beautiful girl's mother called her into the library for a little confidential chat the fair damsel was instantly on the defensive. She felt that she knew what was coming.

"I do not wish to be unreasonable," said the mother, "but that young man who calls here three nights a week must—"

"Enough!" interposed the beautiful girl. "I know what you would say. Harold is not wealthy, but he has excellent prospects, and I will not give him up. I love him."

"Yes, of course," returned the mother. "And naturally you have reason to believe that he loves you."

"He has told me so," said the beautiful girl.

"Exactly," asserted the mother. "Then it's all plain sailing. If he really loves you, don't you think you could persuade him to stop using hair oil or else to pay the laundry bills for the tidies on the backs of the parlor chairs?"—Chicago Post.

In the Throng.

Pa—Do you see that man with mutton chop whiskers? Doesn't he look b[illegible]

[illegible] He looks [illegible] to me.—Chicago Evening News.

Tortured a Witness.

Intense suffering was endured by Witness T. L. Martin of Dixie, Ky., before he gave this evidence: "I coughed every night until my throat was nearly raw; then tried Dr. King's New Discovery which gave instant relief. I have used it in my family for four years and recommend it as the greatest remedy for coughs, colds and all throat, chest and lung troubles. It will stop the worst cough, and not only prevents but absolutely cures consumption. Price 50c and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at Albert C. Mason's drug store.

The Seaboard Air Line Railway,

"Florida and West India Short Line," is positively the shortest route to Southern Pines and Pinehurst, N. C., and Camden, S. C., the famous winter resorts of the Carolinas. Winter excursion tickets are now on sale to Southern Pines and Pinehurst, and similar tickets to Camden may be purchased at principal points south of and including Washington, D. C. Double daily service and through Pullman drawing room and buffet sleeping cars from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Richmond. Trains arrive and depart at Pennsylvania railroad stations; also direct connections via Steamer Lines are made at Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va. For further information call on or address W. C. Shoemaker, General Eastern Passenger Agent, 1206 Broadway, New York; C. L. Longsdorf, New England Passenger Agent, 306 Washington street, Boston, Mass.; W. M. McConnell, General Agent, 1434 New York avenue, Washington, D. C., or the General Passenger Agent at Portsmouth, Va.

E. St. JOHN, V.-P. & G. M. L. S. ALLEN, Gen. Pass. Agt.

A Gift to Give.

It is often difficult to decide what to get your friends for holiday gifts. Here is a suggestion:

"Good morning, Jennie, I have brought you a nice present," said Gertrude, as she handed her friend a neatly wrapped package.

The pale, weary looking girl, who was slowly recovering from severe illness, opened the bundle and held up a large bottle of clear, rich medicine.

"Hood's Sarsaparilla!" she exclaimed. "I have been reading about it today and wished I had a bottle."

On New Year's day Jennie was able to be out on the street, and to her friends who remarked how well she was looking she simply said Hood's Sarsaparilla," and every one of them knew it was this great medicine that had given back her health.

Awards at the Paris Exposition.

Forty-two thousand seven hundred and ninety exhibitors out of 75,531 have received awards at the Paris exposition. The United States obtained 1,981 awards, of these 220 were grand prizes, 456 gold medals, 583 silver medals, 422 bronze medals, 270 honorable mentions, and a long list of gold, silver and bronze medals of collaborators. In the last exposition only 1,000 prizes, including those for collaborators, were given. The prizes were as follows: Grand prizes, 55; gold medals, 214; silver medals, 300; bronze medals, 246; honorable mentions, 229. The names of those who received grand prizes or gold medals have been made public.—Scientific American.

Peking's Big West Gate.

The famous west gate of Peking has the thickness of a New York city block, and in the passage through it there are a dozen gates of different patterns, some opening in the middle, some working on hinges and others falling like portcullises. The walls rise to a height of [illegible] feet, and over the gate is a temple 1[illegible] feet high.—N. Y. Sun.

Eruptions

Dry, moist, scaly tetter, all forms of eczema or salt rheum, pimples and other cutaneous eruptions proceed from humors, either inherited, or acquired through defective digestion and assimilation.

To treat these eruptions with drying medicines is dangerous.

The thing to do is to help the system to discharge the humors, and to strengthen the digestive and assimilative functions against their return.

Hood's Sarsaparilla can be confidently relied upon to do that, according to thousands of voluntary testimonials.

It effects radical and permanent cures.

"I was troubled with eczema for some time, but have had no return of the disease since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla." J. G. Hines, Franks, Ills.

"I was troubled with pimples on my face and back and chafed skin on my body. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured me of both troubles." Miss Alvina Wolter, Box 212, Algona, Wis.

Hood's Sarsaparilla
is positively unequaled—the medicine for all humors.

Hood's Pills are the best cathartic.

CHASE'S
Dyspepsia Cure

A positive specific for all forms of dyspepsia, heartburn, gastritis, waterbrash, fermentation of food, ulceration or threatened cancer of the stomach and all disorders arising from an impaired digestive system.

Are You Troubled with Dyspepsia?

Or have you stomach trouble in any form? If so, Chase's Dyspepsia Cure will interest you. It is not a cure-all, or a so-called cure. It is a positive cure for all stomach disorders.

A SINGLE DOSE GIVES IMMEDIATE RELIEF.

We do not claim that it will cure a severe case in a week, but we do assure you freedom from all distress from the very first tablespoonful. If taken as directed it will positively cure the most chronic case in a short time.

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will positively and permanently cure any and every case of stomach trouble that is curable. IT NEVER FAILS!

50c. and $1.00 per bottle.

It is a liquid remedy. For sale by all druggists or write us

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Hay Fever in Germany.

Hay fever is becoming more prevalent annually in Germany, and after carefully considering the matter physicians of that country have selected the island of Heligoland as the most suitable resort for such sufferers. Hitherto patients have been most frequently sent to the mountains, but the benefits of such a change have hardly been commensurate with the cost. Investigation convinces medical men that Heligoland has many of the curative qualities which hay fever patients have found in northern Michigan and a "Hay Fever Union of Heligoland" has accordingly been formed, with headquarters in Hanover. The union is rapidly gaining members, particularly in the northern and eastern sections, where grass and hay grow in abundance.—Chicago Chronicle.

In Memory of a War Horse.

The finest church at Posen, on the eastern border of Prussia, was built by Frederick the Great. For centuries it has done duty as a place of worship, and yet had it not been for a war horse it would never have been built. Close by a bloody conflict occurred between the king and the Russians, and the former, always in the thick of the fight, had his charger killed under him—a sturdy animal that had borne him throughout many battles. He felt the joy of victory to be modified by the loss of the horse, and put up to its memory the famous church in question.—London Daily Mail.

Whether or No.

An Irishman having challenged a gentleman, who somehow forgot to keep the appointment to fight the duel, met accidentally on the same day the offending party, and thus addressed him:

"Well, sir, I met you this morning, and you did not turn up; however, I am determined to meet you to-morrow morning, whether you come or not."—London Tit-Bits.

Like the Prince.

Ida—Instead of raising football hair I notice Cholly has his head almost bare. What is the cause?

May—Why, the poor boy read that the prince of Wales was getting bald.—Chicago Evening News.

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The Remedy that Cures Coughs and Colds IN ONE NIGHT.

The Remedy that Cures Catarrh and Bronchitis by inhaling four times daily.

The Remedy that Cures Consumption by breathing it for ten minutes every hour.

IT IS GUARANTEED.

Sold by all druggists or sent by mail. Outfit Complete, $1.00. Trial Outfit 25c. Send for five days' treatment and medical advice free.

THE R. T. BOOTH CO., Ithaca, N. Y.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Julia A. Pond, late of Franklin in said county, deceased.

Whereas, Metcalf E. Pond, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the twelfth day of December, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this twenty-third day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Lawrence McGinnis to the Milford Co-operative Bank, dated September 17, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 741, page 677, and for a breach of condition of the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises on

SATURDAY, THE FIFTEENTH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1900,

at two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:

"A certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon standing, known as the Quinobequin estate, situated on the north side of Village street, in Medway, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner thereof, at the junction of Broad with Village street, and thence easterly on Village street eighty-eight feet to land of Minerva Hathon, deceased; thence northerly on land of said Hathon one hundred and forty feet to a corner; thence easterly on land of said Hathon forty-six feet to a corner; thence northerly and westerly sixty-three feet on land of Mrs. Woodward to a corner; thence northerly on land of said Woodward to a corner at land owned now or formerly by E. A. Noyes twenty-one feet distant from a barn on said premises; thence westerly on a straight line parallel with said barn to a point in line with the front of said barn and twenty-one feet distant therefrom; thence continuing southwesterly on a straight line to a point in a line with the rear of Store Block thirty-five feet distant therefrom in a southerly direction; thence on a line westerly parallel with said Block to Broad street; thence southerly on said street to point of departure. Grantee and its assign forever to have a right of way fifteen feet wide across the southerly side of land conveyed to E. B. Stowe, March 1, 1886, from land of Mrs. Woodward to a point in a line with the rear of the Store Block and distant therefrom thirty-five feet, all as said barn and Store Block stood March 1, 1886, and subject to the rights in the well mentioned in the lease from Medway Savings Bank, recorded as aforesaid lib. 649, folio 42. Being the same premises described in a deed from Palmer A. Woodward to the Medway Savings Bank, dated July 31, 1895, and to be recorded with Norfolk County Deeds."

Excepting therefrom that portion of the premises described in a partial release of the said mortgage, given by John G. Berry, assignee thereof, to said Lawrence McGinnis, dated August 4, 1899, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 849, page 519, as follows, namely:

"Beginning at a point on Broad street, in Medway, Mass., at the northwesterly corner of the mortgaged premises; thence running southwesterly on said Broad street one hundred and eight (108) feet, according to a 'Sketch of the old Quinobequin hotel property, now known as the Gladstone Hotel, situated in Medway, Mass., June 22, 1899, H. S. Partridge, C. E. & Sur." recorded with said Norfolk Deeds; thence turning and running southeasterly fifty-six (56) feet according to said plan; thence turning and running northeasterly one hundred and twenty-two (122) feet according to said plan; and thence turning and running northwesterly fifty-four and 25-100 (54.25) feet according to said plan to the point of beginning. Together with all the easement, privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging.

Terms at sale.

November 22, 1900.

JOHN G. BERRY,
Assignee of said mortgage.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Goldsbury Pond, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Metcalf E. Pond, the administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of said estate, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased,

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Quincy, in said county of Norfolk, on the 12th day of December, A. D. 1900, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of November, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

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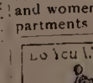

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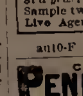

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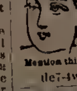

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THEIR ISLAND FETE.

BY KATRINA KLAUSEN.

IT WOULD be hard to find a more beautiful place for a garden party than the summer home of the Lindsleys, who, besides having a bay all to themselves owned a dear little island in the middle of it, which Mr. Lindsley had bought and named after his youngest daughter, Helen. This summer had been one of the happiest the children had ever known at "Mount Pleasant." Swimming and tennis were the favorite pastimes, and on Saturday evenings Mrs. Lindsley, who was as beautiful as her daughters, chaperoned them to the dance at the hotel across the adjoining lake. The summer was drawing to a close to everyone's regret, and the first of August brought Helen's seventh birthday which was to be celebrated by old and young.

"I have written 30 invitations for the child's party," said Mrs. Lindsley, "and only six of them are for children. That is positively all there are around this lake, at least whom we know."

"Never mind, mother," said Kathryn. "Helen will have just as good a time, won't you, dear?"

"Yes, if you only have the supper out under the trees and have hearts with mottoes on, because I want to pick out a nice one for Mr. Archie," answered the child as she hurried out to see the lanterns strung among the trees.

The guests were asked to come at four o'clock; so at that hour Helen and some of the family were down on the pier to greet them. She looked like a little princess, in her dainty white dress and gorgeous red sash. Her dark curls were tied with a ribbon of the same shade and her blue eyes fairly danced as the Johnsons' pretty yacht made the landing. They gave her three cheers before anyone came ashore, and though she was somewhat abashed, the little lady made the prettiest little courtesy imaginable.

Each new guest brought some remembrance of the occasion for the little queen, and each was well paid for their thoughtfulness by the bright, happy smile with which she received them.

"She is her mother over again," said one, and no higher compliment could have been paid her, for everyone who knew her sweet-faced mother loved her. She was the center of all the mirth and good times that were known about the resort, and for everyone there was always a kindly, cheery, happy word.

When several sailboats and rowboats had landed their burdens the guests started up the hill towards the house, which was, indeed, a pretty sight, as well as the surrounding grounds, while the sweetest music was played by an orchestra hidden among the trees. It was a red, white and blue party, and flags were everywhere, even on the birthday cake. Everyone will remember that supper for years to come. Helen sat in state at the head of the table, with her favorite, Mr. Archie, and looked down the long line of faces, smiling upon them all alike. The most fun was when the hearts began to be passed back and forth.

"Mamma Lindsley," said Kathryn from one end of the table "the boys are sending you all the nicest hearts!"

And it was indeed true. "I love you dearly," "May I kiss your hand?" and other little candy hearts of like sentiment were piled up before "Queen Elizabeth," as the children called her, and she would carry on the fun by picking out suitable answers. After supper the guests wandered about, many going down in the hollow to see a famous game of tennis. It soon began to get dark, however, when some one asked for Helen.

"She went down the hill with Jamie Brooks," said one of the children.

"Why, I don't see them anywhere," said Kathryn, running to the top of the hill and looking toward the pier.

"Don't tell your mother," said Harold Marston, coming up behind her, "but I believe that youngster has taken her out in a rowboat—the one the Harts came in is gone, and by Jove, there's an oar afloat!"

They were half way down the hill when a child's scream came from the other side of "Helen's island."

"Oh, heaven help us! That was Helen's voice," cried Kathryn, staggering on, but Harold's boat was flung off and his fine muscular arms were pulling long strokes by the time the others were hurrying down the hill. Two other boats were soon started, and, as they disappeared around the end of the island, the agony of those on shore was terrible. Mrs. Lindsley stood on the very edge of the pier, straining her eyes in the dusk. A stiff breeze had come up and was swaying the lanterns to and fro, and the music of "Sweet Dreamland Faces" was wafted to them. Then came the first boat in sight. Some one called and then a little voice cried out:

"Mother! Mother dearest, I'm all right only so wet, and my new—" but Helen was in her mother's arms and the words were stifled.

When the excitement had somewhat abated an hour later, Jamie, the adventurer, told again how he wanted to show Helen an awfully big turtle around on the other shore of the island, how he had lost an oar and then, standing up to paddle as he had seen his brother do, had lost his balance and capsized the boat.

"I told her not to scream," said this would-be hero, "and I would save her, but she got right hold of my neck and yelled. I can swim, and—well, anyhow, I'm glad you fellows came; it was so kind of horrid out there."

"And now I have to end my party wrapped up in a blanket," said Helen, disconsolately, "and I was going to hold a taper to the first pinwheel, too."

The little children were allowed to stay until the fireworks were exhausted, when the others gathered from different directions to dance in the big dining-room, and "Queen Elizabeth" was the gayest of the gay, for she would not let her fright spoil the fun, which they never enjoyed as well as when she participated. She danced and sang for them, and, when at a late hour the guests went singing down to their boats, she took Harold aside and kissed him.

"How can I ever thank you, my dear boy, for what you have done to-night?"

"How?" said Harold, "I deserve no thanks, but you can do something for me if you will—don't let Kathryn forget me this year while I am off at school. I'm afraid she will, and, oh, Queen Elizabeth, I love her so awfully!"

"Why, Harold, you are only a boy—18 years old, aren't you?"

"Yes, but she's the girl for me, and when I'm old enough I'm going to ask her to have me—then—then I'll have you for my mother—won't that be jolly?"

"Well, I'll think about it," laughed Mrs. Lindsley, sending him off after the others.

She stood on the brow of the hill, listening to the laughter and singing as one little party after another embarked.

"Is it possible that 18 years have passed since I, too, was as young and care free as that?" she said softly to herself.—Detroit Free Press.

The Potato in Ireland.

In Ireland the potato does not occupy the position which it held some years ago. The cheapness of foreign flour has done much to reduce the value of the potato in the diet of the Irish peasantry.—N. Y. Post.

Cheap Sympathy.

When you are wronged, people say it is a "shame," and that's about all the help or comfort you get.—Atchison Globe.

Same Thing.

Ada—Why does Clara speak of George as her intended? Are they engaged?

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The Verdict.

A coroner's jury in Georgia delivered the following original verdict on the sudden death of a merchant who had failed in business:

"We, the jury, find from the doctor's statement that the deceased came to his death from heart failure, superinduced by business failure, which was caused by speculation failure, which was the result of failure to see far enough ahead."—Atlanta Constitution.

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WRENTHAM.

Owing to the electric cars nearly all the local trade that formerly went to North Attleboro now goes to Franklin.——Mrs. C. W. Mears of Belfast, Me., is visiting her sister Mrs. Lewellyn Mahar.——There was a good attendance at Trinity church on Sunday to hear Bishop William Lawrence, who was assisted by Rev. George E. Osgood of Grace church, North Attleboro.——The public library will be opened every Sunday afternoon from 2 to 6 o'clock.——At the sale of the effects of the late Dr. N. W. Hawes the amount realized was over $1,000.——The remains of the late Mrs. John Warren were taken to Forest Hills for interment Wednesday.

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Gentlemen—David Allen, Albert Boisiert, Charles Bright, Frank Dansereau, Samuel Lucas, Joseph LaPort.

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Decimal state? Tenn.

The father of states? Pa.

State of exclamation? O.

The most unhealthy? Ill.

The most maidenly? Miss.

The most egotistical? Me.

State of astonishment? La.

State to cure the sick? Md.

Best in time of flood? Ark.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Lawrence McGinnis to Casper Berry, dated June 30, 1899, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 846, page 512, and for a breach of condition of the same, will be sold at public auction upon the premises, on

SATURDAY, the FIFTEENTH day of DECEMBER, 1900,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:

"A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Broad street in said Medway, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point on said Broad street, at the southwest corner of land now or formerly of Wilder, thence running southwesterly on said Broad street one hundred and eight (108) feet, according to a "Sketch of the old Quinobequin Hotel property, now known as the Gladstone Hotel, situated in Medway, Mass., June 22, 1899, H. S. Partridge, C. E. & Sur.," to be recorded with said Norfolk Deeds; thence turning and running southeasterly fifty-six (56) feet according to said plan; thence turning and running northeasterly one hundred and twenty-two (122) feet according to said plan; and thence turning and running northwesterly fifty-four and 25-100 (54.25) feet according to said plan to the point of beginning. Together with all the easements, privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging."

Terms at sale.

CASPER BERRY, Mortgagee.

November 22, 1900. no23,30,de7

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Roswell P. Ross to the Medway Savings Bank, dated November 19th, 1898, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 773, fol. 365, for breach of the conditions thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on

SATURDAY, the TWENTY-NINTH day of DECEMBER, 1900,

at two o'clock p. m., all and singular the following described property:

A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situate on Norfolk avenue, so called, in West Medway, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the centre of said avenue and seventy three and five tenths (73.5) feet from the G. A. R. Block lot, and running easterly on land of Eliakim H. Ross one hundred fifty-six and nine-tenths feet to land of William M. Holmes; thence northeasterly on said Holmes land and land of W. H. Carey seventy-seven feet to other land of said Eliakim H. Ross; thence northwesterly one hundred sixty and eight-tenths feet on last land of said Eliakim H. Ross to the centre of said avenue; thence S. 16 degrees 30 minutes west, seventy-three and nine-tenths feet to the point of departure; said lot containing about 10,440 square feet.

Terms at sale.

MEDWAY SAVINGS BANK,
By its Treasurer, W. H. Upton, Mortgagee.

Medway, Mass., Dec. 4, 1900. de7,14,28

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of Cyrille Leclair, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Carmelie Leclair, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court her petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of two certain parcels of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the 2d day of January, A. D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this fifth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

de7,14,21

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Joseph G. Hills, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Frank S. Hills of Franklin without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the second day of January, A. D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this third day of December, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Hattie M Fisher 1Jan01

The Franklin Sentinel.

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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Concert Friday evening.

Queen street is in the hands of the road men.

Ticket Agent Croissant is on the sick list, F. L. Tufts taking his place

Walter Corey of Worcester was the guest of Jacob Quilter on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Partridge spent the Sabbath with relatives in Providence.

J. T. Hutchinson of Arlington street is making improvements on his residence.

Everett S. Messenger has tendered to the selectmen his resignation as constable.

There will be a regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., next Friday evening.

Mrs. H. B. Haslam is in Milford caring for her daughter, Mrs. F E Mann, who is sick.

A number from here are going over to West Medway this evening to enjoy Col. Bain's lecture.

The fall rush at Clark Bros.' machine shop is about over, with a record of more business than ever.

It is expected that the McParland liquor cases will come before the superior court at Dedham today.

The Red Men are preparing for a social dance in their hall on New Year's eve, with good music and a good time.

One civil case, in which Millis parties were at issue, was heard by Judge Doe on Saturday. No decision was reached.

The Dean students are preparing the regular term concert, which will take place next Monday evening, Dec. 17, in the chapel.

Franklin is distinctly "in it," as one of Clark Bros.' picker machines, which was taken to the Paris exposition, gained a gold medal.

The feast of the Immaculate Conception was observed in St. Mary's parish on Saturday, masses being celebrated in the chapel at 5 and 8 a. m.

The Epworth league will hold its next regular business and social meeting tomorrow evening at the home of the Misses Waterman on Central street.

Grant Forester, who has been employed at Dean academy for several years, has resigned his position there and left Saturday for Natick.

Albert I. Oliver, teacher in the Horace Mann school, very pleasantly entertained the Latin class at the Talcott residence on Dean avenue last evening.

Social dance by the N. E. O. P. at their rooms in Dana block tomorrow evening. There will be good music and dancing will be indulged in from 8 to 12.

Mrs. C. L. Stewart has been confined to the house the past few days by illness, missing all of the Y. M. C. A. work in which she has been so deeply interested.

The Dean basket ball team is to play the Pawtucket Y. M. C. A. team on Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock. A small admission fee is charged and a good game is assured.

The body of Mrs. Ellen Prior of Dedham was brought to Franklin Friday noon for burial, the interment being in St. Mary's cemetery. A large number of former friends here attended the funeral.

Rev. Dr. Hodge will speak before the teachers at the Horace Mann High school next Monday evening at 7 o'clock on "How to Read With Profit." The public is cordially invited to attend.

Charles Griffin, who has been employed for some time past in Hayward's mill here, left today to take a similar position in the mill of the Charles River Co. at Bellingham. He has made many friends during his stay here, who are sorry to have him leave.

The Ladies' Social circle of the Universalist church will meet with Mrs. Hodge next Wednesday afternoon. A large attendance is requested to make further arrangements for the coming fair, Dec. 21 and 21.

The Bassett Bros.' straw goods factory is busy on samples, although the active work of the season has not yet opened. The general condition of business leads to the expectation of a good winter and spring season.

The Mothers' section will meet with Mrs. Alfred Farrington on Thursday evening of this week at 7.45, instead of Friday afternoon, as a number of the teachers are to speak upon "The Co-operation of Teacher and Parent.

The Trowbridge Piano company has shipped a carload of pianos to California, a section of the country where there is a large demand for the product of the company. The Trowbridge is now well known through the West and on the Pacific slope.

For the present the American woolen mill will only work five days a week, or forty hours. The help will also be reduced, only one member of a family, if there are more at work in the mill, being retained. All out-of-town help will be dispensed with.

The members of the Epworth league committee will send a Christmas barrel of clothing, books, toys, etc., to the Epworth league house in Boston, and those wishing to contribute may leave articles at Waterman's laundry or with Mrs. A. M. Willard, 16 Dean avenue.

Owing to the prevalence of coal gas at the Thayer school on Friday it was found necessary to dismiss the school, some of the pupils being made sick and complaints coming in from parents. Monday forenoon there was no school at the Nason building owing to the extreme cold.

The Farmers' club meeting next Monday evening is at the town farm, when the subject of owning a farm for the poor will be discussed. Charles Atkinson, the superintendent, is expected to open the question personally or with a substitute, and no doubt the subject will prove of much interest.

We have been experiencing a taste of real winter weather, commencing on Sunday with a flurry of rain and snow. The thermometer sank rapidly, and by Monday morning it had dropped to about four above zero. During the day it went up to about 20, moderating noticeably during the night.

Oliver Longway seeks damages from the town for injury by collision of his team with an electric light pole on Fisher street upon a dark night some weeks ago. He alleges that something at the roadside startled his horse and the carriage struck a pole, which had no legal right in the place it occupied.

The praying band of the Upton Methodist church, consisting of eight male members, held an open-air praise and song service in Central square Friday evening Afterward the band went to the First M. E. church, where they took charge of the prayer meeting and held a most interesting service of song. There was a large audience present.

Florent D. Whitmore, at one time teacher at the High school here, was last week acquitted in the Eighth district court in Providence on the charge of assault on one of his pupils, by throwing him about and tearing his clothes. There was a good deal of interest in the case there, Mr. Whitmore being a teacher in the new school at Cranston.

At the meeting of the selectmen Friday evening Messrs. Clark and McCarthy present, bills were approved, and the petition of the New England Telephone and Telegraph company for extension of wires and poles was granted, no opposition appearing. Road matters received the regular attention and were discussed informally with the superintendent of streets.

The regular meeting of the Greenhalge Literary society was held Friday afternoon. After the business meeting the following program was enjoyed: Quartet, Misses Corbin, Ferrer, Daniels and Billings; reading, Miss Holmes; mandolin duet, Misses Daniels and Billings; recitation, Miss Ferrer; banjo solo, Miss Van Arsdalen; reading, Mr. Abbott; recitation, Miss Walsh; comb trio, Misses Ferrer, Corbin and Daniels.

Tax Collector Sherman reports having received from out of town business concerns letters of inquiry to towns regarding taxes, assessments or residents and enclosing no stamp. A good many men are willing to give paper and time in reply to such queries, but when it necessitates in addition payment of money to supply some one with information on which, it is reasonable to suppose, they think worth something to them and nothing to the other side, is more than all men will submit to a long time. And that is why many such requests remain unanswered.

Gorman's Alabama Troubadours will appear on Saturday evening at the Opera house. Twenty-five eminent Afro-American artists will combine in presenting all the pleasant features of Southern plantation life. All the dances peculiar to the ebon hued people of Dixie land will be given by strictly firstclass artists. They are so widely and so favorably known that mere mention of their engagement is sufficient to insure the attendance of hundreds of pleasure seekers who desire pure enjoyment furnished by entertainers of superlative merit. Tickets on sale at Dana's Wednesday morning.

One of the most well-known figures upon our streets is William A. Stanley, who celebrated his 86th birthday anniversary at the Crescent house on Thursday. There was no formal program of exercises, but he received the congratulations of friends and several memorials of the occasion. Mr. Stanley was born in Attleboro and learned the moulder's trade. His wife died some years ago. Two daughters remain, one the wife of Eugene R. Thayer, of Greeley, Col., and Miss Abbie Stanley, now living with Mr. Stanley. He bears the weight of years remarkably well and is in good health. He has been a resident of Franklin many years.

SUCCESSFULLY INAUGURATED.

A Strong, Forceful Y. M. C. A. Under Auspicious Conditions.

> "No life
> Can be pure in its purpose or strong in its strife
> And all life not be purer or stronger thereby."
> —MEREDITH.

Who shall say that the influences which shall reach out into the lives of the young men of this place because of the instituting of a Y. M. C. A. on Saturday shall not be as far-reaching as eternity itself? We are not independent creatures; each one is in a measure dependent upon some one else. Every life touches at some point the lives of others. If that contact be for good that influence never ceases. It is like the circle in the sea, set in motion by the dropping of a pebble, which radiates in never ending ripples till it is lost to sight and computation.

After weeks of earnest effort on the part of interested and devoted workers who have given of their time, their energy and their money, the institution was opened to the public on Saturday evening, the new rooms being dedicated by a consecration meeting, attended by a large number of the Christian young men of the place, a fitting initial for the work which it is hoped and expected will be done in this place. The service was led by George E. Knight, secretary of the Hyde Park association, to whom has just been entrusted a gift of $25,000 for the Y. M. C. A. there by a generous-hearted business man of that place. Mr. Knight is a spirited and pleasing singer and he led the song service in an inspiring and happy manner.

Prayer being offered, Mr. Knight spoke for a half hour or more upon "Consecration." He said it was no light thing to be consecrated; to devote all of one's God given powers to the Master's service. Consecration was not a thing to be done today, tomorrow and the day after. It should be done once for all. The Christian must place himself in the proper attitude and the consecrating would be done by God. It did not mean a half-hearted service, giving God the fag ends of one's life, but to give him the best that is in one's powers and continue the service until the Master shall say "Well done, good and faithful servant." An appeal was then made for the young men to rise and indicate their willingness to offer themselves for the work, most of them signifying their desire to do all in their power to carry on the work which has been begun in Franklin

After the meeting the members and friends enjoyed the gymnasium, went below and participated in the games in the parlor, or read the periodicals furnished in the reading room. Everywhere a most cheerful and inviting atmosphere pervaded. Greetings, handclasps and welcomes were heard on all sides, and the general tone of the place was helpful and uplifting.

On Sunday morning, at 9.15, a meeting was held at the rooms for the executive committee, the invited workers and the pastors, to talk over the plans and seek divine blessing upon the exercises of the day. At 10.30 the pastors of the Congregational, Baptist and Methodist churches gave up their pulpits to the visiting brethren, W. D. Fellows, secretary of the Fall River Y. M. C. A., occupying the desk at the Congregational church, George E. Knight of Hyde Park at the Methodist church, and James S. Girdwood of Woonsocket at the Baptist church. In the afternoon A. C. Cotton, who has been actively engaged in the work in Malden, spoke before the Episcopal people at the Baptist church.

Mr. Fellows held the closest attention of a large audience while he spoke of the work here in the state and elsewhere. He spoke with an earnestness which showed how deeply he had the matter at heart and how thoroughly in love with it he was. Alternately he moved his audience to laughter and tears, as he dwelt upon the theme of the hour. He cited the number of buildings, of individuals, the amount of money invested and the inception and growth of the work. He told how important it was that the young man should be started out right, and that no matter how humble an origin a man might have, that should prove no bar to advancement along material or spiritual lines. He referred to the curse of intemperance, and what a hold it had upon the young men of our land, and what proportion were in penal institutions as a result of it. He showed how ready were thousands upon thousands of parents throughout the length and breadth of this land to say from the depths of their hearts, as they looked upon the influence of this institution upon their own sons, "God bless the Y. M. C. A."

At the Methodist church Mr. Knight spoke largely from the theme of the evening previous, "Consecration," dwelling also upon the blessings and benefits of the work. The same line was followed by Mr. Girdwood and Mr. Cotton. Much of it was new to many of the hearers, but so interested were the speakers that a deep impression was made upon the hearts of all.

At 4 o'clock the reading room at the Y. M. C. A. was completely filled with young men, who listened to Mr Fellows as he spoke upon the wisdom of becoming a Christian and following in the footsteps of the Master. He spoke of the excuses which are offered for delaying the settling of the all-important matter and how rarely it would stand the test of honest questioning. He urged with telling earnestness the wisdom of starting at once and the danger of delay. The song service preceding the address was led by Mr. Knight.

With the thermometer at only fifteen degrees above zero outside, the Opera house at 7 30 was nearly filled with thoughtful men and women who had come out to hear how their sons might be benefited by the work which has been started here. The stage was occupied by the pastors, the speakers and the singers, a quartet consisting of the Misses Whiting and Messrs. Abbott and Sherman singing very acceptably, and the song service was led by the chorus in charge of Mr. Knight. President Daniels introduced the speaker of the evening, Mr. Fellows, who covered many of the points of his morning address.

He said that the work had been going on for fifty years, had over 600,000 members, about 30,000 being railroad men. Twenty million dollars are invested in about nine thousand organizations. Work is also done among the Indians, the colored, the seamen and the soldiers.

Mr. Knight was called upon to ask for the offering, and he was very happy in his remarks. He alluded to the difference between an offering and a collection, saying the latter was something that we did not care for, while the former was something which we could use ourselves. He told how the young ladies could assist by encouraging the young men to support it with time and money, and advised the young ladies to look there for a husband if they wanted a good one. The audience was dismissed with "Work for the night is coming," and the benediction by Rev Mr. Sleeper.

On Monday evening a banquet was provided for the members and a few invited guests, more than 100 sitting down to a feast of good things, escalloped oysters, cold meats, rolls, tea, coffee, cake and ice cream. The following young ladies officiated most acceptably as waiters: Misses Lewis, Bacon, Hubbard, Bright, Ham, Martin, Fisher, Rockwood, Hosie, Daniels, Brock, Rounds and Mrs. Clark. After the banquet cheering words were indulged in, President Daniels acting very happily as toastmaster. Among those who spoke were Mr. Daniels, Revs. Sneath, Sleeper and Cook, Secretary Stewart, William A. Wyckoff and Editor Johnson. J. D. Sharman, secretary of the Woonsocket Y. M. C. A., was present and voiced warm words of greeting and good cheer, and E. W. Gallup, cashier of the First National bank of Woonsocket, delighted all by his witty and earnest remarks. Prayer and benediction was offered by Rev. Guy W. Miner.

After the speaking the guests returned to the rooms, where games, social chat, music, etc., were indulged till after 11, the entire occasion being one of extreme sociability, pleasure and profit. It brought the members into close touch with each other, new friendships were formed and a mutual bond of union established which must make itself felt in the organization.

On Thursday afternoon a meeting will be held at the rooms, at 2 o'clock, to form a ladies' auxiliary, addressed by Mrs. Oliver H, Durrell of Boston, whose heart is thoroughly in the work. A junior class will be formed later, taking in the lads of the town. They are very enthusiastic.

The following are the officers of the new association: President, Ernest D. Daniels; vice presidents, Herbert W. Thayer and A. H. Martin; secretary, Charles L. Stewart; recording secretary, R. J. Calkin; treasurer, Charles H. Prince. The executive committee is composed of the above board of officers. Much of the credit for the forming of an association here is due to Secretary Stewart, who has been indefatigable in his efforts, the idea of a successful association being possible here having been largely his own. His heart must have been made glad at the sight which greeted his eyes last evening.

While Y. M. C. A. work is a labor of love, it is also one of sacrifice. This was well illustrated in the case of Mr. Fellows, who came here Saturday night, spoke three times on Sunday, absolutely without pay, and that in view of the fact that his wife was to leave on Monday for a six weeks' stay in the West. Think you it required no sacrifice on his part? Yet he said he was more than repaid by the interest and the earnestness which he found displayed by the people of Franklin in this movement. And he is in constant demand all over the state for just such work as this, though he is careful not to allow these visits to interfere with the grand work he is doing in Fall River.

Now just a word for the work. Its influence is ever on the side of good. It aims to make young men better morally, physically and religiously. It rounds out their whole nature. Its uplifting influence is a power for good in every community where it exists Corporations of all kinds, mercantile, railway and others, encourage, foster and support it, notwithstanding they are charged with being "soulless." Great railway lines appropriate thousands of dollars that their employes may be brought within the helpful influence of the Y. M. C. A. Fathers and mothers encourage it because of its influence upon their sons, keeping them at night from places where vice and sin find small restraint or hindrance. What father, indeed, would upbraid a son who said that he had spent the evening in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, where clean, instructive literature, harmless games, helpful conversation and healthful exercise are to be found?

Contrast this with the average club room or billiard room where young men congregate of an evening. It is the exception where the room is not reeking with tobacco smoke, vulgar jokes abound, card playing is indulged in, tabooed books are read with openness and freedom, together with other influences which are the reverse of uplifting. Who would choose the latter in preference to the former?

But it is urged by some that religion is given undue prominence. This is not so. No one is compelled to take any religious stand that he is not perfectly willing to take, and that he does not see is for his good. Fully one-half of the members of the Y M. C A. in this country are unconverted men. That does not look as if there was any religious compulsion. At the same time the religious feature is never lost sight of; it is never subordinated; it aims to be what its name implies, a young men's Christian association. It is absolutely undenominational; no creed is discussed, and no person is shut out from membership in this grand organization because of his creed. It aims to send out into the world strong, healthy, intelligent, Christian young men, and it is succeeding in its purpose with a certainty which indicates that the hand of God is in it and its work is finding favor in his eyes.

Now what has Franklin got? Every speaker on Sunday said that the local organization had an equipment of which the town might be proud, and that is absolutely true. The rooms are situated upon the third and fourth floors of the Morse building on Central street. At the second landing a sign announces that the rooms are above. Step up stairs with us, and let us introduce you to the Franklin Y. M. C. A.

The first room is the parlor. A fine serviceable tapestry Brussels carpet is upon the floor; the secretary's desk is a new roll top; a number of handsome pictures grace the walls; a Trowbridge piano is free to anyone who desires to use it; the rooms are heated by steam and from graceful chandeliers depend electric lights; the easiest of easy chairs have been procured, not cheap things, but handsome, comfortable and serviceable; the secretary's desk has a typewriter and arrangements have been made for a telephone; games are found to suit the tastes of all. A general air of homelikeness and welcome pervades the room and causes the member or stranger to feel that someone is taking an interest in him.

Step into the next room. Here are long reading tables upon which will later be found the leading newspapers and magazines of the day, educational, mechanical, religious, etc. A writing desk with materials is at the disposal of any of the members; comparative quiet only is enjoined here, so as not to interfere with the reading or writing of others in the room. The next room is to be used as a class room, where devotional meetings and Bible study may be had, freed from interruptions which might possibly enter.

Upon the next floor is the gymnasium, where a room has been fitted up with many of the best athletic appliances for recreation, exercise and development of the muscles. Among these are the rings, trapeze, punching bag, Indian clubs, chest weights, dumbbells, etc. A shower bath is to be put in, and lockers have been provided for the members' clothing. Other appliances will be added as they are found to be needed. Indeed, every room appears to be admirably equipped for the purposes intended and for the convenience and comfort of the members.

Now where has the money come from to accomplish all of this work? Over $500 was donated, largely by friends interested in the young men of this place. Many a father has given because of his boy; mothers have given because they desire to feel that when their son is out of the house at night he is under good influences. Money has come in from unexpected quarters. Then again, over $400 has come in from membership tickets alone. Some have taken tickets with the idea it will help the institution and make it possible to continue in its work, with but little thought of personal benefit. That is where the idea of helping others comes in. Fathers who make no pretension to religion have taken a membership for their boy, so that he may be under helpful influences. Others have joined for "what they get out of it," and they will find that they will be amply repaid in the interest they will receive upon their investment.

But the work has but just begun. Indeed, the easiest part has been accomplished. From now on it means sacrifice, prayers, time, money, energy and thought. It is not all smooth sailing. Differences of opinion may arise, apathy may creep in and interest wane. Some of these are inevitable. Yet the work will go on. No matter how small it may appear, its ultimate results will be as far reaching as time itself. Earnest prayers will follow it, and consecrated lives will stand back of it. The result is left with God.

The First Entertainment

Of the Lyceum course will be held at the Congregational church on Friday evening, at 8 o'clock, and will be given by the Harvard Male quartet of Boston, and Miss Hennigar, reader. The vocalists have been heard here a number of times, and always with pleasure, and Miss Hennigar is one of the most pleasing readers upon the platform today. A large number of course tickets have already been sold at $1.00 and single admissions are 35 cents. Don't miss it.

Mirth and Music.

About one darky in every ten is a natural born entertainer. The manager knows he has a band of amusers who can create laughter so incessantly that every audience declares it has never laughed so much in all its life. Such an organization is that known so favorably throughout this country as J. W. Gorman's Original Alabama Troubadours, who come here next Saturday evening. Their darky diversions include buck and wing dancing, all sorts of negro specialties, little pickaninny dancers, banjoists, plantation jigs, comedians, male and female quartets, old time plantation scenes, camp-meeting shouters and the great cake walk that always arouses the wildest enthusiasm.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

All kinds of stove wood and kindlings dry at Allen's wood yard.

To Let.—Rooms with or without board. Where? At the Franklin House. 7-tf

To Let.—Furnished room; steam heat. J. W. Desmond, Church avenue. 11,14*

To Let—Cottage house, eight rooms, corner Central street and Milliken avenue. L. W. Milliken. 27tf

Wanted —Experienced nurse would like engagements. Best references. Address SENTINEL office. 11*

To Let—Barn, with box stall suitable for horse, or good storage for wagons, etc. 27 Union street, Franklin. 11*

Ladies' and children's dressmaking. Mrs. J M. Blanchard, No. 3 Fletcher block (wooden), up two flights. 11,14*

To Let—Large, pleasant front chamber, with closet, desirable for dressmaker; private entrance. 27 Union street, Franklin. 11*

Found.—A sum of money on the floor of the office of the Hotel Windsor. Owner can have same by proving property and paying charges. 7,11

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B McKINNON, Agent.

Save money on your car fare by getting tickets of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office. A ten-trip ticket to Boston for $5.00. Round-trip tickets to Providence and Milford at a saving of 12c from the regular fare. Mileage books to let.

Bad Weather

Must be considered when figuring on your photos for Christmas. Better come for the sitting at earliest possible date, and thus avoid any possibility of disappointment. What more pleasing remembrance than one of our Platinotype portraits, so dainty and artistic.

CALKIN, Depot St.

W. A. Pond

Handles all kinds of rentable property, and will find you a tenant or tenement if you desire.

All kinds of festooning, laurel wreaths, holly wreaths and evergreen wreaths made to order for Christmas. Cut flowers, roses and violets in large or small quantities. Funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse, Central street.

For Sale —One 63 inch mangle, with steam connection, main roll 14 inches diameter and 4 small rolls, 5 1 2 inches. Made by the Laundry Machine Co., Troy, N. Y.; good condition. Apply to Worcester Textile Co.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

Fish received fresh daily. Oysters in and out of shell. Blue fish, butter fish, halibut, cod, haddock, Finnan haddie, clams and oysters at Paine's market.

Transient and regular patrons will find good service, clean and quick work at Ochee's barber shop, Opera house block.

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1900

The New York Press has found the ne plus ultra of shockingness—not stockingness: "Moonlight bathing at Narragansett Pier, girls in Front Rock, Mass., going to the post office in bathing costumes, Larchmont women wearing duck trousers, Chicago women attending church without hats, people eating 'hot corn' where the butter is put on with a paint brush, all these one can believe, but think of 'Sockless' Jerry Simpson yelling himself red in the face for shirt waists for men!"

Some years ago a man ran up a bill of $200 in the Tremont house, Chicago, and then ran away without settling it. The trunk which remained in his room was unusually heavy, and when opened was found to contain specimens of ore, brought from the gold and silver mines of Colorado. After waiting out the legal time, the contents of the trunk were sent to an assayer, who returned two bits of metal valued at more than $100 in excess of the bill, after deducting his own fees.

A citizen of Lexington, Mo., claims fame by reason of the fact that on a postal card 3 by 5½ inches in extent he has written 14,685 words, consisting of this mixture: Declaration of Independence, 1,309; constitution of the United States, with preamble and amendments, 5,800; the articles of confederation of the original states, 3,460; the Lord's Prayer, 67; the 119th Pslam, 2,435; 145 lines of Longfellow's "Evangeline," 1,614.

In the "silly season" every possible diversion is hailed with delight. The "dollar tea" is a five o'clock function where the guests amuse themselves by trying who can spin a dollar the longest on a polished table, the successful one receiving a prize. The "baby tea" is another novelty. Men and women bring photographs of themselves as babies, and the person who identifies the greater number wins. The "baby tea" is rather amusing.

The pupil of a public school who had been absent from school for two weeks brought this written excuse from her mother: "Louisa was absent monday, please excuse her. Louisa was absent toosday, she had a sore throte. Louisa was absent wensay, she had a sore throte. Louisa was absent thursday, she had a sore throte. Louisa was absent friday, she had a sore throte. Read this over again for the next week."

It is related of the late C. P. Huntington that a young man once called on him to sell some much-needed rails at $75 a ton. Mr. Huntington said he had rails to sell, himself, amused the caller by a half-hour's chat and got him to sell at $66 a ton, with a six months' note for pay. Then before the man left Mr. Huntington discounted the note for six per cent. and paid the cash.

A Kansas man has struck a new way of getting a living. He has a flock of 600 turkeys, which, in consideration of board for himself, he moves from one farm to another, where they clean up the grasshoppers with which the farms of that section are infested.

A police judge in a Missouri town recently lectured the police for permitting gambling, and they promptly captured 30 slot gambling machines belonging to his brother.

In each of the past three years the corn exported from the United States has exceeded all previous records—$74,000,000 in 1898, $68,977,000 in 1899 and $85,000,000 in 1900.

Hospital employes of Chicago are said to give "tips" to undertakers when a patient is going to die. The undertakers sometimes arrive before the patient is dead.

Herbs and Plants Give Strength

The Greeks Believed This.

Used them and were Strongest of all People.

Smith's Green Mountain Renovator made of Herbs—The Best Medicine for Strength.

It's a fact. SMITH'S GREEN MOUNTAIN RENOVATOR is the best medicine for STRENGTH to muscles, nerves and brain. If you are weak, whether from natural exhaustion, or from ravishes of disease, this medicine will make you strong, make you well and happy. It is made in Vermont, of pure herbs, and is redolent of the fragrant woods, green hills, and bracing air of the Green Mountains.

Wough!

"When I get on the farm," said young
 Hough,
"I'll arise in the morning [illegible]gh.
  I'll hoe the potatoes
  And gather tomatoes,
To say nothing of milking [illegible]h."

But his labors he found rat[illegible]h,
And of them he soon had en[illegible]
  "This [illegible]
  As he [illegible]
Said he "[illegible]h."

IN VARIOUS PLACES.

It is a curious fact that the identical gun-carriage invented by Capt. Percy Scott, to take the 4.7 gun of her majesty's ship Terrible to Ladysmith, was used again to take it to Tientsin. This naval "pet" silenced Gen. Nieh's big Krupp gun at the fourth shot.

On examining some of the alleged poisonous bullets brought home by Sir W. MacCormac, which the Boers were reported to have used, it was found that the charge was totally untrue. The green coating complained of was not verdigris, but a comparatively harmless product of the reaction of the metallic casing of the cartridge upon a wax coating used to prevent damp and rust.

A much needed reform has been accomplished in St. Louis. Heretofore the streets have been covered in summer with mud, caused by a too-generous sprinkling service. A measure has been passed by the city council requiring that sprinkling shall be performed by a perforated pipe device while sprinkling cars will make but two trips a day instead of deluging the streets four times daily.

Horsemen have discovered that while the bicycle and trolley car, as well as the automobile, have decreased the demand for horses, it is only for the common grades; fine bred animals are still bringing the usual high prices. This means that the common variety of horses is doomed to extinction. It will not pay to raise horses to sell at ten dollars a head, and consequently they will not be raised. Another feature is that the fine bred horses will increase in number until they can be sold at reasonable figures.

Mr. R. E. Foster, of Oxford university, scored 100 or over in both innings of the recent cricket match between Gentlemen and Players, being the first time that the feat has been accomplished in that match. He had previously scored two centuries in one match this year, and the repetition of the feat in one year in first-class cricket is a record for England. Last year he also made two centuries in successive innings—so that at 22 and in two years' play he has three double centuries to his credit, a record approached only by Dr. W. G. Grace, who has also made centuries in both innings three times, but in a cricket career covering 20 years.

WHAT UNCLE EB. SAYS.

From "Eben Holden," by Irving Bacheller.

When some folks call ye a fool it's a rather good sign ye ain't.

Ef Balaam's ass hed been rode by a woman he'd never 'a' said a word—wouldn't hev hed a chance.

Fact is a man he can be enny kind uv a beast, but a panther he can't be nuthin' but jest a panther.

Folks like fun. I kin' o' b'lieve 'at when God's gin a thing t' ev'rybody he thinks purty middlin' well uv it.

Never lied 'n a hoss trade er ketched a fish bigger'n 'twas, er swore 'less 'twas ne'sary, er cheated anybody but Eben Holden.

Kind o' resky business buyin' hosses. Got t' jedge the owner as well as the hoss. If there's any thing the matter with his conscience it'll come out in the hoss somewhere—every time. Never knew a mean man t' own a good hoss. It's a lame soul thet drives a limpin' hoss.

Nobody'll die in Heaven 'less he'd oughter. To my way o' thinkin' it'll be a good deal like Dave Brower's farm—nice, smooth land 'n' hil's 'n' valleys 'n' wheat 'n' corn 'n' white clover a plenty. Folks sayin' "how d'y dew" stid o' "good-by," comin' stid o' goin'.

OF INTEREST TO LABOR.

The servant girls of Watertown, N. Y., have formed a union and will demand a work day of 12 hours a day and four and five dollars a week.

A reduction of the hours of labor from twelve to eight hours per day for engineers employed in all Kansas City breweries has been effected.

A furniture firm of San Francisco has recently voluntarily reduced the hours of labor from nine to eight hours, and at the same time granted an advance in wages from $2.75 to $3 a day.

The men employed in the Muren coal mines, near Belleville, Ill., quit work because they claim the mules used to draw the cars of coal in the mines are not properly fed, and for this reason they are unable to draw the loads expected of them.

VAGRANT VERSE.

After the Stormy Weather.

It's after the stormy weather—camp's still
 and the fighting done.
And we're closer—thank God!—together in
 the joy o' the battles won.
Under the flag united—friendly as friends
 may be—
The man who marched with Sherman and
 the man who followed Lee.

It's after the stormy weather. See now
 where the skies bend blue,
And light the stars of the flag that waves
 splendidly over you!
The battle-thunders have died away—the
 folds of the flag float free
And fainter now are the echoes of the guns
 from over sea.

After the stormy weather! Peace on the
 plains and hills,
No crimson drops on the daisies, no red
 o' the rippled rills.
Only one thought for the country: "Wave
 the flag from shore to shore—
Wrongs righted, and love-united we are
 brothers forevermore!"

One thought! Let the sea winds wing it
 over the echoing deep!
One thought! Let the rivers sing it where
 the dreaming valleys sleep,
Thrilled to the stars in music, after the
 rough ways trod
We are all at home in the country under
 the smile of God.
—Frank L. Stanton, in Saturday Evening Post.

At Set of Day.

At set of day the long, lithe shadows creep
 From out the west where the last sunbeams stray,
Afar at sea the dark-blue grows more deep,
 The opal foam upon the waves turns gray,
 And the light breezes murmur low of sleep.

A subtle fragrance the calm air doth steep
 From lily bells and lilac plumes that sway.
While love-sick dews their pearly teardrops weep.
 At set of day

The lowing kine pass on their homeward way
 Through quiet fields and lanes where hedge-birds cheep.
My heart sings songs my lips could never say
 At morn or noon; but, ah! strange pulses leap.
And Love has many a passionate prayer to pray
 At set of day
—Constance Farmar, in Chambers' Journal.

The Kiss at the Door.

In the days of the lance and the spur,
 When the hero went forth to the fight,
Oft he carried a token from her
 Whom he worshiped as lover and knight.
And when fierce surged the battle around,
 And when close pressed the merciless foe,
'Twas that token that drove off despair
 And gave victory's strength to his blow.

Not a hero of knighthood am I,
 But a warrior in industry's strife,
Where the lance that I wield is my pen,
 And the ladye I serve is my wife.
Yet a token I carry each day,
 Full as precious as any of yore,
And it stoutens my heart for the fray—
 'Tis my love's morning kiss at the door.

For his faith will the martyr endure,
 By the sunset the artist's inspir'd,
At the blast of the bugle and fife
 Is the soldier to gallantry fired.
But whatever may others exalt,
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As a prompter to worthiest deeds
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—Washington Star.

ROYAL SMOKERS.

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Margherita, the dowager queen of Italy, once said to the prince of Wales: "I can overlook many faults of a man and can make allowance for his shortcomings. One fault, however, I cannot overlook, and that is—his not smoking. When my husband, the king, is annoyed I give him his pipe; when he is good-tempered I give him a cigarette; when I want him to do something particular for me I give him a cigar. With a pipe I can console him, with a cigarette I can delight him, and with a cigar I can lead him anyhow and anywhere."

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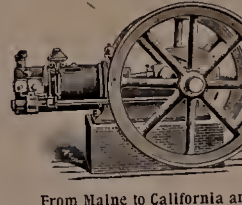

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ON THE DOORSTEP.

MISS CAMPBELL was from Philadelphia, and she did not approve of sitting out on the front doorsteps. Even on hot August evenings, when every sensible person on the avenue was out in the open air, wooing whatever breezes there were to be found, she sat in solitary state in her stuffy little bedroom or in the boarding house parlor. It is a serious thing to be a consistent martyr to one's principles.

One day Miss Campbell read in the afternoon paper that the extreme heat had driven fashionable London to its doorsteps—that even within the sacred precincts of Mayfair "doorstep parties" were the thing, and that honorable Algernons and Mauds smoked cigarettes and drank their cooling beverages out doors, regardless of the passing crowd. That evening, driven to it by a longing for fresh air, Miss Campbell decided to be English. It was a good time for her venture, for she was the only one at home. Most of the boarders had gone to the park; the rest were bicycling. She had the doorstep to herself. Really, it was not so dreadful, after all. The kindly dusk hid all but the light waists or gowns of the women on the steps opposite, while the men were distinguishable only by the sparks at the ends of their cigars. With a little thrill of self-congratulation Margaret Campbell realized that no one would know that she had departed from her principles.

Her principles had been the talk of the locality so often, and she was so highly respected because of them that she would not have liked to have people know she was sacrificing them for the sake of a few cool moments upon the doorstep. Her neighbors might take her to task for the advice she had given them in the past, and she did not wish them to know.

"I suppose I am old-fashioned," she thought, "John used to say that when I was only 20, and ten years of lonely life have hardly improved me."

The warm breeze fanned her cheek. She settled herself comfortably back on the cushions that she had brought from her room and lazily watched the phantom-like passersby. Troops of laughing girls and boys hurried along the sidewalk, followed by lover-like couples, creeping as though to retard happy moments spent together. Bicycles swept silently past in the street, their lamps flashing like gigantic fireflys; carriages rolled by, heralded by the muffled hoof beats of their horses; and, from time to time, automobiles whizzed by, weirdly.

A solitary man came slowly up the street. He stopped at the foot of the steps and then sat down not far from Margaret.

"Do you mind my smoking?" he asked, barely turning around.

Miss Campbell started; the voice seemed curiously familiar. "Not at all," she replied a little stiffly, "it will keep away the mosquitoes." Then she felt herself blushing at the foolishness of the remark, for there were no mosquitoes to be kept away. Ten years ago, one happy, never-to-be-forgotten summer, she had been often asked that question, and had made the same rejoinder, much more appropriately.

The man did not look at her while he lighted his cigar, and she, absorbed in thought, missed the brief illumination of his features which followed the kindling of the match. There was a long silence, broken only by the newcomer. "Rather cooler," said he, as though continuing a conversation.

"Yes," answered Margaret, still more puzzled by the voice. This was not one of Mrs. Lee's boarders. She must hear him speak again. It was not right that a stranger should make her tremble so.

"Were you ever at Long Branch?" she asked abruptly.

The man turned toward her, and she could feel that he tried to penetrate the darkness and see who it was that was speaking. Margaret was not the only one who had been agitated by a voice. Her heart beat almost audibly.

"Margaret, is it you?" he cried.

"Yes, John," she answered, with strange self-possession. She noted this herself, and marveled that she should do so at such a moment. How could she think about how she was speaking when she had not seen him for ten years. "How came you here?"

"I came up the wrong steps," John answered, slowly. "I am glad, since they have brought me to you."

It ought to have been bewildering—this unlooked-for appearance of the man who had gone out of her life so long ago, never to return. Yet Margaret took it as a matter of course.

"If you are glad, why didn't you come before? I have wanted you so."

"I didn't know where you were," faltered John.

"Then the other was a mistake?"

"All a mistake, dear, and I have come back to you."

He had risen, but now he sat down by her side and reached out to take her hand. Margaret let him have it, gladly, and they sat together and talked, as they used to talk. It was as though they had never been parted. Margaret did not ask for explanations, and John did not give them. Yet she felt that they understood each other.

There was a merry burst of laughter, a confused sound of voices; half a dozen people around her were talking all at once.

"Why, here's Miss Campbell," cried a lively girl, overflowing with good spirits, "Miss Campbell, who never sits on doorsteps."

"Gone back on your principles, Miss Campbell?" asked a frisky youth, who was an incorrigible tease. "I am amazed."

Margaret stood up, dazed. The young people had appeared suddenly. "Yes, the heat drove me out, and I am glad that it did, Mr. Young, for an old friend found me quite by accident. Allow me to introduce him. John—" she looked around, but John was not there.

"You were all alone, Miss Campbell," volunteered Mr. Young. "Fast asleep and dreaming, I declare."

Miss Campbell pulled herself together nobly. "So I was," said she. "Good night, everybody," and she turned around and went into the house. The others followed, with the exception of the two youngest and happiest.

"Poor Miss Campbell," whispered the girl, with keen intuition, "I think she was dreaming of her lover."

"Nonsense, Jennie; that's your fancy. Miss Campbell is as prosaic as you are imaginative."

"She is pretty," said Jennie; "she must have had lovers. And she isn't old—why shouldn't she have one now?"

"O, yes," answered Tom Young, "she is pretty and nice enough. But, Jennie, don't let's talk about other people. Did you mean what you said in the park?"

"Yes," whispered Jennie.

Miss Campbell looked down upon the steps from her dark window. She wanted to gaze on the spot where John had been. She saw Jennie and Tom acting "Love's Young Dream."

"God grant them a happier awakening than mine," she muttered, as she crept to bed.
—Chicago Tribune.

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MADE SOME QUEER WAGERS.

Harmon, at the Stanwix hotel, in Detroit, several years ago, bet he could hold his head submerged in a bathtub for 125 seconds without taking air He won.

A chap named Curtis, in Berkshire county, Mass., for a wager of a horse, ran five miles in 41 minutes, and wound up the race with a jump of 11 feet 6 inches.

An Englishman named Head won $5,000 by walking 600 miles in ten days, but the exertion so used him up that he never walked much afterward, either on wagers or otherwise.—N. Y. Telegraph.

In Philadelphia some years ago a gentleman made a wager of $100 that he could jump into water eight feet deep and undress himself complete Anyone who has ever made the attempt to remove his clothing after being thoroughly drenched to the skin, even when standing on terra firma, with plenty of room to "hop around on one leg" will at once realize the difficulty of accomplishing the feat while in the water. However, it was done in the instance noted

If wives didn't insist on their husbands working the lawn mower overtime there might be fewer grass widows.

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A cap nut lock for propellers has been invented by Capt. Lewis Davis, of Liverpool, and is intended to prevent the loss of blades at sea, says the Engineer.

A German method of constructing large balance wheels for high peripheral speeds consists in making the rim by winding a rectangular section steel wire on a cast iron spool.

A raft of remarkable size was started down the Mississippi river from Stillwater, Minn., for St. Louis, Mo. The raft is 256 feet wide, 768 feet long, contained 9,000,000 feet of lumber and has loaded on its deck 60 car loads of shingles.

The engineer in charge of the improvement of the Yellowstone park denies that the geysers are approaching extinction. An article to this effect appeared in a French paper and was widely copied throughout the United States. It tends to create an impression that the Yellowstone wonderland, as far as regards the hot springs and geysers, is practically a thing of the past.

In a paper on "Fly Wheel Explosions" read before the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the author, Mr. C. H. Manning, gave some figures relating to wood-rimmed wheel for this purpose He stated that for the same weight pine wood has a much more tensile strength than cast iron, and is, therefore, much safer for a fly wheel. An experience of ten years with many such

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Creeps over the eastern hills,
He tosses and waits for the dawn,
And thinks of his mines and his mills,
And always he feels
Disgust for his meals,
Which are largely composed of pills.

He has millions on millions piled.
But the days of his youth are fled,
And he runs from a good, square meal
As though 'twere a thing to dread—
He must live just so,
And is envied, but oh
What things writhe around on his bed!
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times Herald.

My Mother.

She gave the best years of her life
With joy for me,
And robbed herself, with loving heart,
Unstintingly.
For me with willing hands she toiled
From day to day.
For me she prayed when headstrong youth
Would have its way.
Her gentle arms, my cradle once,
Are weary now;
And time has set the seat of care
Upon her brow.
And, though no other eyes than mine
Their meaning trace,
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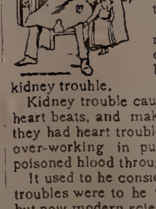

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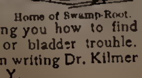

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Upon the hills of earth—
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Of what thou holdest in thy hand,
Thou coming Hundred Years?

Or shall a glad world welcome thee
With laughter and a song—
Thou unborn child of Destiny
Whose reign shall be so long?
Who knows—we only know that thou
Shalt enter like a king
Into thy courts—that we must bow,
Whatever thou dost bring.

What matter whether war or peace
Thy heralds shall proclaim—
The story of the centuries
Is evermore the same!
Thy children-years shall tell abroad,
Through all thy mighty span,
Naught but the Fatherhood of God—
The Brotherhood of Man.
—Jennie Betts Hartswick, in N. Y. Independent.

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I hear no shouting in the hall,
No pounding on the floor.
He isn't marking on the wall
Or swinging on the door;
His battered toys are put away,
The cat is deep in dreams—
He's been away a week to-day,
And, oh, how long it seems!

His books are not strewn on the stairs,
His gun is hid from view;
His paints are not left on the chairs,
The rugs are not askew.
He went away a week ago,
He's coming home again—
To-morrow he'll return, but oh,
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WRENTHAM

The long-expected mock trial was held Friday night in the Town hall before a good audience. There were many local hits, W. C. Averill's testimony and Judge Cowell's charge being filled with them. Twenty dollars was cleared.——Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Gilmore are spending a few days with Asst. Postmaster Fred Fiske of Taunton.——Miss Lila Simmons of Worcester is visiting friends in town.——Unclaimed letters at the postoffice: Rev. Wm. Hyde, H. E. Dunham, Owen Condon, Mr. A. J. Parker.——Miss Florence A. Fisher is organist at the Congregationalist church.——The friends of the Co-operative bank are asking what has become of the movement.——James Madison Ripley, with his daughter, Miss Maud Ripley, of Providence, have been the guests of Mrs. Alonzo Cook.

A project is on foot to connect the railways of Greece with those of Turkey so as to connect Athens with Europe by rail.

Official figures recently compiled show the main line mileage of railroads in Missouri to be nearly 7,[illegible]. This total is likely to be considerably increased [illegible] year.

The Southern Railroad company of Italy is going to have built [illegible] locomotives, 1[illegible] passenger cars, [illegible] baggage cars, and [illegible] freight cars. Foreign concerns were not allowed to compete.

It is considered very doubtful if the Pennsylvania railroad will adopt nickel steel rails for the points of severe service. At the famous Horseshoe curve the nickel steel rails have been replaced by those of the ordinary steel type, for it was found that the rails diminished the tractive power of the engines on account of their hardness.

A special car for invalids is being built for the Saxon state railroads for the transportation of those who can afford the expense of a whole car. It consists of three apartments, with a corridor on one side. One is for the sick person, and one of the others for the physicians, and the third for attendants. Cooking apparatus and refrigerators are provided. It may be hired for use on any railroad in Europe provided it is not needed at home.

A curious railway accident occurred in India lately. While a train was in Ruxaul station a terrific storm commenced, and, although the brake was applied on the van and the engine, the force of the wind was such that the train was driven along the line. The engine dashed through the buffer stop at the end of the line and traveled along about six lengths of rail laid end to end without fishplate fastenings. After leaving these rails the engine plowed along the embankment and then came fortunately to a stand still, no great damage having been done.

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My neighbor is [illegible]
Whose life with mine [illegible] equality

Not only [illegible] poverty,
But [illegible] wealth
And [illegible]
Have unseen heartaches [illegible] sympathy

Wherever there is [illegible]
To serve [illegible] creed.
Whate'er [illegible] or creed.
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—Albert B. Carner, in S. S. Times.

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RAILROAD STATISTICS.

Gross earnings, $1,313,61[illegible],118.

Operating expenses, $8[illegible],999.

Freight carried, 95[illegible] 763,[illegible]83 tons.

Increase during year 2,899 miles.

Single track mileage, 18[illegible],2[illegible]5 miles.

Number of roads in the United States, 2,049.

Average revenue per passenger mile 1.925 cents.

Gross earnings per mile of line operated, $7,0[illegible]5.

Total number of passengers carried, 523,176,[illegible].

Average revenue per ton carried each mile, 7.24 mills.

Number of employes, 928,924, an average of 495 per 100 miles.

Capital invested represents $11,[illegible]33,954,898, an average of $6[illegible],5[illegible] per mile of line.

Total number of cars, 1,375,[illegible]16, an increase in a single year of 49,742. These figures are exclusive of private or corporation cars.

Cars are employed as follows: 33,850 in passenger service, 1,295,510 in freight business, and 46,556 to direct service of railways.

Number of locomotives, 36,703, of which 9,894 are passenger locomotives, and 20,728 are freight engines, 5,48[illegible] are switch engines, and 6[illegible]1 not classified.

Total number of casualties, 51,743, of which number 7,123 resulted fatally, and 41,620 in injuries. Of the killed 239 were passengers, and of the injured, 3,442. These figures, while startling, need cause but little alarm, as only one out of every 2,189,023 passengers carried was killed, and only one out of every 151,998 injured.—Philadelphia Record.

STARS OF THE SEASON.

Olga Nethersole contemplates producing a dramatization of Ouida's novel, "Under Two Flags."

Robert Taber, who is in Beerbohm Tree's company, is going to leave after "Julius Caesar" closes. He may star again.

Richard Mansfield has begun rehearsals for his revival of "King Henry V.," announced for the Garden theater, N. Y., October 1.

Mary Stuart, sister of Stuart Robson, who has not appeared professionally for several seasons, intends to return to the stage. She is a character actress of ability.

Lillian Russell, while automobiling near Far Rockaway, ran over a large Newfoundland dog. For a wonder the vehicle was not upset and the singer got away with only a little fright.

DeWolf Hopper, driving near Saratoga recently, came upon a rural Sunday school picnic. The abundant good nature of the irrepressible Hopper at once asserted itself and, anchoring his team, he alighted and gave the country youngsters an entertainment that would have cost a manager considerable money.

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LIABILITIES.

Due Depositors		$565,502 99
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 99
Interest Account		4,027 82
Real Estate Income Account		184 78
		$598,672 44

ASSETS.

Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,975 00
" " Mortgages		157,760 00
" " Personal Securities		174,269 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		522 22
Tax Account		592 73
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$3,028 14	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	1,304 95	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		4,417 25
Cash on hand		741 27
		$598,672 44

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

WALTER M. FISHER,
HORACE W. HOSIE,
Committee of Examination.

Sept. 29, 1900.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Lawrence McGinnis of Medway to Margaret H. Kenney of said Medway, dated August 6th, 1895, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, book 744, page 522, will be sold at public auction, upon the premises, on

MONDAY, the SEVENTEENTH day of DECEMBER, 1900,

at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely, three certain parcels of land situated on Village street, in said Medway, and bounded as follows:

The first lot southerly by said Village street, easterly on land late of Edward Eaton, now Medway Savings Bank, northerly on land of E. E. Carpenter, westerly on land of grantor, containing five acres and three-fourths, more or less.

The second lot situated opposite and bounded northerly on Village street, southwesterly by Charles River and easterly on land of Mrs. A. H. Clark and another.

The third lot is the grantor's homestead, bounded southerly on land of Peter Foley and Village street, easterly on lot first described above, northerly on woodland of W. A. Jenckes and westerly on land of Ellen McGill and Peter Foley, containing eight acres, more or less, being the same as lands described in the following deeds recorded in the Norfolk Registry to A. P. Phillips, book 398, page 315; to grantor, book 300, page 185, book 318, page 188, book 366, page 88, except a small piece conveyed to Peter Foley.

Excepting what was released from the grantor's homestead estate seventy feet on Village street and one hundred and fifty feet deep as per mortgage from John Bonds to Medway Savings Bank; excepting and reserving from the operation of this mortgage eight acres since released, described above as lot No. 3.

Terms of said sale will be made public at the time and place of sale.

GEORGE HART,
Assignee of said mortgage.
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Of the Business Announcement column in the SENTINEL. One cent per word.

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FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Concert tonight.

Alabama Troubadours Saturday evening.

Miss Dora Cargill is visiting friends in Dorchester.

The selectmen will hold a regular meeting this evening.

H. W. Thayer has been spending a few days at Cottage City.

The friends of Dr. J. C. Gallison hope to see him out again before many days.

Palmer A. Woodward is doing his duty as juryman at Dedham this week.

G. F. S. Singleton is again confined to his residence on Main street with illness.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Rockwood were made happy by the birth of a boy last Saturday.

Marston Sanborn has begun work on the interior of his store for Christmas decoration.

Maroney Bros. of this town have opened a branch bakery on Harrison avenue, Boston.

The coal supply bought for the schools last summer is not yet all delivered. A few tons remain to complete the bargain.

Mrs. H. B. Haslam, who has been attending her sick daughter in Milford, is quite ill at her residence on East street.

F. E. Dudley will commence next week with a large force of men roofing the new Christ church parish house in Medway.

J. J. Stewart is out with a fine new heavy teaming wagon, which embodies a number of new features and is "up to date."

Don't forget that the Red Men are preparing to entertain you on New Year's eve with a fine social dance. A good time is promised.

The Jordan river is one of the most interesting in the world. Dr. Sneath will take his congregation in an imaginary journey down the river.

Clarence E. Griffin, now a resident of Washington, D. C., and at one time town clerk of Franklin, has been appointed judge of a police court.

The teachers and the public are invited to listen to Dr. Hudge's talk on "How to Read With Profit" at the High school next Monday evening.

E. S. Cook has just purchased a number of wood lots to cut off, one of the finest being near the City Mills post office, bought of J. F. Torrey.

Members and friends of the N. E. O. P. enjoyed a very social dance in Red Men's hall Wednesday evening, the occasion calling out a generous number.

Rev. Mr. Sneath united in marriage in Cambridge on Wednesday evening Mrs. George H. Alexander of Cambridge to Mrs. Addie Lucy Main of Somerville.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper's theme at the Baptist church Sunday forenoon will be "The Father's Infinite Love for the Son," and in the evening "Four-Cornered Duties."

Mr. Frazer and Miss Reilly, instructors in our public schools, visited the schools of Pawtucket and Providence on Wednesday, securing a number of valuable suggestions.

The collector is nearly ready to settle with the town for the 1899 taxes, and only a few cases remain to be completed before that desirable object can be accomplished.

The Y. P. S. C. E will hold a social at the Congregational church next week Wednesday evening, at which an entertainment will be given and light refreshments served.

The term concert, which is to be given at Dean academy next Monday evening, promises to call out a large audience, as these affairs are always interesting and no admission is charged.

D. C. Coates, who recently sold his farm to remove to New Hampshire, has decided to remain here, after having a few days' wrestle with the snows and cold of the Granite state.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church will meet in the parlor next Wednesday, at 2 p. m. This is simply an afternoon meeting for work and a large attendance is desired.

Dr. Solon Abbott was in attendance at the meeting of the Massachusetts Surgical and Gynaecological society held in Boston on Wednesday. He reports a very helpful and interesting meeting.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Alice May Brock to Mr. Reuben Smith, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs. Albert L. Brock, 64 School street, on Tuesday, Jan. 1, at 4 o'clock.

At noon today Rev. Dr. Sneath united in marriage at the parsonage Elias F. Tyler and Miss Maria A. Ahlberg, both of Franklin. The couple will reside on West street. Mr. Tyler is the coachman of Addison M. Thayer.

Edwin T. Fisher of Pawtucket, a native of Franklin and for many years a resident here, who was badly injured a year ago by falling from a heavy wagon, has recovered so he can walk a little with the help of two canes.

The school committee have decided upon opening the schools fifteen minutes earlier than the summer schedule, on account of the short days. Pupils like it fully as well, as it allows them more time for after school sports.

"Don't forget the basket ball game between the Deans and the Pawtucket Y. M. C. A. tomorrow evening, at 8 o'clock, as a fine game is assured. The visitors will doubtless look into our new Y. M. C. A. rooms before they return.

Mrs. Nellie Noyes held a social in Foresters' hall Monday night after the dancing class hours. It was largely attended by friends of the class and others. Mrs. Mabelle Tracy and Miss Bertha Razee furnished music for the dancing.

Walter C. Rose of South Franklin reports the loss of twelve hens from his henhouse Tuesday night. They were White Wyandottes and pure bred. Mr. Rose lives on the John Kenney place at the corner of Washington and Spring streets.

The Y. M. C. A. rooms have proven fine places from which to escape the cold these winter nights, with their genial warmth, light, games, music, sociability, etc. They are open from 4.30 to 10 p. m. week days, and from 1 to 5.30 Sundays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rathbun were among the guests at the brilliant debutante reception for Miss Deborah Clark Sayles, daughter of Hon. Frederick C. Sayles, in Providence Tuesday evening. There was a large company of distinguished guests.

Treasurer Ramsey of the Heliotype Printing company was injured at the factory Tuesday. The particulars were not obtained, but in some way he was hit by some substance or a drop of acid, and one eye badly injured The wound was dressed and Mr. Ramsey taken to the eye and ear infirmary at Boston.

The ladies of the Universalist church are arranging for a bazaar in Central Square hall, Morse's block, on Thursday and Friday evenings, Dec. 20 and 21, from 4 to 10 p. m. In connection with the sale there will be a supper served from 6.30 to 8 o'clock, with a different entertainment each evening, and dancing on Friday evening. Among the attractions will be domestic, fancy, doll, handkerchief, necktie, confectionery, package and children's tables, beautifully decorated, etc. No admission will be charged in the afternoon, but in the evening a small fee will be charged.

Chester M. Whiting goes to New York the last of the week to consult with parties interested in the building of a railroad in Cuba, and may make arrangements to take charge of a part of the work. Mr Whiting's long residence in Cuba has given him an intimate acquaintance with the Cuban character and the tendency of affairs in the island, and he does not expect to see complete self-government there for some time to come. Among the educated class there are too many who want to be first chief ruler and are not content to wait for the second chance, and there seems to be a strange idea of the obligation of the United States to pay war debts contracted without United States authority.

If you want to see a real Southern darky in his true colors he may be best observed on Saturday evening at the Opera house. A grand number of these natural born artists are seen in all sorts of Dixie land diversions, such as buck and wing dancing, negro specialties, pickaninny dancing, banjo solos, plantation dancing, jubilee singing, male and female quartets, old time plantation scenes, and for a brilliant finish a magnificent cake-walk, which includes every member of the company in some uproarlously laughable scenes. This exceptional company contains some prime entertainers, who are responsible for oceans of melody and waves of mirth. Nothing is more enjoyable, or better inclined to put an audience into the best of spirits than the darky diversions of these dark-skinned people of Dixie land.

Dean Academy Benefits.

Gen. Olney Arnold, a former trustee of Dean academy, who died in Pawtucket Oct. 3, left $1,000 to Dean academy, among other bequests. The will was filed on Monday and was a surprise. It had become an accepted belief of the heirs of the deceased that he had died intestate, as after his death nothing could be found among his papers which would indicate that he had left a will.

It was generally regarded strange that a man of the business shrewdness of Gen. Arnold should have died without a will, especially as it was known that such a document had been drawn. The will was found in the basket which the general invariably carried on his arm when going to and from the bank, and which was supposed to be for the purpose of carrying purchases from the stores. The basket was in the general's private safe, and was the receptacle for the valuable papers, and perhaps money, which the owner desired to carry, no doubt believing that the basket would not be so apt to attract the attention of a robber as would some other form of receptacle commonly used for the carrying of valuables. This basket was as much a part of the general's equipments as were his gold-bowed spectacles.

But he was an original man in many ways, and in what better way could he have carried his treasures than in the tightly-woven basket, with its cover always closed? The will was dated July 14, 1899.

Concert Tonight.

A fine entertainment is promised all who attend the opening of the Lyceum course in the Congregational church this evening, when the Harvard Male quartette of Boston will sing and Lillian Peirce Hennigar, one of the brightest readers upon the platform today, will read. The program has been selected with unusual care, and a rich treat is promised. Those taking single admission tickets only should go in good season in order to secure the best seats remaining.

PROGRAM.

"The Trumpet Calls," in MSS.
Harvard Male Quartet.
Recital—"Two Home Comings,"
"His Picture of Her,"
Mr. Bartlett.
"Midnight,"
Harvard Quartet.
Recital—"Woman's Rights,"
Mrs. Hennigar.
"Bedouin Love Song,"
Mr. Phillips.
Quartet—Selected.
Recital—"Narcissa's Debut,"
Mrs. Hennigar.
"The Garden by the Sea,"
Mr. Boyd.
"When the Little Ones Say 'Good Night' "

Alden Club.

On last Monday evening a large audience welcomed Mrs. Mabel Loomis Todd. All who heard Mrs. Todd last year were anxious to hear her again. We were very delightfully entertained by a trip to Carthage, although absolutely nothing remains of the splendor and magnificence of old Carthage, we were much interested in the ruins and the excavations which are being made.

After the lecture an informal reception was given Mrs. Todd. The hospitality committee served delicious cocoa and crackers from a beautifully decorated table. The evening was pronounced a success. S.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

There will be a brief praise service at the rooms of the association Saturday evening at 9 o'clock. All men are invited to come in and join in this service of song.

Sunday afternoon, men's meeting at 4.15; speakers to be announced from the pulpits Sunday morning. Special solos by J. Ray Wyckoff; also a bright song service. All men are earnestly invited to attend this service.

Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar.

Charles E. Hudson can accommodate three or four more pupils Call for particulars at office of P. A. Woodward, Dana block, on Friday evenings, between 7 and 9.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

The Ladies' Auxiliary.

More than seventy-five enthusiastic ladies of our town gathered at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. on Thursday afternoon to consider the advisability of forming an auxiliary to the new Y. M. C. A. The meeting was opened with a brief song service, conducted by Secretary Stewart, after which Mrs. I. W. Sneath was elected temporary chairman. On taking the chair Mrs. Sneath read a selection from the scriptures and offered a brief prayer asking God's blessing upon the work, after which Mrs. Oliver H. Durrell of Cambridge, president of the state organization of women's auxiliaries, gave a very interesting talk upon association and auxiliary work, and the great blessing it was to her. She particularly emphasized the fact that it was not to be thought of apart from church work, because it was part of it, and the most earnest association or auxiliary workers were always found to be the most active in church work.

After her address Mrs. Durrell answered questions for some moments, and then a vote was taken to ascertain whether it was thought best by those present to form an organization. This resulted in a large vote for an auxiliary. Next came election of of the following officers: President, Mrs. I. W. Sneath; secretary, Mrs. Chas. L. Stewart; treasurer, Mrs. Samuel H. Frost.

The date of the monthly meeting was fixed on the second Thursday of each month. A large number of those present signed the list of members, and, after a unanimous vote of thanks to Mrs Durrell, the meeting adjourned subject to the call of the president.

The ladies carefully inspected the home of the association and expressed themselves as delighted with it. Several of the mothers present were enthusiastic over the work stating that they believed it to be one of the best institutions ever started in town.

Far From the Madding Crowd.

The old long hill road, so called, is forgotten, except by the lovers of nature and occasional lovers of each other, who wander that way in summer. There are beautiful views, shady retreats and sylvan places along where the old stage coach used to lumber along.

Down in the southeast corner of the town, where William F. King enjoys the life of the free from crowding neighbors, except woodchucks and other denizens of the forest, in old times a road stretched through the woods to the old factory at the Bush, before that locality became celebrated for the production of felt goods, and flourished like a green bay tree to the enrichment of the butcher, the baker and the candle-stick maker, and then sunk again into a small and quiet hamlet.

And another quiet path is from the Jordan place, near Indian rock, to the Wrentham road. Hunters wander that way, and occasionally one in sympathy with woodcraft strays along the path listening to the soft voices of Nature telling the story of the changing year.

From Wadsworths to Unionville is another overgrown way that tells of bygone times and of the present by the signs of the woodsman's axe, which has, no doubt, filled some pocketbook, added to the commercial enterprise of the day and warmed many a fireside, but desolated the way of its beauty and opened the forest nooks to the blaze of the sun.

From Kingsbury's pond, now in the town of Norfolk, a quiet and romantic way leads by the shore of the pond, over hills and through hollows, to the Medway flats and Charles river. It winds along the western shore of Populatic pond, and presents many spots where Nature is but little defiled by art and attempts at civilization, but the woodsman has also been busy along the route, and large tracts that were beautiful with trees and vines are now stripped of their adornments and show bleak and drear.

But much is left for the dreamer and the student, for along the quiet path lingers much of tradition, something of history and something of Nature's soothing spirit. All of the growth and progress of the past hundred years now at hand is hidden, and one can easily imagine the mouldering stump in the distance is a lurking copper colored original owner of the soil, or a still older claimant of the right of way—a black bear.

Over the Mount into Sheldonville used to be a common way to reach that placid hamlet celebrated in years gone by for boats, jewelry and straw bonnets Now it is overgrown and the roadbed left for Nature to cover with the velvet green. All the silver that may be hidden under the rocks and ledges is undisturbed, and the chance pilgrim who strays that way can see little but Nature in her rugged and rocky form, with her jewels of moss and wild roses in their season to lend enchantment to her form and attractiveness to her features.

UNCLE SILAS.

$10.00 Reward

For evidence leading to the arrest and conviction of the parties who broke into my poultry pens Dec. 11 and stole a dozen White Wyandotte pullets. Most of the pullets are marked, so that they can be recognized.

W. C. ROSE, Wadeworth, Mass.

Transient and regular patrons will find good service, clean and quick work at Ochee's barber shop, Opera house block.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirel at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

MR EDITOR:—The old Town hall as it is at the present day is certainly an object of ridicule, and a few words of enlightenment may not be amiss. The land on which the Town hall stands reverts to the original owners when it ceases to be used for a Town hall. The building is large enough for all town purposes exept one town meeting a year, and the Opera house is ample and convenient. Why should the people of Franklin tax themselves $50,000 for a new Town hall when the old one can be repaired and made neat and tidy for $1,000.

TAX PAYER.

Farmers' Club.

Last Monday evening the club met with George W. Bacon, North Franklin Mr. Bacon said he had no paper to read, but would give a talk: "In the first place I want to welcome you all here and assure you all that we are just as glad to see you as you are to come. Our lessons and experiences are so common that I have but little to say about them. Our first parents were placed in the garden of Eden and had to dress and care for it. A week ago tonight we listened to a very fine paper on "Fruits," and in those early days the fruits were the staff of life and later they were called bread. In the first great famine we read that Jacob sent his sons down to Egypt to buy bread; what kind of grain that was we do not know; it might have been wheat or perhaps barley. We have the same old measures as they did in those days, three barley corns one inch; it was so in the beginning of the Christian era and it is so today. Some of the lessons the past has taught is in the new machines and methods we now use compared with those of even fifty years ago. This country can feed 1,000,000,000 The old iron plow is past date, the new steel sulky doing the work much easier. Another thing that I think we might do is to think more and not act so strange. People will think and talk temperance, and then go to the polls and vote just in the opposite way. They are like a cow that will give you a good pail of milk, then kick it all over before you can get up from milking.

"There is another lesson we can learn from the past presidential campaign. The talk of imperialism and expansion is misleading, and the fact that the Philippine Islands drop into our hands as the result of war is no excuse for the cry of imperialism, I do not think I will say any more now, but want to hear from others."

J. M. Parker said that one lesson he had learned was not to put cabbages in cellar to keep them. Another thing: Last year I did not think it paid to raise corn to husk and feed out as grain. This year I do, and shall try and raise more next year. I will not discard the silo, but we farmers do not raise and feed corn enough to our horses and hens. A general discussion followed and a social hour was spent, spiced with hot coffee and doughnuts. D

Alabama Troubadours.

Concerning Gorman's entertainers, who appear at the Opera house Saturday evening, we clip the following:

"The company consists of a score or more of good singers, some of them being also clever comedians and graceful dancers, and the events on the long program follow one another so rapidly that there was something doing all the time. There were choruses, male and female quartets, duets and solos; some remarkable acrobatic feats by one of the company, who seemed as much at home when standing on his head as when on his feet; a naval drill and a cake walk, done as only colored people can do it. Most of the specialties were very pleasing and helped, with the singing, to make the entertainment entirely satisfactory."—Burlington Free Press.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending December 12, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. Nellie Briggs, Mrs. T. A. Stewart.

Gentlemen—L. A. Bragdon, F. H. Hansell, George W. Diamond, A. J. Varno, M. D., Pasquale, Tiberio Vipralo.

Selected Provisions.

A new line of turkeys at 13, 15 and 17 cents; fowls and chicks, fresh, headed and drawn, from 13 to 20c; 3,000 lbs of home dressed pork; finely seasoned and selected sausage, Boston Market celery 18c, other grades two bunches for 25c; fine Cape berries. All the vegetables, spinach, radishes, lettuce, parsnips, etc. Canned soups of all kinds. Fine butter, fresh eggs, nice cheese.

RICHARDSON'S MARKET.

W. A. Pond

Handles all kinds of rentable property, and will find you a tenant or tenement if you desire.

All kinds of festooning, laurel wreaths, holly wreaths and evergreen wreaths made to order for Christmas. Cut flowers, roses and violets in large or small quantities. Funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse, Central street.

From the Southland.

FERNANDINA, FLA, Dec 11, 1900

MR JOHNSON—DEAR SIR:—We are always glad to hear from our friends, and think our friends will like to hear something of us and of our surroundings. We left New York Dec. 7 by the steamship Rio Grande, which is 300 feet in length and capable of carrying 2,500 tons and 100 passengers. Mrs. Richardson, not being accustomed to sea fare or sea sickness, did not enjoy the first twenty-four hours as she had anticipated. The Rio Grande made an unusually quick passage with favorable wind and weather. We were landed at Fernandina Monday, Dec 10 Fernandina is the shire town of Nasau county, with good school and church privileges The colored people outnumber the whites and have their own schools and churches. They number something over 300 scholars and the whites have 165, each school employing four teachers. Fernandina is at the north-east corner of Florida and claims to have the best harbor on the east coast of the state. The city is situated at the north end of Amelia Island, which is about twenty miles long and one to two miles wide, and I believe is the only city in the county.

E. F. RICHARDSON.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3 Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Young Men's Christian Association rooms in Morse block, opposite Opera house.—Sunday afternoon service at 4.15. Good speaker, good music. All men are invited.

Congregational church — Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. I W. Sneath, Ph. D. Sunday school at 12 Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 Evening service at 7; subject, "A Journey to the Jordan River."

Baptist church.—At 10.30 preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper. Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5 45. Preaching at 7; theme, "Four Cornered Duties" Morning subject, "The Father's Infinite Love for the Son"

Universalist church.—The pastor, Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D, will preach at 10.30 and 5 Y. P. C. U. at 6. Morning subject, "The Trustworthiness of the Bible as Containing a Revelation From God Afternoon subject, "Broad Church and High Church."

Methodist church — Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook. Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 3 Vesper service and general prayer meeting at 7, led by pastor; subject, "A Promise of Blessing." Morning subject, "Our Covenant Principles."

Menu for Sunday.

We can furnish you with a fine turkey, the best cuts of meat, fowls and chicks, lettuce, cauliflower, parsnips, Hubbard squashes, Boston market celery, the finest; carrots, red cabbage, large, fine cranberries from the Ray meadows here; apples, prime butter, cream cheese, etc. Anything you want in the market line.

EMERSON'S MARKET.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

All kinds of stove wood and kindlings dry at Allen's wood yard.

Wanted—Girl to do general housework. Marston Sanborn.

Two hundred cords of trash wood for sale by E. S. Cook, Box 212. 26Ftf

To Let.—Rooms with or without board. Where? At the Franklin House. 7-tf

To Let.—Furnished room; steam heat. J. W. Desmond, Church avenue. 11,14*

To Let—Cottage house, eight rooms, corner Central street and Milliken avenue. L. W. Milliken. 27tf

For Rent— Cottage house of seven rooms on Crescent street; steam heat. Apply to J. F. Lesure. 14tf

To Let—Tenement of six rooms on Cottage street, $5 per month, new tenement. Apply at this office. 14tf

Ladies' and children's dressmaking. Mrs J. M. Blanchard, No. 3 Fletcher block (wooden), up two flights. 11,14*

Wanted—A place to do general housework in a small family. Inquire at 7 Dale street for Miss Ella Hutchinson. 14*

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

Just before Christmas, during the next 10 days, Boston tickets can be had of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office at $1 for the round trip. Why not save a little on that next trip of yours.?

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor J.B.MCKINNON, Agent.

Bad Weather

Must be considered when figuring on your photos for Christmas. Better come for the sitting at earliest possible date, and thus avoid any possibility of disappointment. What more pleasing remembrance than one of our Platinotype portraits, so dainty and artistic.

CALKIN, Depot St.

Don't Buy

Photograph frames without looking over my stock. The neatest assortment in metal and decorated frames, both single and double, just the thing for Christmas at CALKINS' STUDIO, Depot St.

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A Bride's Merry Send-Off.

A pretty story has just come from Berkeley, Cal., of how some of the university girls [illegible] a march on one of their [illegible] who was about to be married. A week before the time set for the wedding when the bride was "up to her eyes" in work there came one day about a half-hour before luncheon, a smart pull at the bell, followed by the entrance of a dozen of her classmates, who announced that they had come for luncheon. The natural consternation of the hostess at this unexpected addition to her family was assuaged when each girl produced [illegible] the component part of a most [illegible] meal [illegible] dainty individual [illegible] and saucers as well. When the merry feast was ended the dozen cups and saucers were left behind as souvenirs of the occasion. Nor was this all. Carefully wrapped in tissue paper and tied with baby ribbon in the Berkeley colors, blue and gold, were a [illegible] of small kitchen conveniences—egg beaters, potato ricers, [illegible], a set of silver skewers and the like. These were stealthily tucked into the interstices of the wedding chest which was being packed, as other practical reminders of the happy college days of comradeship.

A woman in Mi[illegible] made a pet out of a pig, and [illegible] for it. The pig insisted on following her, not only around the house, but all over the town. At first it was funny, then it got to be annoying. She tried shutting him in a pen, but he squealed so pitifully that she relented, and he could always get out of the garden some way. The climax came when the pig followed her to church one Sunday, and ran grunting into her pew. She really couldn't endure that, and the pig was sold.

An undertaker at Sunbury Center, Mich., had a number of coffin boxes stored in an outside shed. Needing one of them he and an assistant went to the storehouse, and, selecting one, proceeded to lift it out. Immediately they got themselves out of the shed, pursued by a flock of bees which had established their home in the box, having gained access through a knothole. After the insects had been driven away by fumigation, sixty pounds of first-class honey were found in the box.

The value of negative blessings, so to speak—the things that do not happen—is seldom taken into account, yet one might not unreasonably figure them as "assets." For instance, an insurance expert estimates that 2,500,000 accidents, involving a money loss of $117,000,000, take place in this country every year. Turning this statement about a little, it would seem that the people who met with no accident last year saved thereby, on an average, $46.80 cents!

A martyr to rheumatism, Chris Outlette, of Menominee, Mich., tried all sorts of remedies in vain. The other day he allowed himself to be buried in wet sand as a panacea. He assisted his wife in digging a trench, took off all his clothing and was covered up to the chin. At the request of neighbors a police officer took the man from what in a short time would have been his grave. He is now in a helpless condition as a result of his wild experiment.

These are the days when docile husbands remain at home and with soap and wash rag purify the children while their mammas are out in the highways and byways purifying politics

Kansans are so busy that it is mentioned as a sacrifice that a Dickinson county farmer stopped harvesting long enough to attend the weddings of his three daughters.

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Signs.

"I shouldn' be surprised if I done sold dat mule aftuh all," remarked Uncle Rasberry.

"Is you got any offers?"

"No. But I's gwinter git one purty soon. Deacon Thompson stops hyuh every yuh huh day an' wastes half an hour tellin' me 'bout what a no 'count animal it is. An' de deacon doesn' put in his time widout he's got an object."—Washington Star.

Padding for Footmen's Calves.

One of the greatest essentials with regard to the recommendation of a London footman is not only his height, but the size and form of his legs. To suit the needs of those who have not been gifted with a well-formed leg the livery-makers supply artificial calves which pad out the legs to a respectable size. A pair of these pads cost about $1.25.—N. Y. Post.

But a Good One.

"What are you buying all those traps for?"

"Doctor's orders. He tells me I need a little recreation and insists that I should go duck-hunting with him."

"Huh! Seems to me that's a sort of quack remedy."—Philadelphia Press.

No Consolation There.

"There, now, Clara, how would you like to be these people who can't get home from Paris because their funds gave out?"

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Very Mad.

McSwatters—I saw a mad dog yesterday.

McSwitters—How do you know he was mad?

McSwatters—Wouldn't you be mad if you were a dog and somebody tied a can to your tail?—Syracuse Herald.

Baby Loved Papa.

Friend—I suppose the baby is fond of you?

Papa—Fond of me? Why, he sleeps all day when I'm not at home, and stays awake all night just to enjoy my society!—Tit-Bits.

FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN.

On an average every woman carries 40 to 60 miles of hair upon her head.

The British Women's Emigration society offers free passage to western Australia and profitable places when they have arrived there to good, strong domestic servants. But it advises servants who are seeking light places, with no scrubbing, a regular evening out, as well as all day Sunday, to abide by the mother country

It has been estimated that there are in England some 540 women editors authors and journalists, and of these a well known publisher has declared that five have an income of £4,[illegible]0 a year. In journalism women have met with immense success. At least one lady journalist receives a salary of £7[illegible]0 a year, and there are not a few who have no difficulty in making from £[illegible]00 to £[illegible]0. The last census in the United States showed that there were [illegible],000 women engaged in literary, as apart from journalistic, work

Women have superior rights in China even to the privilege of fighting in the wars of the country. In the rebellion of 1850 women did as much fighting as men. At Nanking in 1853 [illegible] women from various parts of the country were formed into brigades of 1,000 each, under female officers. Of these soldiers [illegible] were picked women, drilled and garrisoned in the city. But they not only fought as men but took their share of the drudgery, digging moats, making earthworks and doing all the things that fall to the lot of the common soldier in any war.

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Just Because.

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—Chicago Daily News.

He Never Knew.

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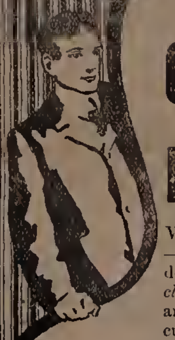

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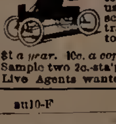

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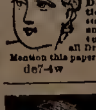

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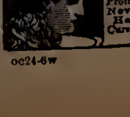

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From yonder belfry, old and gray,
Where thick the frosted ivy climbs,
Now sweet and slow, now blithely gay,
Along the shining, wintry way,
There comes the sound of Christmas chimes;
Across the sunlit snows that lie,
A glittering fleece of jewels rare,
Now grandly rising far on high,
Now borne in tenderest whispers nigh,
They fill with joy the morning air.

In tranquil calm the landscape smiles;
The spirit of all peace is here;
The simple life no passion wiles,
Nor storm, nor stress the heart beguiles
From paths by duty rendered dear.
When flashed o'er Judah's plains the light
Whose luster with the ages swells;
The joy, that sweetly solemn night,
Revealed to man on Bethlehem's height,
Seems echoed here in Christmas bells.

Warmed by the yule-log's cheery blaze,
With friends around the hearth-stones wide,
In simple sports, or old-time lays,
Or legends quaint of other days,
The village keeps its Christmas tide;
Or, seated 'round the ample board,
Exponent true of prosperous times,
From hearts with life's contentment stored,
In homely phrase, are praises poured
That blend, perchance, with Christmas chimes.

Within the manor's stately hall
Kind hearts with Christmas cheer keep pace,
And children's merry voices call,
And bounteous gifts for one and all
From loving hands the season grace.
With rich or poor, with old or young,
Within each heart some memory dwells
Of bliss the by-gone years may hold
Which now, like some sweet tale retold,
Comes back again with Christmas bells.

Sweet Christmas bells, through every land
Ring out your message, far and wide;
That faith, by Love Divine, be fanned,
And God's sweet peace with men may stand,
And charity with all abide.
—Beatrice Harlowe, in Chicago Advance.

Martha Dean's Doubt

By Mary Sweet Potter.

"So long have I prayed and waited for prosperity—nay, even a sufficient income to yield my children and myself the common necessaries of life—without receiving an answer to my prayers, that I am tempted to believe that God does not redeem His promises, but to a few favored ones." So spoke Martha Dean.

The very essence of bitterness must dwell in the heart of one who gives utterance to such a sentiment, and, indeed, Martha Dean was in a bitter and desperate mood, which was quite unusual with her, for she had never lost faith before.

She sat there before her fireless kitchen range, her dull eyes watching the progress of a great snowstorm. She saw nothing of its white, fierce beauty, however, but gathered only the one harsh idea that it was the inevitable cruelty of winter, for by bitter experience she had learned that to her and hers, these later years of her life, winter brought little but cold, privation and general discomfort.

It was not yet dark, but to keep the children from taking cold she had tucked them as warmly as possible into their beds; for there was so little fuel that she had allowed the fire to die out as soon as she had cooked the simple supper, thus insuring a little warmth and comfort for the next day, as well as a blaze to cook their meals.

Now she heard them calling to each other across the room, and then a little later Jennie, the oldest of the four, was telling a story to little Edith, who lay beside her, and trying to keep her voice up to a pitch high enough for the two little boys, Tommy and Johnny, to hear also over across the room.

Here was one source of bitterness for Martha Dean. She wanted her children chatting and playing about her in comfort and happiness, but her pinching poverty forbade even that.

The words of Jennie's story came now and then to her mother's ears; it was an extravagantly generous Christmas story, and Martha Dean's lip curled in a smile of bitterness as she listened.

"My poor babies!" she murmured. "Theirs will be a sorry Christmas time, with not even a fire to keep them warm."

For the next day would be Christmas, and being, for the time, faithless, she felt sure that no Christmas cheer awaited them—nothing, indeed, but privation and misery. The hours passed, the children's voices were hushed in sleep, and she could no longer watch the storm, but she knew by the light patter against the window, with now and then a fierce fling of the sleety snow, that it was still raging, and she sat in silence and darkness thinking—not of some plan to work out of the difficulty they were in, for it seemed to her that every outlet was closed—but of the past, when she and her little ones had been surrounded by comforts and blessed and protected by the love and care of the husband and father, who had died and left them four years before.

Suddenly there came to her ears plaintive cries and a noise at the door. Martha Dean hastened to light her lamp.

"Whatever it is that wants to come in out of such a storm, it shall come," she thought. "I can at least give shelter to any creature that is without, be it beast or human." And she hastened to throw open the door.

A little child stood there, covered with snow, its face uplifted in anxious inquiry, its breath coming in quick gasps.

Not a poor-looking child in thin clothing, with a pinched face, as one might expect to see out upon such a night, but a child weighted down with rich, cumbersome wraps, with a face round and rosy and beautiful.

Fearlessly she stepped inside, and in so doing disclosed the one fault in her dress which had rendered her short exposure to the storm dangerous and uncomfortable. Her feet were clad in light slippers, and in wading through the snow she had wet them through and through, though she had walked only a short distance.

"You dear little one!" cried Martha Dean. "How did you come here?"

"I was all lost till I said my prayers," was the quick reply. "We were going to see grandpa, and I tumbled out of the big sleigh into the snow. Then the horses wouldn't stop, so I told the Lord, just as mamma told me to, and He helped me to get here."

"And didn't you get hurt anywhere, you poor babe?" inquired Martha Dean, blushing at the little girl's simple declaration of faith.

"No, ma'am; the snow was nice and soft; it didn't hurt me one bit, but my toes are freezed, I guess." And she sobbed with pain as Martha chafed her little, chilled feet, from which she had immediately removed the cold, wet covering.

Underneath the damp outer cloak the child's clothes were dry and warm, and, having put the cloak over a chair to dry, Martha wrapped her in a heavy shawl and sat holding her and gently rubbing her chubby feet, watching the blue eyes slowly closing in sleep and wondering to whom she belonged and if the child's account of her mishap were really the true explanation of it.

"Won't mamma come soon to get me? I want to go to my grandpa's house," murmured the little girl, drowsily, and just then there came a clamorous jingle of sleighbells and a loud rap upon the outer door. Almost simultaneously with the knocking upon the door it was opened and the snow-covered form of a man stood before Martha Dean for a single instant; then, turning hastily, he shouted to some one outside:

"She is found! She is here!" and hastened out.

Then there entered into that plain little kitchen a company of people the like of which it had never contained before.

First a tall, beautiful lady, fur-clad from top to toe; then a gentleman, also stately and fur-clad, and behind them came bustling and panting an elderly gentleman, neither tall nor handsome, but, like the others in regard to outer wraps, he was as furry as any Santa Claus, and very like that mysterious old personage in many other respects.

The lady's lips were quivering and she seemed speechless with joyful emotion, and the tall gentleman stooped and lifted the child up to her with reassuring words, as if to let her see that her darling was unharmed. As for the elderly gentleman, his sharp, restless eyes swept the room and its contents in a trice.

"No fire, ma'am, such a night as this? Why, why, pray? It's a wonder my little granddaughter didn't finish freezing after she got in here."

"Oh, no, father, the lady has her well wrapped up, and her wet things all removed," said his daughter, for she noted the flush that rose to the cheek of Martha Dean.

"Yes, and it was perhaps better that she was not taken in by a hot fire when so near freezing," said the younger gentleman, who was evidently the father of the little girl. He now turned to Martha Dean.

"We were driving from the station to the home of my wife's parents, madam, two miles beyond here, when the horses became excited by the wind and storm and somehow managed to tip the sleigh so that little Annie was thrown out, though all the others stayed in. The horses were unmanageable and ran, yet they kept the road, and when they reached home stopped. Of course, we returned as soon as possible after getting control of the horses. This explains our intrusion upon you, and no words can express our thankfulness to you for your kindness toward our poor little girl."

"It is nothing," replied Martha. "I would be glad to do more. I will now build a fire, so that you may get warm and dry before going out into the storm again."

"Needless trouble, madam; we are not cold," quickly replied the old gentleman. "James and John are waiting and we must go. Just tell me one thing, madam, if you please, how many little ones have you? I see several pairs of peepers in yonder."

Martha Dean informed the old gentleman as to the number of her family, while busily engaged in dressing the little girl's feet in some shoes and stockings belonging to her own little Edith, while the child clung tightly to her mother's neck.

"Two boys and two girls, the oldest a girl of 12, the youngest a girl of four; Tommy and Johnny between," he repeated, as he turned to go. "I will see you again to-morrow, madam; good-night and a merry Christmas!"

Then, with the little Annie wrapped until she made an enormous bundle, the whole party took their departure.

"Our name is Lewis and father's is Ray; we will see you again; I will call to-morrow if you do not forbid me," were the lady's parting words, and soon Martha Dean stood alone in her little kitchen, the sound of the departing sleighbells ringing in her ears, her senses almost whirling.

"He looked exactly like Santa Claus!" declared little Edith.

"But she didn't look like Mrs. Santa, and he hasn't any little girl," objected Tommy.

"Besides, he didn't leave a thing for anybody," dolefully supplemented Johnny.

"Mamma, what does it all mean?" inquired Jennie, the serious-minded one, for she with the other children had slept until a few minutes before the midnight visitor left the house.

Then Martha Dean told as briefly as possible the story of little Annie's adventure, meantime hurrying the children again into bed, herself soon following them.

But it was long before she closed her eyes in sleep, her mind was so full of the unexpected event which had just taken place.

While she was lighting her fire the next morning a large box was delivered at her door, followed a little later by a load of coal and sundry other articles.

"With love and a 'Merry Christmas,' from Miss Annie Lewis," was marked upon all the packages, and even the man who brought the coal said that little Miss Annie sent it.

From such a source it could not be refused, and Martha Dean felt the barrier of pride go down in her soul as one contribution after another was left on her premises.

Her home was soon filled with warmth and a goodly number of comforts and luxuries, and the children were glowing and happy over numberless toys and books and articles of wearing apparel that fitted everyone in a most remarkable way.

Santa Claus' sharp eyes had taken notes to some effect the night before.

In the afternoon there came (in the course of Mrs. Lewis' call, which was made according to her promise of the night before), a panacea for such wounds as her pride had received.

Her new-found friends, learning that she was a normal graduate and had previous to her marriage followed teaching for a profession, assured her that she should be established at the head of a primary school, private and select, by means of which all reasonable desires for herself and her little ones might be gratified and such of her present plenty as she chose to deem merely kindly lent to her by good friends might be paid for to her full satisfaction.

And to-day she is prosperous and happy, and the thing she is most ashamed and pained to recall in her past life is the short season of unreasoning distrust of her Heavenly Father's will and power to help her in the time of her extreme need.—Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

REAL LESSON OF CHRISTMAS.

There Can Be No Love for God Which Is Unattended by Love for Man.

"Too often in our Christmas religious observances is this thought almost entirely lost sight of, or not sufficiently emphasized," writes Edward Bok in the Ladies' Home Journal. "There can be no love for God which is unattended with love for man. The final test of a Christian life is not the worship of God, but always the love of man for man. If the message of Him whose birth we celebrate at Christmas teaches us one thing above all others, it is not that that we shall try to do for Him as a person, but that we shall seek to do for one another. That is knowing Jesus and clearly understanding Him. And wherever this true conception of His life and teaching is reached, there we find men and women thrilled with the passion for giving. The little child wakes on Christmas morning with its heart full to overflowing with gladness, and by every gift in stocking, or beside cradle or bed, is taught anew the old, old lesson of love. Husband and wife, brother and sister, lover and sweetheart, friend and friend, as they receive their gifts are reminded once more that love is not a dream, but a reality—and a reality which grows more vital, more precious and more enduring with the years. The sick, in chair or in bed, as they open their Christmas packages, are almost reconciled to loneliness and pain. The friendless, the poor, the outcast, the waifs on the streets; those who have sinned and seem shut out from God and from man, all begin to feel strange thrills of hope and renewed aspirations as they are taken up and enfolded in the richness and fullness of the Divine love as it comes to them through human love or attention on Christmas day. That is knowing Christmas in its highest and noblest sense; in its truest conception; knowing it in that spirit from which we derive the surest happiness."

Christmas Surprises.

"Let me see," said Mr. Flickerson, "what is it you are to get me for a Christmas present?"

"Why, those new curtains for the dining-room, you know," his wife answered.

"Oh, yes. And what is it I am to surprise you with?"

"Henry, I don't believe you really take the enthusiastic interest one should in these things at this glorious time of the year. You are to get me a new carpet for the hall."

Then he started for the office, full of the sublime significance of the merry yuletide.—Chicago Times-Herald.

The Children's World.

This is the time divine and dear,
That takes the child to Eden's bower,
And proves the fairies yet are here,
And serve it well this happy hour;
So ask in faith, dear little ones,
And none your hope shall dare to mar,
For lo! the angels still look on,
And still is seen the Christmas star!

Behold the child on Christmas morn—
Awake to find the world his own,
And he to this great kingdom born—
Where all he wishes for is shown;
How precious is the pleasing sight,
As sweet as peace that follows war;
So then the angels sing at night,
So then returns the golden star!
—William Brunton, in Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

Preliminary Discipline.

"Extravagance drives the Christmas spirit away."

"Nothing of the sort; it only paves the way for a lot of lovely New Year's resolutions."—Indianapolis Journal.

The Frenzy of Giving.

"What is the Christmas spirit?"

"It consists in wanting to give a present to somebody that you know isn't going to give you one."—Chicago Daily News.

CHRISTMAS IN AMERICA.

We Borrow from England and Germany Those Customs Best Adapted to Our Own Requirements.

If Christmas is peculiarly the festival of joy, the day when the gladness of the deliverance in which every Christian believes is expressed, the American people have certainly done well in continuing the festival where its celebration is native to them, and reviving it where it had become obsolete. The whole human race, and particularly the youthful part of it, is fairly entitled to a good deal of merrymaking. Wholesome fun helps to form a well-rounded character—to build up a complete man or woman—and to this extent is the handmaiden of religion itself.

Our own American people have rightfully inherited a good deal of fun. The English people, who supplied the first important ingredient in our national compound, were perhaps a little too jovial. At all events the settlers of New England found it necessary to be somewhat unduly sad by way of protest against their conduct. One form of protest was to banish all the old English church holidays, and Christmas with the rest.

Indeed, there is a great deal of historical evidence to show that the majority of the people in England had in a great measure forgotten the solemn aspect of Christmas in the festive aspect of it, and that the "lord of misrule," who reigned on Christmas eve and sometimes for a long while afterward, had things quite too much his own way.

But the wholesome reaction did not by any means extinguish the capacity for innocent enjoyment which is really inborn in the Anglo-Saxon nature. It has come out strongly in subsequent generations of Americans.

Meantime the jolly Dutch settlers of New York, the old-fashioned cavalier settlers of Virginia and the south, the good-hearted Germans of Pennsylvania and those who have come later, and the Irish people, who were merely sprinkled along through the earlier days of settlement but who came in copious, helpful showers more recently, have always believed in Christmas and kept it alive.

Now, every one believes in Christmas. The gospel of joy is preached every year in all our temples. The heavenly story which belongs to the day is heard by ears and sinks into hearts which have been well prepared for it by a great deal of unselfish gladness; for a true Christmas fills the heart more with the pure gladness of giving pleasure than with the poorer satisfaction of being given it.

Our American Christmas begins to take an American form, as is the case with the people, the ideas, the language, and everything else which has been brought here from the old world. We borrow from the Christmas festivals of European nations what seems to be best adapted to our own requirements. Santa Claus, the German, is naturalized an American, and the German Christmas-tree takes root in our soil. So does the English holly. English Christmas songs of course are easily sung by American voices; while, on the Christmas board, the native American turkey has never been known to quarrel with good British plum-pudding.

Good cheer, indeed, is a proper part of the gospel of joy, if it is shared. Music belongs in an especial way to Christmas, for the gladness that cannot express itself in any other way pours itself out freely in song.

Flowers, the earth's own expression of joy, should not be absent from Christmas celebrations where they can be procured; and where they cannot, the green boughs of evergreen trees may well testify to the universal faith, at the season when nature is cold and white, in the sure renewal of all the life that sleeps.

The coming of Christmas is to be hailed, then, by more than the young, for more than they may well have, when it comes, "the best time of all the year." Its coming is a token that there can be no gladness without benevolence—that "good-will toward men" is the very foundation of "peace on earth." And so, a Merry Christmas to all our readers, and to all the world —Youth's Companion.

Remember, Ye, the Poor!

Across the frosty Christmas-tide a mighty chorus rolls,
Clear as the peal of church bells ringing over mead and moor,
Hymned by the myriad heavenly hosts of saved and gladdened souls:
"Remember, at this giving time, remember, ye, the poor!

"Remember, ye, the Manger's Child at humble Bethlehem,
The Crucified! who spent His blood to ransom and to save!
Remember, ye, the needy, yea, for He was one of them!
At this, the giving time, remember, ye, what Jesus gave!"

Above the frosty Christmas-tide the chorus grandly soars—
Oh! human hearts, lift up to it! Lift up an answering strain
While from the holy host the peerless harmony outpours,
And stretch the hand of Charity to soothe where there is pain!
—Cluskey Cromwell, in Washington Star.

Hard to Comprehend.

Freddie—There is one thing I'd like to know.

Cobwigger—Well?

Freddie—Why is there no use asking Santa Claus for the things you don't want me to have?—Judge.

Before Christmas.

"Say, ma!"

"What, Freddy?"

"If I wuz as good as this all th' time I'd git sick an' die, wouldn't I?"—Chicago Record.

Inherited Mistrust.

"Bessie, have you written your letter to Santa Claus?"

"Yes, ma; but don't you go an' give it to pa to mail."—Indianapolis Journal.

JUST ON THE BRINK.

BY H. C. WARREN.

"What news?" she shouted, waving, as he came within hailing distance.

He waved back and shook his head mournfully. Then, in a voice that carried far above the noise of the breakers, he called back:

"The same old story."

She was perched high up on the top of a big rock that projected almost into the sea. A light plaid shawl, thrown picturesquely over her, served as a partial protection against the foam, which splashed madly about, at times reaching even the height where she was seated. He hastened toward her, leaping from rock to rock, and scrambling up, arrived quite breathless.

"Nothing bad, I hope?" she queried, sympathetically, as he threw himself headlong at her feet.

"Yes, really, Emma," he replied, "it is bad; not so much in itself, but coming after all the rest, you know, it takes the starch pretty well out of me, I confess."

"What is it this time?"

"It's the 'Hermit to His Books.' I've tried it everywhere, and now even the Heathen rejects it. It is utterly hopeless, you see."

"It isn't in your best vein, I'm afraid, and you will simply have to try again."

"Well, what is my vein, then? Have I any veins anyway, or are they all arteries?" And he laughed, in a half-hearted way. "There was the 'Swinging Lantern,' which was dramatic and ghostly. I thought that would do. It was modeled after my prize poem in college. And there was the 'Ghost of Desdemona,' pitched in the same high key—both utter failures. Then there was the 'Switchman,' in the way of dialect—"

"But you know, Joel," she broke in, "that style doesn't suit you at all. It is like a red-headed girl trying to wear a pink waist. Dialect, unless it is written by a native, is as bad as a foreign language. It is either intensely humorous—to the initiated—or it is crude and pointless. You might as well try to write in German or Chinese."

Joel looked up at her and laughed; this time the laugh was genuine. "And yet," he replied, "you say you believe in me. You think I will succeed if I keep on with my writing. It's really more than I can believe myself just now, Emma," he added, more seriously. "To tell the truth, I am sick of it, and just about ready to give the whole thing up."

"But you did not work it over?"

"Well, no; what was the use? When a thing is written, it's written, as far as I'm concerned. I know that poem isn't all that it might be, but I don't see any way of improving it myself. It's like the Irishman's coffee: 'All right if I could take the 'ile out, bejabbers!' And that's just the trouble with all my work, I suppose: I can't seem to get rid of the kerosene taste. I have a gleam of thought, and I write; then my lamp goes out (excuse the mixed metaphor)! and I can't seem to light it again. Some men can spend hours polishing down a single line, but I can't. If I try, the whole poem loses its flavor, and it seems such wretched stuff that I am seized with a mad impulse to toss it into the fire at once."

"As you actually did with the 'Birth of Athena?'"

"Exactly."

"I wish you hadn't. I liked the 'Birth of Athena' so much. Only I did think you could improve those few lines about Hermes paying for compliments."

"Well, they were pretty poor, I know; I couldn't fix them up, anyhow, and the rest of it was no earthly use without them. Like the grayhound with the docked tail, it wouldn't have improved the dog to cut the tail off entirely. So what was the use? Do you think I might have made it passable?"

"I know you could," she replied, with conviction; "and just so with the 'Hermit to His Books,' if you will only try. I told you frankly where I thought it was lacking. Why don't you go over it carefully. Joel Deems, you have the soul of a true poet in you, but—"

"But what?" he asked eagerly, still gazing down at the tossing sea. And just then a great wave rolled in and dashed triumphantly far over the beach. Emma was watching him closely, searchingly, the while.

"Nothing, only I am perfectly sure you have not found your own field yet. Do you know—I believe—I have never said so before," she hesitated, "but I think—you might write—well, poems of sentiment, for instance. So far as I know, you have never tried that, and I don't see why."

"Oh, I simply couldn't. It's too absurd. You know the idea in this 'Hermit!' Well, it expresses my own feelings precisely. How could a man of my temperament write poems of passion, or love ditties, or anything of that sort? It would be like trying to graft a forget-me-not onto a wild locust."

"Yes, you can," she retorted; "you have the true sap in you, in spite of all your attempts to starve it out. Don't try to pose before me. I haven't forgotten the last part of your 'Athena':

"'Though clad in comely armor, heart well steeled,
With dauntless dart, should Eros pierce thy shield,
And sink his quivering shaft deep in that shrine,
Then, splendid goddess, were thou twice divine.'

"What real hermit would give utterance to such shockingly tender sentiments as those?" she cried, laughing.

"But that was before—" he began, then broke off suddenly, and bit his lip.

"Before what?" she demanded; then, seeing his pale face, she, too, stopped and glanced away at the sea. The waves dashed up in light spray, which scattered in the wind and quickly vanished.

"I used to write that sort of thing," he said, in a strained voice, "but it didn't seem to work, so I've sworn off."

"For good?" she asked, impulsively.

"Forever," he answered, in a bitter tone.

A slight tremor passed over her, as a great wave cast a few sparkling drops at her very feet. There was another pause, then she resumed, in the same cheerful voice:

"Well, then, if you can't do that, keep on in this way; only do your best every time. You will strike the right key sooner or later. Your last work is better than any I have seen, except the 'Athena.' Keep at it, Joel. Don't be discouraged now, of all times, when you are really just on the brink of success. Please don't."

Joel smiled at her gratefully.

"I was foolish," he said, warmly; "I will do my very best, and perhaps I may get somewhere still. Only there is so much that is crude and empty, and false in my work. I can see that myself."

He turned away again, and watched the tide, which rose and fell, now here, now there, ever battling, ever struggling against the stern, high barriers of the shore. And she, too, had turned toward the sea, and saw the waves beating vainly against the grim, cold rocks.

"But even these," she thought, "must wear away in time, and the sea will conquer."—Home Journal, New York.

Still a Chance for Him.

"So you reject me!" the young lawyer said, rather bitterly. "I wonder if it would do any good to appeal the case to your father?"

She shook her head.

"There is no appeal from my decision," she replied. "I am what you call the court of last resort."

"But I cannot give up the case in this way!" he exclaimed.

She dug the sand with the point of her parasol.

"Mr. Braxton," she said, softly, "might you not ask for a new trial?"—Chicago Tribune.

A Pathetic Appeal.

There is nothing gained by being too bashful; and the inserter of the subjoined advertisement does not need to be told so:

"A poor student requests some generous and noble-minded person to advance him a sum of money for the purchase of a bicycle, with a view to reducing his embonpoint. Address A. V., at the office of this paper."—N. Y. World.

How He Got It.

"Did you ever get religion?" asked the revivalist.

"Well, I should say so—138 pounds of it," replied the man.

"A hundred and thirty-eight pounds of religion!" cried the revivalist. "How did you get that?"

"The only way that a good many men ever get religion," was the reply. "I married it."—Chicago Post.

Push and Pull.

Politician—My boy, the door to every successful business is labeled "Push."

Thoughtful Youth—Isn't your business a successful one, sir?

Politician—Well, yes, I flatter myself that it is very successful. Why do you ask that?

Thoughtful Youth—Because, sir, I see your door is labeled "Pull."—Tit-Bits.

Not-Self-Conscious.

"I will say," remarked the young woman, "that he is not afflicted with that self-consciousness which marks the person of deficient culture."

"No," answered Miss Cayenne, "he isn't at all self-conscious. He will be tiresome by the hour without being in the least aware of it."—Washington Star.

A Waste of Energy.

"No," said the stubborn citizen. "I never confess that I am in the wrong."

"Why not?"

"There is no use of it. If a man makes a mistake in this life there are thousands of people ready to take hold and advertise it, without his lifting his voice to swell the clamor."—Washington Star.

His Dying Request.

"And now," said the Fiji chief to the Boston missionary, "have you anything to request before we proceed with the ceremony?"

"Only this," replied the missionary, "please put a few beans in the pot with me."—Harlem Life.

Borrowing Trouble.

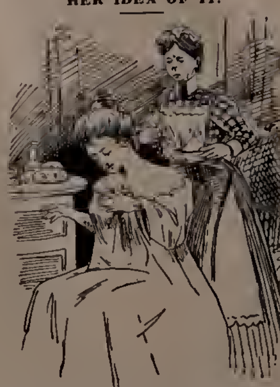
Miss Million (of uncertain age)—The only thing that worries me is the wedding tour. It will be perfectly horrible to have people know—"

Miss Rosebud (viciously)—Oh, don't worry. They'll think you're his mother.—Tit-Bits.

Romance of Fate.

And when first they saw each other
'Twas the end of their whole career,
For the matchless man had met his match,
And the peerless girl her peer.
—Chicago Tribune.

HER IDEA OF IT.



Mistress—Ouch! What's that. I told you to apply cold cream to my neck.

Nora—Well, an' isn't this ice cream?
—Chicago Daily News.

Appointments.

Yes, I'm the man who's always late,
And without shame the fact I state;
For well I know, and so do you,
The man I meet will be late, too.
—Chicago Record.

Six Days Enough.

Mrs. Nexdoor—We consider piano-playing wicked on Sunday.

Mrs. Snapp—Glad to hear it. That's what we consider your daughter's on week-days.—Philadelphia Press.

Getting Even.

"I'll have to quit sending Dolphus Dauho my poems."

"Does he criticise them?"

"Well, he hasn't said anything; but every time I send him a poem he sends me one of his most atrocious paintings."—Detroit Free Press.

On the Other Side.

Aggressive Temperance Man (at table d'hote)—Pass the water.

The Other Man—I always do. It doesn't agree with me.—Ally Sloper.

A Female Paradox.

Tess—She's awfully nervous, isn't she?

Jess—My goodness, yes. She has no nerves at all.—Philadelphia Press.

The Matrimonial Lottery.

Miss Askins—Do you believe in church lotteries?

De Witte—Well—er—I rather like church weddings.—Puck.

YOUR HOLIDAY BUYING

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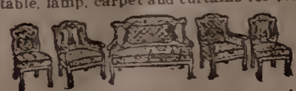

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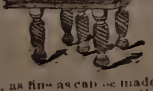
With extra leaves.

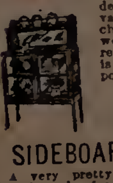


Unless you have used an up-to-date Extension Table you do not realize the convenience of putting in an extra leaf when company arrives and making plenty room for all. We show these tables, as fine as can be made, for $26.00, and grade down in price to the vary strong, servicable table six feet long when all the leaves are in use, with five fluted legs, the whole finished in rich golden oak

$5.97

$1 Down. 50c. a Week.

Combination Buffet and China Cabinet.



This is an entirely new and decorative piece of furniture, vary useful as well. Your china and fancy pieces are well displayed and always ready for immediate use. It is made of quartered oak and polished like a piano.

$36.00

$3.75 Down. $1 a Week.

SIDEBOARD.

A very pretty sideboard made of oak finished golden. It has a bevel-edged French mirror plate, two silver drawers and one long drawer for linen, and double closets—a very suitable Christmas present. worth $18.00, for

$14.25

$1.50 Down. 75c a Week.

A fine chicken should hatch from a golden egg. A fine result ought to be the outcome of these golden opportunities.

GOT A HUSBAND,

a brother or best follow " Of course you have. What are you going to do to make his Christmas happy. Lots of men dread the coming of Christmas, because they are so often remembered with some useless thing they don't want. Here is a Christmas present par excellence for a gentleman, a Morris Chair. They are very comfortable and we have them in many styles of frames and cushions varying in price from $25 down to one with solid oak frame and reversible hair cushions for

$4.85.

FANCY ROCKERS.

We haven't space to tell a Christmas story about our stock of Fancy Rockers. We have them in all styles, sizes and shapes, polished and upholstered. We'll show and price this splendid bargain—The Rocker is made of oak finished golden with cobbler seat. The price regularly is $3, but we've marked it for Christmas, or until this lot is gone

$1.98.

We cannot pass without speaking of a bargain bunch of Upholstered Rockers as shown, in oak or mahogany frames with arms, upholstered seat and back, a variety of colors to select from at $5.

A High Back Chair with arms and fancy velour seat for

$2.97.

GOLD FURNITURE

Hardly anything in this great furniture store with which you can make so much show for the money as in this line of Odd Chairs and Divans finished in gold. There are Roman Chairs, Reception Chairs and Corner Chairs, finished in gold and upholstered with silk damask, a very attractive piece for $4.50

ROMAN CHAIR.

This chair in Flemish oak with tan leather seat and back, a beautiful piece of furniture for your hall

$9.75.

RATTAN ROCKERS.

This kind of furniture is always light, comfortable and durable and there is room in every home for one or more pieces. Rockers range in price from $12 down to a very pretty one with lots of comfort for

$2.98.

RECEPTION AND DESK CHAIRS.

We show these chairs in rattan, oak and mahogany polished and some of them in aid with pear. They answer many purposes, they are an ornament for the hall, a thing of of beauty as a reception chair and for the ladies' desk they are a necessity. A very pretty one for

$3.50.

CHILDREN'S CHAIRS.

Don't forget the little ones. We have chairs in all shapes and sizes, beginning in price at 25. A very nice little Rocker, large enough to last a long time for

98c.

Rich Gold and Copper Art Goods.

From this line can be selected articles suitable for the best house in the land. Besides the many new designs they are brought out in entirely new finishes. For Gentlemen can be found Smokers' Sets, Letter Racks, Paper Weights and Ash Trays, and for general decorations there are Vases, Mirrors, Picture Frames and Thermometers. The prices range from $10 for the most beautiful Vase to an Ash Tray at 25c.

German China Vases.

Vases standing fourteen inches high in imitation of the "Royal Bon" in floral decorations, stippled with gold. Three dollars' worth for

98c.

Austrian Art Glass Vases.

There are a variety of shapes in these vases both in ruby and emerald glass with gold embossing. This vase in green and gold

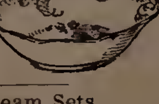
69c

Cups and Saucers.

Only a few hundred of these very useful and dainty bits of china bought to sell at about one fourth value, the prices run

10c, 19c, 25c, 35c, 49c

Salad Dishes and Nut Bowls



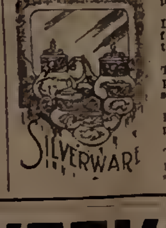
Floral decorations, full gold stippling.

1.00

Ice Cream Sets.

13 pieces as shown Gold and floral decorations,

1.98



Rogers best plate Teaspoons, fancy pattern, the set, 87c

Rogers' best plate Dessert spoons, fancy patterns, the set. 1.79

Rogers' best plate Table Knives, fancy pattern, the set.............. 2.15

Rogers' best plate Forks, fancy pattern, the set. 1.89

Rogers' best plate Tablespoons, fancy pattern, the set 1.89

German Beer Steins

These are very much used for decoration—A very pretty one eleven inches high, with metal top,

$1.79.

Loving Cups.

Artistic bits of bric-a-brac, not only very decorative, but very useful upon social occasions.

Austrian Glass and Gold, **$3.60.**

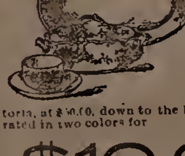
Japanese china, very pretty, **$2:69.**

Water Sets.

Six Drinking Glasses and a Pitcher to match in either ruby or emerald glass,

$1.95.

Dinner Sets.



When dinner sets can be had upon such easy terms, it would be a shame to use the old dishes for Christmas dinner. We have all kinds from a correct copy of the set used by Queen Victoria, at $80.00, down to the 112 piece set decorated in two colors for

$10.00

$1.00 Down, - - 75c a Week

Pictures and Easels.

Many subjects to select from, in white frames with glass front, 12x14 inches, each...29c

A variety of subjects in colored photographs, framed in gilt, with glass fronts, each..........................75c

A variety of Flower Pictures in natural colors, fancy frames, 15x22 inches, with glass fronts, each...... ....87c

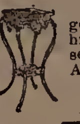
Beautiful colored Photographs, all matted in colors, gold frames 18x22 inches, each...................$1.25

Parlor Tables.

There are seventy-five patterns from which to select a present that would surely please the most particular house wife. A Shakespeare Table 24 inches square with turned legs, with brass feet and glass balls, either oak or mahogany,

$2.85.

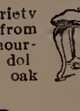
Onyx Tables.



Handsome combination of genuine Mexican Onyx and brass. Very handsome ones set with colored jewels, $10. A very dainty little table for

$3.98.

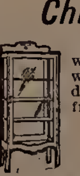
Tabourettes.



We show a great variety of these little stands from the solid mahogany tabourette like picture at six dollars to a pretty little oak stand,

59c.

China Closets.

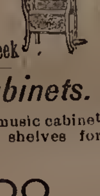


A fitting present for your wife in which to keep always handy her pretty dishes, solid oak, glass front and sides,

$15.00,

$1.00 Down, - - - 75c a Week

Hall Racks.



Have your hall way properly furnished. A very nice rack, solid oak, with a bevel glass and an arm seat with box for shoes as shown,

$8.50,

$1.00 Down, - 50c a Week

Music Cabinets.

A mahogany music cabinet with enclosed shelves for music,

$8.00.

Shoe Cabinets

A cabinet upon which to polish your shoes and a place to keep the brush and all other necessaries,

98c.

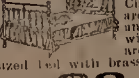
Table Chair.

A child's high chair with swinging table in front and cane seat,

98c

Hunters of bargains, like all other hunters, must act quickly.

Bed-Room Furniture.



You may need to furnish an extra bed for Christmas. Metal beds are strong and durable, and when finished white with brass trimmings they are very pretty. A full-sized bed with brass trimmings

$3.79.

The Luxury Mattress.

This mattress is partially filled with reed fibre to give it elasticity. The top, bottom, sides and ends are covered with heavy layers of clean, white cotton to make it soft. It is made up in two parts for easy handling and covered with the finest satin finished tick. It is almost everlasting, and one of the most comfortable mattresses made.

$8.00.

$1.00 Down. 50c a Week.

Ladies' Dressing Tables.

A piece of furniture which is very highly prized by all ladies, both because of its beauty and utility. They are shown in white enamel, gold, en oak and mahogany.

A very pretty one for

$6.98.

$1.00 Down. 50c a Week.

Odd Dressers.

As the sleeping room is furnished today, many Odd Dressing Cases are used. There is always room for another in every home. We show them in white enamel, oak and mahogany. A very pretty one in white enamel with bevel mirror

$10.75. $1.00 Down. 50c a Week.

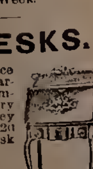
FOR HOME USE.

The Combination Desk and Bookcase is commodious with its many pigeon holes, drawer and shelf room, and very artistic at the same time. We show these cases in mahogany and oak in many styles and shapes. There is nothing better to suggest as a Christmas present to go into the home. A very pretty one for

$16.85

$2.00 Down, 75c a Week.

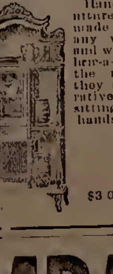
LADIES' DESKS.



The ladies must have a place to write and indeed the parlor or sitting room is not complete without one of these very ornamental necessities. They grade down in price from $20 for a beauty to an oak desk with mirror top for

$6.30

PARLOR CABINET.



Handsome pieces of furniture in themselves, made of polished mahogany with mirror backs and with a few pieces of bric-a-brac standing upon the many little shelves they are decidedly decorative for parlor, hall or sitting room. A very handsome one for

$21.00

$3 00 Down, 75c a Week.

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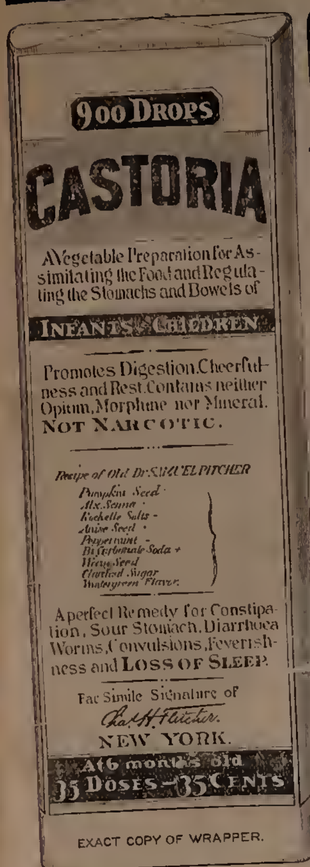
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THAT CHILI SAUCE.

The household art is the only dower
I can bring save myself to him I wed,
Can you find the roof and earn the flour?
Then I can make home and sweet white bread!"
—Harpers.

The last scarlet bar of the glorious autumn sunset was fading out behind the tall poplars along Turkey creek when Barstow Brown's creaking old farm wagon turned the corner of the road which led to his lonely and ill-kept home.

"There's the light a-burnin' already in Mis' Elviry Richards' window," he commented. "It does git dark awful early nights now. Seems like her'n's the cleanest kep' an' the cheerfulest lamp in the hull township."

And indeed it did seem to illuminate with its friendly radiance the little one-story house by the roadside. It looked like a beacon—a star. It made Farmer Brown think in admiring but unformulated fashion of a steadfast love—pure, unwavering, brilliant. It attracted him. It drew him—the worn and harassed body and soul of him. Unconsciously he tightened the reins. But it was not until the plodding horses stood still in response that he wondered whether he might venture in—and what excuse he could give for his visit.

Suddenly he lifted his head and sniffed—once, twice. Then he hurriedly twisted the reins around the whipstock, clambered down from the high seat.

"Chili sauce! If she ain't a-makin' Chili sauce!" He was hurrying up the short path to the front door, at which he knocked. "I'll tell her I want the receipt for Susie Reilly to make some by. That's the ticket! O—howdy, Mis' Richards! I was goin' home from mill, an' the nicest smell come a-floatin' down the road! Seemed's if I was back in mother's again, and she was puttin' up Chili sauce." He sighed, and moistened his lips at the recollection. "So I thought I'd come in an' find how you make it. Our ripe tomatoes ain't all gone yet. Maybe Susie Reilly could make a quart or so!"

Forty placid and benignant summers had passed over the brown head of Elvira Richards, but where was the girl along Turkey creek who carried herself with more grace and dignity, and what matron could boast such a fresh complexion and bright eyes as she?

"To be sure!" she cried, heartily. "You come right in, Mr. Brown." She drew forward the best rocking chair with the battenberg tidies on the entreating red plush arms.

"'Tisn't much I need make, living alone as I do, but a good storeroom is a fine thing to fall back on. You'd need a lot in your house I'm thinking. I'll give you the receipt with pleasure—and a jar to take home for Susie to taste by. How does she get on, Mr Brown?"

Barstow Brown looked around the bright little room, at the shining glass lamp with the red flannel wick, which stood behind the row of freshly-potted geranium slips in the recessed window, then back at the plump, white-aproned figure opposite.

"Not too well, Mis' Richards. She's kind of shiftless. It comes natural to some folks to be shiftless. Seems like the work allus keeps a bit ahead of her. Seems like she can no more catch up with it than—than she could with a cotton-tail. But she means well. Most shiftless folks allus means well. I got to be movin'." He rose reluctantly. "The young ones—they'll be a-missin' me."

"Land's sake, now, an' you couldn't wait till I make you a cup of coffee? No? That's too bad. Wait till I get you the Chili sauce anyhow. What's that? Could you come out to the kitchen while I'm gettin' it? Why, of course, Mr. Brown!"

Twittering and stepping briskly, Miss Elvira tripped ahead, and Barstow Brown plodded after. He was aghast at his own temerity, but the appetizing smell of the Chili sauce drew him to the kitchen, as the white brilliance of the lamp had drawn him to the parlor.

"My!" he breathed, and stopped short. "This—beats—" He was looking around the gayest, coziest, most immaculate little kitchen he had ever beheld. From the black mirror of a stove, with its golden grin through the opened draft, to the shining plates on the dresser, the row of crimson-filled glass jars on the table, the dishpan that glittered like silver, and the cat asleep on the braided mat, all things bespoke industry, energy, comfort.

Something in his attitude of timidity, in his look of wonder that was almost one of awe, in his neglected personal appearance, went straight to the woman's warm heart of Miss Elvira Richards. He had been such a spruce, good-looking fellow 15 years ago! Her glance, that was keen if kindly, noted all things—the shirt with the band all but gone, the coat with holes at the elbows, more than all the hollows at his temples and in his cheeks. Those and the weak tears that came into his eyes! She busied herself writing out the recipe—and talking.

"It ain't any too easy, I guess, with only Susie. She never was a hand to look after children—and there's three to your place. I expect it ain't been like home since—since Cyrilla went away."

Barstow Brown was silent. It had not been a happy home before Cyrilla died. But he could not tell Miss Richards that—no, nor anyone else. Only he had meant—had honestly meant—to ask Elvira to marry him before the pretty, painted, flippant 'att' city girl had come down to the country town and taken his fickle heart captive.

"Here's the receipt and here's the j. Yes, you must take the big one; and—wh—Barstow!"

For there was a look in his eyes she h... not seen since those happy days before Cyrilla aired her city graces on Turkey Creek.

"I'm a good deal of a failure, Elviry," said Barstow Brown. "I don't know but you'll turn me out when you hear what I been wantin' to say ever since it would be right an' proper to talk that way. But the farm's a good one an' the house could be made the best hereabouts if 't was fixed up right, an' the children—"

"They're dear children!" declared Miss Elvira—and she meant it.

"Well, they like you awful well. You allus was a one to git around youngsters. I—I—" he dropped his eyes—"I guess you know what I mean, Elviry—what I want!"

"Of course I do!" she cried, cordially. "You want the receipt—and the Chili sauce."

"Now, Elviry! You know I want—you."

"Well, you got to take them if you take me!" Her tone was delightfully coquettish. "I got one in each hand!"

He stared at her—eager, half-incredulous.

"Do you mean it—really? There's been others—"

"There's been others," Miss Elvira agreed complacently, "but—I haven't took any of 'em—have I? There—now, Barstow Brown! Do behave! I reckon I might git ready in three weeks, but—your team will be clean froze waiting. O—Barstow! I didn't think 't was in you to act so dreadfully si..! Land's sake—look out! Let me set down the jar of Chili sauce, anyways! There—now—go! It'll be all of nine o'clock when you get home—Barstow—Brown!"—Chicago Tribune.

His, Certainly.

"It is a Rubens, is it not?" said the visitor, turning from an inspection of the painting of the hostess.

"My husband's name," replied Mrs. Gaswell, with cutting distinctness, "is William. It's his all right, though. He paid $7,000 for it."—Chicago Tribune.

Sardonic.

"He says he wouldn't think of accepting money for his political influence."

"No," answered Senator Sorghum. "He doesn't have to think. It has got to be second nature with him."—Washington Star.

The Whole Story in one letter about
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From Capt. F. Loye, Police Station No. 5, Montreal:—"We frequently use PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER for pains in the stomach, rheumatism, stiffness, frost bites, chilblains, cramps, and all afflictions which befall men in our position. I have no hesitation in saying that PAIN-KILLER is the best remedy to have near at hand."
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Might Be of Value.

"No," he said decidedly, "woman should not have the ballot."

"Why not?" she demanded.

"Because of her uselessness in case of a conflict. The one who votes should also be of service when it comes to fighting."

"I should think," she returned thoughtfully, "that woman might be of value in putting patches on the seat of war."

Thus again was woman's resourcefulness in argument demonstrated.—Chicago Post.

In Glass Jars.

"It is rumored that the pure food cranks are after the Chicago packers," said the first Texas steer, "to have them put their beef up in glass instead of tins, hereafter."

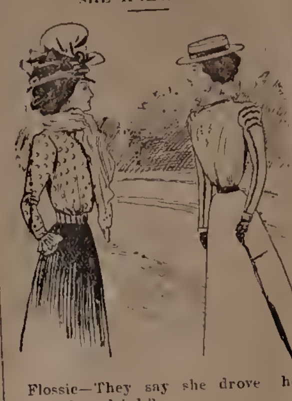
"Well?" remarked the second steer, indifferently.

"Well, wouldn't that jar you?"—Catholic Standard and Times.

Affectation

Though he asks her: "Will thou be my
wife?"
And not another thing,
This damsel hems and haws as if
She were being asked to sing.
—Detroit Journal.

SHE KNEW HIM.



Flossie—They say she drove her husband to drink?

Mabel—She wouldn't have to use a whip!—Ally Sloper.

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"I tried many remedies to cure piles," writes W. B. Smith of Latham, Ill., "but found no relief till I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve. I have not been troubled with piles since." It's the only champion pile cure on earth and the best salve in the world. 25c per box, guaranteed by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

Way Up.

Harry—Hasn't she any high ideals?

Spencer—Oh, yes, she wants to become a circus aeronaut.—Yonkers Herald.

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TOWNS AND CITIES.

Of the 1,070 miles of paved streets in Philadelphia only 70 remain paved with cobble and rubble.

The population of Troy, N. Y., has decreased 305 during the decade. The inhabitants of the city now number 60,651.

The average annual price of an apartment with seven rooms is $500 in Berlin, $400 in Hamburg and $380 in Leipsic.

Only one city in Sweden would be classed with our larger cities—Stockholm, which is somewhat smaller than Pittsburgh.

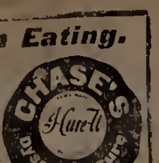
The 95 per cent. increase in the population of East St. Louis in the last ten years suggests a recent tendency in population, almost as noticeable as the concentration in cities. This is the current that has set in from the cities to the suburbs. The growth of East St. Louis is a result of the growth of St. Louis. The improvement of means of urban transportation, fast express trains on the railroads and the swift trolley cars, running at frequent intervals, have led many people to flee from the dirt and noise of the city to the suburbs.

Belated Zest.

"What made that widow elope? Did her friends object to the match?"

"No; but she said her first marriage was so tame and uninteresting."—Chicago Record.

Danger in Eating.
Many people are distressed after eating; some more than others. Occasionally acute indigestion causes death. Our liquid preparation, which is also [illegible] and harmless, will relieve all forms of indigestion such as heartburn, flatulency, water brash, nausea, gastritis, vomiting, etc.



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SPARKS AND FLASHES.

Electricity as a motor for regular railway trains has been found 15 per cent. cheaper than steam in the experiments recently made at Berlin on the Wanser-Bahn.

It is said that the electrical effects to be exhibited at the forthcoming Pan-American exposition in Buffalo, N. Y., will exceed anything of their kind ever shown before. The enormous energy of the Niagara power plant will be available for the contemplated illuminations, and this will mean that a flood of electrical energy will be poured in to maintain the really marvelous display of electric light that will be shown.

Mr. H. Edmunds, of London, has devised a means of insulating cables with paper. His idea consists of thoroughly impregnating paper with a mixture of resinous material and oxidized oils, which are reduced to a thin consistency by the application of heat. The paper is then immersed in this solution and allowed to become completely saturated with the mixture. When it is withdrawn from this bath the permeated paper is wound spirally round the conductor.

The most economical light is that whose spectrum is confined to the visible rays, and which does not involve the simultaneous emulsion of either infra-red or ultra-violet rays. Electric light marks in this respect a distinct advantage on the older methods of lighting, and electric luminescence decidedly so. But no form of light hitherto produced equals that of the glowworm in efficiency. The light of luminous organisms only contains an infinitesimal amount of heat.

A new telephone fire alarm system has just been patented, the whole system being operated by magneto current and dry batteries. After the system is once installed the only thing to get out of order is the burning out occasionally of a fuse, which may be quickly repaired. A separate wire is used for each fire district, and any number of telephones may be connected with any district wire. By means of this system every house and factory along the line of the wires can be connected with the alarm wire, and thus protection may be had at a low cost. The wires can also be used to connect with the long-distance telephone for other uses.

How Are Your Nerves?
If they are weak and you feel nervous and easily "fustrated," can't sleep and rise in the morning unrefreshed, your blood is poor. Strong nerves depend upon rich, nourishing blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the nerves strong by enriching and vitalizing the blood. It gives sweet, refreshing sleep and completely cures nervous troubles. Begin taking it today.
Nausea, indigestion are cured by Hood's Pills.

A Waste of Energy.

Higbee—There is a man who wastes his eloquence on the desert air.

Robbins—Who is he?

Higbee—An after-dinner speaker.—Harlem Life.

NO MAKESHIFT.
In This Case the Work was Properly Done.
Any reader who has had backache and found relief by rubbing the back with liniments and lotions, understands that the relief obtained was but a makeshift, for the ache returns. There's a way to do it so the ache will not come back. Read how it's done.
Mr. Fred A. Wood, of 103 Thurbers avenue, Providence, R. I., messenger for the Earle and Prews Express Co., says: "In the winter of 1897 I became so enthusiastic an admirer of Doan's Kidney Pills, after they cured me of kidney trouble, I wrote to the agents unsolicited, telling them about my cure and stating that if my recommendation would help the preparation along I would be only too pleased to furnish it. It has appeared in our Providence newspapers since, and now in the month of May, 1899, I emphatically state there is not one word I wish to retract. On the other hand, I am only too pleased to re-endorse a preparation which acts so faithfully to the representations made for it as Doan's Kidney Pills."
Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers, price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S. Remember the name, Doan's, and take no substitute.

A Sad Case.

Mrs. Hogan—Thot little sphalpane av a Jerry Horrigan musht be a bad penny entoirely.

Mrs. Duggan—Phwy?

"Shure, he's bin th' manes av makin' his poor woife a confir-rmed husband-bater."—Puck.

Her Explanation.

George—How is it, Cousin Clara, that you gave your age to the census enumerator as 22, when we were both born in the same year and I am 31?

Clara—Oh, that is easily explained. You have lived much faster than I.—Chicago Daily News.

How It Impressed Her.

Old lady—Just think, only one missionary for 10,000 cannibals.

Young lady—Dear me! They must have very small appetites or very big missionaries!—Woman's Journal.

But Not Sugar-Coated.

A man who marries a disagreeable woman for the sake of her money swallows a bitter silver-coated pill.—Chicago Daily News.

Woman's Great Possession.

Men have strength, but women have tact.—Chicago Daily News.

That Cough Hangs On
You have used all sorts of cough remedies but it does not yield; it is too deep seated. It may wear itself out in time, but it is more liable to produce la grippe, pneumonia or a serious throat affection. You need something that will give you strength and build up the body.
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will do this when everything else fails. There is no doubt about it. It nourishes, strengthens, builds up and makes the body strong and healthy, not only to throw off this hard cough, but to fortify the system against further attacks. If you are run down or emaciated you should certainly take this nourishing food medicine.
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SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Collector's Notice.

The owners of the following described parcels of real estate in the town of Medway, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon assessed for the year within specified, according to the list committed to me by the assessors of taxes, remain unpaid, and that the said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Town Clerk's office in said Medway, on

JANUARY 4th, 1901,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the cost and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

Warren C. Mann or Owner—About one quarter acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the south side of Milford street, in the westerly part of Medway, bounded on the north by Milford street, east by land of Charles E. Stratton, west by land of Susan F. and Jennie F. Adams, south by land of estate of Albion Wight; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described. Tax assessed, $30.65.

George S. Ryan—About one-quarter acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the north side of Village street, in the easterly part of Medway, bounded on the north by Village street, east by land of John Mead, south by Village street, west by School street, north by land of Joel Crooks; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described. Tax assessed, $67.20.

Mrs. Joanna Fields or Owner—About one acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the east side of Barber street, in the easterly part of Medway, bounded on the north by North street, east by land of town of Medway, west by Barber street, south by land of Mary Kelley; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described. Tax assessed, $27.30.

William Ball or Owner—About two and one-half acres of land situated in Kenney section and designated as lots 40, 41, 42, in said section, situated on the south side of Village street, in the southerly part of Medway, bounded on the north by Village street, west by land of E. C. Wilson, east by land of Mrs. Mary Nealon and Frances Karnes, south by Charles river; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described. Tax assessed, $6.30.

Charles A. McGinnis or Owner—About nine and one-half acres of land, known as the Kenney section, situated in the southerly part of Medway, and bounded on the north by Village street, west by land of E. C. Wilson, east by land of Mrs. Mary Nealon and by land of Frances Karnes, south by Charles river; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described. Tax assessed, $12.81.

GEO. F. MADDEN
Collector of Taxes for 1899.

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AND CONNECTIONS.

EASTERN DISTRICT.

OCTOBER 21, 1900.

PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE. (DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAYS, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.)

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

BOSTON—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex.) 6 05, 9 38 p m; Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, 8 30 m; 12 04, 3 39, 4 34, 5 19, 6 22, 6 57, 8 17, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 19 a m, 5 19, 7 10 p m.

BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 46, 4 13, 5 13, 6 01, 7 13 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 6 05, 9 33 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 22, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 6 05 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m; f12 58, 5 25, 6 13, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 35 a m, 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

NEW YORK, all rail—9 15 a m; 4 25 p m Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

New York, via Norwich Line, 7 45 p m. Return New Pier 36, North River, 6 00 p m.

Providence Extension.

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

PROVIDENCE—7 53, 9 03 a m; 1 05, 4 40, 7.03 p m. Return, 6 04, 8 10, 12 04 a. m, 3 35, 6 06 p m.

MILFORD BRANCH.

Trains leave Franklin for

MILFORD—9 18 a m, 1 12, 4 30, 5 33, 6 55 p m, S 6 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m, 3 48, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.

ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

M., A. & W. STREET RAILWAY TIME-TABLE.

(In effect Oct. 22.)

FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6 10, 6.45 a.m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10 15 p. m. Last cars to car barn at 10.45 and 11.15 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m, connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket. Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.15 a. m., and then on hour and half hour till 10.30 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham Four Corners for Caryville every hour from 6 to 9 a. m., 12 m. to 2 p. m., 4 to 9 p. m., returning on the half hour. Cars leaving Franklin at 6.45, 7 45, 11.45 a. m. and 12.45, 3 45, 4 45, 5.45, 6 45 and 7.45 p. m. connect at Bellingham Four Corners with cars for Caryville.

FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave 6.00, 7 30, 8.15 a. m.; hourly to 6.15 p. m.; 8.15, 10 15 p. m. Return, 6 40, 8.15 a. m.; hourly till 7.15 p. m.; 9.15, 11.15 p. m.

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WM. B. HODGES.

Medway, Dec. 12, 1900.

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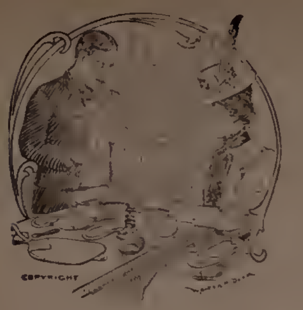

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WRENTHAM.

Wampum lodge, No. 35, will work the second degree on two members from Walpole Tuesday night.—— A large party will attend the first concert in the course held at the Congregationalist church, Franklin, Friday evening ——Ella Ingraham, who made an unsuccessful attempt to kill herself this week in Boston, was up to Saturday employed as a domestic by Mrs. M. A. Smith, who could give no reason for her attempt —Elmer Morse is in Washington, D. C., the guest of Fred Cook, a former resident in town.

Winter Homes in the South.

A book just issued by the Southern railway, giving complete information regarding all the winter resorts of the south. For prices of board, etc., address New York offices, 271 or 1185 Broadway, bureau of information regarding the south, or apply to George C. Daniels, N. E. P. A., 228 Washington street, Boston.

Was Afraid He Had.

Mrs Crimsonbeak Did you ever kill a deer, John?

Mr Crimsonbeak—I'm not sure. The other day, when we went picnicking to the park, I thoughtlessly gave a piece of one of your crullers to one of the deers there. I didn't wait to see the result.—Yonkers Statesman.

Filled In to Fill Up.

Dashaway—I have an idea that Mrs. Von Blumer invited us to dinner at the last moment in place of some fellows who couldn't come.

Stuffer—That's all right. She invited us to fill in, and we came to fill up.—Town Topics.

The Usual Result.

Husband—Everything in this house is out of place. Been having an earthquake?

Wife—I've been putting things in order.—N. Y. Weekly.

Headache

Is often a warning that the liver is torpid or inactive. More serious troubles may follow. For a prompt, efficient cure of Headache and all liver troubles, take

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[illegible] regular action of the [illegible] they [illegible] gripe or [illegible] irritate [illegible] but have a [illegible] at all druggists [illegible]
C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Meteorological Item.

Twynn—I hear that the weather man has been taken to the hospital.

Triplett—That is true. The shock was too much for him.

"What shock?"

"One of his forecasts came true."—Tit-Bits.

A Danger to Shun

"Did that girl give any reason for refusing you?"

"Yes; she said I looked too much like a man who was bent on having his own way about everything."—Indianapolis Journal.

Same Old Game.

Mrs. Stuckup—Shall we have a masseuse of whist?

Country Cousin—What's that?

Mrs. Stuckup—Don't you know? A masseuse is a rubber, dear—French, you know.—Ally Sloper.

Her Anxious Plaint.

He—I want to say a good word for your friend Jack. He is a man after my own heart.

She—That's very nice of you, but I wish I could feel the same assurance.—Boston Courier.

Lameness in the muscles and joints indicates rheumatism. Don't dally with it a minute. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla and cure it.

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Maude—Ferdinand has all the qualities that go to make a good husband but one.

Ella—What is that?

Maude—He won't propose.—Judge.

Works Both Ways.

"Liquor makes men talk, doesn't it?" said the citizen.

"Yes; and sometimes it's the means of shutting them up," said the policeman.—Yonkers Statesman.

All That Stopped Him.

Mrs. Farmer—Do you know how to handle an ax?

Weary Wraggs—If I did, lady, I wouldn't do a t'ing to dat biscuit!—Puck.

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—Chicago Daily News.

What He Made.

"He started out to make a name for himself."

"And did he succeed?"

"Well, hardly. He made a number for himself instead."

"How do you mean?"

"He's in the penitentiary."—Chicago Post.

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FRIDAY, JAN. 25—Col. L. F. Copeland of Pennsylvania, the King of Platform Lecturers.

TUESDAY, FEB. 19—The Lyceum Stars of Boston, with Curtis Morse, impersonator.

TUESDAY, MARCH 10—The Imperial Hand Bell Ringers and their carillon of 110 bells.

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Single admission, 35 cents.

Course tickets on sale at N. C. Nye's store and by solicitors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of William Mann, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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Lowell, Mass., Dec. 13, 1900. de14,21,28

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$125 worth—$15.00 down, $2 00 a week.
$150 worth—$25.00 down, $2.25 a week.
$200 worth—$40.00 down, $2.50 a week.
$250 worth—$50.00 down, $3.00 a week.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Roswell P. Ross to the Medway Savings Bank, dated November 19th, 1896, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 773, fol. 365, for breach of the conditions thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on

SATURDAY, the TWENTY-NINTH day of DECEMBER, 1900,

at two o'clock p. m., all and singular the following described property:

A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situate on Norfolk avenue, so called, in West Medway, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the centre of said avenue and seventy three and five tenths (73.5) feet from the G. A. R. Block lot, and running easterly on land of Eliakim H. Ross one hundred fifty-six and nine-tenths feet to land of William M. Holmes; thence northeasterly on said Holmes land and land of W. H. Carey seventy-seven feet to other land of said Eliakim H. Ross; thence northwesterly one hundred sixty and eight-tenths feet on last land of said Eliakim H. Ross to the centre of said avenue; thence S. 16 degrees 30 minutes west, seventy-three and nine-tenths feet to the point of departure; said lot containing about 10,440 square feet.

Terms at sale.

MEDWAY SAVINGS BANK,
By its Treasurer, W. H. Upton, Mortgagee.
Medway, Mass., Dec. 4, 1900. de7,14,21

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of Cyrille Leclair, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Carmelie Leclair, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court her petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of two certain parcels of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the 2d day of January, A.D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this fifth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
NORFOLK, ss.
PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Joseph G. Hills, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Frank S. Hills of Franklin without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the second day of January, A. D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this third day of December, A. D. 1900

JONATHAN COBB, Register.
de7,14,21

If you want to buy or sell anything, have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

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FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm.

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

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North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
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Milford	9.00 "
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Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Dean academy closes on Thursday.

Dance with the Red Men New Year's eve and enjoy a good time.

The water company has put in a new safe for Supt. Palmer's use.

Walter Heaton is ill with pneumonia at his home on Dean avenue.

There is talk of considerable change in manufacturing here after Jan. 1.

Thomas McKnight has removed from Hyde Park to Milliken avenue.

The public schools will close next week for the Christmas vacation.

Some excellent specimens of painting are on exhibition in Fales' window.

The Hibernians will hereafter hold their meetings in Central Square hall.

Queen street has been having the attention of the road men the past week.

Chester M. Whiting left for New York Friday and from there will go to Cuba.

All of the stores will be open every evening this week for holiday shoppers.

Ticket Agent Croissant hopes to be at his duties again about the first of next week.

The City Mills Felting company has added a new and large boiler to its equipment.

Master W. Everett Martin of Providence spent Sunday with his uncle, Chas. L. Stewart.

John Kingsley, who has been in Dedham jail the past two months, was acquitted today.

Mrs. Ella Metcalf is still confined to the house with diphtheritic sore throat and neuralgia.

Inquiries for calendars indicate that people are beginning to prepare for the twentieth century.

The condition of G. S. F. Singleton is reported improved, though he is still confined to his bed.

Mrs. S. E. Finley, who has been sick at Hyde Park, has so far improved as to be able to return home.

Eleanor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Nye, is quite ill with a recurrence of her former difficulty.

J. L. Moody of West Whately was called here by the sudden illness of his granddaughter, Lillian I. Martin.

Rev. F. B. Sleeper was called to Braintree Monday to attend the funeral of Elias Holbrook, a Grand Army man.

The children connected with the Universalist church will enjoy a good time in the Dean gymnasium on Christmas eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bolloville of Washington street are happy over the advent of a little daughter into their home.

"Culhane, Chace & Weston's minstrels is one of the best shows of the kind that ever visited this city."—Manchester Union.

The Christmas hymn written by Rev. F. B. Sleeper, will be sung in the Tremont Temple service in Boston next Sunday.

Lillian I. Martin, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is slowly improving, her many friends will be pleased to learn.

It is rumored that the will of the late Gen. Olney Arnold may be contested. This might affect the bequest to Dean Academy.

Silas W. Nickerson is having a vacation from his duties at Dedham jail. He will return to his work there the first of next month.

The Y. P. S. C. E. is arranging for an entertainment at the Congregational church tomorrow evening, to which all are invited.

Culhane, Chace & Weston carry one of the best bands on the road. They will give a short concert in Central square at 11 30 Friday.

The Dean term hop took place Friday evening in the Dean gymnasium, Reeves' orchestra furnished music for the dancing.

The Misses Ray, with a few invited friends, enjoyed a winter night's camp supper at their cottage at Lake Pearl on Saturday evening.

The union temperance meeting will be omitted this month. It will be held on the last Sunday in January in the Congregational church.

A meeting of the King's Daughters will be held this evening, at 7 30, at the home of Elsie Metcalf, corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.

The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church will prepare tomorrow for shipment to the West a barrel of clothing and books.

The physicians give hopes that Treasurer Ramsey of the Heliotype works, whose eye was injured last week, will recover without an operation.

The Franklin grange are invited to visit Border grange of East Woonsocket Wednesday evening. The members will go on the 7.15 car to Woonsocket.

The Christmas goods begin to appear in the show windows and the children find increased delight in living and looking at the good things for good children.

Joseph Burk was arrested Saturday night in Medway for drunkenness and disturbing the peace. He was tried in Franklin Monday, being sent to Dedham.

The Congregational church will consider, on Thursday evening, the question of holding the annual meeting in the evening of Jan. 7, instead of the afternoon as heretofore.

The new Gladstone hotel in Medway was to have been sold at auction on Saturday, but an injunction was placed on [illegible] by Sheriff Fitzpatrick, necessitating a postponement.

Forefathers' day will be observed at the Horace Mann school Thursday, from 12 to 1, with appropriate exercises. The historic address on the Pilgrims will be given by Rev. F. B. Sleeper.

Mrs. Hennigar, the reader at the Congregational church last Friday evening, was entertained by Mrs. W. F. Ray, and A. M. Thayer and C. E. Whiting entertained the Harvard quartet.

Prof. A. W. Peirce is to have a paper on "The Ministry of Religion to Young Men," at the conference of the Rhode Island Universalist convention held at North Attleboro on Thursday.

Six inches of ice is reported on some of the ice ponds, and with about four inches more cutting would begin. After the experiences of last winter the ice that is 10 inches thick will not be cast aside.

Gorman's Troubadours appeared at the Opera house on Saturday evening, giving a thoroughly meritorious entertainment. The singing was unusually good and the specialties and cake walk all that could be desired.

Dr. J. Cushing Gallison was one of the Massachusetts Surgical and Gynaecological society about 1878. For three years he was one of the faculty of Boston university and instructor in surgery connected with Massachusetts Homœpathic hospital.

J. A. Elwood has tendered his resignation to the Worcester Textile company of Unionville. He has been employed as cloth and yarn bleacher, also cloth finisher, with many years' experience in this line both in Europe and in this country.

Bishop Lawrence will confirm a class in Christ church, Medway, Wednesday evening, at 7.45 o'clock. Franklinites who desire to attend, should note the change made in the hour of service. The car leaves from in front of Dean academy at 7.15.

Capt. George W. Miner has sold his place on Brook street, and will probably remove nearer the center. John K. Meek has sold his farm on Maple street to a widow lady and will remove to Rhode Island. Both places were sold through W. A. Pond's agency.

The Deans and the Pawtucket Y. M. C. A. played an interesting game of basket ball on Saturday evening before a good-sized audience, who vigorously applauded the many excellent points of play. The visitors returned home the victors by a score of 21 to 16.

Friday afternoon Messrs. Clark and McCarthy of the board of selectmen had a conference with George C. Dauphinee with reference to changing the line of the four corners schoolhouse lot so as to give more land on Cross street to Mr. Dauphinee. No decision was reached.

On last Sabbath evening Dr. Sneath went with his audience to the Jordan river, the ruins of Jericho, Dead sea and the mountains of Moab. He presented the sad conditions of the Bedouin tribes and the tyranny of the Turkish rule. Miss Eunice Crocker assisted in the musical portion of the service.

Walter A. Hawkins arrived home from Bohemia on Friday. Although he had an excellent and lucrative position there yet home interests appeared to make it wise to relinquish it and remain in the future in America. It is quite likely that he will ere long be connected with a prominent Boston mercantile house.

There were seventy men at the meeting of the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday afternoon at 4 15, Rev. Dr. Sneath making the address. He spoke very forcefully of "things that have happened in the night." The singing was in charge of J. Ray Wyckoff, who also sang a solo very effectively. There was a general feeling that the meeting was one of unusual helpfulness.

If you want to decide what will be nice for a Christmas present be sure and attend the bazaar given by the ladies of the Universalist church in Central Square hall on Thursday and Friday evenings. Many beautiful articles will be for sale, an entertainment will be given each evening, and dancing will be indulged in on Friday evening.

H. H. Gates, of the Sunnyside farm, is out with a handsome new wagon for transporting milk and spring water. It was made in New York state and is admirably adapted to the purposes intended. He will hereafter deliver the water in bottles, instead of jugs, which will be much more satisfactory to his patrons. Mr. Gates believes in having everything thoroughly up to date.

The M. A. & W. railway paid a tax to the state of over $1,600, which is distributed to Franklin, Bellingham and Wrentham. Franklin has six miles of track and resident stockholders holding $100,000 of the stock, while Wrentham and Bellingham, with very little if any of the stock owned within their limits, get over $1200. It is but fair that towns should have a tax based on track miles within their limits, but in addition to the above there is a tax coming direct to the towns and based on trackage, but less in amount.

Eight young men from the Pawtucket Y. M. C. A. came to Franklin on Saturday afternoon to play at basket ball with Dean academy. Upon invitation from Secretary Stewart they went to the rooms of the Franklin Y. M. C. A., where a number of the local members welcomed them, providing a lunch and otherwise entertaining them. They proved to be fine young men, manly, courteous and an honor to the Pawtucket organization. Sec. Stratton is to be congratulated on being able to send out so fine a representative body of young men.

On Tuesday of last week the different schools in town, with the exception of the high school, commenced their morning session at 8.45 and closed in the afternoon at 3.10. This will continue only through the winter months. The reason for this change from the old time is on account of the inconvenient times at which the cars run for children that patronized them. Some of the children would have to wait thirty or forty minutes for a car, especially for the Medway line. Another reason for the change was on account of the growing dusk so early in the afternoon.

The Culhane, Chace & Weston Big minstrels will be at the Opera house on Friday night This company has been giving highly-praised entertainments in this section and is one of the best known burnt cork organizations on the road. They give a thoroughly up-to date minstrel program, made up of new and novel ideas and ingenious effects, the comedy element being especially strong. The singing corps of this company is unusually clever and the entire performance strictly first class and up-to-date in every detail. The street parade on the day of performance is a big feature, the big band furnishing music galore. Seats are now on sale at Dana's. Best seats, 50c.

Glance

Into the door yards of the houses as you pass and note the flyers lying out in the rain and snow. This is money thrown away. Good flyers, well distributed are of value, but still do not have the force of a newspaper advertisement. Readers will say this. SENTINEL advertisements are carefully read, commented upon, and cannot be thrown away.

Violin Instruction.

Miss Alice Robinson, teacher of violin; 50c. per lesson. For particulars address P. O. Box 677, Franklin, Mass.

Bad Weather

Must be considered when figuring on your photos for Christmas. Better come for the sitting at earliest possible date, and thus avoid any possibility of disappointment. What more pleasing remembrance than one of our Platinotype portraits, so dainty and artistic.
CALKIN, Depot St.

Get some whipped cream pies and whipped cream cakes at Fairfield's bakery for Christmas.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

Mentally Helpful.

"How to Read With Profit" was Rev Dr. Hodge's theme at the High school last evening before an interested audience of teachers and others. It was plain that he was thoroughly at home in his subject and gave his hearers many valuable points. He said in part: Read from choice and not from chance. Don't read at haphazard, simply because a book has been recommended and is said to be interesting, unless you have confidence in the judgment of the one advocating it. Read connectedly; take prominent events and read the history, the romance, the poetry, the drama about it; broaden your views of it.

We read too much, anyway. Multifarious and miscellaneous reading spoils our judgment and corrupts our taste for good reading. There is more relaxation in good reading than in all the light literature ever written. Reflect upon what you read; leave nothing that you do not understand, if possible. Mental culture is to be gained largely from books alone. It is not the province of the newspaper or the magazine to furnish it. Six well-selected books, mentally digested, will insure a cultured mind. Don't read simply for the story; plots are few and have been worn threadbare already.

Of making books there is no end, so don't feel that you must read everything that comes to your hand Read from selection, read broadly and digest what you read. Then you will read with profit.

Meritorious and Pleasing.

There was a good sized audience at Dean academy last evening to enjoy the term concert provided by the pupils of the institution. While individual mention might seem somewhat unfair, yet it is not too much to say that all the numbers were uniformly good, a few of them being of marked excellence. The violin solo by the instructor, Miss Edith Linwood Winn, was enthusiastically received. The following was the program:

Organ Solo—a. "Prelude and Fuge."
b. Allegretto."
Leroy P. Kirkham.
Song..........."Loch Lomond."
Miss Carmen Burr.
Reading..........."Military Steeple Chase."
Ellis M. Jones.
Piano Solo..........."Laendler."
Miss Minnie M. Walker.
Reading..........."Ole Bull's Christmas."
Miss Elsie R. Metcalf.
Piano Solo..........."Love Song."
Miss Harriette M. Johnson.
Song..........."Florian's Song."
Miss Lillian Coffin.
Reading..........."Melody."
Miss Edith Forrest.
Piano Solo..........."Le Zephyr."
Miss May C. Hook.
Vocal Duet..........."Spring Song."
Miss Burr and Miss Johnson.
Piano Solo..........."Liebeslied."
Miss Florence G. Sanborn.
Reading..........."The Gossip."
Miss Florence J. Elwood.
Song—a. "Donna vorrei morir."
b. "Winter Lullabye."
Miss Ella Marshall.
Piano Solo—a. "Impatience."
b. "Valse Noble."
Miss M. Elizabeth Lamont.
Reading..........."The Minister's Black Nance."
Miss Maude L. Barron."
Violin Quartet..........."Prayer and Rondo."
Misses Forrest, Walrath, Tralton and Mr. Fales.

Practical Benefit.

Co-operation of teacher and parent was the subject brought before the Mothers' section at the home of Mrs. Alfred Farrington on Thursday evening. Many of the teachers were present, including Mr. Frazer, Misses Lewis, Dunning, Hood, Sullivan, Daniels, Tower, Ham and King, and gave many thoughtful suggestions as to ways in which the mother could assist the teacher in her work and also greatly benefit the child. Among them were visiting school, supplying pupils with nourishing food, seeing that children studied at proper hours and in a good light when obliged to do so at home, refraining from criticising the teacher in the presence of the child, taking an interest in the child's work without directly assisting, creating a public interest in the public school and increasing the school supplies. The meeting was very interesting and beneficial both to teachers and mothers. Light refreshments were served and a social time enjoyed.

A Christmas Suggestion.

Do you have to write a long letter every week or two to some friends north, east, south or west? Did you ever think that it would be cheaper for you to send them the SENTINEL, instead of trying to tell your absent friends all the local happenings? One copy of the paper contains one hundred times as much local news as an ordinary letter. A number of persons are SENTINEL subscribers for absent friends, and many complimentary letters from them attest to their appreciation. A year's subscription to the SENTINEL would be a good Christmas present for any absent friend still interested in Franklin.

W. A. Pond

Handles all kinds of rentable property, and will find you a tenant or tenement if you desire.

Fish received fresh daily. Oysters in and out of shell. Blue fish, butter fish, halibut, cod, haddock, Finnan haddie, clams and oysters at Paine's market.

Dainty Charlotte Russe for Christmas at Fairfield's bakery.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

(On receiving a rare perfume sachet and returning the gift with a bunch of flowers

Perfume of violets, May-dew sweets
And heliotrope from sunny lands,
A rich, faint fragrance softly fleets
From Esther's hands.
In Persian wealth of rare brocade,
In blue from deeps of summer skies,
In golden cords my treasure lies—
That cannot fade.

Bound by no silken knot, my flowers
Just breathe their breath of life and sigh
Soft odors on the gale. Their hours
So swiftly fly!
Rose, mignonette and mossy fern—
How frail, how short the joy they give!
O Sweet, must we the lesson learn—
"Nothing can live?"

Nay! time shall mingle in one heap
Thy gift and mine and thou and I.
To ours the dust of men shall creep
And multiply.

And Persian odors lost in air,
And blown buds barren of their bloom—
Earth's natural claim and heritage,
Shall build their tomb.

But all the essence shall escape!
The kindness, peace, the thought, the glow,
In newer life, in angel shape,
In love shall grow.
Celestial countries! Atmospheres
Too pure for mortal lips to breathe
Around immortal joys shall wreathe,
With all that cheers.

Nor past, one throb of tenderness
From thee to me, from me to thee,
Nor lost one loving glance, nor less
One feeling, free.

Perfected, righteous, lifted, fair
As art can know or nature dream,
From face to face in radiance there
Shall friendship beam.

And that great festival whose light
Illumines all the world today,
Making our earthly homes so bright,
Our hearts so gay.

On all we longed for in the past,
Shall with supernal glories shine,
Eternally our own at last—
His gift divine.
CORA LINN DANIELS.

An Artistic Success

The opening night of the Lyceum course at the Congregational church last Friday evening was a decided success, as nearly every seat in the auditorium was taken, and many in the gallery. The chief ushers were N. C. Nye and W. S. Johnson, assisted by Messrs. Emerson, Wyckoff, Fisher, Cosseboom, Sherman and Ray.

The church looked exceedingly inviting, the stage being simply but tastefully decorated with flowers and the ushers being in dress suits The Harvard Male quartet added to their laurels, as every number was appreciatively received, many receiving encores. Mrs. Hennigar was charming, and captivated her audience from the first. She displayed rare rhetorical powers, coupled with a versatility which was very happy. Every number, both by the quartet and by Mrs. Hennigar, was in the best of taste and finely rendered, leaving a most pleasing impression. Indeed, it is difficult to see how the entertainment as a whole could have been improved upon. The next in the series is a lecture by Col. Copeland of Pennsylvania, who will speak on "Seeing the Elephant," Friday evening, Jan. 25.

"The Bronze Buddha."

We are pleased to note that the book which Mrs. Cora Linn Daniels wrote last year, "The Bronze Buddha," is finding excellent sale this year as a gift book. It breathes not the slightest hint of amateurishness; it reads as smoothly as words can be phrased; it abounds in mystery, happily cleared at the close, of course; it never defies probability; the plot is ingeniously woven and well sustained without effort, and the characters, true to life, move and act like living beings. Briefly, the book tells of the wanderings of a magnificent bronze idol, lost from its Oriental home, with an Indian prince interwoven into the story with rare deftness. The Oriental atmosphere has been wafted to our western shores and seems not out of place. Interest in the pages does not flag and few are able to lay it aside unfinished. It is written in exquisite English and has many lofty and impassioned passages. It is a book on no account to be missed.

Transient and regular patrons will find good service, clean and quick work at Ochee's barber shop, Opera house block.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

A Chance for You.

Dear Santa:—I am a little girl eight years old. Will you please bring me a doll, a doll's trunk, a doll's carriage, some candy and some nuts—that is all I want this Christmas. My little sister wants a doll, a little stove, some nuts and some candy and a ring. Leave them at the SENTINEL office. Good-bye, Santa.
MARGARET B.,
King street, Franklin, Mass.

All kinds of festooning, laurel wreaths, holly wreaths and evergreen wreaths made to order for Christmas. Cut flowers, roses and violets in large or small quantities. Funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse, Central street.

The choicest kinds of cakes for Christmas can be found at Fairfield's bakery.

COMMUNICATIONS.

[The editor assumes no responsibility for matter under this caption. This column is entirely at the disposal of the public, avoiding, as far as possible, trivial and controversial matter.]

MR EDITOR:—I doubt if in any town or city the Y. M. C. A. has started off more encouragingly than in Franklin. Under the direction of our able, scholarly president and our faithful, efficient secretary, this society gives promise of large and grand things. There is a foundation principle never to be ignored. The divine center of all amusements must be Christ. If He is left out then recreations cease to re create and rush into ways that are not helpful.

Fun and laughter are necessary, especially to the young. Even the older men and women have need of such diversion. Merry sports, pure and innocent are health to the soul. People get dried up and morbid and cross without them. But if these things have no connection with the divine they are dangerous. This has been demonstrated over and over. The Y. M. C. A. offers pure athletics. It encourages laughter and sport consistent with God and the Bible and religion. It would render youth sincerely youthful and manhood more manly. It seeks to remove the blight of premature old age in those who are young in years.

It's ideal is to gather all the possible charm and sunshine of life into its organization and its rooms that shall be fully obedient unto the higher law of heaven. Here are fine apartments, well heated and lighted, and the best of reading Here are sports that are genuine sports and that leave no after sting. Here is an atmosphere entirely free from profanity or coarseness. We have reason to be proud of this institution and to bid it God speed for the sake of our youth.
A FRIEND.

Attractive Minstrelsy.

Concerning the Culhane, Chase & Weston's minstrels, which appear here on Friday evening, an exchange says:

"Culhane, Chace & Weston's minstrels gave the best minstrel performance of the year at the Lyceum last night to a crowded house. The singing contingent of this company is away ahead of the usual run of minstrel companies, the work of the Imperial four meeting with unstinted applause. The first part is bright and lively, Wm. H. Chace keeping the audience in roars of laughter. The olio is made up of bright and sparkling novelties, Bram and Terrill in a musical act meeting with great approval. The De Elmer trio in a comedy acrobatic act, created no end of fun while on the stage. The well known three St. Felix sisters in a blackface singing and dancing act were a great feature. The magnificent costuming of the act, the sweet singing and the graceful dancing have never been excelled in our city. The music by the Challenge orchestra was highly appreciated and the performance was voted high class by all present."

Let us supply you with Christmas niceties from our bakery. Fairfield.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

All kinds of stove wood and kindlings dry at Allen's wood yard.

Wanted—Girl to do general housework. Marston Sanborn.

To Let.—Rooms with or without board. Where? At the Franklin House. 7-tf

To Let—A small cottage house on Beaver street; rent $7 per month. Apply to G. E. Emerson. 18,21

For Rent—Cottage house of seven rooms on Crescent street; steam heat. Apply to J. F. Lesure. 14tf

Wanted.—A girl for general housework; must be able to launder and cook. Apply at SENTINEL office. 18 tf

To Let—Tenement of six rooms on Cottage street, $5 per month, new tenement. Apply at this office. 14tf

Hard trash, oak and white birch wood for sale by George A. Allen, Summer street. Orders may be left at store of A. E. Wiuchenbach. 18*

Sweet cider right from the press at Maple Farm, also pure cider vinegar, nine years old. Orders at Chilson's market. Jugs called for and delivered. O. S. Stetson. 25-tf

Just before Christmas, during the next 6 days, Boston tickets can be had of Chas. H. Prince at SENTINEL office at $1 for the round trip. Why not save a little on that next trip of yours.?

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor J. B. MCKINNON, Agent.

$10.00 Reward

For evidence leading to the arrest and conviction of the parties who broke into my poultry pens Dec. 11 and stole a dozen White Wyandotte pullets. Most of the pullets are marked, so that they can be recognized.
W. C. ROSE, Wadsworth, Mass.

Don't Buy

Photograph frames without looking over my stock. The neatest assortment in metal and decorated frames, both single and double, just the thing for Christmas, at
CALKINS' STUDIO,
Depot St.

TYPEWRITING done at THE SENTINEL office.

Go to Fairfield's bakery for angel cake for Christmas.

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Contributions of [illegible] are always thankfully received at the SENTINEL office, such as society, church, manufacturing, agricultural and personal [illegible].

Business and Professional Cards, to occupy one-half inch space, once a week, $5.00 per year; twice a week, $7 [illegible] per year.

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4 in..	3 25	4 00	4 75	5 50	8 00	10 50	16 00	28 00
5 in..	4 [illegible]	[illegible] 00	6 00	7 00	10 00	13 00	20 00	3[illegible] 00
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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1900.

Property in a Face.

Recently a manufacturing concern in New York city secured the photograph of a [illegible] young woman, reproduced it in a striking advertisement of its wares and circulated it broadcast. The young woman, says a New York paper, was of a modest and retiring disposition, and had never sought publicity of any kind. Her sensibilities were wounded by the use made of her picture, and she brought suit for damages against the manufacturers who had appropriated it. The New York supreme court has ruled that she has just cause of action. The decision is based on two grounds: First, that any person has a right to a life of privacy, and that to print and post in public places the likeness of a person who wishes to avoid notoriety may injure the reputation as well as the feelings of the person concerned; second, that if a likeness, because of its beauty, has a value as a trade-mark or an advertisement, the value is the property of the person whose features are represented, and not of anyone who chooses to appropriate them. Lovers of social decency will hope that this decision may be sustained by all the courts, and become an established principle of law. Legal decisions have put it in doubt whether the relatives of a deceased person can claim damages for representations to which that person might have objected if living; and the limits, if there are any to the uses which may be made of the likeness of public celebrities have not been authoritatively defined. But that a living person who desires privacy is entitled to it, an ought to be protected against the invasion of it by the unauthorized publication of his portrait, is a principle which it is desirable to have established in these days of intrusive cameras and multitudinous half-tones.

Cuban English.

Over in Boston and thereabout they are telling amusing stories about the Cuban teachers who were recently receiving instruction there. One day the teachers were invited to some sort of an evening function. It happened that shortly before the hour for the assembly some ladies who were in front of that house were politely approached by a group of male Cuban teachers, who with their hats in their hands, stood bowing. "If you please, dear madames," said their spokesman, "we are invited at this house to-night. We wish to attend We were been on an excursion, to the distance, and have not the time to go to our house So that we wear, as you see, our day dress. Perhaps you can tell us if it would be permitted to us to go to the reception in our day dress? If it would not, then certainly shall we take the time to go to our house and put on our night dress! The ladies assured them that they would do much better to go as they were than to put on their night dress, and they bowed gravely and gratefully and withdrew.

During a thunderstorm in Philadelphia a few evenings ago lightning struck a marble statue of Diana at an entrance to Fairmount park. Immediately afterward the left leg of the statue turned brown. Next morning all the coloring had disappeared except one large spot, which so far has resisted persistent scrubbing and the application of powerful acids. The marble statue when struck was illuminated as though hundreds of electric lights had been arranged about it.

Devotees to vegetarianism are said to be increasing in America. They claim that the health of humanity is greatly benefited by an adherence to such a diet.

FACTS ABOUT TREES.

The orange tree is very fruitful; a single tree will produce 20,000 oranges fit for use. A good lemon tree will produce 8,000 lemons.

The eucalyptus trees in Australia penetrate from 180 to 220 feet into the soil with their roots, which absorb the moisture within a radius of [illegible] to [illegible] feet.

At the birth of a Japanese baby a tree is planted, which must remain untouched until the marriage day of the child. When the nuptial hour arrives the tree is cut down, and a skilled cabinet maker t[illegible] the wood [illegible] furniture [illegible] young people [illegible] of all ornaments of the house.

A Glasgow [illegible] has in his garden what he calls [illegible] are planted [illegible] of them will shade [illegible] house at every hour of [illegible] example, at nine [illegible] the "nine [illegible]" [illegible] changes the "[illegible] tree" [illegible] the root [illegible] or adjoining [illegible] through [illegible] day. On a sunny day this "tree clock" insures a succession of shade [illegible] the house.

Two logs of African mahogany were sold by Messrs. Edward C[illegible] & Co. [illegible] for [illegible] They formed one tree [illegible] bought for the purpose of being cut into veneers [illegible] of [illegible] residences of [illegible] of the [illegible] princes of the United States. The veneers are used instead of wall papers and, being beautifully figured, give a rich effect. The prices realized for the two logs were respectively ten shillings three pence and seven shillings three pence per superficial foot, which is a record for African mahogany logs in the rough state as imported.

FRENCHMEN AND SPORT.

(From London Truth.)

M. Thiers hated game shooting.

Grevy shot like a Jura peasant, and before he rose to the presidency of the republic liked to bring back a full bag to his cook.

MacMahon's manner of shooting was manly and unaffected. He hated battues, which he looked upon as massacres. One just fired straight forward without taking aim, and the game fell on the ground.

Carnot, a mathematician and a man of etiquette liked the battues. They left nothing to chance and little to personal skill. Given the number of birds and fowling pieces, one could always [illegible] the amount that would figure in the tableau. The tableau is the French word descriptive of the show of birds laid out by the gamekeepers in a clearing of the forest at the end of the day. Sometimes it includes fur-footed as well as feathered game, and is quite a picture.

M. Felix Faure was a great slaughterer of game. His master of the game preserves was Maj. Lagarenne (Angl[illegible], Rabbitwarren—and no [illegible]ment. President Faure boasted [illegible] last year of his life that in the shooting season that had just ended he fired [illegible] shots. The shooting in presidential reserves goes on in parallel alleys, in which game is driven by beaters. The sportsmen blaze away. Things are arranged to enable the chief guest to kill the greatest number. When there is no guest of mark at a presidential chasse the president does the greatest execution. The late emperor's gun was always first in the Compiegne preserves, unless when another crowned head was with him.

A COLUMN OF FIGURES.

A ton of soot results from the burning of 1[illegible] tons of coal.

A million matches are used in Europe every 12 minutes.

A penny changes hands 125,[illegible] times in the course of a lifetime.

An Elizabeth (Pa.) couple, married 60 years, have 227 descendants.

To complete their growth, the nails of the left hand require eight to ten days more than those of the right.

The total number of copies of newspapers printed throughout the world in one year is estimated at 12,[illegible],000,-[illegible]. To print these requires 781,260 tons of paper.

Many watches make five beats per second, [illegible]0 each minute, 18,000 every hour, or 432,[illegible] per day. Thus it will be seen that a half dozen turns of the key once a day, taking up a few seconds of time, stores up a modicum of power in the spring which is cut up into nearly half a million of beats. If we multiply the daily beats by 365¼, the number of days in a year, we find that the watch ticks 157,788,000 times while the earth is making one annual trip round the sun.

Neglectful of His Opportunities.

"They say he's rather dull," suggested the girl in blue.

"Oh, dull is no name for it," replied the girl in white. "Why, after I had incidentally mentioned to him that there wasn't a soul within hearing he actually refrained from kissing me because I said I would scream if he did."—Chicago Post.

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MRS. M[illegible] [illegible] Me.

Her Guess.

He—I have always maintained that it is only reasonable that a man should want to choose for his wife a girl who could cook.

She—Oh Clarence. How little did I think that you would be able to know your own heart on such short acquaintance! Can't you let me have time to consider? What was it, darling that made you sure you could not be happy without me those fudges I made last night?—Chicago Times-Herald.

Near.

"You are perfection!" he whispered.

She shook her head sadly.

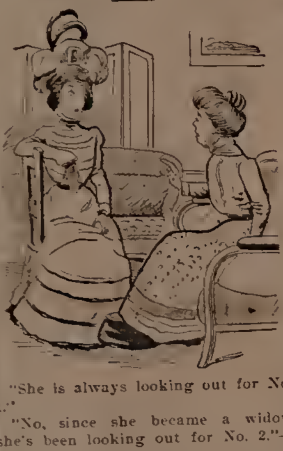
"Alas, no!" she sighed. "I fear no man could come so near perfection as this!"

In point of fact, not so much as a sofa cushion intervened between them as she spoke.—Detroit Journal.

How She Gets There.

A woman can't vote and a woman can't
throw
A brick or a stone very high.
But a weak little woman of thirty or so
Can bring a young man or his grandfather
low
By merely a drop of the eye.
—Chicago Times-Herald.

AN INSTANCE OF ADDITION.



"She is always looking out for No. 1."

"No, since she became a widow she's been looking out for No. 2."—Journal Amusant.

A Great Catch.

"You say your daughter married well, Mr. Nip."

"Umph! Should say she did—her husbin' lihs nex doah to de bigges' poultry farm in de hull state."—Chicago Daily News.

An Ideal Husband.

An ideal husband may not always be in position to afford porterhouse steak, but he never lets his wife put on her rubbers in public without assistance.—Atchison Globe.

Long and Short Races.

The difference between the tallest and shortest races in the world is one foot and one-half inch and the average height is five feet five inches.—N. Y. Post.

Holiday Excursion Rates South.

Southern railway announces that they will sell round trip tickets to points south of Potomac and east of the Mississippi rivers to students of schools and colleges on December 15th to 21st, 1900, inclusive, with final limit January 8th, 1901, at one and one third fare, round trip, upon presentation of certificate signed by superintendent, principal or president thereof. Also Christmas holiday excursion tickets will be on sale December 22, 23, 24, 25 and 31, 1900; also January 1, 1901, with extreme limit January 4, 1901.

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Jamaica's Cleft Mountain.

In Jamaica there is a mountain, between Kingston and St. Thomas in the east, on the south side of the island, which bears the name of Judgment mountain, or Mount Sinai, because of the awful catastrophe which occurred there in 1692, by an earthquake. In the district of St. Andrew only one house was left standing. A mountain some 4,000 feet high was cleft perpendicularly for 800 or 1,000 feet from the summit, as smoothly cut as the housewife's knife could cut down through a cheese. The slice of the mountain thrown off covered 1,[illegible]0 acres in its fall, burying houses and herds and flocks and 13 persons.—N. Y. Times.

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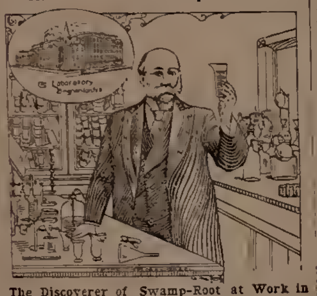

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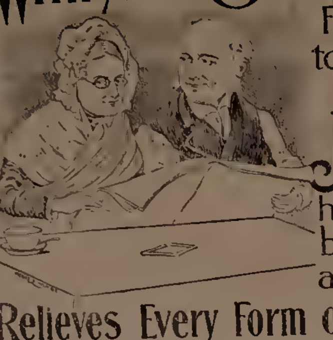

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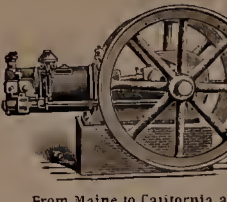

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CAROLERS, chanting a song of pure gladness,
Worshipers, sounding a joyful refrain,
What are these tidings that conquer earth's sadness,
Echoing softly o'er city and plain?
Hark to the winds and the waters replying,
Jubilant, gladsome, their song seems to say,
Over the winter world floating and flying:
The little Lord Jesus is born King to-day!

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FAR, where the Bethlehem valleys lay sleeping
Silent and calm in the peaceful moonlight,
Came there a burst of high melody sweeping,
Rhythmic and tender, one wonderful night;
Clearer it sounded, the silver stars brightened,
Softer, their brilliance faltered away,
Louder, the plain with fair angel forms whitened—
The little Lord Jesus is born King to-day!

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SHEPHERDS, on guard where the tired flocks
were resting,
Started at sound of the wonderful song,
Wise men rejoiced, as, their long-held faith testing,
Sweetly triumphant 'twas carried along;
Sages and toilers alike knew the glory
Of music and angels and heavenly ray;
Listen! We still hear their worshiping story:
The little Lord Jesus is born King to-day!

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STILL to the thinkers and toilers who need Him
Comes the dear Christ-child when winter is drear,
Still, through His "little ones" we all may feed Him,
Clothe Him, and shelter, and cherish Him, dear.
So in the silence which follows earth's sadness,
Waiting, in faith, till the night pass away,
Angels shall come, with their message of gladness:
The little Lord Jesus is born King to-day!

ETHEL M. COLSON.

A RESURRECTED CHRISTMAS

By Elvira Floyd Froemcke

ON ONE of those misty, gray evenings so common to December, a certain street corner was suddenly enlivened by a gay whistle, a boy, a bundle of hand-bills and a bucket of paste. With the cold gaze of the electric eye upon him, the boy plastered a bill upon the tall wooden pole, and then stepped back to gaze admiringly on his work, and to give an extra dab or two at the loose edges which thereupon clung to their support in approved artistic style.

Three women were approaching from different directions, and, thinking to do a good stroke of business for his employer by attracting attention to his advertisement, he whistled very shrilly and quite off the key, as he slowly picked up his pail to leave.

One old lady stopped and exclaimed, impatiently:

"If you must whistle, why don't you whistle in tune?"

The boy only laughed good-naturedly, and took himself off in haste, but the two women approached uttering little expressions of surprise and pleasure; for they were old friends, and at the very moment of meeting each had been thinking over bygone days, when their lives were closely interwoven.

"Well, here we are," gayly exclaimed Estella; "three graces in ungraceful attire! Did you ever hear such a fearful whistle as that boy had? First he took me off my feet and then I frightened him into finding his. Do see him run," she added, as the youth disappeared round a corner.

"Are you going home?" she inquired

They simply answered: "Yes," and all turned to read the poster that had seemed to draw them together:

PROF. WENSEL
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PSYCHIC MEANING OF CHRISTMAS.

"Well!" they all exclaimed, "what does he mean by that?"

"It seems to me easy enough," said Penelope. "It is having the spirit or soul of the season within. I used to think of these things once, but Christmas seems a dead season now. Funny, too," she laughed, "when I have here under my arm 15 proof sheets of Alton's new Christmas story, which I am to correct this very night."

"And I," said Estella, "never celebrate the day now; though I am teaching six new Christmas carols to my pupils, and have an anthem in my music roll to practice for Christmas service in our little church."

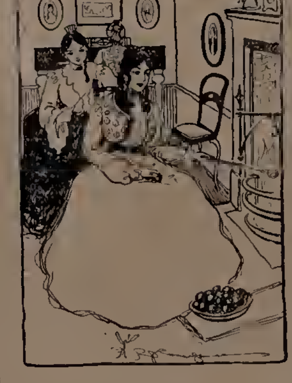
"And I," puffed Urania, "have ten pounds of dried fruits for the Christmas mince pies. It all goes to those greedy boarders of mine, and I am too tired to know what Christmas means in these days. It is a dead anniversary and practical people have outgrown it."

A flare from the electric lamp sent a light over the three keen, intelligent old faces, and revealed three hands clasped closely and sympathetically. They were all well over 60, and their faces bore marks of sorrow, courage and well-fought battles.

Penelope and Urania were what the world calls "old maids" (loving friends would have another name). In youth Penelope had had family, home, wealth and ease; now all these had passed from her. She was merely a book canvasser when "the firm" required her services, or a stenographer or proof-reader when that sort of work pressed. Her "home" was a back room in a shabby house, on a dull street in the sleepy old city; her only relative, a brother, remained. He, alas, was hopelessly insane; yet the brave woman supported him, always spoke of him as "my weak-minded brother," visited him on every holiday, and strove with love and gifts to recall the poor wandering mind. In this duty she never failed; remaining as loyally true to him as to her young lover who had been drowned at sea 45 years ago.

Urania had been an only child, motherless from birth. Her noble old father had laid down his life for his country on the battlefield of Gettysburg, and, after mourning him so sincerely many years (assisted by numerous impecunious relatives), she awakened to the fact that her money was spent, her house mortgaged, and she was on the verge of ruin through their "care and sympathy." She plucked up courage, swept her house of kinsfolk, and went practically into the business at which she had played too long. She was plump, rosy and motherly, with great soft hands, a tender heart and a kindly spirit—a great contrast to the pale, ethereal Penelope and the slight, nervous Estella, but her very dissimilarity was an attraction to the others, their different characteristics serving to draw out the best side of their natures.

Estella had lately returned to the old town where all had lived in their early girlhood, and she brought a spirit that stirred to life many tender memories. She had had her sorrows. Widowed and made childless in the second year of marriage, she had to face the world and turn the art that she adored into a packhorse to sustain her life and carry her over hard bridges.



FIFTY YEARS AGO.

Now the three had met, and—well, they felt young again, and acted so.

"Three old pieces of driftwood toughened by the tide," said Estella. "Too old to celebrate anything, even a day antique as Christmas."

"I have heard that driftwood makes a beautiful fire for warmth and color," said Penelope, softly.

"Yes," added Urania, "and an open fire is so comforting. Three logs and a pair of well polished andirons—"

An unexpected laugh rang out; Estella was certainly forgetting nerves, and cold, age and infirmity.

"Do you remember," said she, "that awful Christmas we were forced to spend at Miss Verplanck's boarding school? Bless me, girls, it will be 50 years this Christmas! Surely you remember it?"

"Well, I guess we do," chimed in Penelope. "I was exiled because of scarlet fever at home; you because your mother and father were called to London, and dear Urania, here, stayed lest we should be unhappy; bless her!"

"Yes," added Urania, with a slight flush, "and do you remember the feast in Estella's room? How you knitted something soft and white, and Estella played minor things on the piano, till a tear dropped on one of the apples I was roasting for supper, and how you stuck your knitting needle in that apple, so that I should swallow my own tear. Then how we danced the Highland schottische, till little Miss Verplanck put her head in the door, and said, with that little cough of hers: 'A little less noise, young ladies, if you please'"

"Let us do it all over again," cried Estella. "Come to my rooms on Christmas night at five o'clock. Urania may send the cooked chicken; you, Penelope, shall send the nuts and candies, and I will do the rest."

Prof. Wensel did not become richer in pocket through these old ladies, but if, as he said repeatedly in his lecture, spiritual rewards always found and enriched him, he must have been in affluence after this night.

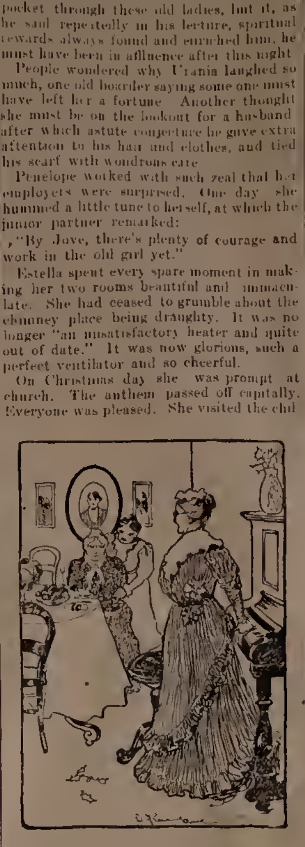
People wondered why Urania laughed so much, one old boarder saying some one must have left her a fortune. Another thought she must be on the lookout for a husband after which astute conjecture he gave extra attention to his hair and clothes, and tied his scarf with wondrous care.

Penelope worked with such zeal that her employers were surprised. One day she hummed a little tune to herself, at which the junior partner remarked:

"By Jove, there's plenty of courage and work in the old girl yet."

Estella spent every spare moment in making her two rooms beautiful and immaculate. She had ceased to grumble about the chimney place being draughty. It was no longer "an unsatisfactory heater and quite out of date." It was now glorious, such a perfect ventilator and so cheerful.

On Christmas day she was prompt at church. The anthem passed off capitally. Everyone was pleased. She visited the children's ward in the old hospital, and was so funny and lovely that the pale little creatures stretched out their hands to her, and laughed a little with their hoarse pain-laden voices. She had emptied her pockets of pennies to the beggars that beset her homeward path, and at three o'clock in the afternoon had dusted every article in the quaint room to a fine polish.



"TIME!" CRIED PENELOPE.

Two great broad windows overlooked a sloping hill and the roofs of many houses. Beyond lay the great gray ocean. A side window was shelved from top to sill, and filled with potted plants that bloomed profusely and overran the ugly red clay that inclosed them.

Across one corner stood the piano. It was the only really new thing at hand, and its polished surface took on shadows of the ancient grandeur about it, as if in apology for its presence here. Opposite the flower window was another recess filled with book shelves, where goodly reading was to be had between the shabby covers of many an old treasure.

A few easy chairs and tables lay cozily about; and the great brick fireplace with its brass andirons and high old mantel shelf was the heart and core of the room.

Estella laid the fine thin old cloth carefully on the round, polished table, garnishing it by pinning little sprigs of holly on its satiny surface.

She placed Urania's chicken by the warm hearthstone, and on a stool near by laid a basket of rosy apples and a pile of bread with the great toast fork on guard. With much pride of manner she turned out a glass of crab-apple jelly into an old glass dish, and flanked it by another dish of brandied peaches.

"That will surprise the girls," she said, and laughed a little as she showered Penelope's lavish supply of candies in every conceivable little receptacle she could find.

Estella looked queenly. Her black satin gown was old, but she had drawn over the patched waist a fichu of soft yellow lace, and fastened in its folds a bunch of pretty old velvet wall flowers. Her hair had a trick of curling itself into proper places, and a glint of its old auburn tint was in its white sheen. Her eyes were bright and her cheeks rosy with expectancy.

Toward five o'clock the shadows grew heavier. Day was almost gone. Estella went to the window, looked out a moment on the sea. "Even the great deep is quiet to-day," she said, "and there is no poor lonesly Estella this Christmas."

She drew the curtains, put a fresh log on the blazing fire and hurried to answer a timid little knock that came on her door.

As the gust of air rushed in she looked up to see Penelope and Urania with hoods off and hands extended, whilst they sang in nasal tones the old street waif's: "I pray you, merry gentlemen." Estella laughingly whirled them into the room, saying: "I am dismayed."

With many loving kisses, wishes for "merry Christmas," and soft little words, they were divested of wraps and furs and finally nestled down into easy chairs with the restful spirit of the hour floating lightly on their tired senses.

Penelope began knitting some soft, fluffy white thing that grew and grew in amplitude; and Urania, after examining the preparations for supper with pleased anxiety, busied herself with toast-fork and apples. Estella wandered about the room idly for awhile, saying a few words, and now and again touching the cheek or hair of her old friends with the tips of her slight fingers. Then, finding her seat at the piano, she drifted off into the land of music and ecstasy, a golden-haired child, softly beckoning the way.

Penelope and Urania kept a quiet accompaniment with needles and fork, and up the chimney tiny flame spirits danced, while the cheery logs sang a tune all their own.

As the last notes of "Chopin's Lament" fell on the air, a great tear splashed down Urania's soft cheek and fell into the snowy heart of the last roasted apple.

"Time!" cried Penelope, though her own eyes were moist, and she drove her knitting needle straight through the unsuspecting apple.

Estella sprang up and came laughing to the fireside. Then up jumped the others, and, singing the "Keel Row," danced about the table as in their school days.

The flames shot a pink light on the opposite wall, and made the dancing figures look like little girls. The old portraits on the wall took on a disapproving air, and the little flame spirits jeered; but the great logs sang a soft sweet song, and the dear Christ Child nestled close to the old hearts that had found Him, and caressed the wrinkled faces into images of love and peace.

A REASON FOR CHRISTMAS

By Frederick E. Hopkins, D. D.
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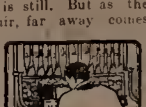
THERE is a reason for everything good and for everything bad. For everything that succeeds and everything that fails. There is a reason for every peal of laughter, and for every moan of sorrow. A reason why there are holly wreaths in the windows on this side the street and crape hangs on the door across the way. A reason why the midnight cloud that hung over Bethlehem is covered with gold as when the full moon shines upon the sea, and angels are singing their "Glory to God in the highest," and a reason why a pale woman beside a manger clasps her babe to her bosom and looks up in Joseph's face and with quivering lips whispered: "Does Herod know?"

The Old Sexton.

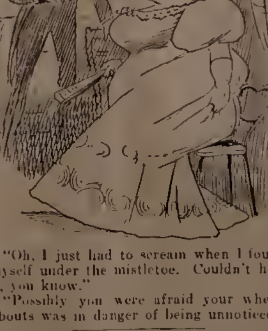
And so there is a reason for this great Christmas anniversary. We know why island calls to island, and nation responds to nation, and continent hails continent, and hemisphere salutes hemisphere. We know why the world heaves its hosanna like an Atlantic surge over the battlements of glory. Watch the old sexton of the ancient cathedral. He rises about four o'clock and trims his lantern. We follow him down the street and up the hill, and suddenly before us, out of the gloom of the early morning, rises the great Gothic temple. The door closing with a bang starts a long roll of echoes up and down the church aisles like a drum call. He climbs the belfry steps and sets his lantern in the recess of a window and a long thin ray shoots from it across the church and the sculptured faces of many saints are lighted up. It is five o'clock. The sexton grasps a rope, bends his body and bows his knees till they touch the floor, suddenly drops the rope and it swiftly runs upward, and the tower trembles and the great bell, like a huge gun, booms. "Awake!" He grasps another rope and rings a second bell in the chime which repeats the message of the first: "Awake!" The bell ringer grasps another rope, and rings a third bell, and it responds: "Awake!" Then all is still. But as the music dies upon the air, far away comes the answer from another watch tower of Zion: "Awake, Awake! Awake!" And then from another tower, and another, till you would think the gates of Heaven were opening one by one and the church triumphant was listening to the salutation: "Awake, put on thy strength, O, Zion, put on thy beautiful garments, O Jerusalem the holy city, break forth into joy, for the Lord hath comforted His people, He hath redeemed Jerusalem." Look at that old bell ringer as he listens to the music of the bells on Christmas morning, and see the tears upon his cheeks and ask him what it all means, and he will answer: "Jesus." Watch the organist as he sits at his instrument and bows his head for a moment. Is it any wonder that the thought rushes over his soul, as an inspiration from on high: "Here beneath my fingers are a thousand voices and never so willing to speak as on Christmas morning when the theme of their praise is Jesus." And if ever ministers of the gospel feel that their pulpits, however humble, are a throne, and that their talents are enlisted as ambassador of a king, it is to-day when they can talk of Jesus. And behold the multitude that is keeping holy day. Roman pontiff and Greek patriarch, Protestant bishop and dissenting preacher, all join hands as did the wise men and offer their gifts to Jesus. Avenues of our great cities thronged with worshipers going to hear the story as told by eloquent lips, as sung by the great boy choir of old Trinity or told in the antiphonal chant by priests standing in their stalls. Truly this day belongs to no sect, and to no creed, and to no party. But the reason we celebrate the day is that Jesus came to all. He belongs to all. He unites us all. He loves all. And we love Him.



The Organist's Prayer.

In the Cathedral.

A TRIFLE TOO ACRIMONIOUS.



"Oh, I just had to scream when I found myself under the mistletoe. Couldn't help it, you know."

"Possibly you were afraid your whereabouts was in danger of being unnoticed."

The Night Before Christmas.

'Twas the night before Christmas and all
through the house
Everybody was sleeping as still as a mouse,
No stockings were hung and no presents
prepared,
No Christmas-tree ordered, but nobody
cared;
Or at least no one seemed to be troubling
himself,
No turkeys were killed, no mince pies on
the shelf—
No bright-berried holly was wreathed on
the wall,
No mistletoe-bough had been hung in the
hall.
'Twas surely the night before Christmas,
and yet
Everyone in the house seemed this fact to
forget
But this happened in Norway, so nothing
was wrong,
For their night before Christmas is just
six months long.
—Carolyn Wells, in Judge.

Indispensable.

Mr. Billus—What are you going to give Bessie for a Christmas present?

Mrs. Billus—I think I shall give her a full length mirror for her room.

Mr. Billus—That settles the question easily enough for me. I shall give her a tough and durable floor rug to go to the front of it.—Chicago Tribune.

A MAID OF BERMUDA.

BY F. H. LANCASTER.

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It had been six months since Harold Holcomb, much elated by the responsibilities of his position, had landed on the bit of coral rock known as the Bermudas. He had been sent in a semi-official capacity to examine the magnificent floating dock which Great Britain had built upon this tiny possession of hers, which is "20 miles square and the home of the largest floating dock in the world."

The fortifications were built in the good, solid English fashion, and the garrison with two regiments of infantry made the society of this miniature world pleasantly gay. Holcomb had the friendship of the soldiers, having rendered some service to one of their officers whom he had met abroad, and he liked them, for they were a set of hearty, loyal fellows.

That was before a certain maid of the Bermudas came upon the scene. A charming English girl, with fine flaxen hair and wide open eyes of trusty blue. She was the only daughter of a retired naval officer who had made his home on the largest of the 305 islands and lived in a quiet little home not far from the causeway which makes the two largest islands as one.

Holcomb had been made welcome at this house on the day of his arrival. The old captain had a penchant for anything American, as he was wont to declare. Harold liked the easy unconventionality of the old lady's tea, the strolls with Sir Rodney among his lily-fields and the games of tennis with the younger members of the family. But he had been a frequent visitor for several weeks before he learned of the existence of this blue-eyed, blond-haired daughter, and their first meeting after her return from England was awkward enough. Striding up the drive in his tennis flannels, swinging a racket and whistling a mess-room air, he had nearly run over the dainty little lady, and had stopped in hot confusion.

"Dear me," she exclaimed. "I'm sure I beg your pardon. That is the air Lieut Gaines whistles a good deal, and I—"

But Holcomb interrupted her hastily. "If there is an apology due, please allow me to make it, I was a little late for my appointment with the boys, and—"

"Oh, yes. Why, of course. Then please don't let me stop you."

"But you spoke of needing some assistance. If you will allow me—"

"Just that spray of oleander, then. Thank you."

"Not at all." He lifted his hat and moved away, slowly, too busy with his inward vision to notice that her blue eyes held a hint of admiration in their dancing depths. Without being a fop, Harold knew that he was a fine appearing young American, and looked his best in tennis flannels. The knowledge did not unnerve his play.

"Well," exclaimed Sir Rodney's heir, "that's your fiftieth game, Holcomb. You have played like a fiend. Let's go in and have some tea. I dare say sis is riding with Lieut. Gaines, but mother will have mercy on us."

"Thanks, but I've an engagement with a fellow at the club. So long!"

"Lieut. Gaines be hanged," he muttered, as the gate clicked behind him.

Harold Holcomb's report had been kindly commented upon by the men who were above him in authority, and he had thought himself a happy man. But he had not left Bermuda and truly did not feel particularly joyous as he strolled by Miss Grovner's side between the oleander hedges that inclosed the fields of calla lilies.

"I don't believe any other spot on earth equals our dear little Bermuda," the little lady was saying.

"No, I dare say not," he replied absently. Then rousing himself to the attentive. "Where else in the world could you see such fields as these—acres upon acres of golden headed lilies. How fortunate it is the bulbs are not harvested until the flowers fall."

"Yes, they are lovely. But don't you know, I like the oleander better than the lily. Just see that hedge—a mass of foamy pink."

"Yes," he replied, "it's an ideal spot."

"There are a good many like it in Bermuda."

"Are there?"

"You cannot know much about Bermuda if you ask that question." She was beginning to be nettled by his persistent preoccupation.

"I know only three things about Bermuda." Harold spoke sharply. For the past three month's suspense had been putting a keen edge on pain and now pain was beginning to make him savage. At that moment his only feeling toward the dainty little lady at his side was a bitter resentment. Why did she encourage his attentions, when she knew the restriction and knew, too, that he did not understand them when she first began receiving his jealous attentions. The English girl's quiet tones broke in upon such thoughts.

"And those three things are?"

"Your pardon. First then, your cedar trees live forever; second, your donkeys never die, and third, that your women never marry Americans."

"Rare bits of information, truly. May I ask of whom you gleaned them." The smile had faded from her lips and angry sparks were in her eyes.

Harold looked at her stupidly.

"I don't know," he said, slowly.

"Allow me to assist your memory with a suggestion. Lieut. Gaines?"

"Yes," he replied, still slowly. "At any rate, it was Gaines who told me that Americans were not allowed to become property holders here."

"Certainly, that is true. But the obligation of renouncing a paltry partimony would not prevent a girl of any sense—oh, let us talk about something else. We are both stupid this evening."

Holcomb drew a step nearer to her and bent down a long, foamy spray of oleander. Beyond the lily fields could be seen the snow-white stone houses of laborers and farmers gleaning in the slanting light. The drowsy drone of the sea among the coral reefs came soothingly toward them, and the myriad of lilies offering up their incense to the setting sun drenched the air with fragrance.

Holcomb stood silently bending the oleander with nervous fingers, watching that fair face for the faintest token of encouragement. None came. The girl was looking straight ahead.

"Sweetheart," the word was scarcely a sound even in that dreamy stillness, but the girl's level lashes lifted and fell.

"Sweetheart, I love you so much I will not live without you."

The exultant gladness of his tone seemed to wrap the girl's heart within its joyousness and ring an echo from her inmost being.

"Sweetheart—" and he drew her against his breast.

"Ah, they are the kings of lovers, these American men," she said.

There They Were.

This story was told by a Philadelphia man who dislikes nothing so much as to be asked questions: "My little girl is very fond of seashells," he said, "and, having been called to Atlantic City on business the other day, I took advantage of the opportunity to run down to the beach to see if I could pick up a few. I was strolling along the sand, gathering a few shells and pebbles, which I placed in my handkerchief, when along came one of those old idiots who ask questions with their mouths which their eyes could answer. He smiled upon me and said: 'Fine day, isn't it. Are you gathering shells?' 'No,' I snapped back, saying the first thing that popped into my mind, 'I'm looking for a set of false teeth I lost while in bathing.' He expressed his sympathy, and then his face lit up as he caught sight of a pink and white object on the sand. 'Well, I declare! Here they are now!' he exclaimed, and, sure enough, he picked up a set of false teeth lying right at his feet. I was too surprised to do anything but grab them and put them in my pocket. The funny part of it is that I never had a tooth pulled in my life. I wonder whom that false set belongs to."—Philadelphia Record.

For Politicians.

The following conversation was overheard on a railway train:

"Why, the time was," said the passenger with a gorgeous watch-chain, "when we had our county so well in hand that we could elect a brindle pup to any office we chose to nominate him for."

"And you can't do it now?" queried the other passenger, a man with a consumptive cough.

"I should say not. The other fellows have beat us three to one in the last three elections."

"To what do you attribute the change?"

"Well, I am inclined to think the reason is that when we had the power we elected too many brindle pups."—Youths' Companion.

Identifying the Class.

"I don't recall seeing you at college. I guess you must be before my time."

"Possibly, possibly. Who was at the head of the faculty when you were there?"

"Um—let me see—I don't just recall his name, but I was there the year Jenks played half back on the football team and kicked a goal twice from the field in the last half of—"

"Oh, sure; of course. That was the year our center rush carried most of the opposing team on his back for a gain of 30 yards. Yes, indeed. I wonder who was president then. I don't seem to be able to remember minor details of college life myself."—Chicago Post.

A Strange Compact.

An interesting and puzzling sight greets the visitor to Mount Moriah cemetery, Philadelphia. Some 20 years ago three eccentric men of wealth put up in the most secluded corner three tall shafts of rough hewn granite. They had been friends a long time and they agreed that as each died his shaft was to be broken and the fragments left where they fell. The second of this trio has just passed away and his column has been shattered, as was that of his former friend years ago. No fence incloses the strange monuments, and no names are carved on the granite.—Chicago Chronicle.

Terrapin for Slaves and Hogs.

Judge Page, of Maryland, commenting on a paragraph in the New York Press to the effect that in colonial times lessees of slaves were obliged by law to feed the negroes on terrapin at least twice a week, states that this was no studied compliment to the black men, for in those days the finest diamond backs were regarded as food fit only for slaves and hogs. In feeding them to the latter the terrapins were chopped up with a spade and served raw.—Chicago Chronicle.

The School for Him.

Doctor (to patient)—What ails you?

Patient—Indeed, I don't know. I only know that I suffer.

"What kind of life do you lead?"

"I work like an ox, I eat like a wolf, I am as tired as a dog, and I sleep like a horse."

"In that case I should advise you to consult a veterinary surgeon."—Harlem Life.

Grewsome Securities.

A small parish in Zurich canton has recently been endeavoring to procure a loan of $7,500, but is unable to offer any security other than the village cemetery and a suicides' morgue. Both of these being in use, the negotiations have hung fire, the bank declining to take in pawn such grewsome pledges.—N. Y. Sun.

Shamrocks for Soldiers' Graves.

A thousand packets of shamrock seed, the gift of a resident of Cork to the duke of York were lately sent to South Africa. Their contents will be sown upon the graves of Irish soldiers. —N. Y. Sun.

Cruelty to Animals.

Husband—Don't you think those young kittens should be drowned?

Wife—I don't think it will be necessary, dear. I have given them to the children to play with.—Harper's Bazar.

Dead Ancestors in China.

Dead ancestors are said to occupy too much of the arable land in China. Famines would be less frequent if the country was not one vast cemetery.—N. Y. Sun.

His Umbrella.

Never judge a man by the silk umbrella he carries; he may have left a cotton one somewhere in its place.—Chicago Daily News.

YOUR HOLIDAY BUYING

will be made very easy here. Half the pleasure of Christmas is in getting ready, in the anticipation of the joys to be added to the recipients of your thoughtfullness. But there is much to be done and the time flies. Your holiday wants have been intelligently interperated here, and the result is an elegantly selected assortment of choice goods especially desirable for Christmas presents. You, and everybody else, will find much to rejoice at in our large variety of suitable things.

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A Palm all potted in a seven inch, decorated Jardemere, as shown,

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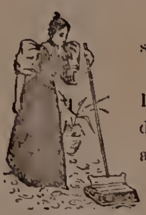

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$125 worth, $15 down, $2 week
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TO PLEASE YOUR WIFE.

How better could you please your wife than to buy her a new set of furniture for the guest chamber, or possibly your room needs refitting.

You can pay as high as $85 for a beautiful quartered oak suit, or we will furnish a sleeping room complete with a chamber suit, chairs, table, rocker, springs, mattress and toilet set for

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This beautiful suit of five pieces, the frames all veneered with fine grained mahogany burls, upholstered and tufted with French tapestry, only

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A beautiful set of dining chairs made of oak, finished golden. They all have brace arms, fine cane seats and broad, comfortable backs, handsomely carved. There are five side chairs and one large arm chair. The complete set for

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Unless you have used an up-to-date Extension Table you do not realize the convenience of putting in an extra leaf when company arrives and making plenty room for all. We show these tables, as fine as are made, for $25.00, and grade down in price to the very strong, serviceable table six feet long when all the leaves are in use, with five fluted legs, the whole finished in rich golden oak **$5.97**

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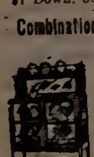
Combination Buffet and China Cabinet.



This is an entirely new and decorative piece of furniture, very useful as well. Your china and fancy pieces are well displayed and always ready for immediate use. It is made of quartered oak and polished like a piano.

$36.00

$3.75 Down, $1 a Week.

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A very pretty sideboard made of oak finished golden. It has a bevel-edged French mirror plate, two silver drawers and one long drawer for linen, and double closets—a very suitable Christmas present, worth $18.00, for

$14.25

$1.50 Down. 75c a Week.

A fine chicken should hatch from a golden egg. A fine result ought to be the outcome of these golden opportunities.

GOT A HUSBAND,

a brother or best fellow? Of course you have. What are you going to do to make his Christmas happy. Lots of men dread the coming of Christmas, because they are so often remembered with some useless thing they don't want. Here is a Christmas present par excellence for a gentleman, a Morris Chair. They are very comfortable and we have them in many styles of frames and cushions verying in price from $25 down to one with solid oak frame and reversible hair cushions for

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We show these chairs in rattan, oak and mahogany polished and some of them in aid with pear. They answer many purposes, they are an ornament for the hall, a thing of of beauty as a reception chair and for the ladies desk they are a necessity. A very pretty one for

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Don't forget the little ones. We have chairs in all shapes and sizes, beginning in price at 25c. A very nice little Rocker, large enough to last a long time for

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From this line can be selected articles suitable for the best house in the land. Besides the many new designs they are brought out in entirely new finishes. For Gentlemen can be found Smokers' Sets, Letter Racks, Paper Weights and Ash Trays, and for general decorations there are Vases, Mirrors, Picture Frames and Thermometers. The prices range from $10 for the most beautiful Vase to an Ash Tray at 25c.

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Vases standing fourteen inches high in imitation of the "Royal Bon" in floral decorations, stippled with gold. Three dollars' worth for

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There are a variety of shapes in these vases both in ruby and emerald glass with gold embossing. This vase in green and gold

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Salad Dishes and Nut Bowls.

Floral decorations, full gold stippling.

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Ice Cream Sets.

13 pieces as shown. Gold and floral decorations,

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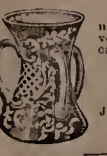

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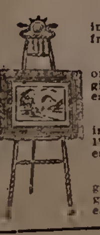

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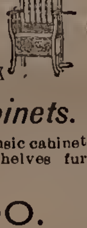

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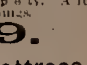

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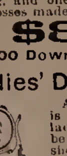

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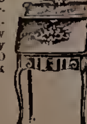

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A PLATONIC AFFAIR AT THE SEASIDE

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Scene—A piazza table by the sea.
People—The Boy and the Girl.
Time—Afternoon.

THE Girl—Funny that we should meet here! I came in quite by chance. I was going down the Cliff walk.

The Boy—Yes, I saw you.

The Girl—I thought of you as I passed, but, of course, I couldn't look.

The Boy—Odd how things happen.

The Girl—We seem to meet so often afternoons—quite by chance.

The Boy—It's one of those coincidences—you go by a certain hour every day.

The Girl—And you are always there.

The Boy—And it seems as though we always have something to say.

The Girl—That's why our friendship is so delightful. I get so tired of sentiment!

The Boy—It's such rot—anyhow—but you know there are very few girls like you. Most of them expect a man to throw bouquets at them all the time. Now, you—

The Girl—Oh, I hate that sort of thing! When I first met you—and realized that you weren't that kind of a man—I was so relieved! I found myself interested in you, because I saw at once that you regarded me as a human being, irrespective of sex.

The Boy—Well, rather! I had met lots of girls, and they seemed so alike.

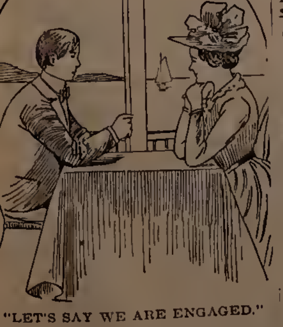
The Girl—That was my experience with men. They seemed to think a girl wanted silly compliments all the time.

The Boy—But we can talk rationally. I find myself wishing to consult you about even the most ordinary things. I find your point of view is more direct than my own. You look straight at things. I blink.

The Girl—You never do quite open your eyes, do you? Let's see—gray-blue eyes mean that you are very determined—you will be quite desperate when you fall in love.

The Boy—Never intend to—it's too slow! What does the color of your eyes mean? Look at me. I knew they were black. If you should ever love—there would be no half way about it.

The Girl—But no one does nowadays. It's not good form. In the twentieth century people will have outgrown such foolishness. Then friendships like ours will be more frequent. It will be a case of mutual—respect and—er—people



"LET'S SAY WE ARE ENGAGED."

won't remark it. Why, you have no idea what silly ideas people get sometimes. For instance, they suggest—oh, well, it's too ridiculous!

The Boy—What?

The Girl—That we are engaged! Just fancy! Ha! ha!

The Boy—Ha! ha! But—by Jove—that doesn't seem fair to you!

The Girl—Oh, I don't mind it in the least.

The Boy—But there may be some other chap that—

The Girl—I don't care for anyone in that way! But I never thought that—well, there may be some other girl?

The Boy—No—really—I don't like girls as a rule. You are the only one that I can understand. Do you believe in affinities?

The Girl—I believe in mental magnetism. When I first met you—it seemed as though we had been destined to be friends! Your face—your smile—your manner were all my ideal of what a man should be!

The Boy—And I—when you came into the room—you remember it was at Alice's tea—I said to myself—that is the nicest girl I've ever met!

The Girl—I suppose commonplace people would call it—

The Boy—Exactly—but it's something more than that.

The Girl—You take the other sort of thing—there are so many unpleasant things about it—jealousy, for instance.

The Boy—We might have mistaken the sentiment and imagined we were in love—if your logical way of talking hadn't made me understand that it was a mental affinity.

The Girl—As it is we shall go on and on—forever, just being good friends.

The Boy—But suppose you marry some day—that would spoil everything. I don't suppose your husband would understand—

The Girl—I am quite sure your wife would object! Women are funny that way. Very few girls understand mental love affairs.

The Boy—Oh, I shall never marry. There's only one girl that I like well enough, and she—

The Girl (quickly)—It isn't Alice, is it?

The Boy—Alice! Now, you know better than that. I don't like those mousy looking girls. She's not my style!

The Girl—Alice is a well-meaning girl. How do you like her brother Jack?

The Boy—Good enough sort of a fellow—

The Girl—He used to call last winter. I thought him rather amusing. He tells such funny stories.

The Boy—But light-waisted, don't you think?

The Girl—Oh, I prefer a serious man!

The Boy—If you should marry, what kind of a chap would you pick out?

The Girl—Oh—ha—ha—ha! What an idea!

The Boy—But really! You will have to think about it some day.

The Girl—I shall never marry. The man I might like—well, he doesn't care for me in that way.

The Boy—Doesn't care for you? Well, I like that. He must be a chump. Do I know him?

The Girl—He has charming qualities—more so than any man I know!

The Boy (moodily)—Oh, then, I see—I'm not in it?

The Girl (softly)—Well, there's that girl you care for! After all, a mental love affair may not last any more than the other sort. I suppose I should get jealous—just like any other girl!

The Boy—But there is no other girl but you.

The Girl—Now, you are beginning to make love. Next thing you'll tell me I'm the only girl you ever—

The Boy—I know you've cared for lots of fellows. They accuse you of being something of a flirt—like to play with a chap's heart, and all that. Is it true?

The Girl—Not with a man I could respect.

The Boy—Oh, hang respect! Could you care for me?

The Girl—That way?

The Boy—Oh, there's only one way when you get to it.

The Girl—How can people tell when they're really—

The Boy—Up against it?

The Girl—In love!

The Boy—Oh, you know all right—when it really happens!

The Girl—But people confuse—all sorts of things with love nowadays. Magnetism and mental attraction and—

The Boy—Oh, look here—I didn't ask you for a cold-blooded analysis. I want—

The Girl—What?

The Boy—You!

The Girl—Perhaps you only think you do. Wait a few years, and then we will be sure. Then we may meet some other affinities. Some people have two or three, you know.

The Boy—Oh, say, if it's a joke to you—

The Girl—It's so ordinary to just be in love! A platonic affair is more up to date.

The Boy—I want an answer. You can't play with me. I'm no boy!

The Girl—Ha, ha, ha! I've heard that somewhere before!

The Boy—All right; I'm going.

The Girl—No, wait a minute. It's all new to me.

The Boy—Well, try to absorb the idea and tell me—

The Girl—What?

The Boy—Yes.

The Girl—It seems so funny—

The Boy—Yes, it's much jollier to be engaged.

The Girl—But I never thought it would happen like this.

The Boy—Neither did I. But have you ever thought what fun it would be to stop all the talk?

The Girl—About our being engaged? But how?

The Boy—Dead easy. Announce that we really are.

The Girl—Do you really care?

The Boy—Do I really? Say, does a man talk like this for his health, do you think?

The Girl—It's not a bit like a book or a play, is it?

The Boy—No, this is the real thing.

The Girl—Then we must have been in love from the first?

The Boy—Sure.

The Girl—Why didn't you tell me before?

The Boy—I was afraid you didn't care, and I knew it would break me all up if you didn't. Do you?

The Girl—Everything!

The Boy—Really? You're not jollying me?

The Girl—I've been dying to have you tell me. Ha, ha, ha!

The Boy—Honest? Ha, ha, ha! How long?

The Girl—Ever since!—St. Louis Republic.

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Cunning.

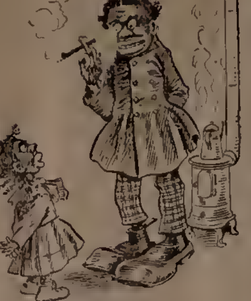
Jimmie—But your stockin's have holes in hem.

Johnnie—Sh! I'm goin' ter put a basket eneath 'em.—N. Y. Journal.

Where Ignorance Is Bliss.

There are some children know too much;
To tell the truth, I pity such
I pity them indeed, because
They don't believe in Santa Claus.
—Brooklyn Life.

SUITABLE HOLIDAY REQUEST.



"Say, Mistah Johnsing, wil you lend me one of your stockin's fo' Christmas?"—N. Y. World.

Merely a Suggestion.

He told her that for friendship's sake
A Christmas gift he'd like to make
She murmured—eyes upon her shoe—
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The First Impression.

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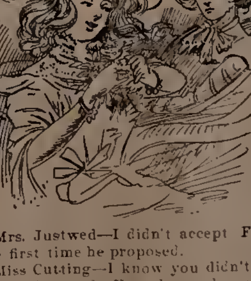

Mrs. Justwed—I didn't accept Fred the first time he proposed.

Miss Cutting—I know you didn't.

Mrs. Justwed—How do you know?

Miss Cutting—You weren't there.—Detroit Free Press.

Hard to Down a Philosopher.

A playful gust of wind came along and picked off his hat. It was of the straw brand, vintage of 1900, already out of date, although still quite presentable in appearance. That hat just got up on its rim and bowled merrily along the sidewalk, while the usual number of feet and canes were thrust out to check its progress.

"Never mind," called out the owner of the hat, cheerfully, "I'm going that way, anyhow."

So he walked on in the hat's wake without any hurry and overtook it within a block. Then it rolled into a gutter, which was dirty. This would have disconcerted anyone except a philosopher.

"Never mind," said he again, as he gave the hat a careless brush and put it on his head. "I was going to get a new hat to-morrow, anyhow!"—Chicago Tribune.

A Mother.

It rained all day the day she died.
And yet she thought it sweet and fair;
She said the sunlight kissed her hair,
And then she slept, all satisfied.

It rained all day; she woke again.
And whispered that the sky was blue,
Ah, me! thank God, she never knew
How cold and dreary fell the rain.

So like her life! It rained all day,
And yet she thought it all was bright;
She loved and toiled through day and night—
She never thought the skies were gray.
—Charles Hanson Towne, in Youth's Companion.

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Consideration.

"Christmas is when people show how much they think of one another, isn't it?" said Mrs. Bykins.

"It is," answered her husband, with his characteristic glance of gloom. "It's when all the husbands begin to wear rag-time neckties and smoke rag-weed cigars because they love the giver."—Washington Star.

He Knew She Didn't.

A mountain farmer of New Hampshire, whose wife had died from epilepsy, received a visit of condolence from a neighbor, an eminent physician, who had a summer home in the vicinity. After sympathizing with him on the death of his spouse, the doctor asked regarding the symptoms, concluding with the question:

"Did you ever notice, Mr. Z., whether your wife ground her teeth in sleep?"

"No, no," responded the mountaineer, "I don't think she ever slept in them."—N. Y. Tribune.

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Mrs. Crimsonbeak—How do you know it was a new one?

"Because Yeast contemplated getting a new hat, and I see he's wearing the same old one."—Yonkers Statesman.

An Artist's Candor.

"I suppose you would rather play Hamlet than eat," said the admiring young woman, who is given to colloquialisms.

"Well," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes, "I never put it in just that way. But your remark suggests the alternative that usually presents itself."—Washington Star.

Re-revenge.

"No, Maudie," the elderly bachelor said when next he met her, "you can't exactly be a 'sister to me,' as you promised the other day, because you are going to be a stepdaughter to me. If you are a good, obedient girl, however, we shall get along all right."—Chicago Tribune.

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WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 46, 8 40, 11 30 a m.
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New York, via Norwich Line, 7 45 p m. Return New Pier 36, North River, 6 00 p m.

Providence Extension.
Trains leave FRANKLIN for
PROVIDENCE—7 03, 9 03 a m; 1 05, 4 40, 7.03 p m. Return, 6 04, 8 10, 12 04 a. m, 3 35, 6 06 p m.

MILFORD BRANCH.
Trains leave Franklin for
MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 33, 6 55 p m; S 6 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 6 08 p m. S, 8 00 a m.
ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 6 35 p m.

M., A. & W. STRET RAILWAY
TIME-TABLE.
(In effect Oct. 22.)
FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6.10, 6.45 a.m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10.15 p. m. Last cars to car barn at 10.45 and 11.15 p. m.
FRANLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m., connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket. Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.15 a. m., and then on hour and half hour till 10.30 p. m.
FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham Four Corners for Caryville every hour from 6 to 9 a. m., 12 m. to 2 p. m., 4 to 9 p. m., returning on the half hour. Cars leaving Franklin at 6.45, 7 45, 11.45 a. m. and 12.45, 3 45, 4.45, 5.45, 6 45 and 7.45 p. m. connect at Bellingham Four Corners with cars for Caryville.
FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave 6.00, 7.30, 8.15 a. m.; hourly to 6.15 p. m.; 8.15, 10 15 p. m. Return, 6 40, 8.15 a. m.; hourly till 7.15 p. m.; 9.15, 11.15 p. m.
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The Night Before Christmas

Santa Claus is sure to make us a visit and fill his sack with a selection of fine toilet articles when he sees the superb stock that we have laid out for the inspection of those who wish to choose Xmas gifts from our silver toilet articles, manicure sets, fine perfumes and articles too numerous to mention. Choose gifts from our exquisite stock and it will save you time and money.

A. C. DANA & SON. Pharmacy.

DANA BLOCK, FRANKLIN.

WRENTHAM.

Mrs. Anne Travers died at the Mass General hospital in Boston Saturday, the result of an operation performed on Thursday. The funeral was held this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, and the interment was at Medfield. The deceased leaves one son, Frank L., and one daughter, Jennie E. Travers.——Mrs. Doolittle, wife of Wm. Doolittle, died at a private hospital in Brookline Saturday evening after a short illness.——A Christmas cantata will be given in the town hall Dec. 2[illegible] at 7:30 o'clock, by the members of the Congregational Sunday school.——Miss Bertha Rogers has been obliged to give up her school in Canton for the present, owing to a severe affliction of the eyes.——A musicale will be held at the residence of C. E. Brown Tuesday evening. Admission 50 cents.

One She Appreciated.

"I don't think much of the adages people are forever quoting, do you?" asked Mr. Linger of Miss Fosdick.

"Well," replied the girl, with a glance at the clock, which indicated 11:30, "there is one I recall now which has a good deal of sound sense."

"Which is that?"

"Early to bed and early to rise makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise."—Harlem Life.

HOW TO CARVE A TURKEY.

[From the People's Home Journal.]

Carve only from the side nearest you.

Serve light or dark meat and stuffing, as preferred.

Shave off the breast in thin slices, slanting from the front of the breast bone down toward the wing joint.

Insert the carving fork across the middle of the breast bone. Cut through the skin between the breast and the thigh. Bend the leg over and cut off close to the body and through the joint. Cut through the tip of the shoulder down through the wing joint.

Tip the bird over slightly and with the point of the knife remove the oyster and the small dark part found on the side bone. Then remove the fork from the breast and divide the leg [illegible] the wing. Cut through the skin between the body and breast and with a spoon remove a portion of the stuffing.

The Plant Line will sell Christmas Excursion tickets to Halifax, good going December 22d or 29th and returning within thirty (30) days, at fare one way, viz.—[illegible]. They will also sell at half rates to points on Intercolonial Railway via Halifax, good going Dec. 22d or 29th and returning up to January 4, 1901. Tickets and all information may be obtained at Nos. [illegible] and 332 Washington street, or at the Plant Line office, 20 Atlantic avenue (Lewis Wharf) Boston.

Stop the Cough and Works Off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

A lazy liver makes a lazy man. Burdock Blood Bitters is the natural, never failing remedy for a lazy liver.

What Did She Mean?

Cora—What would you do if you had a voice like mine?

Dora—I should be very careful not to overwork it.—Harlem Life.

Hood's Pills

Are prepared from Nature's mild laxatives, and while gentle are reliable and efficient. They

Rouse the Liver

Cure Sick Headache, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, and Constipation. Sold everywhere, 25c. per box.

Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Males Only Get Over It.

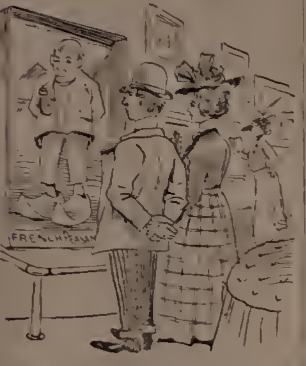
Mrs. Crimsonbeak—Did you ever notice that babies always want to get their hands into your hair?

Mr. Crimsonbeak—Oh, yes; and I've noticed that when they grow up the males usually get over the habit.—Yonkers Statesman.

The Baby.

Only a tiny bundle of love
  That the worthiest impulses wakes—
A mite that the fairies brought from above,
  But, gee what a noise it makes!
—Chicago Inter Ocean.

HAPPY AMERICA.



Cholly—Oh, Birdie! I'm glad we don't live in a country where girls' fathers wear shoes like those!—Chicago Daily News.

Her Prerogative.

She was a woman and denied
  The right to murmur what she thought;
But she could sit there dreamy-eyed
  And utter sighs that told a lot.
—Chicago Times-Herald.

It Still Holds Good.

"They say," said the old man, "that it is an exploded theory that fish is food for the brain."

"Don't you believe it," replied his grandson, who had succeeded in getting half way through college before they expelled him for hazing. "Don't you believe it. I've always et lots of fish, and look at me!"—Chicago Times-Herald.

That Settled "It."

Mattie—Well, I have promised to marry him, and that settles it.

George—How can you refer to him as "it?"—Judge.

Man, Know Thyself.

Homer Weakness—What's the most silly thing in the world, Miss Grace?

Miss Grace—I have no doubt but that you know well.—Yonkers Herald.

No one can reasonably hope for good health unless his bowels move once each day. When this is not attended to, disorders of the stomach arise, biliousness, headache, dyspepsia and piles soon follow. If you wish to avoid these ailments keep your bowels regular by taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets when required. They are so easy to take and mild and gentle in effect. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

E. W. Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

POSTAL INTEREST.

Experiments have been conducted in New York with electric vehicles for collecting mail from street boxes. It was found that 15 minutes were saved per trip.

It sometimes happens that the issue of a series of stamps of value only to the collector does not prove as remunerative as supposed. The Vasco da Gama commemorative stamps have been something of a fizzle. When the sales were counted up and compared with the expenses, there was found a net loss of $550.

Where Case Goods of Golden Oak and Mahogany

are finished best and built of best selected stock at best prices on easy terms—that would seem to be the best place to settle down to buying. Samples of a few are in our sunny southern window. The lines are complete within and the store is warm. Welcome everybody.

CHINA CLOSETS. Grand, square and three-cornered for one corner. Prices from $14.00 to $30.00.
LADIES' DRESSERS, $9.00, $12.00, $18.00. Nothing so flattering.
MUSIC CABINETS in Oak and Mahogany, $8.50, $13.00 $22.50.
BIFFONIER WRITING DESK, $23.40.

AUSTIN S. COOK & CO.,

67 and 69 MAIN ST., WOONSOCKET, R. I.

Free Delivery at your home the hour you name.

Whatever comes from Cook & Co.'s is finished to please.

Remedial.

"Smidgins has sent his wife to Europe for his health."

"His health?"

"Yes; he said it was the only way he could get rid of his scold."—Brooklyn Life.

Always in Practice.

Mrs. Wunder—We never hear of woman train robbers.

Mr. Wunder—And yet the ladies are always holding up trains.—Baltimore American.

Where He Found It.

He searched for happiness,
  He roamed the whole world over;
He sought it on the mountain top
  And by the sunlit shore.

He searched for happiness
  In cloudy days and fair,
And, wiser grown, turned home, at last,
  And found it waiting there.
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

A Wonderful Presentation.

"Ben Hur," opens Thursday evening in the new Colonial theatre, where stood the old Boston Public library at Tremont and Boylston streets. The new structure is magnificent; the stage having been built expressly for this presentation is unusually large, affording splendid facilities for the chariot race. In this feature two heavy chariots, each drawn by four galloping horses, are shown in full view of the audience. This effect alone cost $22,000 to produce. The eight full-blooded Arabian horses seen in this race each cost $1,200. Some conception of the magnitude of "Ben Hur" can be gained from the statement that 350 people are employed in the drama, not including about 100 engaged on the stage.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Lameness in the muscles and joints indicates rheumatism. Don't dally with a minute. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla and cure it.

All Play.

"You musicians ought to lead a very happy life," said Teuspot to a cornetist.

"I don't see why?"

"Don't you? Why, even your work is play."—Detroit Free Press.

CELERY KING NATURE'S CURE TRADE MARK

Dangerous Kidney Diseases.

Celery King has cured me of kidney disease. The doctor feared Bright's disease, and tried many remedies that gave me no help. Celery King has made me as well as ever in my life, and it seems almost as though a miracle had been wrought in my case.—Jennie O. Reichard, Springtown, Pa.

Celery King cures Constipation and Nerve, Stomach, Liver and Kidney diseases. 4

COME AND LOOK

and get the best for Christmas. For the right gifts at the right prices and plenty to choose from see our

Beautiful Holiday Stock.

F. W. GUILD,

..Jeweler..

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HARK!

Don't You Hear the Bells?

SANTA

IS COMING AND WILL MAKE HIS HEADQUARTERS AT

CROWNINSHIELD'S

Where he will have something for old and young, rich and poor.

Come and Renew His Acquaintance.

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Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK of Franklin, Mass., for the choice of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of any other legal business, will be held at their banking rooms on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 8th, 1901,

at 10 o'clock a. m.

[illegible] H. BARTHOLOMEW, Cashier.

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Holiday Novelties.

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When you are shopping and wonder what to buy just step into MASON'S and he will help you select just the thing you want.

POCKETBOOKS, PURSES, FANCY BOXED STATIONERY, ATOMIZERS, COMB and BRUSH, TOILET, SHAVING and MANICURE SETS, PALMER & WRIGHT'S PERFUMES, POCKET KNIVES, COLLAR and CUFF BOXES, Etc., Etc.

Baker's and Lowney's Chocolates.

ALBERT C. MASON, Druggist.

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Here's where we excel in
GROCERIES.
"Quality" is the password in
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Standard in quality, always satisfactory—our
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The store that never disappoints—

FALES, the Main Street Grocer.
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FLOUR WE ARE AGENTS FOR "PILLSBURY BEST"

Wholesale and Retail.

$5.00 Per Barrel during December.

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JAMES F. RAY,

The Coal Dealer,

DEPOT STREET.
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BOOM FRANKLIN!

Buy Your Holiday Goods in Town.

You can buy here as cheap as elsewhere for the same quality of goods.

We have put in a good line of novelties in CHINA and GLASS PITCHERS, CANDLESTICKS, INK WELLS, three and five-piece TABLE SETS, BON-BON BOXES, all kinds of FANCY DISHES for table, ranging in price from 5c. up.

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All kinds of FURNITURE.

PRICES TO SUIT THE BUYER.

Do not forget to see our PICTURES.

Alfred Farrington

CENTRAL SQUARE, FRANKLIN.
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...AT THE...

Jog Along Clothing Co.

DANA BLOCK, - - FRANKLIN.

Men's Heavy Canvas Coats, blanket lined, $1.50, 2.00, 2.50.

Men's Heavy Canvas Coats, wool ined, $3.00, 4.00 and 5.00.

Men's Working Gloves, largest stock in town. Unlined, 25, 35, 50, 75c. and $1.00. Lined, 25, 50, 75c. and $1.00. See them.

Jog Along Clothing Co.

EDISON'S PHONOGRAPH

Better than a Piano, Organ, or Music Box, for it sings and talks as well as plays, and don't cost as much. It reproduces the music of any instrument—band or orchestra—tells stories and sings—the old familiar hymns as well as the popular songs—it is always ready. See that Mr. Edison's signature is on every machine. Catalogues of all dealers, or NATIONAL PHONOGRAPH CO., 135 Fifth Ave., New York.
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Will You Get Married Soon

and go to housekeeping? Take solid comfort in a home of your own? Be "monarch of all you survey?" Maybe you haven't the money. You don't need the cash. We are ready to furnish your home from top to bottom for a little cash weekly. See

OUR TERMS:

$10 worth— $1.00 down, 50c. a week.
$25 worth— $2.50 down, 75c. a week.
$50 worth— $5.00 down, $1.00 a week.
$75 worth— $7.50 down, $1.25 a week.
$100 worth—$10.00 down, $1.50 a week.
$125 worth—$15.00 down, $2.00 a week.
$150 worth—$25.00 down, $2.25 a week.
$200 worth—$40.00 down, $2.50 a week.
$250 worth—$50.00 down, $3.00 a week.

The Weeks Furniture Co.,

48 NORTH MAIN ST.,
Near Opera House.
WOONSOCKET, R. I.

Store open Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

WINTER NIGHTS' ENTERTAINMENTS

..Congregational Church..

FRIDAY, JAN. 25—Col. L. F. Copeland of Pennsylvania, the King of Platform Lecturers.

TUESDAY, FEB. 19—The Lyceum Stars of Boston, with Curtis Morse, impersonator.

TUESDAY, MARCH 10—The Imperial Hand Bell Ringers and their carillon of 110 bells.

COURSE TICKETS, 75c.

Single admission, 35 cents.

Course tickets on sale at N. C. Nye's store and by solicitors.

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GEO. W. WIGGIN, LESTER L. BURRINGTON, WALTER M. FISHER, DR. GEORGE KING, Vice Presidents.
CHAS. W. STEWART, Clerk and Treasurer.

Dividends declared the first Monday in January and July, payable on and after the 15th of said months.

Money may be withdrawn at the option of the depositors. The treasurer may, however, require a notice if necessary, in accordance with the Statute Law.

Bank open daily from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and from 1 to 4 p. m.

BOARD OF INVESTMENT.

D. Thayer, Jr., E. H. Sherman, A. D. Thayer, E. P. Chapman, B. M. Rockwood, George W. Wiggin, Charles Stewart.

STATEMENT SEPT. 29, 1900.

LIABILITIES.		
Due Depositors		$565,502 39
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 99
Interest Account		4,027 82
Real Estate Income Account		184 78
		$598,672 44
ASSETS.		
Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,023 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,975 00
" " Mortgages		157,760 00
" " Personal Securities		174,269 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		522 22
Tax Account		502 73
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$3,028 14	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	1,304 95	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		4,417 25
Cash on hand		741 27
		$598,672 44

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

WALTER M. FISHER,
HORACE W. HOSIE,
Committee of Examination.

Sept. 29, 1900.

TO all persons interested in the petition of Elbridge J. Whitaker and others for the establishment of a co-operative bank in Wrentham, to be known as the Wrentham Co-operative Bank:

Whereas, application has been made to the Board of Commissioners of Savings Banks by Elbridge J. Whitaker and others asking the consent of said board to the establishment of a co-operative bank, to be located in Wrentham, notice is hereby given that a hearing will be granted to all persons interested in said application at the office of the Commissioners of Savings Banks, Room 124, State House, Boston, on WEDNESDAY, the NINTH day of JANUARY, 1901, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time and place they may be heard in relation thereto.

STARKES WHITON,
WARREN E. LOCKE,
JAMES O. OTIS,
Board of Commissioners of Savings Banks.

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Business Announcements in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL are invariably read.

Hattie M Fisher 1Jan01

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FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM

North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "

MAILS CLOSE FOR

Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.
Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Keep in mind the social at Red Men's hall on New Year's eve.

Lawrence J. Kelley has been drawn as juror for the civil term.

B. W. McCabe is entertaining his mother and cousin, John McCabe, of Glendale.

Miss Mary Hutchinson is home from her studies at Mt. Holyoke for the Christmas vacation.

Supt. McPhee and Principal Doring of the public schools of Woonsocket visited our High school yesterday.

Mrs. Annie L. Stebbins, of the SENTINEL force, starts for Northampton tomorrow to spend Christmas with her sister.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Franklin National bank will be held at the banking rooms on Tuesday, Jan. 8.

The Christian Endeavor social at the Congregational church on Wednesday evening was well attended and very enjoyable.

A goodly number from here attended the confirmation services by Bishop Lawrence at Christ church, Medway, Wednesday evening.

Holy communion will be celebrated Christmas morning at St. John's rectory at 9 o'clock and at Christ church, Medway, at 11 o'clock.

One of the schools in the Thayer school house, School street, was closed Wednesday forenoon on account of the gas from the furnace.

The members of Franklin grange who were the guests of Border grange of East Woonsocket on Wednesday evening report a pleasant and most enjoyable time.

The American Band orchestra will furnish music for the sunlight dance to be given by the Odd Fellows in their hall on Christmas afternoon. Dancing from 3 to 7.

The work of repairing the streets in Bellingham is being carried on by the M. A. & W. The fences are being moved back and railings put up in exposed places.

It is expected that all the machinery in the American Flax and Fiber Co.'s factory in Millis will start up about Jan. 1 and the full number of hands be employed.

Still more improvements in the post office. All of the window casings and other woodwork are to be grained in oak, the walls tinted and otherwise improved.

Next Sunday being the fourth Sunday in Advent, the Christmas sermon at St. John's mission will be preached and the music rendered at the Baptist meeting house the Sunday after Christmas at 3 p. m.

A Sunday school concert of the usual excellence will be given at the Universalist church next Sunday afternoon, at 5 o'clock, many of the children of the Sunday school taking part. There will be music also by the choir.

Clark Bros. machine works has received an order for a dozen picker machines to go to Europe, and the work upon them has begun. This order is probably a result of the exhibit at the Paris exposit[illegible] rs the machine received a gol[illegible]

The Sunday school festival of the Universalist Sunday school will take place Monday evening at Dean gymnasium. An informal good time for the young will be enjoyed and Christmas gifts will be distributed. There will be refreshments for all at 6 o'clock.

Next Monday evening the Farmers' club will close the meetings of the nineteenth century at Irving Trentham's on the Medway road, and consider how to feed and care for cattle so that the milk of the twentieth century shall be better and more plentiful than in the previous hundred years.

Hon. Maurice F. Coughlin, one of Holliston's leading citizens, and a well-known figure in state politics, died very unexpectedly at Fort Gartland, Col., on Wednesday night. He was interested two or three years ago in the removal of the Hughes Harness Co. from Holliston to Franklin, the plan falling through, however.

An electric snowplow of the wedge-shape design, for the Milford, Attleboro & Woonsocket Street railway, arrived Saturday from the manufacturers at Woburn. Another is expected by Monday. This will make six plows for the M. A. & W. and Woonsocket street railways, including one rotary. One plow is being rebuilt into a double trucker at Woonsocket road's shops.

Dr. Eugene E. Everett of 138 Huntington avenue, Boston, son of A. F. Everett of this town, has recently been appointed as instructor in the Harvard Medical school in the bacteriological department. The study of bacteria is in a stage of rapid development and opens up a large field for original research. The young doctor is now beginning to reap the fruits of his long and tedious years of study, and is to be congratulated upon an appointment of so high a degree.

On Thursday evening Gov. Winslow colony, No 84, U. O. P. F., elected the following officers: Governor, E. O. Simonds; lieut. gov., Wm. Dailey; secretary, Laura Lee Whitney; colonel, E. F. Harttmann; treasurer, Frank Jacobs; chaplain, A. G. Bassett; sergt. at arms, Rosa Harttmann; deputy, E. O. Millken; inside sentinel, H. Daniels; outside sentinel, J. D. Hatch; permanent member, Dr. Gallison. The installation will take place the second meeting in January.

Howard Malcom Ticknor, M. A., the well known educational instructor, reader and lecturer, has tendered his services to President Daniels, of the Y. M. C. A., in a very graceful letter, desiring to aid in the work for young men as far as lies in his power. He offers to take charge of classes in English composition, literature, the study of Shakespeare or other authors, and elocution. This is practical and valuable aid, and is fully appreciated by all who are interested in this new movement here.

The S. N. Fiske place was sold at mortgagee's sale on Wednesday afternoon, only a small number of purchasers appearing. Auctioneer Corson officiated, but three or four bids being put in. Judge Doe bid for the Co-operative bank, which held a mortgage for $2,300, and E. H. Rathbun, who held a second mortgage for $1,500, secured the place at $2,600. It is understood that the place cost originally over $6,000, and with some repairs will make a fine residence. What Mr. Rathbun will do with it is not stated.

At the meeting of Griffin court, M. C. O. F., Wednesday evening, the following officers were elected: Chief ranger, M. J. Kearns; vice chief, F. Lemier; rec. secretary, J. A. O'Sullivan; fin. secretary, Philip Doherty; treasurer, Wm. Buckley; senior conductor, Miss Jane Gansy; junior conductor, Eugene Sullivan; inside sentinel, John Lemier; outside sentinel, Frank Browne; trustees, R. Fiorani, Mrs. W. F. Cody, Mrs. Keough; representatives to high court, M. F. Conroy, J. H. Riordan, D. F. O'Sullivan.

George Champiguy was badly burned about the hands and face on Tuesday evening. He is employed as porter at the Hotel Windsor, and in attempting to to revive a low fire in the furnace he threw on some kerosene. Instantly a mass of flame poured out, enveloping him and setting his clothes on fire. The explosion was heard by a guest who hurried to his aid and put out the flames, but not until he had been seriously burned. Dr. Martin dressed his wounds and he was sent to a Woonsocket hospital for treatment. It was a narrow escape and illustrates the foolishness of using kerosene upon a live fire.

Stetson's "Uncle Tom's Cabin"

Is the title of a really big company, which, under, under the personal management of Leon Washburn, whose name is most favorably associated with up-to-date amusements, is to appear at the Opera house next Wednesday evening.

The company comprises fifty people, including a dozen specialty artists, two quartets, a superb orchestra and many colored comedians, who add to the big production not a little, by their spontaneous wit and clever singing and dancing. Watch for the big parade.

A finely printed program, with an original hymn by the pastor, has been arranged for Christmas Sunday at the Baptist church. The following music will be rendered in the forenoon: Anthem, "Glory to God in the Highest;" duet, "Mother's Bible;" solo, "Bethlehem." Rev. F. B. Sleeper's sermon will be on "Christ, the Wonderful." In the evening there will be a concert, for which special preparation has been made and that promises to be exceedingly interesting. The Christmas tree will be in the vestry next Tuesday evening, the exercises beginning at 6.30. A fine cantata, "The New Santa Claus," will be given.

John Kingsley, who was sent to Dedham for trial on charge of larceny of a dog about two months ago, was acquitted on Tuesday. He plead his own case, questioning his witnesses, etc. This was nothing new to him, as he has done so before. The court room derived no little amusement out of the case. The judge's charge was in the main favorable to the prisoner. Kingsley describes the food at the jail as "something fierce," especially to a man who has not been convicted, but is simply waiting trial. Any infraction of the rules will deprive a prisoner of his meals. Kingsley gained in flesh, however, and does not look as if his boarding at the expense of the state disagreed with him in the least.

Forefathers' Day.

There was a large attendance at the observance of Forefathers' day at the Horace Mann school Thursday from 12 to 1 o'clock, every seat being taken. There were fine exercises by the scholars, including the singing of Mrs. Heman's hymn. Rev. F. B. Sleeper gave the historic address. He clearly and graphically pictured the religious intolerances and persecution known in England 300 years ago. His description of the reign of Henry VIII, Queen Elizabeth and James I was comprehensive, true to facts and suggestive.

He showed the condition of the Puritans and Pilgrims, often thrown into prison dungeons and losing their lives for conscience sake. He traced the history of the Pilgrims in their twelve years' stay in Holland, then coming to America, and their wonderful devotion to the cause of religious liberty. The Puritans in Boston were intolerant. They believed in the union of church and state. They claimed the right to dictate a man's religious belief, and to punish him even unto death if he rebelled.

The Pilgrims maintained the opposite of this, that a person is responsible only to his God for his religious creed, and that heresy is not a crime to be punished by the law of the land. The spiritual liberality of the Pilgrims was illustrated in many ways in their dealings with Catholics, Baptists and infidels. They believed that "more light still is to break forth from the Word of God" and this shall settle all vexed religious questions.

The scholars gave close attention to the historic address. Both the superintendent of schools and the principal of the High school in Woonsocket were present.

The following is the program: Song, double quartet; reading, Arthur Stewart; recitation, Genevieve Allen; reading, "Robinson of Leyden," George Estey; reading, "Plymouth Rock," Linna Ferrer; address, Rev. Frank Sleeper; song, "The Pilgrim Fathers," school.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

A good address may be expected at the association rooms next Sunday at 4 p. m. Mrs. C. L. Stewart will sing a solo. All men are invited.

Plans are being made for a game of basket ball Saturday evening of this week between the Y. M. C. A. team of Hyde Park and the local association team.

Secretary W. D. Fellows of the Fall River association, who spoke here so acceptably on Y. M. C. A. Sunday, has been engaged to deliver the address at the midwinter meeting of the Norfolk Union of the Y. P. S. C. E., which will be held at Medfield Feb. 22. No doubt many from Franklin will attend.

Dwight L. Rogers, one of the secretaries of the executive committee of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, was in town yesterday to inspect the home of the local association. He expressed his surprise at finding such complete quarters in a town like Franklin, and said: "Many an association in towns twice as large as Franklin is not half as well equipped, and surely the citizens should appreciate it."

Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar.

Charles E. Hudson can accommodate three or four more pupils. Call for particulars at office of P. A. Woodward, Dana block, on Friday evenings, between 7 and 9.

A Waterman fountain pen makes a very useful Christmas present and one that would be appreciated by almost any one. A good assortment of these pens may be seen by applying to Charles L. Stewart, at Benj. Franklin Savings bank, or at Y. M. C. A. rooms.

Let us supply you with Christmas niceties from our bakery. Fairfield.

Fine china in odd pieces and handsome designs at Bachelor's.

Is Christ Divided?

On last Sabbath morning Dr. Sneath addressed his people upon Paul's question "Is Christ Divided?" found in 1 Cor. 1: 13. The church in Corinth was divided into factions and Paul pleads for unity. That unity has not yet come in the Christian church. We are not to strive so much for unity or uniformity as for nearness to Christ. The mother of St. Chas. Reid drew a circle with Christ at the centre and the different sects at the ends of radiating lines drawn from the centre to the circumference. The nearer the denominations come to Christ, the nearer will they come to one another.

The Christ is divided today with reference to His personality. There are a minority of the church who hold to His humanity alone. Jesus is only a man. God filled His life with Himself, but after all He is simply a man. "Judas and Jesus are both new." The great majority of Christendom believe that Jesus Christ is God. The deity of Christ is the undeniable teaching of the scriptures, philosophical criticism to the contrary notwithstanding.

The Christ is furthermore divided as to his authority. It is claimed by certain teachers that Jesus is authoritative in the realm of morals but not in that of thought. His teachings upon character and conduct are correct, but His "thoughts and convictions in regard to God and the sons and the future life are mere fallacies and illusions." Such a division is untenable, against the testimony of scripture and the experience of men. Christ's words concerning God, the future and its conditions are as sure as those concerning the present life.

Pleasure and Profit.

The Christmas bazaar under the enterprise of the Ladies' Circle of the Universalist church, which opened in Central Square hall yesterday, is a very pleasant affair. The hall is attractive and the various tables add to the general aspect the invitingness of grace and color. One table, we observe, was under the direction of the Junior Y. P. C. U.; another the Y. P. C. U. itself looked after. One booth displayed some very fine samples of lace work and a very beautiful late scarf was drawn last evening. Beautiful handkerchiefs were also on sale at the table.

At the fancy table, besides other articles of merit, is a very handsome afghan, which is being sold by a coperative plan and will be awarded tonight. Home-made confectionery of a most superior quality is dispensed at reasonable prices. The doll table appears to draw the attention of all, young and old alike. The domestic table shows ingenuity in discerning the wants of the public, and had some goods of such novelty and value that they went last evening like hot cakes, without any dyspeptic consequences.

A fine musical programme was rendered last evening, Messrs. Sherman and Hartshorne and Misses Adams and Proctor taking part, and Dr Hodge read James Whitcomb Riley's "Home Agin'" and a selection from "Eben Holden." The supper tables were all occupied at 6 30 and a substantial meal was served. This evening light refreshments only will be served and a different programme will be rendered.

An Interesting Occasion.

A large number of people attended the confirmation services in Christ Episcopal church, Medway, Wednesday evening, by Bishop Lawrence of Boston, assisted by the pastor of the church, Rev. Guy Miner, and also by the boys' choir of St. Andrew's chapel of Woonsocket. The procession, including the bishop, clergymen and the boy choir, was formed in the vestry, and marched down the main aisle to the pulpit, where a hymn was sung, followed by "The Gospel," by Rev. Guy Miner, followed by a prayer by the congregation. Next was the presentation of the eight persons to be confirmed. Two were from Franklin, three from Medfield and three from Medway. Next was the Lord's prayer, followed by a blessing of those to be confirmed by the bishop. Bishop Lawrence then congratulated the people on having a new parish house, which will soon be finished, and he showed the advantages of a parish house. The services concluded with a hymn by the congregation.

Christmas at Willoby's.

Watches and rings are our leader this season, all styles and prices. Then we have elegant silverware, flat ware for the table and Christmas trinkets.

W. A. Pond

Handles all kinds of rentable property, and will find you a tenant or tenement if you desire.

All kinds of festooning, laurel wreaths, holly wreaths and evergreen wreaths made to order for Christmas. Cut flowers, roses and violets in large or small quantities. Funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse, Central street.

Get some whipped cream pies and whipped cream cakes at Fairfield's bakery for Christmas.

Christmas cards, all kinds and prices, at Bachelor's news store.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

A Fine Show Tonight.

Concerning Culhane, Chace & Weston's minstrels, which show here this evening, an exchange says: "A large and enthusiastic audience greeted Culhane, Chace & Weston's minstrels last night, caused, no doubt, by the great street parade and the excellence of the band. It was the company's first appearance here and they captured the large audience from the start. The program is an innovation in the minstrel line, bright and snappy. The first part is profuse in good things in the way of comedy, singing and dancing. A strong olio made up of some strong novelty acts, the three St. Felix sisters deserving especial mention. It is one of the very best companies that have visited here this summer.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending December 19, 1900:

Ladies—Mrs. McCornerie.

Gentlemen—Edw. Champigny, Henry E. Griel, Wm. L. Mouile, Arthur J. Percell, Joseph Ploult, H. A. Smith.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

1901 calendars at Bachelor's.

For the Christmas Table.

Look into our show windows Saturday and Monday and see our live Belgian hares, the property of Frank Searle. They are just the thing now. We have secured a choice lot of birds for Christmas. Many who purchased of us Thanksgiving have also ordered again, but still there are others. Our selected turkeys and chicks range from 15 to 18 cents; we shall also have some fine geese. Our line of meats was selected especially for this occasion and includes the best of beef, lamb veal, pork, sausage, with vegetables, such as sweet potatoes, celery, lettuce, turnips, parsnips, parsley, table squash, etc., with canned soups of all flavors; creamery butter, fine cheese, etc., at Emerson's

Christmas Suggestions.

A Christmas gift should be a serviceable one. What can be given of more value than something dainty in the imported neckwear line? What about silk suspenders, initial silk handkerchiefs, an up to date collar, linen cuffs that will stand the laundry man?

Your husband would appreciate a nice smoking jacket, not too fine to wear about the house, and not too cheap looking, either. We have just the thing. Your son would find plenty of uses for a nice dress suit case, which are becoming absolute necessities. Our prices and styles are right. A mackintosh is always a useful thing to have, and is money well expended if you buy a good one. Those are just what we have.

Then the little boy. He may have sleds, skates, toys, candy, etc., but he's got to have clothing, and that's what we're here for. Our boys' line can't be beaten here or elsewhere, including reefers, overcoats and complete suits, at prices never before quoted here for the same quality of goods.

Why not surprise yourself by selecting a Christmas present for yourself from our stock. We were never so well prepared to give you your money's worth as this year. Good clothing bought right is an actual saving of money; cheap goods are the most expensive you can buy. We have solved the problem of giving you the best goods at about the price of cheap ones. Let us prove that.

Our store is filled from top to bottom with goods that will sell. You can look, even if you do not buy. Glance at our show windows and see if there is not something there you need. We shall be open every evening, and will give you every attention. Our store is the largest, carries the most complete stock, and for quality of goods we cannot be undersold by dealers here or in Providence.

C. E. LONGLEY & Co.
Depot Square, Woonsocket, R. I.

Bachelor is headquarters for stationery.

Our Christmas Menu.

We have carefully selected our turkeys for the holidays and can shade them a trifle over the Thanksgiving price, only 18c.; geese 18c., fowls and chicks 15 to 18c. Then we have premium lamb, home-dressed pork, home made sausage, fine heavy beef, Jersey sweet potatoes, squash, turnips, white and yellow; parsley, spinach, lettuce, Boston market celery, plain and sage cheese, choice pickles, best butter in town, five pounds for $1.35 and $1.55. Try our line of soups with your Christmas dinner; just the thing for an appetizer. Richardson, the marketman.

Toilet sets and pictures at Bachelor's.

A Christmas Gift.

What more serviceable gift can you make than a nice pair of ladies' or gent's fancy slippers? We have a fine line from 50 cents to $1.50.

Photograph Frames.

The nobbiest assortment in town, metal frames in all sizes and shapes, handsome hand-painted photo' holders, also plain ones for decorating. Frames from 7 1 2 upward. Mailing envelopes, 3 for 5c at

CALKIN'S STUDIO,
Depot St.

A Handsome Christmas Gift

for yourself. Thackeray's works in 20 vols, edition DeLuxe, half-morocco, beautifully illustrated, never used, leaves not cut, cost $4 per vol., will sell for half-price. Apply at SENTINEL office.

Mothers, bring your children to Ochee's barber shop for a winter hair cut. Short waits, good work.

Fine cutlery and pocket books for Christmas gifts at Bachelor's.

Dainty Charlotte Russe for Christmas at Fairfield's bakery.

Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with Sermon at the Baptist church at 3. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at 9; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at 10. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector

Young Men's Christian Association rooms in Morse block, opposite Opera house.—Sunday afternoon service at 4.15. Good speaker, good music. All men are invited.

Universalist church.—The pastor, Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., will preach at 10.30. Y. P. C. U. at 6. Morning subject, "The Final Harmony of All Souls With God." Sunday school concert at 5.

Baptist church.—At 10.30 preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper, Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5 45. Christmas Sunday school concert at 7. Morning subject, "Christ, the Wonderful."

Methodist church.—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. S. A. Cook. Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 3. Vesper service and general prayer meeting at 7, led by pastor; subject, "The Knowledge of Christ." Morning subject, "Forgetfulness Toward God."

Congregational church — Preaching at 10 30 by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D. Special Christmas services. Special offering for the education of young men for the gospel ministry. Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6, a Christmas meeting; theme, "The Glory of Christ." Annual Christmas concert at 7; music by the quartet, and the school; exercises by scholars and address by the pastor.

Woonsocket Opera House.

"The Village Parson," which appears Christmas afternoon and night, is not only a well told story, but a succession of impressive situations, which succeed in arousing the audience to great excitement. The resources of the scenic artists have been drawn upon to a great extent, and with success. The cast is strong. The incidents are deeply affecting, the simple yet absorbing theme of a woman's love, rendered supremest in adversity, touches a tender chord in the human heart. All complications are cleared up in the end in the orthodox fashion, and the virtuous are restored and the vicious punished. Seats go on sale Friday, Dec. 20

Culhane, Chase & Weston's Minstrels.

The above famous organization of thirty (all white) performers will make their first annual appearance at the Opera house tonight, presenting one of the largest and most expensive minstrel companies on the road, including W. H. Chace, Daley & Osborne, the Imperial Four, the Tossing Austins, LaVardo, Monroe & Daley, Bobby DeRue and 25 others. As a special feature for this season the famous three St. Felix sisters have been re-engaged and will be seen in one of the best black face singing and dancing acts now before the public. The entire company appear in black face, including the grand orchestra of 14 soloists. One of the finest street parades ever seen in this town was given by the company this morning.

Go to Bachelor's for crepe paper.

Don't Fail to See Us.

When out buying Christmas presents for your boy or girl don't overlook us. There will be snow this winter, and we have laid in a nice stock of sleds. Don't think skates won't be in demand. We can fit any boy or girl. A nice present is a pocket knife for the boy. We have all prices. We propose to assist you in making your children happy.

HOSIE BROS.

The choicest kinds of cakes for Christmas can be found at Fairfield's bakery.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

All kinds of stove wood and kindlings dry at Allen's wood yard.

Wanted—Girl to do general house work. Marston Sanborn.

To Let.—Rooms with or without board. Where? At the Franklin House. 7-tf

Furnished rooms to let. Apply to Mrs. L. A. Harris, West street. 21,25*

To Let—A small cottage house on Beaver street; rent $7 per month. Apply to G. E. Emerson. 18,21

House to let on Crescent street; all modern improvements. Inquire at office of Dr. G. A. Martin. 21 tf

For Rent— Cottage house of seven rooms on Crescent street; steam heat. Apply to J. F. Lesure. 14tf

Transient and regular patrons will find good service, clean and quick work at Ochee's barber shop, Opera house block.

To Let—Tenement of six rooms on Cottage street, $5 per month, new tenement. Apply at this office. 14tf

Wanted—A competent girl for general housework. Must be able to cook and launder well. Address SENTINEL office. 18tf

Canvassers.—We furnish outfit free and start any man who wants to work. Write today for terms. C. L. Yates, Rochester, N. Y. 21-8tF

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class. "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

Go to Fairfield's bakery for angel cake for Christmas.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1900

Little has been said, and probably as little thought, of the beneficent work done by the railroads in [illegible] and promoting the measures set on foot for the relief of stricken Galveston. Thousands of refugees from that city received free transportation to any part of the country, and immense quantities of supplies were rushed forward without charge. This ready response to the cry of human needs characterized all the great railway systems of the country, the express, telegraph and telephone companies. The cash value of the services thus rendered is as impossible to estimate as the amount of human suffering and misery they helped to alleviate.

A facetious paragraph-writer suggests that it will soon be necessary for some one to start a daily geography in order to keep up with the changes going on in the world. He might with as much justification have said that we need a daily history, or a daily text-book in natural philosophy, for the same reason. Events now move so rapidly that any book of information gets out of date much more quickly than at any other period in the world's history. For the present, however, it will be the daily lesson in geography rather than the daily geography that will chiefly concern the rising generation.

In an article on the closing century a writer in World's Work truly says: "Although it has been the century of the widest conquest, it has been the century also of the greatest toleration, of the keenest human sympathy the most active helpfulness, in an era of action and of freedom, man has become a brother to man as be never became in eras of meditation and authority. It has been the century of heroic fact finding, the century of the emancipation of thought from mystery and dogma, and of the yielding of precedent to experience."

Ex-Queen Liliuokalani recently gave evidence of graceful submission to the inevitable. It was the occasion of her sixty-second birthday, and a large number of natives had gathered at her home to pay their respects. As the band struck up "The Star Spangled Banner," the queen arose from her seat and remained standing during the playing, but when the Hawaiian national anthem was given she kept her seat. It was her way of showing the people that the national hymn of the United States must now be the recognized one of Hawaii.

According to a local report Judge Ferris, of Cincinnati, is dissatisfied with the present summary methods of converting aliens into adopted citizens. He says: "I'm going to make this ceremony more impressive. The mere act of swearing in these people makes no impression on them. I shall procure an American flag, and every male candidate for citizenship will have to kneel and kiss its folds. I want to make it one of the most important acts of their lives. I want them to tingle down to their toes when they hear our national airs."

The aggregate investments of the United States life insurance companies exceed $1,200,000,000. This would suffice to pay the national debt, and the debts of several states besides; but it is more pleasing, somehow, to think of the private burdens which, distributed widely and in comparatively small amounts, this great fund will remove. Uncle Sam is neither a widow nor an orphan.

The growth of grass that comes in a long, mild, moderately rainy autumn is said to be far more nutritious for cattle than the spring grass. It is richer.

Coated

Look at your tongue. Is it coated?

Then you have a bad taste in your mouth every morning. Your appetite is poor, and food distresses you. You have frequent headaches and are often dizzy. Your stomach is weak and your bowels are always constipated.

There's an old and reliable cure:

Ayer's Pills

Don't take a cathartic dose and then stop. Better take a laxative dose each night, just enough to cause one good free movement the day following.

You feel better the very next day. Your appetite returns, your dyspepsia is cured, your headaches pass away, your tongue clears up, your liver acts well, and your bowels no longer give you trouble.

Price, 25 cents. All druggists.

"I have taken Ayer's Pills for 35 years, and I consider them the best made. One pill does me more good than half a box of any other kind I have ever tried."

Mrs. N. F. TALPOT,
March 30, 1899. Arrington, Kans.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

Present Your Friends with Some Token of Your Love, However Small It May Be.

Once more the happy season of the year is at hand, when we begin to prepare gifts of love for Christmas. It is indeed a pleasing indication of the rapid spread of feelings of kindness and good will throughout the world that the preparation of beautiful articles for Christmas gifts affects the industries of all civilized nations. The choice of articles for Christmas gifts is a perplexing pleasure. According to Emerson, articles of beauty rather than of use are appropriate for gifts. In giving we have to avoid, on the one hand, the imposing of a sense of obligation, and, on the other, of making the discharge of a just obligation the occasion for assuming to ourselves the role of benefactor. The donation party given at Christmas to the faithful pastor whose past due salary is unpaid is only an unfair method of making him appear the recipient of a favor, while his just claims are disregarded. Nor can we refrain from suggesting to the husband and father: Do not make a Christmas gift to your wife of a new carpet or a pair of shoes or a cooking stove, for she needs and has a right to these things anyway. Your little boy needs a new schoolbook for the next session of school, but he would probably experience a sense of wrong which it would be difficult for him to explain if he should find it in his stocking on Christmas morning. And we may suggest as an idea wholly foreign to Emerson that if the husband and father has from negligence or penuriousness failed to provide his wife with a good supply of dry, well-cut wood or fuel for the kitchen stove, or the needed quantity of winter flannels, it would be equally inappropriate for him to present her with a pair of big pink glass flower vases or some similar article, the price of which might have added vastly to her comfort had the money been placed for spending in her own hands.

Gifts for children depend but little on their value for the pleasure they shall give. A houseful of children can be made entirely happy by a quarter's worth of mixed candy placed in their stockings, each piece of candy being wrapped in a separate paper, thus multiplying the number of gifts. It is very important, however, that the gifts be put in their stockings. The sweet illusion adds a priceless value to the veriest trifles.

And so we feel like saying to ourselves and to our readers: Let us prepare for a merry happy Christmas; let us forget for a little while all the environments of our lives that are sad and depressing; let us think of the treasures we possess that "man did not make and cannot mar;" let us give tokens of love to our friends though it should be only a geranium leaf or a rosy cheeked apple. Let us celebrate Christmas. The yoke loosened and laid aside for a little will give rest and strength to the shoulders; the affection of the heart called into play and indulged will give strength to our soul; and both will fit us for a better performance of the duties and work appointed for us in the coming New Year.—Chicago Interior.

Among the Silent Heroes.

Many a married man is a silent hero.—Chicago Daily News.

SOME CHRISTMAS GIFTS

By Elisa Armstrong

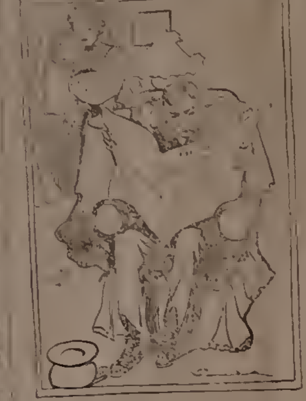
"WHEN you give a Christmas p[illegible] [illegible] there is everything in [illegible] [illegible] suitable," remarked Mrs. Wilder. You agree with me in that, don't you, Tom?"

"M'hm," replied Mr. Wilder, who had been married 20 years. He did not for an instant detach his mind from his paper, as he gave this positive assurance.

"Yes, indeed, when I go selecting Christmas presents I put my whole mind upon it. No haphazard, [illegible] promiscuous buying for me! I select something which is sure to please the recipient, because [illegible] something which she really wants. Now there is Laura, she is near-sighted, you know, and I bought her a lovely [illegible] opera glasses. She will be so pleased with them that she will send me something [illegible] expensive in return."

"M'hm," replied Mr. Wilder, without looking up from his paper.

"I thought you would agree with me [illegible] Suzanne. I have sent her a [illegible] kitchen aprons, with pockets [illegible] [illegible] the heart [illegible] house[illegible]. As for Effie, I have, after [illegible]



"I DON'T BELIEVE YOU HAVE HEARD A SINGLE WORD."

thought, selected her a beautiful umbrella with a handle which will exactly suit her taste. I shall expect something very nice from both of them, if only in return for my thoughtfulness."

"M'hm," replied Mr. Wilder, as he turned a page.

"Yes, and then there is Helen. I thought a great deal over her present. As she is a settled old maid and lives alone, it was hard to find something sure to please her. Finally I thought of a cat and got her a lovely Angora; wasn't it thoughtful of me? Of course, she will never marry and a cat is almost as good as a man about the house. [illegible] them are difficult to please about [illegible] and so hard to keep in the house [illegible]!"

"M'hm," replied Mr. Wilder, as he ran his eye down a column.

"Yes, and I sent them all out by a messenger [illegible] hour [illegible]. Here he comes back w[illegible] great trade, I know, because [illegible] was suitable. Oh, Tom, listen!

"'Dear Maria: Thank you so much for the lovely opera glasses you so thoughtfully sent me. They will no doubt be exceedingly useful when we no longer live in a suburb which is inaccessible after ten p. m.

"'LAURA.'

"Well, that is merely an accident, and the rest of my presents are so suitable that—oh, Tom!"

"'Dear Aunt: It was lovely of you to send me those beautiful kitchen aprons. They are the admiration of every woman in the boarding house where I live.

"'SUZANNE.'

"Oh, dear, I quite forgot that she is boarding; but the rest—Tom!

"'Dear Maria: It was very kind of you to send me such a lovely umbrella. I shall no doubt find it extremely useful as a rainy day companion when I have sufficiently recovered from the rheumatism to venture out when there is a cloud in the sky.

"'EFFIE.'

"Oh, my goodness, but there is Helen left. Surely her present—listen:

"'My Dear Maria: I appreciate your kindness in sending me such a lovely cat, but as I am about to marry a widower with seven children I fear that I shall not very well know what to do with it. Yours, lovingly,

"'HELEN.'

"Oh, Tom, isn't it aw—look here, Tom Wilder, I don't believe you have heard a single word of what I have been saying!"

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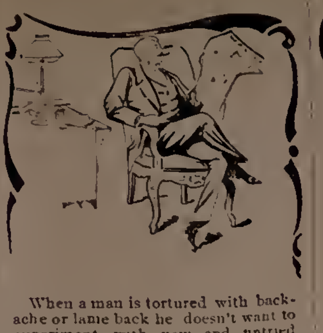

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Oh, bells that chime your sweetest!
  Oh, world of glistening white!
Oh, breezes blithely bringing
  A message of delight!
From leafless hill and valley
  But one refrain I hear:
"A merry, merry Christmas
  And a glad New Year!"

From humble home and palace
  The kindly voice is breathed,
From forest arch and pillar,
  And meadows snowy wreathed,
An echo from the angels,
  A pæan of good cheer,
Hark! "Merry, merry Christmas
  And a glad New Year!"

Oh, light of heavenly gladness
  That falls upon the earth!
Oh rapture of thanksgiving
  That tells the Saviour's birth!
The golden links of kindness
  Bring heart to heart more near,
With "a merry, merry Christmas
  And a glad New Year!"
—George Cooper, in Golden Days.

A Christmas Mamma

By M. B. Bell.

It was one of those dreary afternoons in November. The rain had fallen steadily all day, and Roland and Esther Grahm, two motherless little children, were curled up on the rug in front of the library fire, looking at the picture book.

Their nurse, who was a kind-hearted woman, had frequently explained the stories in the book to them. And now, with their little heads bent down over the page, they were looking at the picture of two little girls in bed, while a woman with a gentle, motherly face, was tucking them in. Nurse had told the children a long story about this picture, what dear little ones they were, and how loving and kind their mother was to them.

"I wish we had a mother to tuck us in and talk to us when the rainy days come, and we can't go out," said Roland, sitting up straight and pushing the book away from him wearily.

"I'm tired looking at picture mothers. Christmas is soon coming, and I'm going to pray and ask God to send us a real mother, what we can talk to. Then, oh! maybe papa will buy us a mother if we give him the money."

"I'se got no money," said little Esther. "I spent it all for Mary Jane, and now she's broke and you'll have all the new mamma and Essie'll be so lonesome," and the little girl began to cry.

"Oh, Essie, what you crying for? I haven't any more money than you have, but I thought God wouldn't care if this year we bought a mamma with our Christmas money, 'cause we's just as poor without a mamma as those poor children."

Mr. Grahm was a little later than usual that evening, and somehow forgot to send for the little ones; but sat before the fire thinking of Dora Lynhurst, a little girl he had known in his boyhood, and to whom he had once been engaged, but a misunderstanding had separated them, and he had afterward married a slight, delicate girl, who, dying the third year after their marriage, had left him with the care of their two children.

That morning an old friend had told him that Dora, who had never married, but had been abroad several years, had at last returned, and he felt an intense desire to see her again. It was with a strong feeling of self-reproach that he sprang from his chair when he heard the little ones at the door, and with more than his usual warmth he greeted them, for they were very dear to him.

Mr. Grahm saw at once that something was on their little minds. "What is it, Roland?" he asked, drawing the little fellow to him. "You and Esther look as though you had something to ask me."

"Yes, papa, we want you to please buy us a mamma for Christmas."

"Why, isn't your father enough, little chicks?"

"Oh! yes, papa, but Essie and I thought, if instead of putting our money in the envelopes this year we gave it to you, you might buy us a mother to tuck us in bed at night and talk to us when you are out."

"'Cause we're dreadful lonesome at times," chimed in Esther.

The tears came to the father's eyes in spite of himself at his children's strange request, and he thought if Dora had grown to be as sweet a woman as she bade fair to be she would be the very mother these little children so earnestly longed for.

"Here's the money," said Esther, pressing up closely against her father and putting the coins into his hand. "If you have any more you can just give them to the poor children."

Mr. Grahm could not repress the smile that came to his lips at the children's idea of the value of a few pennies they had saved. "Well, little ones, you run off to bed now, and after supper I will go out and try to find her."

Mr. Grahm must have found it rather difficult to find the mother. At any rate, it took him out very often, and finally he told the children that if they wanted a mother he would have to go away for a few days. The children consented reluctantly, "because it would be more lonesome than ever without papa, and mothers seemed dreadful hard things to buy," Roland confided to Esther.

"Papa will not be away so long, after all," Roland cried with delight when on arising the day before Christmas he found a telegram from papa announcing that he and mamma would be home that evening at seven o'clock. For Dora had refused to be away longer, saying that "if she was to be a Christmas present she must be home in time."

Seven o'clock came, but the train was delayed, and it was past ten before Mr. Grahm and his wife reached home. Opening the door quietly, so as not to arouse the servants, who had given up looking for their master until the morrow, Mr. Grahm stepped into the library, where the light had been left burning. Going over to the fire, in front of which stood a large chair, he stopped in surprise, and a look of tenderness came into his eyes.

"Dora, look, they have waited for their mamma," he said to his wife, who had followed him, and now stood looking down on the two little children in their night robes, curled up in the chair with their arms around one another, fast asleep. They had been put to bed, but, feeling that if papa said he would come he would surely be there, they had slipped out of bed and down into the library, where they had waited until exhausted. Then, settling themselves in the chair, they had told one another they would just shut their eyes to rest them, but they would be sure not to go to sleep.

"Poor little darlings!" Dora exclaimed, leaning down over them, while her eyes filled with tears. "You shall never be lonely again if I can prevent it." Gathering the little girl up in her arms, Dora followed her husband, who had taken the boy, upstairs, and placing the child on the bed tucked her carefully in, then kissing the little one good night she went over to the boy's bed. "What a splendid looking child," she said, "so like my husband. Good night, my little man," she whispered, kissing the childish lips. Then, turning to her husband, she said: "God grant that your choice of a mother for your little ones be not in vain." And had you seen the look of happiness on the children's faces as they took their places in church the next morning, between their parents, you would say it had not been in vain.—The Evangelist.

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Chiefly Ornamental.

De Jones—Is there a clock in your church?

Sleepleigh—Yes; but it isn't of much use; it hasn't any alarm.—Smart Set.

In Sunday School.

Teacher—Now, Ernest, who is it that hears everything you say and sees everything you do?

Ernest—The lady next door, sir.—Brooklyn Life.

Not Henpecked.

Mrs. Fullerton—Will you be home early to-night?

Fullerton—Well, in case I'm not, I'll see you later.—Chicago Daily News.

An Unjust Accusation.

"Tom, you are terribly lazy."

"No, I'm not lazy at all; I simply don't like to work."—Chicago Record.

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Appearances Against It.

Bobby—Ma says Santa Claus will visit us to-night.

Edith—I don't b'leeve it! Ma wouldn't be going round in that old dress if she 'spected any visitors!—Puck.

A Woman's Awful Peril.

"There is only one chance to save your life and that is through an operation," were the startling words heard by Mrs. I. B. Hunt of Lime Ridge, Wis., from her doctor after he had vainly tried to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. Gall stones had formed and she constantly grew worse. Then she began to use Electric Bitters, which wholly cured her. It's a wonderful stomach, liver and kidney remedy. Cures dyspepsia, loss of appetite. Try it. Only 50 cts. Guaranteed. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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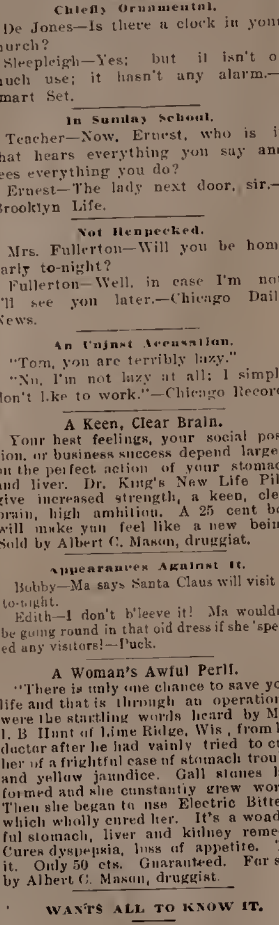

Little Boy (who has received a watch for Christmas): Say, mister, would you like to know what time it is?—Fliegende Blätter.

What's a Man to Do?

"Confidentially," said the undertaker's wife, "Mr. Smith hasn't paid the bill for his wife's funeral yet."

"Isn't that scandalous?" exclaimed Mrs. Gabble. "I should think he'd be ashamed to let people see how little he thought of his wife."

"Yes, and his brother John, when his wife was buried, paid the very next day."

"Huh! Looked as if he was glad to get rid of her, didn't it?"—N. Y. World.

Retort Courteous.

"Really—er—" stammered the gossip, who had been caught red-handed. "I'm afraid you overheard what I said about you. Perhaps—er—I was a bit too severe—"

"Oh, no," replied the other woman, "you weren't nearly as severe as you would have been if you knew what I think of you."—Philadelphia Press.

MISTLETOE MAGIC

By Frank B. Welch.

UNDER the mistletoe branch at play
  In years long gone, on a Christmas
    day,
  A lad and lassie, with stolen kiss,
Imbibed the sweets of ecstatic bliss.

Later in life when
  the years had
    flown
And youth and maiden had wiser
    grown
Again they met on
  a Christmas day
But not as children, in careless way.

Mistletoe hung in the chandelier,
Mischievous eyes were in hiding near,
Watching the lassies who danced about—
And kisses were captured with laugh and
    shout

Into the frolic a
  baby strayed,
Toddling about, not
  at all afraid,
And, as it happened,
  the tiny tot
Paused right upon
  the mistletoe spot.

Forth to the rescue a maiden came,
Seizing the wee one a kiss to claim,
And for a moment she lingered there
Holding the babe to her cheek so fair

Then to her side
  with a bound
  there came
A laughing youth,
  with his face
  aflame
On her lips an eager
  kiss he pressed,
And maid and babe with his arms caressed.

'Twas lad and lass of the bygone day
Who long had loved in a bashful way,
And there was renewed their childhood's
    truth
With looks that spoke from the hearts of
    both.

The Plumber's Portion.

Mr. Hardhit—Well, the worst has come at last—I've decided to mortgage our little home.

The Wife—Oh, John, you don't mean—

Mr. Hardhit—I only mean that the plumber sent me his bill this morning.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

A Great Saving.

Fair Customer—Are you sure this sticky paper will catch flies?

Dealer—Yes, indeed, mum. I sold half a dozen sheets to a boarding house keeper yesterday, and in two hours she caught enough for a huckleberry pie.—N. Y. Weekly.

The best that money can buy should be your aim in choosing a medicine, and this is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cures when others fail.

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The Worm Turned.

Mrs. Cobwigger—While it's true that women wear men's neckties, you surely couldn't expect me to appear in public in such a monstrosity as this. Where in the world did you ever get such a tie?

Cobwigger—My dear, that's the one you bought for me last Christmas.—Judge.

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JANUARY 4th, 1901,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the cost and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

Warren C. Mann or Owner—About one quarter acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the south side of Milford street, in the westerly part of Medway, bounded on the north by Milford street, east by land of Charles E. Stratton, west by land of Susan F. and Jennie F. Adams, south by land of estate of Albion Wight; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described. Tax assessed, $30.65.

George S. Ryan—About one-quarter acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the north side of Village street, in the easterly part of Medway, bounded on the north by Village street, east by land of John Mead, south by Village street, west by School street, north by land of Joel Crooks; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described. Tax assessed, $67.20.

Mrs. Joanna Fields or Owner—About one acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the east side of Barber street, in the easterly part of Medway, bounded on the north by North street east by land of town of Medway, west by Barber street, south by land of Mary Kelley; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described. Tax assessed, $27.30.

William Ball or Owner—About two and one-half acres of land situated in Kenney section and designated as lots 40, 41, 42, in land section, situated on the south side of Village street, in the southerly part of Medway, bounded on the north by Village street, west by land of E. C. Wilson, east by land of Mrs. Mary Nealon and Frances Karnes, south by Charles river; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described. Tax assessed, $6.30.

Charles A. McGinnis or Owner—About nine and one-half acres of land, known as the Kenney section, situated in the southerly part of Medway, and bounded on the north by Village street, west by land of E. C. Wilson, east by land of Mrs. Mary Nealon and by land of Frances Karnes, south by Charles river; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described. Tax assessed, $12.81.

GEO. F. MADDEN
Collector of Taxes for 1899.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next-of-kin, creditors and all other persons interested in the estate of Joseph G. Hills, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased, intestate:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Frank S. Hills of Franklin without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the second day of January, A. D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esq., Judge of said Court, this third day of December, A. D. 1900.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

NORFOLK, ss.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of Cyrille Lechir, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased:

Whereas, Parmelie Lechir, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court her petition for license to sell at private sale, in accordance with the offer named in said petition, or upon such terms as may be adjudged best, the whole of two certain parcels of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration, and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Dedham, in said county of Norfolk, on the 2d day of January, A.D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Franklin Sentinel, a newspaper published in Franklin, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, James H. Flint, Esquire, Judge of said court, this fifth day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred.

JONATHAN COBB, Register.

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Business Announcements in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL are invariably read.

New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad

AND CONNECTIONS.—

EASTERN DISTRICT.

OCTOBER 21, 1900.

PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE. (DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAYS, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.)

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

BOSTON—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 16, 11 41 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex.) 6 05, 9 38 p m; Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, 8 30 a m; 12 04, 3 39, 4 34, 5 19, 6 22, 6 57, 8 17, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 19 a m, 5 19, 7 10 p m.

BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 46, 4 13, 5 13, 6 01, 7 13 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 6 05, 9 33 p m. S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 22, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m. S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 6 05 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m; f12 58, 5 25, 6 14, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 35 a m, 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

NEW YORK, all rail—9 15 a m; 4 25 p m. Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

New York, via Norwich Line, 7 45 p m. Return New Pier 36, North River, 6 00 p m.

Providence Extension.

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

PROVIDENCE—7 03, 9 03 a m, 1 05, 4 49, 7.03 p m. Return, 6 04, 8 10, 12 04 a. m, 3 35, 6 06 p m.

MILFORD BRANCH.

Trains leave Franklin for

MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 33, 6 55 p m; S 6 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.

ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

M., A. & W. STRET RAILWAY TIME-TABLE.

(In effect Oct. 22.)

FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6 10, 6 45 a.m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10.15 p. m. Last cars to car barn at 10 45 and 11.15 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m., connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket. Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.15 a. m., and then on hour and half hour till 10.38 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham Four Corners for Caryville every hour from 6 to 9 a. m., 12 m. to 2 p. m., 4 to 9 p. m., returning on the half hour. Cars leaving Franklin at 6.45, 7 45, 11.45 a. m. and 12.45, 3 45, 4 45, 5.45, 6 45 and 7.45 p. m. connect at Bellingham Four Corners with cars for Caryville.

FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave 6.00, 7 30, 8.15 a. m.; hourly to 6.15 p. m.; 8.15, 10 15 p. m. Return, 6 40, 8.15 a. m.; hourly till 7.15 p. m., 9.15, 11.15 p. m.

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PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
Office No. 2 Dean avenue. Hours 8 to 9 a. m 1 to 2, 7 to 8 p. m. 12-tt

DR. J. CUSHING GALLISON.
No. 2 Dean avenue, Franklin.
Office Hours: From 2 to 3 p. m., and by appointment.
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Painless Removal of Corns, Bunions and Ingrowing Nails.
Office hours from 9 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 p. m.
Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday of each week.
9 MAPLE ST.—Near brick schoolhouse.
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MEDWAY, MASS.
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Clerk and Treasurer, W. H. Upton.
Committee of Investment—M. M. Fisher, W. H. Cary, Sumner Robbins, S. G. Clark, W. P. Clark, G. R. Drake, W. L. Palmer.
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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of William Mann, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

WILLARD EVERETT, Executor.

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 13, 1900. de14,21,28

The Night Before Christmas

Santa Claus is sure to make us a visit and fill his sack with a selection of fine toilet articles when he sees the superb stock that we have laid out for the inspection of those who wish to choose Xmas gifts from our silver toilet articles, manicure sets, fine perfumes and articles too numerous to mention. Choose gifts from our exquisite stock and it will save you time and money.

A. G. DANA & SON. Pharmacy.

DANA BLOCK, FRANKLIN.

OF CURRENT INTEREST.

Probably 10,[illegible] people lost kindred in the Texas calamity.

One of the new things in the jewelry line this season is the introduction of delicately-carved ivory into the bits of filigree work with which women delight to adorn their costumes.

The prevailing gray hat has come to be accepted as the invariable symbol of the autumn and has maintained its popularity for a surprisingly long time in New York, where fashions change so rapidly.

During the Galveston storm two women were carried out into the gulf where they spent Saturday night. Not till the next morning did the tide bring them back to where the rescuing parties could reach them.

The truant officer of West Newton, Mass., whose duty it is to apprehend children of school age who absent themselves from their class rooms without an excuse, is rejoicing because the golf season has opened at the well-known [illegible] Brae-Burn course. It seems that about 150 players congregate there daily, and almost as many schoolboys gather about the clubhouse in search of employment as caddies. Instead of going from house to house in pursuit of truants the truant officer is now enabled to swoop in nearly all the delinquents at one fell swoop by a daily visit to the golf links.

OF INTEREST TO FARMERS.

The fruit crop in Switzerland is the best that has been known for the last 30 years. For want of pickers most of the cherries were left to rot on the trees.

One Dose

Tells the story. When your head aches, and you feel bilious, constipated, and out of tune, with your stomach sour and no appetite, just buy a package of

Hood's Pills

And take a dose, from 1 to 4 pills. You will be surprised at how easily they will do their work, cure your headache and biliousness, rouse the liver and make you feel happy again. 25 cents. Sold by all medicine dealers.

SHOWN IN THE SHOPS.

(From the Dry Goods Economist, New York.)

Pompons made of cock's feathers.

Sealskin purses and pocket books.

Umbrellas with handles of Dresden china splashed with gold.

Sash and belt clasps in finely cut steel and gilt; also in old [illegible].

Taffeta silks of very fine quality in Japanese designs which are very odd.

Buttons in gilt metal and imitation jewels made in star and diamond shapes.

Umbrellas in plain taffeta silks, with mother-of-pearl handles trimmed with silver.

Children's coats made of smooth-faced goods, with three small capes and Pingat sleeve.

Belt buckles of fine gilt metal, with raised figures of eagles on each side and the bust of Napoleon in the center.

Ladies' hosiery in fine lisle thread embroidered on the instep with bouquet of red carnations tied with blue love-knots.

Felt hats with a band of gold braid around the crown, braid of same width edging the flaring velvet bows placed in front.

Bric-a-brac of cameo ware on a surface of sage green, which gives a most pleasing effect, making the cameo stand out in bold relief.

Waists, in combination with bolero, of cotton flannel, trimmed with 1½ inch bands of taffeta silk in color to correspond with the dot, and stitched tailor fashion.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

No Wonder.

Admiring Mamma—I don't think you have quite caught the expression of Evangeline's nose.

Artist—Madam, Raphael couldn't do better than that.

Admiring Mamma—Why not?

"Because, madam, Raphael is dead."—N. Y. World.

Plant Migration.

Plants, like animals, are continually wandering to fresh fields and pastures new. Prof. Kellerman finds that of the present flora of Ohio no less than 43[illegible] are immigrants. Almost all are from Europe.

Where Case Goods of Golden Oak and Mahogany

are finished best and built of best selected stock at best prices on easy terms—that would seem to be the best place to settle down to buying. Samples of a few are in our sunny southern window. The ones are complete within and the store is warm. Welcome everybody.

CHINA CLOSETS. Grand, square and three-cornered for one corner. Prices from $14.00 to $30.00.

LADIES' DRESSERS, $9.00, $12.00, $18.00. Nothing so flattering.

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Whatever comes from Cook & Co.'s is finished to please.

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Multitudes of Gift Things

Dainty and refined suggestions for Men, Women and Children.

The whole store thrills with the spirit of Christmas and is displaying varied suggestions to meet the wish of giver and recipient.

Marston Sanborn,

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Agent for New Idea Patterns, 10c.
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A COLUMN OF FIGURES.

During the last 2[illegible] years the American people have imported $[illegible] worth of precious stones.

In the [illegible] at the Paris exposition [illegible] are used [illegible] a remarkable effect.

A salmon famine is promised this season, according to reports from the Pacific coast. The [illegible] is conservatively estimated, as being 1[illegible] cases short, and the shortage will not be materially reduced if Alaska reaches [illegible].

The most extensive [illegible] in Pennsylvania has [illegible] the Girard estate near [illegible]. About 2[illegible] acres were set [illegible] 1891 to be treated under the methods of forestry. The trees used are white pine, Scotch pine, European larch and white oak. The cost of planting [illegible] from $[illegible] an acre for the pines to $75 for the oaks.

Five pictures brought over $25,[illegible] apiece in the last London season. Romney's portrait of Charles Perse was sold for $[illegible], Hobbema's "Water Mill" for $[illegible], Millais' "The Boyhood of Raleigh," bought for the Tate gallery, for $27,[illegible], and the two Van Dyck portraits from the Peel collection, which sold for $121,25[illegible]. Four portraits of the Arundel family, by Sir Joshua Reynolds, were sold in one lot for $57,750.

The Scrubbing Brush in Cuba.

The marble work over the entrance to the governor's palace has been undergoing a thorough cleaning lately. Dirt has been removed that had accumulated for perhaps a hundred years, and the result is that it has proved to be composed of the very finest marble known—alabaster. The cleaning has helped the looks of the entrance wonderfully.—Havana Post.

Every Movement Hurts

When you have rheumatism. Muscles feel stiff and sore and joints are painful. It does not pay to suffer long from this disease when it may be cured so promptly and perfectly by Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine goes right to the spot, neutralizes the acidity of the blood, which causes rheumatism, and puts an end to the pain and stiffness.

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"Christmas shopping isn't like other shopping," confided Mr. Gazzam to Mr. Tenspot.

"What is different about it?"

"When the women go Christmas shopping they actually buy things."—Town Topics.

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Our store is full of bargains. Nearly 200 pianos to choose from. Square pianos for practising purposes, $50, $75, $100 and upwards. $3 monthly payments. New uprights in pretty casings. Antique mahogany, $200, $225, $250 and upwards. Rented till paid for. Latest models of the famous Ivers & Pond Piano in endless variety, $350 and upwards. Our monthly list of bargains mailed upon application. Open evenings till Christmas.

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Thursday, Dec. 27—Matinee and night, Stetson's UNCLE TOM'S CABIN. Matinees, 10, 20 and 30c. Night, 25, 35 and 50c.

Saturday, Dec. 20—Matinee and night, A MAN FROM MEXICO. Matinee, 10, 20 and 30c. Night, 25, 50 and 75c.

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Your Christmas dinner will not be complete without a bottle of...

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It costs only two cents a single bottle at your door, so give it a trial for Xmas day. Remember, it prevents typhoid, scarlet and malarial fevers to a great extent by liberally using

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When you are shopping and wonder what to buy just step into MASON'S and he will help you select just the thing you want.

POCKETBOOKS, PURSES, FANCY BOXED STATIONERY, ATOMIZERS, COMB and BRUSH, TOILET, SHAVING and MANICURE SETS, PALMER & WRIGHT'S PERFUMES, POCKET KNIVES, COLLAR and CUFF BOXES, Etc., Etc.

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"As low as good goods can be sold for."

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Men's Heavy Canvas Coats, blanket lined, $1.50, 2.00, 2.50.

Men's Heavy Canvas Coats, wool ined, $3.00, 4.00 and 5.00.

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Jog Along Clothing Co.

COME AND LOOK

and get the best for Christmas. For the right gifts at the right prices and plenty to choose from see our

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and go to housekeeping? Take solid comfort in a home of your own? Be "monarch of all you survey?" Maybe you haven't the money. You don't need the cash. We are ready to furnish your home from top to bottom for a little cash weekly. See

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$10 worth— $1.00 down, 50c. a week.
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TUESDAY, FEB. 19—The Lyceum Stars of Boston, with Curtis Morse, impersonator.

TUESDAY, MARCH 10—The Imperial Hand Bell Ringers and their carillon of 110 bells.

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Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Roswell P. Ross to the Medway Savings Bank, dated November 19th, 1896, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, libro 773, fol. 365, for breach of the conditions thereof and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on

SATURDAY, the TWENTY-NINTH day of DECEMBER, 1900,

at two o'clock p. m., all and singular the following described property:

A certain parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situate on Norfolk avenue, so called, in West Medway, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the centre of said avenue and seventy three and five tenths (73.5) feet from the G. A. R. Block lot, and running easterly on land of Eliakim H. Ross one hundred fifty-six and nine-tenths feet to land of William M. Holmes; thence northeasterly on said Holmes land and land of W. H. Carey seventy-seven feet to other land of said Eliakim H. Ross; thence northwesterly one hundred sixty and eight-tenths feet on last land of said Eliakim H. Ross to the centre of said avenue; thence S. 16 degrees 30 minutes west, seventy-three and nine-tenths feet to the point of departure; said lot containing about 10,440 square feet.

Terms at sale.

MEDWAY SAVINGS BANK,
By its Treasurer, W. H. Upton, Mortgagee.
Medway, Mass., Dec. 4, 1900.

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If you want to buy or sell anything, have lost anything, or wish to make any fact known, advertise in the cent-a-word column in the SENTINEL. Good results always follow.

Hattie M Fisher
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FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
"	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.

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FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

We publish a day earlier on account of the holiday.

Dr. Randall's family are at Pittsfield for Christmas.

O. S. Stetson, Jr., is home from Dartmouth for the holidays.

Fred V. Hussey is home from New York for the holidays.

James Hood and Dean Chilson are home from Tufts college.

Capt. E. E. Paine and family have gone to Wellfleet for Christmas.

Frank Moore of West street spent Sunday with relatives in Worcester.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Crowley will spend Christmas at Dartmouth, N. H.

Miss Grace Whiting is enjoying the holidays at her home in Worcester.

The mothers' section will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. B. M. Rockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blake are home from South Framingham for Christmas.

E. C. Craig is spending his Christmas holidays at home freed from educational cares.

Miss Maggie J. Nevins of Union street went to her home in Lawrence Saturday to remain until Wednesday.

Mrs. Emma DeWar and daughter of Unionville are spending the holidays with her parents at Amherst.

Miss Mary Nelson of Arlington street, who teaches school at Mechanicsville, Conn., is home for the holidays.

Culhane, Chase & Weston's minstrels appeared to a fair house on Friday evening, giving a very meritorious show.

There will be "A Breezy Time" in Franklin January 4, when Fritz & Webster will appear at the Opera house.

The Belgian hares in Emerson's window have been attracting a good deal of attention, many never having seen the breed before.

The annual election of officers of Norfolk lodge No. 257, N. E. O. P., will take place Wednesday evening, Dec. 26. All members should be present.

A. M. Thayer of this place, William J. Whiting of New York and A. C. Messler of Pawtucket were last week elected directors of the Henson Creek lead mines.

F. E. Dudley and his men go to Medway next week to put the roof on the parish house of the Medway Episcopal society and perhaps complete the interior.

The Methodist church will hold its annual Christmas concert and tree at the church tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock, and the little ones are waiting with eager anticipation.

Those who desire to secure course tickets to the three remaining entertainments at the Congregational church can do so by applying at Mr. Nye's and paying 75 cents, thus effecting a saving of 30 cents.

Coal gas in the schoolrooms of the Thayer schoolhouse is an unsettled problem, and an effort will be made during the vacation to make temporary repairs to the furnaces so they can be used until spring.

Citizens of Massachusetts who desire pure politics will feel somewhat encouraged by the action of the courts in the illegal naturalization cases at Boston. As a result the seat of one member of the legislature is vacant.

Evangelistic services will be commenced at the Methodist church on Wednesday evening of this week by the pastor of the church, Rev Mr Cook, assisted by Rev. J. M. Newton of Louisville, Ky., and will be continued a number of weeks.

R. B. Stewart and J. D. Hatch have just turned out a fine four horse team for E. S. Cook. Mr. Cook, by the way, has purchased the wood upon the "Long hill," in the Baker pasture, in the rear of "Villa Gallison," and is going to cut it off this winter.

The hearing on the Stain and Cromwell petition for pardon from the Maine state prison is occupying large space in the newspapers this week, and as several of the witnesses are from this vicinity and Stain was arrested here, the case is exciting interest in town.

The Congregational Sunday school will enjoy its annual Christmas tree at the church on Tuesday evening. The younger members of the school will assemble for the presents and refreshments at 6 o'clock and the older ones at 7, when an entertainment will be enjoyed.

No special business was transacted at the meeting of the selectmen Friday evening. Road matters were discussed and several complaints heard. The chairman, Dr. J. C. Gallison, is not yet able to be out, and the business in hand was attended to by Messrs. Clark and McCarthy.

Joseph Bourbeau, overseer in the finishing room, and Fred Ahrens, overseer in the weave room, each received substantial gifts from the employees in these two departments at Hayward's mill on Saturday, Mr. Bourbeau being presented with a couch and picture of St. Cecelia, while Mr. Ahrens received a Morris chair and meerschaum pipe.

A number of the local lodge attended the commemoration of forefathers' day, under the auspices of the United Order of Pilgrim Fathers, held in Mechanics' building, Boston, last Thursday evening, with an address by Lieut. Gov. Bates and other men of prominence in the state. There was a large attendance and the exercises were very interesting.

The entire community was saddened with the afflicted parents when the announcement was made on Saturday morning that Eleanor Waite Nye, daughter of ~~Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Nye, had~~ passed away during the night. She was seven years five months and fifteen days old The funeral was held on Monday afternoon at the house, Rev. Dr. Hodge officiating.

At St. Mary's chapel Christmas day masses will be celebrated at 9 and 10.45 a. m., and in the evening musical vespers will be sung. At the high mass at 11.45 Battman's mass in F will be rendered by the choir, with a chorus of twenty voices. The soloists will be Miss Florence Cody, soprano; Miss Elizabeth Pendergast, alto; George LaPoint, bass. The music will be under the direction of Miss Louisa Fiorana, the organist.

Pupils in the ninth grade neither absent nor tardy during the term: Elliot Barrett, Alice Boyles, Myrtie Cook, Sadie Conroy, Nellie Fitzgerald, Horace Fuller, Frank Laycock, George Nixon, Una Pond, Eva Stocker, Ada Trask. Rank of pupils in same school: Nos. 1, Eva Stocker, Mildred Daniels; Nos. 2, Ada Trask, Sadie Conroy; No. 3, Frank Laycock, Nos. 4, Una Pond, E. Gertrude Rockwood; No. 5, Mamie Sheahan.

It is easy to laugh at the poets and transcendentalists, but who can analyse all this Christmas atmosphere and feeling, the divine and human elements of charity, and out of it all the most solid and practical benefits to the needy, and the heavenly consciousness that all are not hard hearted misers or Uriah Heeps, but that the majority, after all, have received something of unselfish life from that life which was truly good.—Ex.

Mrs. Sarah Connor, wife of Anthony Connor, passed away at her late home on School street Sunday afternoon at 1.30, following a prolonged illness. Mrs. Connor, who was 55 years of age, has resided here the greater part of her life, and was beloved by a large circle of friends. Her husband, one daughter, Alice, and two sons, Charles and Albert, survive her. The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon from her late residence, Rev. Dr. Hodge officiating.

St. Mary's school closed Friday for the Christmas holidays. The Sisters had prepared special exercises and Santa Claus distributed candy and nuts to the little ones. The programme was as follows: Opening chorus, school; address, Miss S. Costello; "Willie's and Anna's Prayer," juniors; Christmas hymn, minors; "Holiday Gifts," grammar class; "Birdie's Bell," 24 little ones; "Hail, all Hail," seniors; "Silent Night," school; "Santa Claus' Visit," Master Leo Meehan.

Trial was had of the liquor cases against C. A. McGinnis & Co., proprietors of Hotel Gladstone, Medway, before a jury in the superior criminal court at Dedham last week. The jury was given the case at 11 o'clock, when they retired and remained out until 10 o'clock at night. They then reported a disagreement, the last ballot standing 6 to 6. Theodore Wehrle, who is a co licensee with C. A. McGinnis, he conducting the wholesale end of the business, was discharged. The jury was ordered dismissed by the court and the case will now go over to the April sessions.

Christmas Sunday was well observed at the Baptist church. There was fine singing by the quartet. Rev. F. B. Sleeper's sermon was on the wonderful boyhood, youth and manhood of Christ. Our Lord is the perfect ideal for the young or the old, as He Himself has passed through all the experiences of life. There was a very large attendance at the concert in the evening and the programme was carried out exceptionally well. The recitations were all on the new-born King, glorifying Christ to the highest. The music was peculiarly charming, full of Christmas joyousness. It was the finest collection of happy songs the school has had for many years and the scholars entered into the singing with great zest. The Christmas tree will be in the vestry tomorrow evening, the exercises beginning promptly at 6.30 o'clock. The cantata, "The New Santa Claus," will be rendered.

The Arlington street school, which is taught by Miss Margaret Sullivan, closed Friday for the regular Christmas vacation. The school rendered a pleasing programme, as follows: Welcome, school; song, "Old Santa," chorus; reading, "Old December," LeRoy Cahill; reading, "Xmas Bells," Ruth McVeigh; "The Merriest Time," Wallace Parson; "Children's Work," Amy Peden; song, "Hurrah for Xmas," school; "When Santa Claus Is President," George Hubert; "Story of Xmas," Herbert Keefe, Robert Doherty, Thomas Grange, Orina Hubert, Charles Cody; "Hang Up the Baby's Stocking," Margaret Garriepy; "Who Is It?" Anna LeClair; song, "Santa's Visit," Ida Campbell; "The Wise Men," Excelia Pariseau, Celia Bonshee, Lena Dumas; "Xmas Greeting," Susie Minne; "Xmas Puzzle," Ida Campbell; "The Two Pennies," Henry Graham; song, "Away in a Manger," school.

They All Do Well.

The auditorium of the Congregational church was well filled on Sunday evening to enjoy the Sunday school concert that Superintendent Richardson had arranged, with the co operation of the members of the school. The choir was present and assisted noticeably with a number of excellent suggestions. The following was the programe:

Choir; a greeting, Ernest Abbott; Scripture reading, C. B Johnson; song by the school, "'Twas a Peaceful Night;" recitation, "Children, Can You Truly Tell?" Celia Whiting; responsive reading; prayer, Rev. I. W. Sneath; choir; exercise, "Christmas Fruits;" recitation, "Shine Out, O Blessed Star," Roy Cleveland; singing by the school, "Stars for Jesus;" recitation, "In Drifts the Snow Is Lying," Pearl Judd; recitation, "Christmas," Edna Jewett; exercise, "At Christmas;" song by the school, "While Shepherds Watched;" recitation, "The Angelic Message," Ada Smith; recitation, "The Heart of Christmas," Clifton Daniels; recitation, "Christmas Carol," Addie Lynds; song by the school, "Song of the Ages;" recitation, Linna Ferrer; remarks, Rev. I. W. Sneath; collection; choir; benediction.

Lawbreaker Convicted.

The McParland case, for alleged violation of the express law, was tried at Dedham last week, the accused being found guilty on one count and fined $50, the other count being dismissed. This was the case which, when tried here, his friends were so confident would be dismissed by the higher court. Temperance people, on the other hand, felt that it was a triumph for their cause, and so it proved. The amount of the fine seems small, though he had a technical defense, but it would appear as if the higher court had followed the finding of Judge Doe and inflicted a fine of a like amount This ought not to follow, necessarily, as many times the judge of a lower court will impose a small sum so that the accused may not appeal and the town thus lose the amount of the fine. When the case reaches the higher court upon an appeal that smaller sum should not be taken into consideration. McParland will find, should he appear before the superior court again upon a similar charge, that slight consideration will be shown him.

One of the Finest.

Stetson's colossal dramatic and scenic production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" comes here Wednesday evening. The production far surpasses that of last season in every particular, and will, so it is said, be the best seen here. Special attention has been given to the staging of the piece, and several scenic effects are magnificent. The thrilling floating ice scene on the Ohio river, St. Claire's plantation, the cotton fields and the superb transformation at the end of the last act are among the greatest. You haven't really seen "Uncle Tom's Cabin" until you've seen this company.

Fish received fresh daily. Oysters in and out of shell. Blue fish, butter fish, halibut, cod, haddock, Finnan haddie, clams and oysters at Paine's market.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

The Trustworthiness of the Bible.

Sunday, Dec. 16, Rev. Dr. Hodge, in the series of sermons he is giving on the five principles of the Universalist statement of belief, spoke on "The Trustworthiness of the Bible as Containing a Revelation from God." Dr. Hodge took for his text St. Paul's declaration that the advantage of the Jew is that unto him were committed the oracles of God. He said in part: The word oracles is a strange word for St. Paul to use. If he meant the scriptures it would have been natural for him to use that common word. Instead he uses an uncommon one. It is a discriminative word. Not everything in the Scriptures is an oracle It contains wise words. But we are not to suppose that everything in the Bible is equally a revelation from God. The forty-fifth Psalm is a poem in praise of some king written on the occasion of his coronation and marriage. The author says in the beginning, "This is a work of art about a king." There is no revelation of God in it. It is a noble poem, but it is not religion. So we are in accord unquestionably with St. Paul in saying the Bible is trustworthy as containing a revelation from God.

Some people say for argument's sake: "If it is not all from God how do we know that any of it is? How are we to tell?" That does very well for argument, but there is not much in it. The fact is we all do discriminate. I know of one man who did not He was invited to read the Bible at the opening of a school. He had not made a selection, so he opened and read at random I will not tell you what he read, but he will never be invited to read in that school again. That is not the way in which the Bible is to be read. You are to read with discrimination. And notwithstanding this foolish argument we do read with more or less discrimination. There is no man who has any reputation for fairness and judgment to sustain who will say that the writers of the Bible are not perfectly sincere and truthful. No literary fraud lives for centuries. The Bible has lived through and lived down all imputation upon its perfect integrity. Even its most irreconcilable statements bear testimony to the sincerity of the writers.

The account of the childhood of Christ given in the first gospel cannot be made to harmonize, wriggle and twist and suppose and assume as much as you please, with the account given in the third gospel. What of it? The first three gospels were written, it may be, near the end of the first century, but by that time Palestine had been swept by the besom of war. Families had been blotted out; localities and cities had been desolated. Many stories of the childhood of Jesus were in circulation. The evangelists did not use all of them. They took such as seemed most likely, such as fitted most consistently with the character Jesus had come to bear. They did not agree in what they gave. They were not eye witnesses of the events of the childhood of Jesus. This is a case where disagreement bears the strongest testimony to integrity. They do not try to make the accounts agree. They write as they believe.

"How can we recognize a revelation from God? One man believes in a revelation because somebody tells him it is a revelation. The church tells him, or the creed tells him, or other men tell him. That will not do for the modern man. I want a surer test of revelation than that. Churches and creeds and men have made serious mistakes sometimes. How can God reveal Himself? How does He? He reveals Himself in human consciousness. "Man is conscious of the being of God," says Mulford in his "Republic of God." God reveals Himself in the moral sense of man. Very well; then I have my test of revelation. Does the revelation without correspond to the revelation within? If so it must be from God. The revelation within speaks to me of God. Does the revelation without speak of the same great reality? The revelation within says, "Thou shalt not kill." Does the revelation in the Bible say that? Then I recognize it. The revelation within tells me I ought to be pure in heart and find blessedness in being so. If the revelation without me says, "Blessed the pure in heart," it is the same voice. So for a plain man, who does not care for intricate reasonings, who judges by common sense, it ought to be enough that the Bible on nearly every page makes for righteousness. It pleads for it. It rebukes unrighteousness. It warns against it in deep and earnest truth. It utters the highest voices it is given to men to hear. That ought to settle it. "Bring me the book," said Sir Walter Scott, as he lay dying. "What book?" they asked him. "THE Book," he answered; "there is but one book." Because the Bible is one with the deep things in us, not because of anybody's doctrine about it, it is dear to us when all things earthly fade and our feet slip on the boundaries of this crumbling world. That is the imperishable foundation on which the Bible rests. Shortsighted and foolish and in the end against the Bible are all attempts to give it any better one.

"The word unto the prophet spoken
Was writ on tablets yet unbroken;
The word by seers and sibyls told
In groves of oak or fanes of gold
Still floats upon the morning wind,
Still whispers to the willing mind,
One accent of the Holy Ghost
The heedless world hath never lost."

At the Y. M. C. A. Service Yesterday.

"Christ in us the hope of glory" was the "five faced gem" which Charles A. McDonough of Boston took for the basic thought in his practical talk at the Y. M. C. A. service in their rooms on Sunday afternoon. The room was filled to overflowing with young men, who listened to the earnest remarks of the speaker as he told briefly of the need of an association of this kind, and the urgent necessity of consecration on the part of its members, that its vital object might not be lessened. Such a life of consecrated effort would be an earnest of the glory yet to come and which fadeth not away. A Gospel song service preceded the meeting, Mrs. Charles L. Stewart assisting with a solo, Rev Bros. Sleeper, Cook and Sneath also being present and taking part in the exercises. Next Sunday the meeting will be addressed by Rev. J. M. Newton of Louisville, Ky., and an invitation is extended to all men to be present.

Farmers' Club.

The club met Dec. 17, with Charles Atkinson, Town farm The question of the evening was: "Town Farm: Is it for the best interests of the town to own a farm on which to keep the poor" Mr. Atkinson said that Mr. Allen was to do the talking on the subject. Mr. Allen said he had no paper but would talk about it as it looked to him:

"I think that there is objection to too large a farm for the town to own and run for this reason: The change of men to care for the poor often changes the methods of farming. One man might lay out quite a sum of money to do certain work on the place that the next man may not want. But for a home for the poor and a place to raise the vegetables that are used on the table, the milk, etc., I think it better for the town and all concerned. Then, it will give the inmates something to do, those that are able to work a little, for I think a man with nothing to do is of all men the most miserable. Many of us do not realize how much it saves in a family to have our milk, fruit and vegetables off of a farm. This farm was bought for a town farm about sixty-three years ago, and when the house was burned there was talk of selling the place and buying a smaller one, but the town finally decided to keep this, and rebuilt the house. I think the town that abandons a farm and just has a house lot makes a mistake, and that is, I think, the trouble at Medway."

George W. Bacon said he came to hear from Mr. Stone, who kept the Medway town farm, hoping that he could give us some points which way he thought was best. For my part I am in sympathy with what has already been said, and think a farm on which to keep our poor is the best for the town and the inmates. Mr. Reed and Mr. Emerson both thought our present system was the best and cheapest. An improvement could be made by lighting the house with electricity, as many of the inmates could not be trusted with lamps.

Uncle Tom's Cabin.

A fine company comes here Wednesday evening. This is one of the largest organizations of white and colored artists ever gathered together in one combination, every one of whom was engaged for his or her adaptability for the parts assigned to them. A clever lot of colored people add materially to the production by a number of high class specialties. Col. Sawyer's prize pack of genuine Siberian bloodhounds, a band of beautiful Shetland ponies, trick donkies, etc., are also with this great company. The street parade has two bands of music, a number of gorgeous chariots, tableaux wagons and little carriages built at a large outlay of money, making it the finest free street pageant ever given by any similar organization.

Christmas at Willoby's.

Watches and rings are our leader this season, all styles and prices. Then we have elegant silverware, flat ware for the table and Christmas trinkets.

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Mothers, bring your children to Ochee's barber shop for a winter hair cut. Short waits, good work.

SENTINELETTES.

A minister has settled the much vexed question as to whether it's right to marry for money. He says he often does it.

Many people believe in doing good in their way. When they get hold of a man they "do" him good

The Dreyfus case comes to the front again with a whine from Esterhazy that he is the victim of those above him. He may be telling the truth, but he has lied so much that no one believes him and few pity him.

South Africa is again becoming an interesting place. Roberts is on his way home, Kitchener sends a "hurry up" order for more troops, and whole sections are rising up in revolt. England won't enjoy this Christmas much more than she did last year's.

Ex-President Cleveland is out with the remark that the "rank and file" should now be given a chance. They were given a chance and they speedily voted him out of office and themselves into better times. Still, Cleveland knows a thing or two that his party seems not to have learned.

It has just come to light that the vast Vanderbilt estate has been paying but a ridiculous portion of the tax due from it, concealment, evasion and downright dishonesty being the methods by which the city has been mulcted. When the rich man pays his proportion of tax with the poor man the millenium will have been reached, and not till then.

Massachusetts lost one of its noblest sons in the passing away of ex-Governor Wolcott. He was a manly man, of high principle, absolutely unfettered by political shackles, doing his duty as he saw it. Had he lived he would doubtless have represented the state at Washington, and he would have honored the office in a marked degree. Death truly loves a shining mark.

Cudahy did not stop to look into the ethics of the matter of compounding a felony and paying tribute to brigandage by giving up $25,000 for the return of his abducted son. It will surely open up a fertile field for that kind of work if these scoundrels go undetected and unpunished. His duty to the other fathers and mothers of this land is to spend a much larger sum to ferret out the criminals.

The mayoralty vote in Worcester, according to the returning board, is a tie. Evidently the voters thought that if a Democratic congressman at Washington was good enough, a Democratic mayor was equally good. Not bad logic, after all. This all shows that voters occasionally take the reins in the teeth and do as they please, despite the bosses. There is altogether too much "bull ring" politics in this day and generation, but it's going, it's going.

Nobody expects any results from the investigation by West Point officials into the hazing of young Booz. The cadets examined have convenient lapses of memory; few admit the hazing. Their defense of their comrades is somewhat like the criminal's, who was convicted on the testimony of one man, who swore he saw him commit the deed. The criminal offered to bring forward a hundred witnesses who would swear they did not see him commit it. The cadets prate of honor, etc, while they act like brutes and sneaks. A noble kind of honor, indeed.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

All kinds of stove wood and kindlings dry at Allen's wood yard.

Wanted—Girl to do general housework. Marston Sanborn.

Two hundred cords of trash wood for sale by E. S. Cook, Box 212. 26Ftf

To Let.—Rooms with or without board. Where? At the Franklin House. 7-tf

Furnished rooms to let Apply to Mrs. L. A. Harris, West street. 21,25*

House to let on Crescent street; all modern improvements. Inquire at office of Dr. G. A Martin. 21 tf

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Wanted—A competent girl for general housework. Must be able to cook and launder well. Address SENTINEL office. 18tf

Canvassers.—We furnish outfit free and start any man who wants to work. Write today for terms. C L. Yates, Rochester, N. Y. 21-8tF

Lost—On Thursday, a red Durham cow, with leather halter, and a Brighton tag on her ear; about 7 years old Finder please notify C. A Cleveland, King st., Franklin. 25*

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. MCKINNON, Agent.

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Handles all kinds of rentable property, and will find you a tenant or tenement if you desire.

All kinds of festooning, laurel wreaths, holly wreaths and evergreen wreaths made to order for Christmas. Cut flowers, roses and violets in large or small quantities. Funeral designs well made up. Slade's greenhouse, Central street.

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1900

Coincidence in Names.

The recent publication in several daily papers that Nellie Prettyhair a quarter-breed Indian girl had been left $1,000,000 by John Dillon, a rich ranchman, for having saved his life from drowning in the Grand river, near Claremore, I. T. four years ago, develops a remarkable coincidence, says the St. Louis Republic. In this city lives Mrs. John Marquette, aged 30, a half-breed Indian woman. Her husband is a half-breed Canadian, and they are very poor. Mrs. Marquette's maiden name was Annie Nadean, and she is descended from the Pottawatomie "Leanow" tribe of Pokagon. She was born at Bertrand, Mich. in May, 187[illegible]. She was called "Nellie Prettyhair," on account of the beauty of her hair. She was in the Indian territory about 1890. Standing one day on the bank of the South Canadian river, between Lexington and Purcell, she saw a man attempting to cross with a wagon and team. Team and wagon were sinking in a quicksand when she came to the man's assistance and helped him out. He thanked her and went away. She did not know his name, and never saw or heard of him since. The Nellie Prettyhair enjoying Dillon's fortune under the name of Annie Trueheath Dillon, as required by Dillon's will, tented with her Cherokee parents on the Grande river, near Claremore. Four years ago, when aged 16, she saw a man struggling helplessly in the swollen waters. Riding in on her pony she saved his life. He did not thank her, but died three months later and left $1,000,000 in gratitude. It is reported that she is engaged to Dillon's bitterest enemy in life—John Liger, a cowboy, who tried several times to kill Dillon. If Annie weds him, relatives threaten to break the will. Mrs. Marquette has employed attorneys to investigate the case and to learn if the man whose life she saved was Dillon.

A Child's Resourcefulness.

A Chicago school has lately furnished a very pretty instance of childish resourcefulness. Some people having complained of a dog which had no home and no visible means of support, a policeman was detailed to shoot the animal. When he appeared near the schoolhouse with his revolver, one of the little girls asked him what he was going to do. He told her, and she begged him not to shoot the animal. "But I must," he said, "for he hasn't any license." "We'll get him a license if you won't shoot him," said the little girl, and so the policeman granted a few days' respite. The little girl interested eight or ten of her friends, arranged for a "show," consisting of speeches, recitations and music, to be given by themselves, and persuaded their teacher to announce it, with its charitable object. They cleared enough money to raise the dog from a condition of vagrancy to a position of affluence and independence. They paid his license fee, bought him a new collar, and were even able to deposit a small sum with the butcher to provide their canine friend with juicy marrow-bones and choice cuts of chuck steak in days to come.

Illinois has an apparent right to claim to be the woman's paradise, so far as public recognition of her business capacity is concerned. On the board of trustees of the State university are two women, Mrs. Alice A. Abbott and Mrs. Lucy L. Fowler both of Chicago, and members of that city's Woman's club. Mrs. Abbott began her work for the public in the civil war and has continued it in many directions ever since. Mrs. Fowler is known for her interest in and efforts in behalf of youthful offenders against the law.

Firm Nerves by Using Smith's Green Mountain Renovator.

Clear Vision, Too.

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FACTS FROM FOREIGN LANDS.

Many Chinese use their hollow [illegible] as savings banks.

During 18[illegible] Spain bought [illegible] vessels in England.

New Zealand [illegible] free from the plague of tramps.

Many Chinese [illegible] have windows made from mother of pearl and oyster shells. The material is transparent and looks like opal glass.

London has seen the biggest dog show of the century at the Alexandra Palace. It was held by the Ladies' Kennel association, with [illegible] entries and $5[illegible],000 worth of prizes.

A plan is on foot to show in various German cities, beginning with Berlin, the German exhibit at the Paris exposition. This will give those a chance to see a section of the exposition who could not go to Paris.

Of 73 Swiss glaciers observed last year, only ten showed any advance, while 63 were retreating. Only one glacier of all that have been noted has shown a steady and continuous tendency to increase during the last few years.

Dues for shooting licenses, required in Germany and under special restrictions for hunting and target practice, vary in the various states of the empire. In Prussia, a fair example, they are 15 marks a year and three marks for one day only. Last year the revenue derived from them in that kingdom amounted to 2,123,313 marks, or about $5[illegible]0,000.

Among the messages received by the sultan on the occasion of his recent jubilee, was the following from Ali Bey, the son of Midhat Pasha: "I congratulate your majesty. I recall the blood of your father innocently shed in the fortress of Taif. That tragic death, in the face of justice, of humanity, and of Europe itself, is never to be forgotten. I have nothing to say on the subject of the strangling of my father after the promises made to those same powers who have now come to celebrate your majesty's jubilee; but I leave the judgment of the matter to the peoples and to the future. I am prepared to endure the wrath of your majesty before the specter of Midhat."

WOMEN THE WORLD OVER.

Queen Victoria has received from the king of Italy a well-executed cast of the inscribed column which was discovered last winter in the Forum at Rome, and which excited great interest among antiquaries in all parts of Europe.

The queen of Siam has a remarkable thimble, which was given to her by her husband. It is made of gold, in the form of a lotus bud, and is thickly studded with diamonds, which are arranged to form her name and the date of her marriage. The form of the gift was particularly appropriate, since the lotus is the royal flower.

Miss Mabel Cook of New York, is a "book surgeon." That is she makes her living by repairing the worn-out books in the Astor library. She fitted herself for the position by taking a course in book binding, for she says it is impossible to repair books satisfactorily without an intimate knowledge of their mechanical construction.

The first lady in the sultan's dominion is his mother. She has her own palace and retinue, and if she has the ability she may exercise considerable influence in affairs of state. The fact that the mother is so regarded by the Mohammedan, accounts for the longing with which the woman of this race awaits the coming of a son. She is sure of independence and honor as long as her son lives. The wife is subject to the mother of her husband. When the father dies the mother becomes the head of her oldest son's household, unless he can afford to give her a house of her own.

Sheep-Guarding Birds.

The yakamik, a species of crane, is said to be one of the most intelligent birds known. The bird is used by the natives of Venezuela, South America, in the place of shepherd dogs for guarding and herding their flocks of sheep. It is said that however far the yakamik may wander with the flocks it never fails to find its way home at night, driving before it all the creatures intrusted to its care.—Detroit Free Press.

Making of Cellulith.

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How much does it cost to run this [illegible]?

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What was your business before you became captain?

Do you remember my aunt who crossed with you in 189[illegible]?

What do you have pie for every day and only one kind of pudding?

What kind of oil do you pour on the waves in a storm—cod, olive or standard?

IN THE SCHOOLS.

The attendance of the Catholic schools of Chicago has increased 20,[illegible] during the last year.

There have been 154,552 children enrolled in the public schools of Brooklyn, N. Y., and admission had to be refused to 2,316 others.

The new academy of art in Munich is a fine building, situated in the north end of the city. Its pupils come from all countries. Four scholarships have been founded for the assistance of poor students. The half yearly fees are [illegible] marks ($7.61) for Germans, but foreigners pay 62 marks ($14.47).

The sophomores at Columbia college have put forth rules for the guidance of the freshman class. There are to be, "No girls, no canes, no pipes, no golf breeches, no hands in pockets, no sporty socks, no turned-up trousers, no sitting on benches on campus." The freshmen are required to further pay general respect to the "sophs." Loud-mouthed freshmen are to be dealt with summarily.

The expense of maintaining schools is very high in Porto Rico. The cost per capita per pupil enrolled last year was over $13, while in Missouri, with its large and expensive urban systems, its secondary schools and its university, the per capita expenditure was less than nine dollars. This is due to lack of school buildings and school plant in general, and to ignorance of the principles of economical school administration on the part of school authorities.

ALL SORTS.

More herrings are eaten than any other kind of fish.

Nearly $12,000,000 worth of gold has come down from the Klondike during the summer.

A telephone company in Tennessee has prohibited the smoking of cigarettes by its employes.

Paper money is at a premium at Nome. Miners find it more convenient than gold and pay as much as two per cent. in excess of its face value for it.

Tax valuations in Tennessee have been increased $25,000,000 by the operation of a new law requiring assessment at cash value.

A Chinaman cannot obtain naturalization in the United States, but the American-born children of Chinese residents are citizens by birth.

Insurance for bathers is the newest enterprise in the insurance line in England. Penny-in-the-slot machines are to be erected at the popular bathing resorts.

The appearance of all fine gems is improved by gaslight. A perfect emerald, despite its color, which in anything else would turn to a dull bluish hue, is only intensified in brilliancy of color by artificial light. The blue sapphire, though darkened, remains true to its color as by daylight. The alexandrite is the only gem that changes, turning from a dark olivine to a brilliant blood-red by candle or gaslight.

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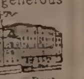

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ODDS AND ENDS.

It costs £110,[illegible] every week to run the world's railways.

[illegible] eccentricities are being brought into a special collection by the British museum. It has now moths with male wings on one side and female wings on the other, butterflies with no fore wings and insects with an abnormal number of antennae or of legs.

An optimistic English physician says that modern life is easier, safer and smoother than life 100 years ago; that young people are healthier, stronger and better grown than their great-grandparents, and that the complaints of increasing neurotic tendencies are wholly unfounded.

A cube of red sandstone two feet square, suitably inscribed, has been erected in the old cemetery at Deerfield, Mass. It will mark for the first time in an appropriate way the grave where 48 men, women and children were buried after the massacre in 1704 by the French and Indians.

When turned out at pasture all horses except those which are crippled by disease or injury lie down at night with their legs folded beneath their bodies. Some of the short-limbed and thick-jointed animals, such as the elephant, hippopotamus and rhinoceros, find a difficulty in bending their legs under them after the manner of their more slender kindred. Hence they sleep upon their sides in a piglike attitude.

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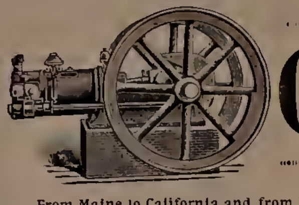

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A DECOROUS DEATH

By Emile Zola.

COUNT DE VERTEUIL is 50 years of age. Blue blood runs in the count's veins. His family is one of the most ancient in France. Yellow gold lies in the count's coffers. His fortune is one of the largest in France. Honors are heaped upon the count's head. He is a member of the Academy, a deputy, a patron of the arts.

Countess Mathilde de Verteuil is 36. Blond is Countess Mathilde—blond and beautiful. Age does not wither her. Her rounded shoulders, her satiny skin, her golden hair, her starry eyes—all these make the matronly beauty of the countess the envy of younger rivels.

The Verteuil household is a thoroughly respectable one. Dame Rumor's tongue never wags concerning it. Their marriage had been one of eminent good teste, said the world—both wealthy, both of good family. And then they had lived as husband and wife for nearly six yeers. And their two children—Ferdinand, in the army, end Blanche—had been so well brought up. And they had merried Blanche very well. It is true they no longer affect the sentimental husband and wife. But what of that? If eech hes a separate suite in the Verteuil ebode, do they not trent each other with the utmost courtesy? They are perfect models of deportment, and nothing can he said against either.

One night mademe the countess returns from a hell at two o'clock. She ie fatigued, is Mme. Methilde. As her maid disrobes her, she says:

"The count, madame, is somewhat unwell this evening."

The countess yawns. "Ah," she murmurs. Then, es she extends her form beneath the luxurious coverlet: "Wake me at ten to-morrow, Julie. The modiste is comnig."

At breakfest the next morning the count does not appeer. Madame ie concerned. She sends to inquire efter his health. The count is desoleted; he presents his excuses to madame, but he cennot quit his chamber. Madame is more concerned. She will herself see the count. She enters. She finds him in bed, extremely pale, but extremely trim. He is a perfectly respectable invalid. The room shows no vulgar signs of disorder—no vials scattered around, no furniture misplaced. Three physicians are whispering in a corner, and two well-trained domestics move noiselessly about the room. This is no common invalid—it is my lord the count of Verteuil who lies abed. This is not your low and plebeian "sickness"—it is illness, trim and proper, and ceremonious illness which is here.

"You are unwell, I see, my dear," says the countess. "I hope it is nothing dangerous?"

The count smiles feebly—a somewhat strained smile.

"Not at all," he answers, with an effort. "All I need is rest and quiet. I am sorry to have put you to so much trouble."

The days pass. The chamber remains, as ever, well arranged. The smug and shaven faces of the servants are expressionless. Nothing is changed nothing save the master. And he is much changed. For he lies at death's door, and he knows it. Physicians shall not dole out weak platitudes to Count de Verteuil. But sometimes, as he lies staring grimly at nothing, the count's face shows weariness.

In the world of fashion the countess tells her friends that her husband is "a little indisposed." She could not say that he was more, for Mme. Mathilde had not changed her life. Rides, drives, balls and perties make up the round. But nevertheless, morning and evening the countess dutifully visits her husband's chamber.

"Better, I hope, to-day, my dear?"

"A little better, I think, my dear Mathilde."

"If you wish it, my deer, I will stay with you."

"Thanks, but it is unnecessary. It would only fatigue you uselessly Thanks, very much, nevertheless."

They understand each other perfectly. They heve lived apart. The count would die apart. He enjoys a certain bitter egotism in thus quitting life alone, without the comedy of sorrow being played at his bedside. And he will die with dignity will the count, es should a man of the world.

The sick men is growing weeker, his breath more lahored. He knows he will not see the morning sun. So this evening, when the countess pays her habituel visit, he says, with a faint smile:

"It—would—he hetter—not—to go out this—evening, my—denr. I—em—not—very—well."

The count is considerate even in his weakness. He would spare her the gossip of the world, were she seen ehroad the night he died. The countess eppreciates his courteey. She stays at home.

The physiciens remein in the sick man's chamher. The countess sends for the children, Blanche and Ferdinand, and the three install themselves hy the count's hedside. Now the forms are complied with—the count can die.

But he struggles to repress himself. He would evoid a convulsive, vulger death-scene. He stifles his rattling breath. And, when he finds himself going, he turns to his wife and children and kisses them. The domestics ere much moved. And then he turns bis face to the wall. When h's wife would speak to him, he motions her from him with a feeble gesture.

The moments pass away. There is no movement in the silent form with its fece against the wall. One of the physiciane leane toward it.

"All is over," be says, as he eloses the deed men's eyes.

Count de Verteuil has died, es he wished, alone.

The morning of the funeral the Verteuil mansion is filled with sorrowing friends. The son and son-in-law of the count receive the guests with the mute politeness of effliction. And the mourners at the count's funeral are not common mourners. The nobility, the srmy, the magistracy, the senate, the academy—yes, come they all to Verteuil's funeral.

The procession sets out for the church. The hearse is magnificently somher; black-plumed, black-draped, its hangings edged with silver; and the pall-bearers, too, are magnificent in their way—a duke, a field-marshal, a prime minister and an academician. The black-gloved, black-crevated and black-coated line files slowly through the streets, while the busy passers-by stop and uncover.

And the countess? Well, she is completely broken down with grief, say the relatives. The countess is at home.

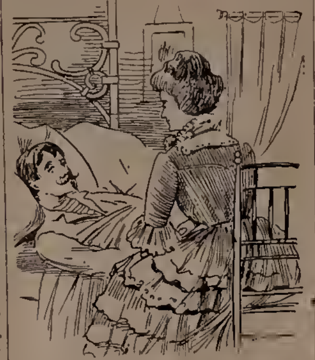
At the church the ceremony lasts for neurly two hours. The organ thunders forth its lamentations, the singers wail theirs, while from torches held by boys the green flames cast a sickly pallor over the gathering.

"Is not Faure, the celebrated tenor, going to sing to-day?" asks one mourner of another.

"Yes," says mourner No. 2, an elderly beau, who has just been staring through a single eyeglass at a pretty mourner; "yes, I believe he is. Ah, that is his voice now. What method! What range! Eh?"

"Yes, indeed," says mourner No. 1. "Never heard him sing better in my life. Ah, it's a pity poor Verteuil can't hear him, ain't it? He was very fond of him."

It is a beautiful June day. And as the carriages roll along the route for the cemetery, the windings of the road take the hearse out of sight from time to time, therefore it is not to be wondered at if the mourners sometimes forget it. The disjointed bits of conversation would seem to imply as much.



"BETTER, I HOPE TO-DAY, MY DEAR."

"Are you going to the seaside this month, my dear?"

"No, not until August. We start to-morrow for our country place, and—"

"Well, as I wes saying, the letter fell into his hands, and that was the cause of the duel. But it was only a scratch—the merest scratch in the world. I dined with him thet evening et the club, and he won twenty-five—"

"Yes, I believe the meeting of stockholders takes place to-morrow, and they want to make me a director. I don't know whether I'll accept or not, I'm very busy now, and—"

Scrunch, scrunch! The carriages have quitted the road and are on the graveled welks of the cemetery. The talking ceases. The tomb of the Verteuils is et the extreme left—a magnificent marble structure, where cerven angels in paroxysms of stony woe weep over the dead and gone Verteuils. The coffin is placed before it, and the funeral discourse begins.

The count is pictured as a man who, had he not heen cut off in his prime, would have regenerated the political condition of his country; a man renowned for his private virtues; a man who had encouraged agriculture and the erts; a man who had made e study of politicel economy end sociology; e man whose loss was irreparable.

Such is the crowd that it is difficult for those on the outskirts to catch ell the words. An elderly gentleman, with his hand to his eer, is listening, with pursed-up lips, to the eulogy. He catches these words:

"——the qualities of his great and generous heart, his bountiful——"

"Yes," he mutters, "I knew him. He wes a clever hypocrite."

The sound weves from this mingle with those of the priest's blessing. The mourners retire, and soon there ere none left hut the workmen, who are lowering the coffin into the vault. The cords creak, the oaken coffin gives forth e hollow sound es it strikes the stone floor.

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Miss Saucy—A little while ago you looked at your reflection in the mirror for ten minutes without even a smile!—Heitere Welt

The Trail of the Serpent.

Mrs. Backlots—I've jest heen readin' the account in the Weekly Cordwood about Jed Tucker's accident. It says "the excited horses, while at a high rate of speed, attempted to turn at a very acute angle, which resulted in several abrasions to the conveyance and the precipitation of its occupants to the ground." Now, everybody knows that Jed simply tipped over in his huggy while he was turnin' old Gipes' corners.

Backlots—Yes, it's gittin' so one can't rely on anything in these here yaller journals any more.—Brooklyn Life.

The Gallant Leonidas.

"This article says that a woman's brain is, as a rule, smaller than that of a man's," remarked Mrs. Meekton, rather resentfully.

"Of course," answered Leonidas. "Everybody knows that."

"Sir!"

"It's one of nature's magnificent economies," he continued, hastily. "It is a method of making up in quantity for a lack of quality, my dear. We males ought to have some little show in the struggle for existence, you know."—Washington Star.

They "Saved" It.

Bobbs—Too bad about Nobbs. Lost all of his furniture because of a false alarm of fire at his house

Dobbs—But if there was no fire how could his furniture he destroyed?

"Well, you see, Nobbs lives in a suburban town where they have a volunteer fire department. — Baltimore American.

British Government Camels.

The British government is the owner of over 25,000 camels. Several thousands are used in India to carry stores and equipments when the regiments are changing quarters.

Pneumonia Prevented.

Among the tens of thousands who have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for colds and la grippe during the past few years, to our knowledge, not a single case has resulted in pneumonia Thos. Whitfield & Co., 240 Wabash ave., Chicago, one of the most prominent retail druggists in that city, in speaking of this, says: "We recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for la grippe in many cases, as it not only gives prompt and complete recovery, but also counteracts any tendency of la grippe to result in pneumonia." For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2 65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save If your druggist can't supply you, it will be fowarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

Ordinary household accidents have no terrors when there's a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil in the medicine chest. Heals burns, cuts, bruises, sprains. Instant relief.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup seems especially adapted to the needs of the children. Pleasant to take; soothing in its influence; it is the remedy of all remedies for every form of throat and lung diseases.

An Obstinate Damsel.

Mr. Sappeigh—I wouldn't marry that Miss Gabby. She is terribly set in her ways.

Mr. Softeigh—Is that so?

Mr. Sappeigh—Yes, indeed. Why, she has refused me nine times.—Baltimore American.

SHERIDAN'S
CONDITION
POWDER
Will keep poultry healthy; make pullets lay. Cost one-tenth of a cent a day. Large cans most economical. Nothing on earth will
MAKE HENS LAY
like it. No matter what kind of food you use, mix with it daily Sheridan's Powder. It will increase your profit this winter. If you can't get it we send one pack for 25 cts. Large can $1.20; Six, $5. I. S. JOHNSON & CO., Boston, Mass.

Relief from Pain

is the object of every dyspeptic's search. Few succeed, because they don't use the right remedy. They swallow hard, stony pills and tablets and expect the already weakened stomach to digest them. The poor, over-worked stomach takes from 10 to 14 hours to do it. Even then relief is doubtful, because the stomach is over-taxed.

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DYSPEPSIA CURE

is different It relieves immediately. It is a liquid. The weak digestive organs drink it right in through the lacteals. It goes to every part of the stomach, liver, kidneys, and secretive organs. It touches the spot where disease lies. If you have dyspepsia or stomach trouble, get Chase's Dyspepsia Cure. Don't experiment! Insist on getting it!

Brooklyn, N Y., March 5, 1900.
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Dear Sirs —I gladly testify that a single dose of Chase's Dyspepsia Cure, which was given me by a friend, immediately relieved the distress from which I had suffered for almost a month I have taken a tablespoonful after meals, with the result that the indigestion has entirely disappeared, for which I am truly thankful to you.
Yours gratefully, JAMES A. BOLTON.
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New York March 3, 1900.
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The Sum of It.

A sky that bends above you
With bright stars shining true;
A tender heart to love you
And who's as rich as you?
—Atlanta Constitution.

A BLOODLESS WOUND.

Kitty—Is your wound sore, Mr. Pup?

Mr. Jup—Wound! What wound?

Kitty — Why, sister said she cut you at the dinner last night!—Punch.

Time Enough.

Never hurry, never worry; miss the train if miss you must;
Trains and trains and trains and trains will be running when you're dust.
—Chicago Record.

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Cures throat and lung diseases.
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Collector's Notice.

The owners of the following described parcels of real estate in the town of Medway, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon assessed for the years within specified, according to the list committed to me by the Assessors of Taxes, remain unpaid, and that the said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the town clerk's office in said Medway, on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1901,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

Estate Mrs. W. U. Fairbairn—About one-quarter acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the east side of Barber street, in the easterly part of Medway, bounded on the north by North street, east by schoolhouse yard, south by land of Mrs. Mary Kelley. Or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, 1899, $41.48.

Mrs. Clifton E. Seavey—About one-quarter of an acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the corner of High and Village streets, in the westerly part of Medway, bounded on the north by land of Grayson L. Cronk, east by High street, south by Village street, west by land of A. L. Chapman. Or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, 1899, $18.90.
Tax assessed, 1900, $14.85.

Malcom Livingston—One building lot, with the buildings thereon, situated on the south side of Main street, in the westerly part of Medway, bounded on the north by Main street, east by land of Mrs. Stanley, south and west by land of estate Mrs. Elihue White. Or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described.
Tax assessed, 1899, $6.83.
Tax assessed, 1900, $5.37.

GEO. F. MADDEN,
Collector of Taxes for 1899 and 1900.
Medway, Dec 20, 1900. de25,ja1,8

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OCTOBER 21, 1900.

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Trains leave FRANKLIN for

BOSTON—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex.) 6 05, 9 38 p m; Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, 8 30 m; 12 04, 3 30, 4 34, 5 10, 6 22, 6 57, 8 17, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 19 a m, 5 18, 7 10 p m.

BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 12 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 46, 4 13, 5 13, 6 01, 7 13 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 6 05, 9 38 p m S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 22, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 6 05 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m; f12 58, 5 25, 6 15, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 35 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 45, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

NEW YORK, all rail—9 15 a m; 4 25 p m. Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

New York, via Norwich Line, 7 45 p m. Return New Pier 36, North River, 6 00 p m.

Providence Extension.

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

PROVIDENCE—7 03, 9 03 a m; 1 05, 4 40, 7.08 p m. Return, 6 04, 8 10, 12 04 a. m, 3 35, 6 06 p m.

MILFORD BRANCH.

Trains leave Franklin for

MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 33, 6 55 p m; S 6 37 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.

ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

M., A. & W. STRET RAILWAY TIME-TABLE.

(In effect Oct. 22.)

FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6.10, 6.45 a.m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10.15 p. m. Last cars to car barn at 10.45 and 11.15 p. m.

FRANLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m., connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket. Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.15 a. m., and then on hour and half hour till 10.30 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham Four Corners for Caryville every hour from 6 to 9 a. m., 12 m. to 2 p. m., 4 to 9 p. m., returning on the half hour. Cars leaving Franklin at 6.45, 7.45, 11.45 a. m. and 12.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.45, 6.45 and 7.45 p. m. connect at Bellingham Four Corners with cars for Caryville.

FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave 6.00, 7.30, 8.15 a. m.; hourly to 6.15 p. m.; 8.15, 10.15 p. m. Return, 6 40, 8.15 a. m.; hourly till 7.15 p. m.; 9.15, 11.15 p. m.

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Santa Claus is sure to make us a visit and fill his sack with a selection of fine toilet articles when he sees the superb stock that we have laid out for the inspection of those who wish to choose Xmas gifts from our silver toilet articles, manicure sets, fine perfumes and articles too numerous to mention. Choose gifts from our exquisite stock and it will save you time and money.

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WRENTHAM.

Daniel Vaughn died at his residence in Plainville Tuesday, aged 84. The funeral was from his late residence Thursday at 2 o'clock.——The Holly club held its last meeting with Mrs Chas W. Pond. The subject was "The Madonna." Interesting papers were read by Miss A. L. Stone and Miss A. M. Brastow.——James A. Bartlett is home from Andover academy for the holidays.——Mrs. J. M. Philbrick of New York is spending a few days in town.——The death is announced of Mrs. Coleman, widow of the late Harvey B. Coleman, a former influential citizen, who died in Indianapolis, Ind., at the residence of her son.

Cuba's Excess of Widows.

The effect of the long Cuban war on the homes of the Cubans is shown in the returns of the census that was recently taken there under the supervision of the war department. The census showed that 34 per cent. of all the women who have been married in Cuba are to-day widows. Perhaps no country in the world can show a larger per cent. of widowhood. An apparent inconsistency of figures contained in the Cuban census is shown by the percentage of widows in that island being only a little more than eight per cent. of all the women on the island. This apparent discrepancy results from the fact that the marriage ceremony in Cuba was an expensive luxury during the years of Spanish rule. It then cost five dollars to get married at six o'clock in the morning, and this expense was increased as the hour of noon, the most fashionable time for the performance of such ceremonies, was approached. Many of the poor people were thus forced to do without the luxury of a marriage, although they proceeded to bring up a family in an orderly fashion. Had marriage been universal in Cuba it is quite likely that the percentage of those married who were made widows by the war for independence would have been quite as large as it is shown to be under present conditions. —Washington Star.

Feminine Economy.

"Why do you carry your purse in your hand?"

"Principles of economy. If a thief made a snatch at my pocket, thinking to find it there, he would probably tear my skirt. If he snatched it out of my hand, he would find exactly five cents, a thimble and a receipted bill."—Town Topics.

Method with Him.

Crawford—Why do you always stay out so late?

Crabshaw—My wife said she would have me help her fit up a cozy corner the first time I came home early.—Puck.

A Sovereign Cure.

Juvens—I have been suffering from insomnia lately, though I have tried all the patent remedies.

Senex—Have you tried going to church?—Town Topics.

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

A Friend in Disguise.

Crawford—I don't see how you can have a good word for the Christmas crowds.

Crabshaw—Why, old boy, I undertook to accompany my wife on her shopping tour, and if it hadn't been for the crowd I could never have lost her in the first store we entered.—N. Y. World.

Constipation,
Headache, Biliousness,
Heartburn,
Indigestion, Dizziness,

Indicate that your liver is out of order. The best medicine to rouse the liver and cure all these ills, is found in

Hood's Pills

25 cents. Sold by all medicine dealers.

The Duke of York and the Caddie

Apropos of the pleasant custom recently mentioned in "M. A. P. in Paris" of President Loubet sharing his cigars with his gamekeeper, Driault, when out shooting at Rambouillet, a correspondent sends the following: "It is well known that the duke of York includes golf among his pet pastimes. When on the golf links at Anglesey, near Gossport, he usually employs one particular lad as caddie. This boy besides the honor of having tramped many a mile in the duke's company, can also lay claim to the distinction of having shared a unique lunch with his future king. The incident occurred on the above mentioned links, when duke and caddie paused for a little well-earned refreshment. The duke, after mopping his brow, pulled a flask from his pocket and offered the youngster a drink. The boy declined the offer with thanks, saying that he was a teetotaler. The duke warmly commended the lad for this, and thereupon offered him something more substantial—a ham sandwich. The caddie took it eagerly, the duke took another, and the simple meal was shared by the oddly-assorted pair with that healthy hunger which is the common heritage of prince and pauper alike."—Mainly About People.

Explanation of Gossamer Threads

The silken threads that cover the bushes in the autumn, cling to our clothes and faces and shimmer in the sun are spun by the running spiders. They crawl to the top of a bush or fence, place all their feet in a bunch, with the head held down and the hinder part of the body up, and then exude from the spinning apparatus at the tip of the abdomen a thread or brushlike cluster of threads which is caught by the breeze and floats out as it lengthens, until finally it has buoyancy enough to carry the spider away aloft out of sight or drift him across the country until he strikes some foothold and stops. Then he may simply rest and soon fly again, or cut loose and let his thread float wherever the wind will carry it. Other spiders draw out a thread behind them as they walk along, or let themselves down by a line from the branches of trees, and these cables are what we call gossamer.—Little Chronicle.

Carving.

"Wasn't that the dinner bell just rang?" inquired the man who was dining with the Carvers for the first time.

"Yes," replied the old friend of the family.

"Then where's the host going? I just saw him pass down the hall with his overcoat on."

"That wasn't an overcoat; it was a mackintosh. We're going to have roast duck."—Philadelphia Press.

Flannel waists with applied velvet and tucked sleeves to the elbow. The applied velvet is one inch in width, and looks like stamped-out leather. It—the velvet—is laid on in bands on the collar and cuffs, with three rows down the front.

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c

The best that money can buy should be your aim in choosing a medicine, and this is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cures when others fail.

Retort Courteous.

Mrs. Bicker—There you go again! You always were a fault-finder.

Mr. Bicker—Sure. And I'll never forget the day I found you.—Chicago Daily News.

The Right Word.

She—The Brownes called on us last week, you know.

He—Yes.

"Don't you think it is about time we should retaliate?"—Indianapolis Press.

Chicago Conservatism.

"You should be able to support a wife on your income."

"Yes, but I couldn't afford alimony."

Where Case Coods of Golden Oak and Mahogany

are finished best and built of best selected stock at best prices on easy terms—that would seem to be the best place to settle down to buying. Samples of a few are in our sunny southern window. The lines are complete within and the store is warm. Welcome everybody.

CHINA CLOSETS. Grand, square and three-cornered for one corner. Prices from $14.00 to $30.00.

LADIES' DRESSERS, $9.00, $12.00, $18.00. Nothing so flattering.

MUSIC CABINETS in Oak and Mahogany, $8.50, $13.00 $22.50.

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Whatever comes from Cook & Co.'s is finished to please.

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The only building at Spitzbergen is a tourists' hut about 500 miles from civilization.

The population of the Parisian suburb Charlottenburg is in a curiously unstable condition. Last year, out of the population of 171,550 left the city and 45,744 from elsewhere took their place.

Berlin pays a salary to a professional bird catcher, who keeps scientific and municipal institutions supplied with birds' nests and eggs, and he is the only man in the empire permitted to do so.

According to tables made by sporting men, over £50,000,000 is lost on the turf every year. Of this, £10,000,000 is lost on English race courses and about £20,000,000 on Australian courses. The remainder is chiefly distributed between France, the United States and British colonies.

The typhoon of the orient is an own sister of the West India cyclone. It is generated in low latitudes, late in the summer or early autumn, at the western slope of the Pacific, not far from the Philippines. It begins its career by moving westward, but in time returns to the coast of China and Japan.

A curious case of gross superstition which led to the practice of barbarous cruelty to a little boy was revealed the other day in a local police court in British Guiana. A woman named Ashby, of Uitvlugt, a sugar estate, the defendant in the case, stated that she had dreamed of a way to cure her little son of certain faults. It consisted of boiling an egg and putting it while still hot into the boy's hands. Next morning she proceeded to put the suggestion of her dream into execution. When the egg was boiled she compelled the unfortunate child to clasp his hands tightly over it, the inevitable result being that the palms of his hands were badly burned.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 8th, 1901,

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F. H. BARTHOLOMEW, Cashier.

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..Congregational Church..

FRIDAY, JAN. 25—Col. L. F. Copeland of Pennsylvania, the King of Platform Lecturers.

TUESDAY, FEB. 19—The Lyceum Stars of Boston, with Curtis Morse, impersonator.

TUESDAY, MARCH 10—The Imperial Hand Bell Ringers and their carillon of 110 bells.

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POCKETBOOKS, PURSES, FANCY BOXED STATIONERY, ATOMIZERS, COMB and BRUSH, TOILET, SHAVING and MANICURE SETS, PALMER & WRIGHT'S PERFUMES, POCKET KNIVES, COLLAR and CUFE BOXES, Etc., Etc.

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"As low as good goods can be sold for."

"That settles it; he can have my trade."

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Round Steak, 16c.

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Fresh Killed Chicken, 15c. per lb.

Celery, 10c. bunch.

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Dividends declared the first Monday in January and July, payable on and after the 15th of said months.

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STATEMENT SEPT. 29, 1900.

LIABILITIES.		
Due Depositors		$565,502 09
Guarantee Fund		28,217 86
Profit and Loss Account		738 09
Interest Account		4,027 82
Real Estate Income Account		184 78
		$598,672 44
ASSETS.		
Town and City Bonds		$7,071 25
Bank Stock		27,779 32
Railroad Bonds		156,262 50
C. F. Boynton account		3,093 72
Real Estate by Foreclosure		20,748 00
Loaned on Bank Stock		28,975 00
" " Mortgages		157,760 00
" " Personal Securities		174,269 18
" " Railroad Stock		11,000 00
Town Notes		5,000 00
Expense Account		522 22
Tax Account		502 73
Bank Furniture		600 00
Bank Deposits:		
Franklin National Bank	$3,028 14	
Nat. Bank of Redemption	1,304 95	
Mercantile Trust Co.	84 16	
		4,417 25
Cash on hand		741 27
		$598,672 44

We, the undersigned, have this day examined the books and vouchers of this bank and find they correspond with the above statement.

WALTER M. FISHER,
HORACE W. HOSIE,
Committee of Examination.

Sept. 29, 1900.

TO all persons interested in the petition of Elbridge J. Whitaker and others for the establishment of a co-operative bank in Wrentham, to be known as the Wrentham Co-operative Bank:

Whereas, application has been made to the Board of Commissioners of Savings Banks by Elbridge J. Whitaker and others asking the consent of said board to the establishment of a co-operative bank, to be located in Wrentham, notice is hereby given that a hearing will be granted to all persons interested in said application at the office of the Commissioners of Savings Banks, Room 124, State House, Boston, on WEDNESDAY, the NINTH day of JANUARY, 1901, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time and place they may be heard in relation thereto.

STARKES WHITON,
WARREN E. LOCKE,
JAMES O. OTIS,
Board of Commissioners of Savings Banks.

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MEDWAY SAVINGS BANK,

MEDWAY, MASS.

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Clerk and Treasurer, W. H. Upton.
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Bank open daily from 9 to 12 a. m. [illegible] p. m., except holidays.

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FRANKLIN ELECTRIC FIRE ALARM.

BOX 6—Corner Cross and Central streets.
8—Central street, head of Summer street.
13—Corner Emmons and Main streets.
23—Arlington street, near corner Wachusett street.
24—Nason's Crossing.
32—Corner Union and Central streets.
41—Union street, near Beaver, opposite St. Mary's Church.
43—Corner of Garfield and Crescent streets.
Two Blasts—Fire out.
One Blast—Testing apparatus.

Directions for Giving an Alarm

Being sure that a fire actually exists, go to the nearest box, unlock, pull down the hook and let go. The apparatus works automatically. Close the box and remain until the firemen arrive to direct them to scene of the fire

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Office Hours from 6.30 a.m. to 7.30 p. m. Saturdays, 6.30 a. m. to 8.15 p. m. Sundays from 9 to 10 a. m. Money Order Department from 6.30 a. m. to 7 p. m.

MAILS OPEN FROM	
North, South East and West	7.20 A. M.
North, South, East, West, Sunday	9.30 "
Providence	7.20 "
Eastern States and Provinces	9.30 "
West and South	12.00 P. M
Eastern States and Provinces	1.25 "
" "	4.40 "
West and South	5.10 "
Providence	6.40 "
Boston and East	6.40 "
Milford	6.40 "
MAILS CLOSE FOR	
Providence	9.05 A. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	8.45 "
West and South	9.00 "
Milford	9.00 "
Eastern States and Provinces	11.30 M.
West and South	4.15 P. M.
Eastern States and Provinces	4.50 "
North, South, East and West	7.15 "

Sunday Mail closing in all directions at 5 P. M.
HENRY A. TALBOT, P. M.

Franklin, Mass., June 18, 1900.

FRANKLIN NEWS IN BRIEF

Latest Local Events and Personal Items of Interest to Readers.

Ray Lewis is in town for the holidays.

Mrs. A. A. Gay has gone to Upton for the winter.

A new oak door has been put into Sanborn's dry goods store.

The J. P. Bassett children are wrestling with the whooping cough.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Crowley have returned from their visit at Dartmouth.

Are you going to watch the old century out? You'll never have another chance.

W. A. Pond has sold the L. C. Ripley place in Sheldonville to George Gaskill of Boston.

Avard R. Graves of Lexington, formerly of this town, spent the holiday with friends here.

Charles Joslin has moved from Dean avenue to one of Enoch Waite's houses on Central street.

W. E. Crowninshield made a flying visit to his former home in Brooklyn, Conn., yesterday.

Grocers Fales and McCabe & Cody have been furnishing their customers with fine calendars.

Rev. Dr. Hodge speaks Sunday afternoon on "The Influence of Modern Science Upon Religion."

T. B. Allen will entertain the Farmers club Jan. 7, when taxing personal property will be discussed.

The monthly temperance meeting will be held at the Congregational church Sunday evening, Jan. 6.

Mrs. S. C. Bourne and Mrs. J. H. Tyler have been entertaining Mr. H. Bradley of Manchester, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Snodgrass spent Christmas at Readville with her brother, Fred Ledbury, and wife.

Mrs. N. J. Kilburn and son, Karl Kilburn, of Boston have been enjoying a few days with relatives here.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" played to a good house on Wednesday evening, all appearing to enjoy the presentation.

Dr. E. M. Faxon and daughter, of Boston, were guests at J. W. Faxon's on Pleasant street Christmas day.

They are putting in the levers, etc., at the signal tower, and expect to have the place ready for business shortly.

Miss Flora Bushee of Stoneham has been spending the past few days at her parents' home on Cottage street.

A. W. and Harry Adams captured a fine fox this week and are, therefore, the envy of the hunters hereabouts.

The American band orchestra furnished excellent music at the Odd Fellows' dance on Christmas afternoon.

The Red Men's dance on New Year's eve promises to call out a large number who love to trip the light fantastic toe.

The Norfolk Woolen Co. is putting up a large storehouse, about 35 by 70, at Stony Brook, Contractor Grant doing the work.

Peregrine White colony, U. O. P. F., of North Attleboro has invited Gov. Winslow colony of Franklin to be present at their installation Tuesday evening, Jan. 1.

Mrs. T. M. Turner has moved from Summer street to the house formerly occupied by Charles Stewart, on Central street.

St. Mary's Cecilian society has arranged a social dance in Forester's hall for Friday evening, Jan. 4, when a fine time is assured.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Griffin and son, Rudolph, of North Bellingham, were guests at Jacob Quilter's, Union street, on Christmas day.

Walter F. Fiorani is working neighboring towns in the interest of the United States Indemnity Co., and is meeting with good success.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Ray have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hollis of South Weymouth and Miss Rose Dunton of Worcester.

Rev. Dr. Hodge officiated on Wednesday afternoon, at 1 o'clock, at the funeral of Mrs. Anthony Connor, the interment being at City Mills.

Misses Whiting and King, teachers in the High school, with Miss Whiting's sister, of Worcester, are spending a few days in New York city.

James Leonard, who has been serving as messenger boy at the station here, has gone to Hampton, Ct., for a week or two to officiate as spare operator.

The Misses Woy and Vogler of Bridgewater, Miss Farrington and Miss Marion Vogler of Quincy are spending a part of their vacation with Mrs. W. E. Tower.

The wedding of Miss Alice Brock and Reuben Smith will take place next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents on School street.

George A. Arnold of Wrentham and Miss Alice M. Cook of Cumberland, R I, were united in marriage Christmas afternoon at the Baptist parsonage by Rev. F. B. Sleeper.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Russell are very pleasantly situated in Seattle, Wash., Mr. Russell having an office in the New York building. Their friends here extend to them the greetings of the coming new year.

Remember the rummage sale on Saturday afternoon and evening in the Opera house block. A special side feature will be a lunch counter. Coffee and cake and oyster stew will be served. Let everybody come and have a lunch.

A private social party was enjoyed in Red Men's hall last evening, twelve couples participating. Excellent music was furnished by Mrs. Tracey, Miss Razee and Mr. Farrington. Refreshments were served. The ladies arranged the affair and were highly successful.

A number of posts for guideboards have been put up at convenient points on the highway, and the boards will be placed as soon as possible. This part of the work has been delayed on account of the sickness of the chairman of the selectmen, who had that part in charge.

One of the members of the "Uncle Tom's Cabin" company fell into a trap which had been left open by mistake in the ladies' closet at the railroad station on Wednesday, bruising herself quite severely, so that a physician was called. She left town with the company the next day.

Insurance Agent Woodward remembers us with a number of his artistic calendars, some of which are dainty enough to hang in a parlor. Naturally they are in great demand. At the bottom of some of them is the Franklin fire alarm system, which will prove a very convenient feature.

The next regular meeting of the Alden club will take the form of a New Year's social greeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Whiting, Central street, next Tuesday evening, from 8 until 10. The members are urgently requested to be present and help each other and Mrs. Whiting to open the New Year with true friendship and cordiality.

John Maroney, of the firm of Maroney Bros., bakers, was united in marriage to Miss Alice Nevelle at Ellsworth, Me., the home of the bride, on Wednesday. The couple will reside in Boston, where Mr. Maroney conducts a branch of the Home bakery. The bride has resided here for several winters, holding a position at Bassett Bros.' straw manufactory.

The N. E. O. P. Wednesday evening elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Warden, E. T. Barr; vice warden, Hattie M. Barr; secretary, Bernard R. Rockwood; financial secretary, Dr. E. C. Abbott; treasurer, W. A. Estey; guide, Kathryn C. Shattuck; guardian, Eleanor O. Miliken; sentinel, L. P. Faxon; trustee for three years, J. R. Hosford.

Emerson, the meat man, having lost his horse, Uncle Silas, like Dickens' Silas Wegg, "drops into poetry," and embalms the faithful equine as follows: "The dapple grey has gone to rest, we ne'er shall see him more. He earned his price for Emerson full many a time and more. Faithful and well he did his task, was gentle, kind and clever; his reward, says Bert, will be to bask in pastures green forever."

Boys, be careful. As a a number of lads were skating on Wednesday at Mine brook, George Sneath broke in. Alden Abbott went to his assistance and fell in also. Ernest Abbott kept his wits about him and went for a pole, and finally Alfred Sharon succeeded with it in getting the boys out. The water was pretty deep, and the accident might easily have resulted differently had no assistance come until they were chilled through.

Last spring the town instructed the treasurer and selectmen to pay no bills after the appropriation and credits received for any department were used. That condition of affairs has arrived in the schools, the poor and the miscellaneous appropriations, so that no more bills can be paid from the treasury on those accounts until more funds come in or the fiscal year has closed. The town year ends Jan. 31, 1901.

On next Monday evening a watch-night service will be held in the Congregational church beginning at 9 o'clock. There will be a preaching service at 9 p. m. At 10 refreshments and social hour; at 10.30 a Bible study; at 11.15 a testimony and prayer service. The basket lunch method of refreshments will be followed, each one providing for himself. Hot coffee will be served. All are cordially invited to watch out the old century in this religious way.

The Christmas exercises at the Baptist church Tuesday evening were very interesting. The attendance was large, every seat being taken. The cantata, "The New Santa Claus," was one of the finest ever given in the vestry. Too much praise cannot be given to those taking part. Two large trees were well loaded with presents, and the people, both young and old, must have gone home happy. A spirit of good cheer was in all the atmosphere. The pastor and wife were well remembered with gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Turner of Plainville held a pleasant family gathering Christmas. Among the guests who partook of the Christmas dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Heath and daughter, Pauline, of Garfield street, Mrs. C. W. Mason and children of Union street, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mason of Norfolk and Wesley Ham of Plainville. In the evening the guests gathered around a tastily trimmed and well-lighted Christmas tree loaded down with many pretty presents. After the distribution of presents the party was entertained with vocal and instrumental music. At a late hour the guests returned to their homes, having spent a happy and merry Christmas.

In "A Breezy Time," which appears here Friday evening, Jan. 4, the first scene is laid at a young student's apartments in Boston. The second act shifts to Vermont. It may not be necessary to say there is a young girl who is in love with a young student, and that the young student reciprocates the love. His creditors stand in the way of his marriage, and "A Breezy Time" is like other pieces in this at least, that it all ends happily in the last act. The play is brim full of melodious music, and a great many funny scenes have been introduced. The cast consists of the pick of some of the foremost artists now appearing on the farce comedy stage, who have the ability to depict in a fine and artistic manner the finely drawn characters in this, the funniest of all comedies.

The Sunday school concert given at the Universalist church Sunday afternoon was attended by a large audience and was a meritorious and pleasant affair. The choir rendered appropriate music, and after prayer by the pastor the members of the Sunday school were the main participants in the exercises. Where all did so well it would be invidious to particularize. We have heard many speak, however, of the closing scene, when the fair-haired little Emma Metcalf, kneeling on the platform with clasped hands, sang a little closing prayer in fitting words, written by the pastor, and remained kneeling while the pastor pronounced the benediction. Misses Mason and Tower, who have had charge of other similar concerts, deserve great credit for this additional success.

The Auto Bucked.

George Adams, engineer at the Hayward mill, was quite badly bruised in an accident at Medway last Sunday afternoon. He was driving the automobile belonging to his employer, Mr. Hayward, when suddenly the machine got the better of him and went over, just how the driver seems to be unable to determine. He was thrown out, as also was the other occupant of the vehicle, Mr. Neil of Medway. The latter was practically unhurt, but Mr. Adams was badly bruised about the body, he had a severe cut over the right eye and his cheek was also cut. He returned on the electric cars and his injuries were attended to. He is still unable to return to his duties, and the automobile remains in Medway. It was damaged to the extent of a number of hundred dollars. When it is run by Mr. Hayward he uses extreme caution and has thus far never met with an accident.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse

Rev. James M. Newton of Louisville, Ky., who is to speak at the men's meeting, at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, Sunday afternoon, is a bright and earnest speaker who will undoubtedly give a very strong address. Remember the hour, 4.15.

In Dean gymnasium the Universalist Sunday school had an ideal place for its Christmas eve festivities. Refreshments were served in the bowling alley, the main room above containing the Christmas tree and its accompanying gifts, while the galleries afforded friends and spectators a good opportunity for looking on, an opportunity of which many availed themselves. After refreshments had been served and all had been fed, there was music and song for an hour, when the ringing of sleighbells announced the arrival of Santa Claus, who was immediately surrounded by the eager and excited little ones. The witty speech and humorous sallies of Santa Claus were appreciated and applauded by all. He then proceeded to the distribution of presents, accompanying his presentations with lively remarks, until all had been gladdened by gifts. Then a social time was enjoyed by the young people till half-past ten. The children who were not made happy by the efforts made to please them on this occasion must, indeed, be hard to suit.

Eleanor Waite Nye.

IN MEMORIAM.

We made a brief announcement on Monday of the death of Eleanor, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Nye, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Waite. We are permitted to make more suitable notice of this sad event today. Eleanor had been the child of many anxieties, and of hopes growing in days of apparent recovery only to be dashed again to the ground by some new and sudden attack of the disease, which has at last prevailed. The best medical counsel has been sought, every measure which seemed to promise relief has been employed, and the result has been an additional evidence of the powerlessness of human aid when the great destroyer has set his mark upon his chosen. Mr. and Mrs. Nye have the sympathy in their sad bereavement of many friends.

It is well known how indefatigable and sweet has been the fight for the life of the dear child that aside from her physical condition had so much of promise in her developing characteristics. Singularly truthful and trustworthy, of a personality forceful and earnest, it seems a pity that Eleanor could not have come in this world to the development of that strong womanly character which seemed to be potentially within her; that in her eighth year, just as this development was revealing itself in interesting and varied ways, she should be called to go and leave so deep a grief behind her. We do not know the mystery of these things. We know only the sympathies they touch, the deep affections they involve and consecrate. We can but trust that in some deep and hidden way the infinite Hand works,—not for ends that are ill. Pointing upward in her dying moments, seeming to see celestial forms about her, she has gone on to join the great company of the blessed.

A simple funeral service was conducted at the home Monday, at 2 p. m., by Rev. Dr. Hodge. Many friends sent floral remembrances and testified their sympathy by their presence. The service at the grave was appropriate and impressive. While it has been a sad Christmas in the home she left, we must believe that to her has come the gift that is better than all others in the home that is everlasting.

"The old, old fashion, death. Oh, thank God, all who see it, for that older fashion yet, of immortality! And look upon us, angels of young children, with regards not quite estranged, when the swift river hears us to the ocean!"

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Rummage Sale.

In the last store in the Opera house block on Saturday afternoon and evening of this week the Methodist society will hold a rummage sale. A large assortment of second-hand clothing, furniture and various useful articles will be on sale at extra low prices. There will also be first class home-made canned fruit, preserves, etc. Everything will be sold regardless of price. Come early and get the first choice.

A Remarkable Offer.

Quite a number have taken advantage of our offer to furnish McClure's, Cosmopolitan, Review of Reviews, Success and the SENTINEL, all for one year, for just $5, which is a clear saving of $2.50, and a much larger saving when bought from month to month. For twenty-five cents more Public Opinion may be substituted for Cosmopolitan. This is an extraordinary offer, and should be accepted soon in order to receive the benefits. Subscriptions taken for any periodical at reduced rates.

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned desire to return sincere thanks to the friends and others who have remembered them in their hour of affliction.

ANTHONY CONNOR AND FAMILY.
Franklin, Mass., Dec. 27, 1900.

Heart-to-Heart Talks.

Evangelistic services are now in progress at the Methodist church. Rev. Jas. M. Newton, evangelist, from Louisville, Ky., is giving very excellent and helpful addresses. On Wednesday evening, the opening night, he spoke on "The world and the Soul." The soul is of supreme worth, and is not to be trifled away, though it be in exhange for the whole world.

REV. JAMES M. NEWTON.

His address last evening was very unique. The central thought was based on the passage in Isaiah, xl, 15 and 16: "Behold, I have graven you on the palms of my hands; I will not forget thee."

The meeting tonight will be of special interest. All are cordially invited. On Monday night there will be a watch-night service from 8 to 12 p. m. Several features of special interest. All are welcome.

A Happy Time.

The Congregational Sunday school held its annual Christmas tree and holiday festivities at the church on Tuesday evening, refreshments being served the little ones at 6 o'clock, consisting of ice cream, fancy cakes, etc. After this all repaired to the Sunday school room, where two trees had been tastefully trimmed, and a large lighthouse set up, with a colored light in the top. From a hole in this lighthouse Santa Claus distributed his gifts, a large number of recipients being made happy. A program was enjoyed consisting of a piano duet by Misses Talcott and Smith, piano solo by Grace Daniels, vocal solo by Pearl Judd, recitation by Gertrude Whiting, Alice Abbott, Harry Farrington, Roy Cleveland and Allen Richardson. Two humorous recitations were also given by John Cosseboom. Supt. Richardson and Misses Fisher and Rockwood worked indefatigably to make the affair a success, and they surely succeeded.

"A Merry Christmas."

The happy faces of boys and girls, parents and friends, most pleasingly revealed this sentiment as they gathered in large numbers on Tuesday evening for the annual Christmas exercises at the Methodist church. At an early hour the vestry was filled with people. The church was appropriately decorated, the trees were loaded with presents and the atmosphere was charged with good cheer and Christmas greetings. The concert, given by the children of the Sunday school was in every way first class.

Special credit is due Mrs. A. M. Willard, whose skill and efficiency was apparent in the perfect training manifested by the participants in the program of the evening. Just at the close of the concert, approaching bells were heard, and Santa Claus appeared. His visit was a most delightful one, and the children all hope he will come again.

Hen thieves are making a good deal of trouble and expense for the farmers in South Franklin, and the raids on the poultry in that section have become a serious matter. The thieves are bold in their operations, and after making a raid they return after a night or two for another call. The fierce canines seem to be useless protectors, making more noise in the daytime than in the darkness.

In the Market.

Turkeys, fowls and chicks, lamb, home-dressed pork, home-made sausage, fine heavy beef, Jersey sweet potatoes, squash, turnips, white and yellow; parsley, spinach, lettuce, Boston market celery, plain and sage cheese, choice pickles; best butter in town, 5 lbs for $1.35 and $1.55. Try our line of soups with your Sunday dinner; just the thing for an appetizer. Richardson, the marketman.

Picture Frames.

The pictures you received as Xmas gifts should be framed to preserve them. Bring them in and let me show you my samples of mouldings. I can please you in up-to-date frames, or put them up in passe-partout if you prefer.

CALKIN, Photographer,
Depot street.

Banjo, Mandolin and Guitar.

Charles E. Hudson can accommodate three or four more pupils. Call for particulars at office of P. A. Woodward, Dana block, on Friday evenings, between 7 and 9.

W. A. Pond

Handles all kinds of rentable property, and will find you a tenant or tenement if you desire.

Mothers, bring your children to Ochee's barber shop for a winter hair cut. Short waits, good work.

HEAVEN.

BY MRS. E. B. CHOATE.

O could I burst these prison bars
And soar away beyond the stars,
On angels' wings joyful to rise
To holy mansions in the skies.

To this old earth I bid adieu
And speed beyond the ethereal blue
Unto the city wondrous fair,
Where worldly joy cannot compare.

Give me the faith divine to rise
Into God's heavenly paradise,
To see the beauties never told,
The gates of pearl, the streets of gold.

To gaze with wonder and surprise
On glory rapt that feasts my eyes,
The jasper walls divinely bright,
The pure white throne before my sight.

The gates ajar I seem to see;
The angels surely beckon me.
I hear them call in accents sweet:
"Come, lay your crown at Jesus' feet"

Such heaven is joy enough for me,
Forever with my Christ to be,
And fondly waiting at the door
I meet the loved ones gone before

I thought my cup was full before,
But now I find it running o'er,
While God and angels welcome me
To bliss of all eternity

Fire Insurance.

Losses by fire carry with them a lesson everyone should heed. That is, the importance and duty of carrying an adequate amount of fire insurance. It is a plain, simple business proposition. For a very small sum each year a person can get $1,000 insurance against loss on house or contents by fire. Not to have this insurance may mean suffering and privation for years, or dependence on the sympathy or charity of friends. To be sure, none of us expect to be burned out; but anyone of us is liable to that misfortune at any hour. The part of prudence and common sense is to maintain, at all risks, an adequate fire insurance on the property we own that is liable to such loss. If you are not properly insured, be so at once, and you and those dependent on you will be vastly better off in case such loss comes upon you.—Exchange

Been Here Before.

The next attraction at the Opera house will be Fitz and Webster's rousing musical farce comedy "A Breezy Time," Friday evening, Jan 4. The company includes more than a dozen of the cleverest farceurs in the profession, each having been selected to exactly fit the roll he or she may be cast for.

The three acts have been happily impregnated with music, songs, dances and amusing specialty features, all of which are introduced in an easy and perfectly legitimate manner, and the presentation gives a bright and crisp entertainment.

The finale of the last act was arranged by Fitz and Webster, in which they introduce a number of "Rag Time" airs, closing the show with a grand cake walk by the entire company

Men earn, women spend money. The latter are really the "purchasing public," after all, doing considerably more than two-thirds of the purchasing of everything entering the home. The SENTINEL is a home paper and is treasured as such in hundreds of families. If you are a business man an advertisement in these columns would be to your advantage.

For Your Table.

We have turkeys, fowls and chicks, the best of beef, lamb, veal, pork, sausage, with vegetables, such as sweet potatoes, celery, lettuce, turnips, parsnips, parsley, table squash, etc., with canned soups of all flavors; creamery butter, fine cheese, etc., at Emerson's.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh cut flowers at Slade's greenhouse.

All kinds of stove wood and kindlings dry at Allen's wood yard.

Two hundred cords of trash wood for sale by E. S. Cook, Box 212. 26Ftf

Girl wanted for housework. Apply at once to J. R. Hosford at store. 28*

To Let.—Rooms with or without board. Where? At the Franklin House. 7-tf

To Let—Tenement of five rooms on Pleasant street. Apply to B. Maguire on premises.

House to let on Crescent street; all modern improvements. Inquire at office of Dr. G. A. Martin. 21 tf

For Rent— Cottage house of seven rooms on Crescent street; steam heat. Apply to J. F. Lesure. 14tf

Lost—A belt made of soldiers' buttons, also the buckle. Please return to Mrs. Shay, 46 Union street. 29

To Let—Tenement of six rooms on Cottage street, $5 per month, new tenement. Apply at this office. 14tf

Wanted—A competent girl for general housework. Must be able to cook and launder well. Address SENTINEL office. 18tf

Canvassers.—We furnish outfit free and start any man who wants to work. Write today for terms. C. L. Yates, Rochester, N. Y. 21-8tF

I shall be pleased to greet all old friends of the hotel and many new ones, and will treat them right. Table first-class "All the comforts of home," at Hotel Windsor. J. B. McKINNON, Agent.

Mileage books to let. Trip tickets to Boston and Providence. Single tickets to Walpole 20c. A few 5-trip tickets to Boston for $2.60. All at a saving from the regular fare. Chas. H. Prince at the SENTINEL Office.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1900

Among vegetables Lima beans have the highest food value, containing [illegible] per cent. of nutrients, says the Saturday Evening Post. Sweet potatoes come next, with 29 per cent., green peas next with 22 per cent., white potatoes next with [illegible] per cent. and string beans next with 13 per cent. Green sweet corn has 19 per cent. of nutrients, beets 12 per cent., turnips 11 per cent., cabbage, cauliflower and spinach eight per cent., turnips, eggplant and lettuce seven per cent., tomatoes and asparagus six per cent., and cucumbers four per cent. Dry beans or rice are about the most economical foods one can buy, containing as they do 88 per cent of solid nutrient. Fish has very high food value, in fact, is very nearly as nutritious as chicken or turkey. A pound of eggs, on the other hand, yields only half as much nourishment as a pound of lean beef notwithstanding a well-known popular theory.

The woman of 45 who owns to her age and could therefore presume to give advice to others was talking seriously to the comparatively young woman of 30, says an exchange. "Don't ever allow yourself to reach that stage of affability," she was saying, "at which people will call you a good fellow. I know that many a girl likes to have that reputation and men are likely to be attentive to the sort of girl who is called a good fellow. She is generally sure of having a good time. Men will take her out, always be glad to have her in a party, be very attentive to her at dances and make her seem like a belle. All these rewards come to the girl who is a good fellow. But I have rarely heard of a man who wanted to marry her.

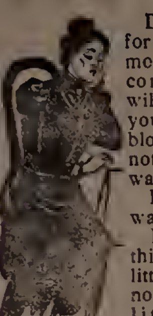
Taking in view the northern states, including all from Ohio to the Dakotas, together with Missouri and Kansas, the rate of increase of population has fallen from 28 per cent. in the decade 1880-1890 to 18 per cent. in the last decade. The rate at present is accordingly below the average rate of increase for the entire union instead of above it as formerly. The agricultural prizes of the west have been won and population no longer flows to virgin lands to any large extent, whereas the manufacturing cities of the east still attract population. The central west yields the pace to the older sections of the east.

The census enumerators in many cases failed to realize the importance of mortality statistics. In one of the eastern states an enumerator had only two deaths in a population of more than 1,300 for the entire year, which the supervisor thought was not sufficient, so he sent back the returns. The enumerator responded with the following explanation: "Dear Sir: There were four more people that died, but they was widows."

A Washington man complained bitterly to the district commissioners of the pasting of advertising labels on loaves of bread, and wanted them to stop the practice, but the commissioners assured him that the official chemist's opinion was that the use of these labels on bread is in no way detrimental to health.

Just as the United States gets through counting votes on November 6 Canada will begin to vote. Thus within 48 hours all of the English-speaking people of the North American continent will have exercised the right of suffrage.

During the last ten years, more than $1[illegible],000,[illegible]0 has been expended in the United States in the maintenance of agricultural experiment stations, $7,000,000 of which has come from the federal government.



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WHAT THE LAW DECIDES.

An agent who forwards collections to a sub-agent and directs him to make any other use of the funds than an application thereof for the benefit of the principal is held, in Milton vs. Johnson (Minn.) 47 L. R. A. 529, liable to the principal for such misuse of the funds by the sub-agent.

Discretion in the surrogate to withhold commissions from an executor who has not given proper attention to his duties is held, in Rutledge (N. Y.) 47 L. R. A. 721, not to be denied by the code provision that the surrogate "must allow to him" certain commissions for his services.

A statute making it unlawful to permit the escape of natural gas into the open air from a well longer than two days after it is constructed is held, in state vs. Ohio Oil company (Ind.), 47 L. R. A. 627, to be constitutional and a decision to the same effect is rendered by the United States supreme court in 177 U. S. 190, 44 L. ed.

Any privilege that may exist by virtue of the common interest of the parties when a creditor is writing to his debtor, complaining of delay in the payment of the debt by a third person through a bank, is held, in Sullivan vs. Strahorn-Hutton-Evans Commission company (Mo.) 47 L. R. A. 859, not to extend to the imputation of evil motives and dishonesty to such third person.

Garnishment against an executor to reach a debt of the decedent before decree for distribution of assets is denied in Hudson vs. Wilber (Mich.) 47 L. R. A. 348, in the absence of statutory permission, although the debt has been placed in judgment in a suit revived against the executor. The numerous authorities on the question of garnishment of executor or administrator are reviewed in a note to this case.

Setting of a back fire without negligence by one whose property is threatened with imminent destruction by fire is held, in Owen vs. Cook (N. D.), 47 L. R. A. 646, not to make the owner liable for the destruction of the property of another person in case his acts add or contribute to its destruction, but the fire from which he seeks protect himself will be considered as the direct and proximate cause of the loss.

Italy's Railway System.

For ten or fifteen years the Italian government has built no new locomotives or rolling stock. Recently no fewer than 12 trains stopped, broken down, in one day. The cause of the government neglect is the system by which it owns the rolling stock and lends the use of it to private companies.—N. Y. Sun.

The More the Better.

Mrs. Oldboy—A short golf skirt like this makes a woman look ten years younger.

Oldboy—In that case, my dear, you should wear about three.—Town Topics.

Cause for Envy.

He—How I envy the man who has just sang the solo.

She—Why, I thought he had an exceptionally poor voice.

"Oh, it isn't his voice I envy. It's his nerve."—N. Y. World.

A Slight Difference.

About the only difference between laughing and crying is that laughing draws the corners of the mouth up and crying pulls them down.—Chicago Daily News.

Indian Girl to the Fore.

In her report as superintendent of Indian schools Miss Reel emphasizes the vital importance of teaching the homemaking duties to every Indian girl, claiming this to be even more essential than the teaching of trades to the boys. As almost the only way of reaching the homes of the camp Indians is through the girls' school, and as they are to be the future wives and mothers the fate of the generations to come is in a large measure in their keeping. Therefore the opportunity for training them in the [illegible] of their future state should not be neglected. Since her appointment [illegible] she has spent 17 months in the field in inspecting the schools and ascertaining by personal observation the needs of the Indians and the service. She reports increased enrolment, better accommodations, greater facilities for industrial training and gratifying improvements over previous years. A strong plea is made for compulsory education.—N. Y. Tribune.

Nice Little Hint from the Barber

A [illegible] was [illegible] in a barber's shop, and while being shaved casually remarked:

"I suppose a good many of your customers forget to pay?"

"No, sir," the barber replied. "There was a time when I used to give credit, but I never do now. In fact nobody asks for it any more."

"How's that?"

"Well, you see," said the barber, trying the edge of his razor on his thumb nail, "whenever I shaved a gentleman who asked me to mark it up I put a nick in his nose with my razor and kept tally that way. They very soon didn't want to run up bills."

There was a tremor in the customer's voice as he asked beneath the lather:

"Do you object to being paid in advance?"—N. Y. World.

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Chatterton—Indeed! I wonder if the young man thinks he can support her in the ease to which she has been accustomed?—Puck.

A Woman's Awful Peril.

"There is only one chance to save your life and that is through an operation," were the startling words heard by Mrs. I. B. Hunt of Lime Ridge, Wis., from her doctor after he had vainly tried to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. Gall stones had formed and she constantly grew worse. Then she began to use Electric Bitters, which wholly cured her. It's a wonderful stomach, liver and kidney remedy. Cures dyspepsia, loss of appetite. Try it. Only 50 cts. Guaranteed. For sale by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

The wheat crop of Pawnee county, Kan., is said to be greater this year than the entire crop of Indiana. Hundreds of machines are threshing; but the job is not likely to be finished before the middle of December.

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Collector's Notice.

The owners and occupants of the following described parcels of real estate, situated in the town of Millis, in the county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon severally assessed for the years hereinafter specified, according to the lists committed to me as Collector of Taxes for said Millis by the assessors of taxes of said Millis, remain unpaid, and that said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction at the town office, Millis, on

WEDNESDAY, the 23rd day of JANUARY, 1901, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the payment of said taxes, with costs and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged.

The sums set against the descriptions of the several estates show the amounts due thereon respectively for the tax and assessments, for the non-payment of which each of said estates is to be sold, not including costs and interest thereon and costs and charges incident to this sale.

The taxes were assessed to

Michael J. McLaughlin—A lot of land, with buildings thereon, situated on the southerly side of Village street, containing 58 acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: Northerly by Village street, easterly by land now or formerly of Moses Ellis and road leading from Millis to Norfolk, southerly by land of Lewis Richardson and westerly by land of Michael Maguire.

The tax assessed for 1900 amounts to $36.00.

William G. Bird—A lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on northerly side of Village street, containing about 16 acres and bounded as follows:

Southerly by Village street, easterly by land of the heirs of Kenney, northerly by land of Kenney and O'Donnell, and westerly by Farm street.

Tax assessed for 1900 amounts to $28.80.

Also two lots of wood, sprout and pasture land situated on Stony Plain, containing 65 acres, more or less, bounded as follows:

Northerly by land formerly belonging to town of Medway, easterly by land of Joseph Handleman, southerly by land of Patrick Costello and Michael Maguire, westerly by other land of W. G. Bird.

Tax assessed for 1900 amounts to $10.80.

Also about 20 acres of tillage and sprout land known as the O'Donald lot and bounded as follows:

Northerly and southerly by other land of W. G. Bird, westerly by Farm street, easterly by land of Joseph Handleman.

Tax assessed for 1900 amounts to $4.05.

Flora B. Jones—A lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the westerly side of Parnell street, containing about one-eighth of an acre and bounded as follows: Northerly, southerly and westerly by land of Oliver Wentworth, Trustee, easterly by Parnell street.

Tax assessed for 1900 amounts to $9.00.

Aldis L. Waite—A lot of land, with buildings thereon, situated on the northerly side of Baltimore street, bounded as follows: Northerly by land of Horatio Jones and others, easterly by land of Edward Ryan, southerly by Baltimore street, westerly by land of Horatio Jones and Enoch Waite; or however otherwise bounded and described; being the same lot assessed to Aldis L. Waite or owner.

Tax assessed for 1900 amounts to $22.50.

Marcellus A. Ware—A lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the north side of Main street and containing 5 acres, more or less, bounded as follows: Northerly by land of Geo. Pillsbury, southerly by Main street, westerly by land of John McDonough, easterly by land of D. Thayer and Heirs of Bridget Maloy.

Tax assessed for 1900 amounts to $41.60.

Adolph Shatz—A lot of land situated in the northern part of Millis, containing 88 acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: Westerly by land of Sylvester Conlin, easterly by land of Rose Wallace, Frank Rutyna, southerly by land of Barne Quit.

Balance of tax due for 1900 amounts to $11 24.

Rose Wallace—A lot of land, with buildings thereon, situated on both sides of Orchard street, and bounded as follows: Northerly by land of Dennis Murphy, easterly by land of Dennis Murphy, southerly by Orchard street and land of Israel T. Clifford, westerly by land of Adolph Shatz and Frank Rutyna; or however otherwise bounded and described; being the same lot assessed to Rose Wallace.

The tax for 1900 amounts to $6.30.

Walter J. Welch—A lot of land situate on the Holliston road, and bounded northerly by land of J. W. Daniels, easterly by land of J. H. Leland and others, southerly by Boggastow brook and westerly by Holliston road; or however otherwise bounded and described; being the same lot assessed to Walter J. Welch.

The tax assessed in 1900 amounts to $[illegible].70.

Jane O. Stanley—A lot of land, with buildings thereon situated both sides of Pleasant street and bounded as follows: Northerly by road from Rockville to Norfolk, easterly by land of Owen McDonald and Enoch Waite, southerly by land of Francis H. Daniels, William O'Neill and others, westerly by Charles river; or however otherwise bounded and described; being the same lot assessed to Jane O. Stanley.

The tax assessed for 1900 amounts to $36 27.

Annie Nikkelson—One lot of land containing about 2,500 feet and being lot 313 on a plan of land of Sherman Park, recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds, and being plan 676.

Tax assessed for 1900 amounts to 90 cents.

Esther Gibson—A lot of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the easterly side of Green street, containing 10 acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: Northerly by land of John P. Kane, southerly and easterly by land of F. L. Richardson, westerly by Green street.

Tax assessed for 1900 amounts to $11.25.

Lucina M. H[illegible]e—Two lots of land containing about 66[illegible] feet, and being lots 27 and 28 on a plan of land of Frank E. Howe, recorded in Norfolk Registry of Deeds, being plan 639, plan book 14.

Tax assessed for 1900 amounts to 50 cents.

Dennis A. Bresnahan—Two lots of land containing about five acres, and being lots 11 and 12 on a plan of land of the Medway Building Mfg. Co., recorded in the Norfolk Registry of Deeds at end of vol. 804.

Tax assessed 1900 amounts to $4.50.

Or however otherwise either of said parcels of land may be bounded or described.

J. CLARENCE THORNE,
Collector of Taxes for the Town of Millis.

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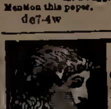

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A NEW YEAR'S STORY.

By Opie Read.

A PHYSICIAN ordered Crandall to go south. "What for?" the young fellow spoke up, rather testily. "You forget that I was the successful center rush of—"

"Yes, I know all about that," the doctor broke in. "And I also know that in your great strength—in the over development of your muscles, there lies a danger. Go south for the winter and rest. You can afford it." And, acting upon the physician's advice, Crandall went down to the gulf coast of Mississippi and took up his abode at Ocean Springs, a place settled by the Spaniards many years before there was a New Orleans. He rented a cottage built high upon the pine wooded bluff, hired a negro cook and was soon at home with his guns and fishing tackle upon the walls. Some one asked him if he had brought any books with him and he answered: "No, I left them in the black shadow of the university. What I'm looking for is sunshine. And, by the way, yonder it is now, out in that boat." That, in fact, was not the name of a girl sitting in a boat not far out from the end of the pier on which Crandall and a newly-formed acquaintance were standing. It was not the name by which she was known among the neighbors, but a name which any stranger might have applied to her. Her hair, as it streamed in the breeze, was a waving flame, so golden was its hue; and when she stood erect, which she did at the moment Crandall spoke of her, she was a picture of a grace so true as might never be effaced from the mind.

"Who is she?" he asked of the man who stood beside him; and thus was he enlightened: "She is the granddaughter of an old fellow who lives in that queer-looking house up yonder, the one with the round tower. About here it is known, and he himself boasts of the fact, that he is the grandson of a famous French pirate who once infested the coast along here, and whose offenses were condoned by the government on account of services which he rendered Andrew Jackson's army. I don't know what her name is."

"I believe I'll row over and have a talk with her," said Crandall.

"You may do as you like, but the old man is dead set against any attentions that strangers pay her."

By this time Crandall was in his boat. The girl did not take notice of his approach—she paid not the slightest heed to him until he spoke, and then, turning toward him, she said: "I'm not acquainted with you."

"A fact which I acknowledge with regret," he replied.

"Oh, you do!" she said, giving him a full view of her wondrous eyes.

"Yes, and your name is—let me see. Isn't your grandfather a grandson of the Le-Feete—or whatever his name was—who robbed on the sea and built a fort on Lake Ponchartrain?"

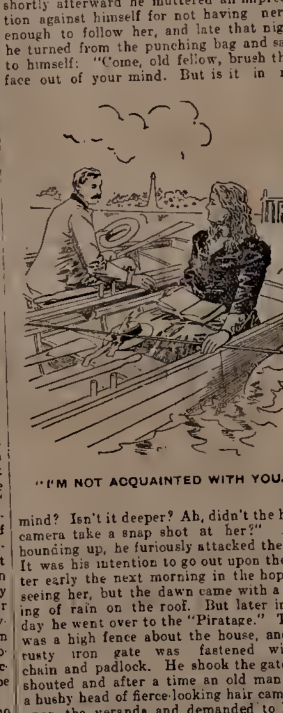
"You seem to have read history, at any rate."

"Yes, I have skimmed the most important events, and I can dip up a happening all right, but dates run through my skimmer. What are you trying to catch here?"

"Fish," she answered; and he replied: "I might have surmised as much;" and then she rejoined: "Oh, as to that, a man doesn't often take the trouble to surmise reasonably when his only object is to gain an opportunity to ask a question."

"By George, Miss Pirate, you are as sharp as your old ancestor," and when she had looked at him and laughed, for the remark did not displease her, he added: "It may be small concern to you, but we are neighbors. I live up yonder among the pines."

"Oh, you are the crazy man," she said, looking at him closer. He looked back at her in astonishment, and she explained: "That's what some of the folks believe. What else could they think of a man who hangs up a leather bag and hits it nearly all night?" He explained that he was merely taking exercise and she asked him why he didn't cut wood, and he replied that it would give him pleasure to make chips fly for her. She tried to frown at him, but laughed. They had been drifting along together. Now she took up the oars. He asked her what she was going to do, and she replied that she was going home, of course. He could not expect her to remain out there with a stranger. And, laughing, she rowed off from him; and shortly afterward he muttered an imprecation against himself for not having nerve enough to follow her, and late that night he turned from the punching bag and said to himself: "Come, old fellow, brush that face out of your mind. But is it in my mind? Isn't it deeper? Ah, didn't the heart camera take a snap shot at her?" And, bounding up, he furiously attacked the bag. It was his intention to go out upon the water early the next morning in the hope of seeing her, but the dawn came with a lashing of rain on the roof. But later in the day he went over to the "Piratage." There was a high fence about the house, and the rusty iron gate was fastened with a chain and padlock. He shook the gate and shouted and after a time an old man with a bushy head of fierce-looking hair came out upon the veranda and demanded to know the cause of such a disturbance at his gate. Crandall replied that no disturbance was intended, and then the old man asked him what he wanted. Crandall didn't know exactly what to say—he didn't care to blurt out that he wanted to see the girl, so he remarked: "Why, you see, we are neighbors, and—"


"I'M NOT ACQUAINTED WITH YOU."

"Oh, we are!" the old man broke in. "And if that's the case don't you think you ought to have waited for me to call first?"

"Well, yes," Crandall admitted, "that would have been more formal; but I am willing to dispense with formality."

"But I am not," said the old man, stepping inside and shutting the door; and as Crandall was about to turn away he thought he heard the music of a mischievous laugh. During all that day, and during nearly all the night he worried over the truth that the picture had been taken by his heart instead of his mind. The next morning he was on the pier when the sun arose and his eye swept the flashing water, but he did not see her; and after waiting until noontime he returned to the house to brood over her, to gaze inward at her picture, with hair streaming like a flame. Late in the afternoon he wandered by the wooded shore and suddenly he halted, with his heart beating hard, for there she sat beneath a pine tree, gazing out upon the quiet water. He halted, stood and looked at her, and she did not withdraw her eyes from the sleeping sea, for she had not heard him; but he stepped back, to retreat in the timidity that suddenly had come upon him; a twig snapped beneath his foot and she looked round.

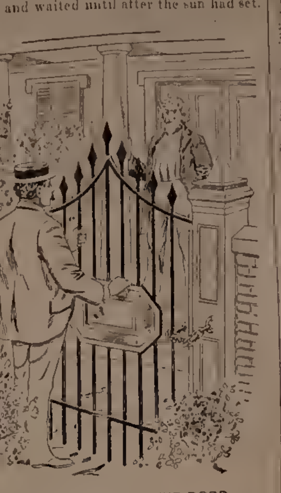
"I beg your pardon," said he; and she replied. "Oh, no, but I beg your pardon for laughing when you were driven away from our gate."

He sat down beside her and she made no objection. And they talked with a freedom that cut an hour short. At last a voice called her and she started up, declaring that she did not know it was so late. "He called you Marette," said Crandall. "It is a pretty name."

"Good-by," she said, running away from him.

"When may I see you again?" he called after her, and back came the words. "Oh, you mustn't think of that. Perhaps not at all."

He returned to the place the next afternoon and waited until after the sun had set.


THE OLD MAN AT THE DOOR.

She did not come. But the next day he found her reading in the woods. She was self-possessed, but this time she blushed when suddenly he appeared before her And now how soft were their accents, so different from the tone of raillery that had characterized their first meeting.

And thus they met, sometimes every day for a week, and then not at all for several days. She would never agree to an appointment, always leaving their meeting to chance. One day they sat gazing out upon the dreamy sea. "I had taken so severe a course in athletics that I had reason to believe that all emotion had been trained out of me," he said. "Violent exercise is sometimes an offset to strong mental—I might say heart emotion. But I find that with me this belief was all a fallacy." She looked at him as if she did not understand his meaning, and, though he knew she did, yet he pretended that he did not. "Have you been trying to feel strong emotion?" she asked. and he replied: "No, not trying to feel it." "I don't know what you mean," she said, and then he cried: "Oh, yes, you do," and he put his arms about her; and the hours flew and the sun sunk low and flamed upon the water, "like your hair spread out," he said. And then they heard the old man calling her. He was near at hand and he saw Crandall. "Here," said he, "I've got a word to say that may be of use to you. From this time on you will see the black flag of my ancestors flying from the tower on my house.' If you come on my land you will be shot, and if you attempt to influence any further the mind of this child I will hunt you and kill you."

"She is to be my wife," said Crandall.

"Then she is to be a bride and a widow at the same time," replied the old man. He led the girl away and Crandall went home and walked the floor all night; and when morning came he looked out and there was the black flag of the Ponchartrain pirates floating from the tower on the old man's house. He roamed about in the woods all day, but did not see the girl. And each morning there was the black flag, and there it was at night, a patch of deeper darkness against the dark sky; and one night, when lightning flashed, he saw it streaming, red, like a flame—like her hair. Once he ventured near the house, and a bullet nipped a bit of bark under a tree just above his head. Early one morning he stood on the pier waiting for the sun to rise, but, instead, a cloud and a wind arose, almost a hurricane. Suddenly he saw a sailboat near by, struggling hard, and then it was overturned and blown fast away, leaving a man struggling in the water—an old man, and Crandall thought that he recognized the girl's grandfather. He did not hesitate. He sprang into the sea, seized the old fellow and swam to shore with him; and, staggering upon the sand, he looked at Crandall and said: "You fool, why didn't you let me drown?"

Crandall went home and sat down to brood, with the black flag still in sight. It was the last day of the year. Early the next morning before it was light he went out and was standing near his door when a cloud lifted and the sun flashed: and then his heart leaped, for the black flag was gone. And just at that moment the old man, leading the girl by the hand, came round the corner of the house. "I have brought you a New Year's present," he said.

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From Capt. F. Loye, Police Station No. 5, Montreal:—"We frequently use PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER for *pains in the stomach, rheumatism, stiffness, frost bites, chilblains, cramps*, and all afflictions which befall men in our position. I have no hesitation in saying that PAIN-KILLER *is the best remedy* to have near at hand."

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He Wasn't Afraid.

Little Tommy and his younger sister were going to bed without a light They had just reached the bottom of the stairs when Tommy, after vainly endeavoring to pierce the darkness turned round and asked:

"Ma, is it polite for a gentleman to precede a lady when they have to walk single file?"

"No, my son," replied the mother, "the lady should always take the lead."

"I thought so," said Tommy, delightedly; "go ahead, Sue."—Brooklyn Eagle.

Side Lights on History.

"It was a lucky thing for me, perhaps," remarked Daniel, referring to the matter some time afterward, "that it was only a piece of rather blind handwriting that Belshazzar wanted me to decipher. If it had been a physician's prescription I believe it would have floored me"—Chicago Tribune.

They Usually Do.

Whene'er I meet a maid
  Who's seeking an affinity
I always feel afraid
  She'll wed an asininity.
—Harlem Life.

Willie—Why does a man swear off so many things at New Years?"

Crabshaw—He has to, my boy, for he spent all his money at Christmas."—Judge

Tennyson—Up to Date.

"Ring out the old! Ring in the new!
Wring out the hotel napkins, too!"
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MATTERS MILITARY.

In the British army 90,000 men have good-conduct badges.

This is the centenary year of the introduction of the rifle into the British service in South Africa.

An implement to be added to the soldier's kit, which can be used as spade, pick-ax or saw, and also as a shield for protection from bullets, has been invented by the earl of Wemyss. It is said that the contrivance is to be adopted by the British army.

The experience of the British in South Africa is said to have demonstrated the superiority of small horses to the larger as draft animals in the field of hostilities. They can go longer without food, it is said, can do just as much work and make a smaller target for the enemy.

Cook Forgot Himself.

Regular Customer (to waiter)—As an old customer, I generally have two slices of beef, and to-day you have brought me only one.

Waiter (with a look of surprise)—By the powers, you are right! The cook must have forgotten to cut it in two. —Tit-Bits.

A Pleasant Economy.

Little Dick—Papa, didn't you tell mamma that we must economize?

Papa—I did, my son.

Little Dick—Well, I was thinking that p'r'aps if you'd get me a pony I shouldn't wear out so many pairs of boots.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Scientific Penetration.

"Professor, how do you come to propose to me in the face of my continued indifference?"

"I proceeded on the general proposition that whatever a woman seems to be she isn't."—Chicago Record.

RECORD OF THE PAST

No Stronger Evidence Can Be Had.

Look well to their record. What they have done many times in years gone by, is the best guarantee of future results. Anyone with a bad back; any reader suffering from urinary troubles, from any kidney ills, will find in the following evidence proof that relief and cure is near at hand:

Mr. Patrick O. Dwyer, mason, of 62 White street, New Haven, Conn, says: "In 1896 when Doan's Kidney Pills cured me of backache which always bothered me when I caught cold, which hurt me when I stooped, or straightened after stooping, which refused to disappear under treatment of different medicines, I was only too pleased to let the people of New Haven know the fact through our newspapers. Three years from that date, or in the month of May, 1899, I just as ardently recommend Doan's Kidney Pills as I did when they effected the cure mentioned above. My advice to anyone suffering from kidney complaint is, call at a drug store, procure Doan's Kidney Pills, take them as directed, and you will be surprised at the results."

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Cruel.

She was boasting of her latest conquest.

"The first thing I knew," she said, "he was at my feet."

"Who threw him over?" asked her dearest friend.

Of course it is well known that these little pleasantries are not unusual between feminine friends.—N. Y. World.

Impossible in His Case.

"Come, come, my boy, don't cry," urged the kindly old gentleman. "Doubtless your troubles are very real and serious to you, but you should be manly in adversity."

"I can't be," sobbed the boy.

"Why not?" asked the kindly old gentleman.

"Ma won't let me swear."—Chicago Post.

Rough on the Bay State.

A teacher in civil government had told his pupils that once in ten years the state of Massachusetts takes a census. Little James, who is an attentive scholar, upon being called up to recite, said:

"Once in every ten years Massachusetts comes to its senses."—N. Y. Tribune.

It Is Worth Remembering.

It's the man at the top of the ladder who can reach things," remarked the haughty representative of a noble family.

"True," remarked the sarcastic man in homespun, "but it is the man at the bottom who can upset the ladder." —Chicago Post.

A Necessary Preliminary.

"You are the queerest man that I was ever engaged to."

"In what respect?"

"You haven't said a word yet about being unworthy of my love"—Chicago Record.

Peace After War.

"You say you never quarrel with your husband?"

"Never; you see we were members of the same choir before we married, and we got all over that by the time we were man and wife." — Yonkers Statesman.

Equestrian Item.

"Hawkins is very fond of his horse, isn't he?"

"Why, no; he hates him."

"That's queer. I saw him riding in the park the other day, and he had his arms about the animal's neck."—Tit-Bits.

You have read of the cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla and you should have perfect confidence in its merit. It will do you good.

Tortured a Witness.

Intense suffering was endured by Witness T. L. Martin of Dixie, Ky., before he gave this evidence: "I coughed every night until my throat was nearly raw; then tried Dr. King's New Discovery which gave instant relief. I have used it in my family for four years and recommend it as the greatest remedy for coughs, colds and all throat, chest and lung troubles. It will stop the worst cough, and not only prevents but absolutely cures consumption. Price 50c and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at Albert C. Mason's drug store.

Broken Bric-A-Bracs.

Mr. Major, the famous cement man, of New York, explains some very interesting facts about Major's cement. The multitudes who use this standard article know that it is many hundred per cent. better than other cements for which similar claims are made, but a great many do not know why. The simple reason is that Mr. Major uses the best materials ever discovered and other manufacturers do not use them, because they are to expensive and do not allow large profits. Mr. Major tells us that one of the elements of his cement costs $3.75 a pound, and another cost $2.65 a gallon while a large share of the so called cements and liquid glue, upon the market are nothing more than 16 cent glue, dissolved in water or citric acid, and in some cases, altered slightly in color and odor by the addition of cheap and useless materials. Major's cement retails at fifteen and twenty-five cents a bottle, and when a dealer tries to sell a substitute you can depend upon it that his only object is to make a larger profit The profit on Major's cement is as much as any dealer ought to make on any cement. And this is doubly true in view of the fact that each dealer gets his share of the benefit of Mr. Major's advertising which now amounts to $5000 a month, throughout the country. Established in 1876. Insist on having Major's. Don't accept any off hand advice from a druggist. If you are at all handy (and you will be likely to find that you are more so than you imagine) you can repair your rubber boots and family shoes, and other rubber and leather articles, with Major's rubber cement and Major's leather cement. And you will be surprised at how many dollars a year you will save. If your druggist can't supply you, it will be fowarded by mail; either kind. Free of postage.

A Certain Cure for Chilblains.

Shake into your shoes Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. It cures chilblains, frostbites, damp, sweating, swollen feet. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Sample free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

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Trains leave FRANKLIN for

BOSTON—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41 a m; 12 50, 5 01 (Ex.) 6 05, 9 38 p m; Sundays, 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 07, 8 30 a m; 12 04, 3 39, 4 34, 5 10, 6 22, 6 57, 8 17, 11 17 p m. Sundays, 9 19 a m, 5 19, 7 10 p m.

BLACKSTONE—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 8 35, 11 25 a m; 4 41 p m.

WALPOLE—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 00, 9 15, 11 41, a m; 1 50, 5 01, 6 05, 9 38 p m. S 8 26, 8 55 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, 8 48, a m; 12 46, 4 13, 5 13, 6 01, 7 13 9 10 p m; 12 12 a m. S 10 17 a m, 6 17, 7.54 p m.

NORFOLK—5 15, 6 57, 8 03, 9 15 a m; 12 50, 6 05, 9 33 p m S 8 26 a m; 5 26 p m. Return, f8 55 a m, f12 56, f5 22, 6 10, f7 21, 9 18 p m; 12 21 a m S 10 25 a m; 6 25 p m.

CITY MILLS—5 15, f6 57, 8 03, f9 15 a m; f12 50, 6 05 9 38 p m. S 8 26 a m, 5 26 p m. Return, f8 58 a m; f12 56, 5 25, 6 14, f7 24, f9 21 p m; 12 24 a m. S 10 29 a m, 6 29 p m.

PUTNAM—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. S 8 11 p m. Return 7 30, 10 35 a m; 3 50 p m. S 7 35 p. m.

HARTFORD—9 15 a m; 4 25, 7 45 p m. Return, 5 10, 8 30 a m; 1 55 p m.

WOONSOCKET JUNCTION—6 20 p m. Return, 7 46, 8 40, 11 30 a m.

NEW YORK, all rail—9 15 a m; 4 25 p m. Return 5 00, 11 00 a m.

New York, via Norwich Line, 7 45 p m. Return New Pier 36, North River, 6 00 p m.

Providence Extension.

Trains leave FRANKLIN for

PROVIDENCE—7 03, 9 03 a m; 1 05, 4 40, 7.03 p m. Return, 6 04, 8 10, 12 04 a. m, 3 35, 6 06 p m.

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Trains leave Franklin for

MILFORD—9 18 a m; 1 12, 4 30, 5 33, 6 55 p m; S 6 57 p m. Return, 6 35, 8 21, 11 13 a m; 3 48, 6 03 p m. S, 8 00 a m.

ASHLAND—4 30 p m. Return, 7 50 a m; 5 35 p m.

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TIME-TABLE.

(In effect Oct. 22.)

FRANKLIN TO WOONSOCKET—Cars leave Franklin for Woonsocket, 6.10, 6.45 a.m. and every half hour, on quarter of and quarter past the hour. Last through car leaves here at 10.15 p. m. Last cars to car barn at 10.45 and 11.15 p. m.

FRANLIN TO MILFORD—All cars to Woonsocket connect at Bellingham Four Corners. Returning from Milford at 6.10 a. m. and every half hour till 11 p. m, connecting at Bellingham Four Corners for Franklin and Woonsocket. Cars leave the Main street switch, Woonsocket, for Milford and Franklin at 6.15 a. m., and then on hour and half hour till 10.30 p. m.

FRANKLIN TO CARYVILLE—Cars leave Bellingham Four Corners for Caryville every hour from 6 to 9 a. m., 12 m. to 2 p. m., 4 to 9 p. m., returning on the half hour. Cars leaving Franklin at 6.45, 7.45, 11.45 a. m. and 12.45, 3 45, 4.45, 5.45, 6.45 and 7.45 p. m. connect at Bellingham Four Corners with cars for Caryville.

FRANKLIN TO PLAINVILLE—Cars leave 6.00, 7.30, 8.15 a. m.; hourly to 6.15 p. m.; 6.15, 10.15 p. m. Return, 6.40, 6.15 a. m., hourly till 7.15 p. m.; 9.15, 11.15 p. m.

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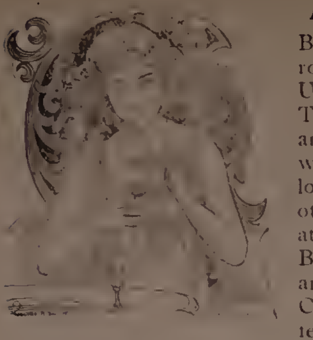

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Fossil Fish in New Jersey.

In the blue shales of a valley a few miles from Montclair, N. J., are found fossil fish of a kind which is almost extinct, only three specimens now surviving. They belong to the order of ganoids, which possessed no interior bony skeleton, but only an outside covering of bony or cartilaginous plates. They were the earliest known vertebrates. A number of excellent specimens show distinctly the shining, bony scales of this peculiar species of fish which, according to geologists, must have existed ages ago. The term ganoid was applied because of the form of the scales, which in most species are angular, square or rhomboidal, as seen in the common garpikes. They lived during the later part of the Jura-Trias period, which is placed at 4,000,000 years ago. At that time the entire state of New Jersey, except a strip of highlands in the northern part, was submerged under the Atlantic, and the southern Atlantic states were all under water.—Indianapolis News.

Freemasonry in the Middle Ages.

The freemasons were one of the innumerable trade guilds of the middle ages, each of which had its oaths, its passwords and its symbolic drama bearing on the theory and practice of the craft. The builders held the place of honor among these guilds because their work was the noblest. The nameless architects of those majestic cathedrals which shine out like jewels on the dark side of medieval anarchy and ignorance were master masons who had gone through precisely the same ordeal that every freemason goes through to-day.—Chicago Chronicle.

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Rouse the torpid liver, and cure biliousness, sick headache, jaundice, nausea, indigestion, etc. They are invaluable to prevent a cold or break up a fever. Mild, gentle, certain, they are worthy your confidence. Purely vegetable they can be taken by children or delicate women. Price, 25c. at all medicine dealers or by mail of C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the post office at Franklin for week ending December 27, 1900:

Ladies—Miss Eva Frances Chase.

Gentlemen—James Huff, A. S. Richards, Henry A. Smith, A. H. Sumner, J. F. Urguidi.

Persons claiming the above will please say "advertised" and give date of above list.

A Keen, Clear Brain.

Your best feelings, your social position, or business success depend largely on the perfect action of your stomach and liver. Dr. King's New Life Pills give increased strength, a keen, clear brain, high ambition. A 25 cent box will make you feel like a new being. Sold by Albert C. Mason, druggist.

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Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home in New York, Break up colds in 24 hours, cure feverishness, headache, stomach troubles, teething disorders and destroy worms. At all druggists, 25c. Sample free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Advertising is business news. It tells the things which are of great daily importance. It is of more account to the frugal housewife to know where to get certain necessary commodities at a less price than usual than to know of the troubles in Siam and Alaska.

A Sensible Man

Would use Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs. It is curing more coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis, croup and all throat and lung troubles than any other medicine. The proprietor has authorized any druggist to give you a sample bottle free to convince you of the merit of this great remedy. Price 25 and 50c.

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Where to Put His Arm.

"She's teaching me to dance," he explained.

"And how far have you progressed?"

"I have learned where to put my arm."

"How long has she been giving you lessons?"

"Oh, a little over six weeks."—Chicago Post.

His Reply.

Sappington—Your sister looks sweet enough to eat.

Little Rodney—She does eat.—Judge.

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Church Services.

St. John's Church (Episcopal)—Evening Prayer with sermon at the Baptist church at [illegible]. Sunday school at 2. Rev. Guy W. Miner, Rector.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—Low mass at [illegible]; high mass at 10.45; meeting of sodalities and Sunday-school at [illegible]. Rev. M. J. Lee, rector.

Universalist church.—The pastor, Rev. Dwight M. Hodge, D. D., will preach at 10.30. Vesper service at 5; subject, "The Influence of Modern Science Upon Religion." Y. P. C. U. at 6. Morning subject, "The Certainty of Just Retribution for Sin."

Young Men's Christian Association rooms in Morse block, opposite Opera house.—Sunday afternoon service at 4.15. Address by Rev. James M. Newton of Louisville, Ky.; subject, "Going to Hell in Droves," a confidential talk to men only. All men are invited.

Baptist church.—At 10.30 preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank B. Sleeper. Sunday school at 12. Young People's meeting at 5.45. Preaching at 7; theme, "Restoration Ere the Century Closes." Short after service in vestry. Morning subject, "The Closing Benediction of the Nineteenth Century."

Methodist church.—Preaching at 10.30 by the Rev. James M. Newton. Sunday school at 12. Junior Epworth league at 3. Evangelistic service at 7, conducted by Rev. James M. Newton; subject, "Dying Tonight Away From God." Morning subject, "A View of Man's Destiny With a Philosophical Eye."

Congregational church.—Preaching at 10.30 by the pastor, Rev. I. W. Sneath, Ph. D. Sunday school at 12. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6. Evening service at 7; preaching by pastor and music by quartet and congregation; theme, "Our Tomorrow." Morning theme, "Religious Conditions in Franklin a Hundred Years Ago and To-day."

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RESOURCES.		
Loans and discounts		$321,608 28
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		300 10
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc		48,000 00
Due from National banks not reserve agents		56,970 97
Due from approved reserve agents		24,316 61
Checks and other cash items		2,670 38
Notes of other National banks		2,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		76 11
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$7,900 00	
Legal tender notes	12,075 00	19,975 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer 5 per cent. of circulation		5,000 00
Total		$580,897 48
LIABILITIES.		
Capital stock paid in		$200,000 00
Surplus fund		60,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		42,650 23
National bank notes outstanding		97,200 00
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks		596 70
Dividends unpaid		612 00
Individual deposits subject to check		182,346 04
Certified checks		300 00
Exchange account		183 51
Total		$580,897 48

State of Massachusetts, county of Norfolk, ss.

I, F. H. Bartholomew, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. H. BARTHOLOMEW, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of December, 1900.

ORESTES T. DOE, Notary Public.

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Collector's Notice.

The owners of the following described parcels of real estate in the town of Medway, county of Norfolk and commonwealth of Massachusetts, and the public are hereby notified that the taxes thereon assessed for the year within specified, according to the list committed to me by the assessors of taxes, remain unpaid, and that the said parcels of real estate will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Town Clerk's office in said Medway, on

JANUARY 4th, 1901,

at 10 o'clock a. m., for the payment of said taxes and interest, together with the cost and charges thereon, unless the same shall be previously discharged:

Warren C. Mann or Owner—About one-quarter acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the south side of Milford street, in the westerly part of Medway, bounded on the north by Milford street, east by land of Charles E. Stratton, west by land of Susan F. and Jennie F. Adams, south by land of estate of Albion Wight; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described. Tax assessed, $30.65.

George S. Ryan—About one-quarter acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the north side of Village street, in the easterly part of Medway, bounded on the north by Village street, east by land of John Mead, south by Village street, west by School street, north by land of Joel Crooks; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described. Tax assessed, $67.20.

Mrs. Joanna Fields or Owner—About one acre of land, with the buildings thereon, situated on the east side of Barber street, in the easterly part of Medway, bounded on the north by North street, east by land of town of Medway, west by Barber street, south by land of Mary Kelley; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described. Tax assessed, $27.30.

William Ball or Owner—About two and one-half acres of land situated in Kenney section and designated as lots 40, 41, 42, in land section, situated on the south side of Village street, in the southerly part of Medway, bounded on the north by Village street, west by land of E. C. Wilson, east by land of Mrs. Mary Nealon and Frances Karnes, south by Charles river; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described. Tax assessed, $6.30.

Charles A. McGinnis or Owner—About nine and one-half acres of land, known as the Kenney section, situated in the southerly part of Medway, and bounded on the north by Village street, west by land of E. C. Wilson, east by land of Mrs. Mary Nealon and by land of Frances Karnes, south by Charles river; or however otherwise the parcel of land may be bounded and described. Tax assessed, $12.81.

GEO. F. MADDEN,
Collector of Taxes for 1899.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executor of the will of William Mann, late of Franklin, in the county of Norfolk, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

WILLARD EVERETT, Executor.

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 13, 1900. de14,21,28

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Amos M. Clark, late of Woonsocket, R. I., having estate in the county of Norfolk, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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